

Complete Outline of Proposed Work

TICKET PRICES ARE ANNOUNCED BY FAIR BOARD

When the election for the \$1,650,000 road bond election in Brown county, to be held on October 1st, was ordered by the commissioners...

DEAN

PHOS. H. TAYLOR, Dean of Howard Payne college, will be in charge of the internal operation of the school much of the coming year...

DANIEL BAKER MAKES READY FOR NEW YEAR

Daniel Baker college will open the 1928-29 session on September 7, with entrance examinations on that day...

BURLESON AND DENMAN WIN COUNTY RACES

The leads taken Saturday night by Tom Connally in his race for the Senate and R. Q. Lee of Cisco in his race for Congress have been maintained as the vote nears its final count...

Legion Parade Plans Are Made

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 30. (AP)—Under direction of Col. Beaumont E. Buck, grand marshal, plans for conducting the gigantic parade of former service men and members of the women's auxiliary during the National American Legion convention here, Oct. 9, have been practically completed...

HURT IN CRASH

DALLAS, Aug. 30. (AP)—B. A. Fox, 33, automobile salesman, was probably fatally injured last night when his automobile was demolished by the kicking of a box car on to a street in South Dallas.

START TRUST FUND

HOUSTON, Aug. 30. (AP)—In memory of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Neal have deposited \$100,000 in a Houston bank as a trust fund for the Baptist hospital.

UNOFFICIAL RETURNS

Table with columns for names and vote counts for various candidates in different districts, including Brownwood Ward 1, Brownwood Ward 2, Brownwood Ward 3, and various county-wide races.

Son of 1st Texas Governor Is Dead

BRADY, Tex., Aug. 30. (Sp.)—F. W. Henderson, age 79, son of Texas' first governor, J. P. Henderson, died at his home Thursday morning at 5:40, his death following an extended illness.

WALKER GIVES PAYNE \$40,000

John A. Walker, president of the Walker-Smith Company and vice-president of the First National Bank, has given another \$40,000 to the endowment fund of Howard Payne College...

Examining Trial Given Bolling

B. B. Bolling, charged with a felony in connection with the alleged raising of a check from \$18.50 to \$88.50 was given an examining trial before Justice of the Peace E. T. Perkins Wednesday afternoon...

SMITH FARM STAND TOLD

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Aug. 30. (AP)—John Raskob, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, announced here today that Governor Alfred Smith's position on the equalization fee had been misunderstood...

Would Cancel Note Held by Lansing

SHERMAN, Tex., Aug. 30. (AP)—Judgment directing that a note for \$4,000, claimed to be held by F. W. Lansing, receiver of the First National Bank of Denton which suspended operations, Aug. 18, and given by H. F. Schweizer, president, be cancelled, was requested in a suit filed in Federal court here today.

AMICE CHARGED WITH FRAUDS IN LAND SALES

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 30. (AP)—Aimee Semple McPherson, evangelist, was accused of fraudulent real estate operations at Lake Tahoe, Northern California resort, in complaint for damages filed in superior court here today.

Gun Battle Staged In Field Near Here

Howard Heard, a farmer living about seven miles from Brownwood on the Salt Creek road, is charged in city court with an affray and according to County Attorney T. C. Wilkinson, Jr., will be charged in county court with carrying a pistol and with an aggravated assault.

MRS. J. H. RAY IS INJURED IN SUBWAY CRASH

Mrs. J. H. Ray of Brownwood, was seriously hurt Saturday night at about 9 o'clock at the entrance of the Austin Avenue subway when her clothing was caught by a car driven by V. H. Huckaby of this city, and she was thrown to the pavement.

BANGS HOLDS WATERFETE

Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department's truck team, consisting of nine local firemen, accompanied by 10 or 12 other members of the local fire department and headed by J. A. Spradley, chief of the local fire department, attended the celebration held at Bangs Wednesday afternoon in connection with the completion of the new water works system in that city...

AREA BETWEEN CROSS CUT AND BLAKE ACTIVE

The Anna Belle Oil Company No. 3 J. S. Armstrong, which was brought in a little over a week ago and which was shot last Sunday, is reported now as making 150 barrels of oil a day, and that has become one of the active areas of the county.

Prominent Woman

NEW YORK, Aug. 30. (AP)—Miss Mary Garrett Hay, leader of the woman suffrage movement in the United States and former chairman of the Republican Women's National Executive Committee, died last night at her home in New Rochelle.

Light Rains Fall in Northern Texas

WICHITA FALLS, Tex., Aug. 30. (AP)—Light rains fell in Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma today, resulting in a slight drop in high temperatures. Precipitation in the vicinity of Wichita Falls was .38 of an inch, with heavier rain reported between here and Glarendon.



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RAILROADS IN HEARING HIT

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 29.—(AP)—A statement that railroads serving Galveston refused to furnish shipping cost estimates asked by the Galveston Chamber of Commerce was placed today in the record of the State Railroad Commission's hearing on the application of Galveston and Texas City for rejection of the present equal rate grouping with Houston under the proposed new mileage scale for Texas traffic.

The statement was by E. H. Thornton, representing Galveston and Texas City shippers. He offered to introduce letters from the railroads refusing to give the information but Railroad Counsel objected. The ensuing dispute was settled by an agreement to let Thornton state the effect of the letters.

R. J. Barry, transportation cost expert of Houston, was on the stand again today for Galveston and Texas City interests. Thornton is trying to show through his testimony that the railroads can ship out of the smaller cities as cheaply or cheaper than they can from Houston Ship Channel Ports.

Under the present grouping, Galveston and Texas City have the same rates as Houston to points beyond 100 miles from Houston, on several commodities. This would be done away with if the proposed mileage scale, recently adopted by the Interstate Commerce Commission, is put into effect.

Morris E. Burke, Bagging Shipper of Galveston, testified yesterday that if the present rate equality between Houston and Galveston on that commodity is eliminated in favor of Houston on a mileage scale, he would be practically forced to move to Houston to stay in business.

The rate from Houston and Galveston to Waco on bagging now is 36 1/2 cents a hundred pounds. Under a mileage scale, Galveston's rate would be 40 cents and Houston shippers, Burke said, could undersell him.

SOUTHPAW KING



BREEZING through a starry field, Rudy Juran, amateur of Minneapolis, Minnesota, successfully defended the national southpaw open golf championship at Chicago recently. He won the title for the first time in 1927. He finished three strokes lower than his nearest opponent in the championship event this year.

NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, Aug. 30.—Speculators for the advance quickly assumed control of the price movements at the opening of today's stock market. It was bid up 2 points and 1/2, and closed at 2 points and 1/2 above the previous day's closing.

Coppers were in brisk demand on reports of unusually low reserve stocks, and an expanding demand for the red metal here and abroad. First sale of Anaconda was a block of 22,000 shares at 74 1/2, followed by a quick run up to 75 1/2. High prices in more than ten years. American Smelting touched a new high point for all time above 30. Kennecott, Inspiration, Cerro de Pasco and Calumet & Hecla also moved into new high ground.

Amusement shares also attracted a large following. Warner Bros., continued to advance despite official denials of reports the company was negotiating for First National Pictures. National Cash Register ran up more than 3 points to a new peak of 25 1/2. International Harvester, American Radiator, Koster Radio and R. H. Macy (new stock) also moved into new high ground.

Revival of activity in tobacco shares was based on reports of an early merger or closer working agreement between Schulte Retail Stores and United Cigar Stores.

Foreign exchanges opened steadily with sterling cables slightly higher at 143 1/4.

The closing was strong. Considerably better prices were established for the list as a whole, when the overall rate unexpectedly dropped to 7 per cent. Outside stimulus supplemented the efforts of pools in raising bids.

National Biscuit, Koster Radio and Adams Express 7 1/2 to 9 1/2 points higher were among the most active shares as International Telephone, Midland Steel Products preferred and York Chemical were pushed up 5 to 6 points. Total sales approximated 5,400,000 shares.

Allied Chem. & Dye 206 7/8
American Can 139
American Lined 122 3/8
American Locomotive 22 1/2
American Smelt. & Ref. 24 1/4
American Sugar & Ref. 71
American Tel. & Tele. 140 1/2
American Tobacco B 161
Ammoth Woolen 76 7/8
Anaconda 148 1/2
Armour B 75 1/2
Atlantic 184 1/4
Atlantic Refining 163 7/8
Baltimore & Ohio 115 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 62 1/4
Canadian Pacific 215
Chesapeake & Ohio 136 1/2
Chrysler 87 1/2
Colorado Fuel 98 1/4
Colorado Gas & Electric 27 1/2
Coca-Cola 142 1/2
Cotton Products 82 1/2
Dixie 58 1/2
Erie 28 1/2
Fleischmann 75 1/2
General Electric 21 1/2
General Motors 105 1/2
General Ry. Signals 100 1/2
General Tel. & Tele. 140 1/2
Hudson Motors 81 1/2
Int. Com. Eng. 101 1/2
Int. Harvester 26 1/2
Int. Nickel 113
Int. Tel. & Tele. 140 1/2
Kansas City Southern 27 1/2
Kennecott 91 1/2
Mask Truck 24 1/2
Middle States Oil 41 1/2
M. K. & T. 41 1/2
Montgomery Ward 21 1/2
Nash Motors 81 1/2
North Central 172
North American 78 1/2
Northern Pacific 86
Packard 113 1/2
Pan. Am. Pet. B 40 1/2
Pan. P. & O. 15
Paramount Film, Inc. 142 1/2
Pennsylvania 29 1/2
Phillips Petroleum 39
Pittsburgh 27 1/2
Purcell 71 1/2
Radio 206 1/2
Reynolds Tobacco B 142 1/2
St. Louis & San Fran. 117 1/2
Sears Roebuck 145 1/2
Shelby Oil 21 1/2
Southern Pacific 121 1/2
Southern Railway 121 1/2
Standard Oil, Cal. 49 1/2
Standard Oil, N. Y. 25 1/2
Studebaker 78 1/2
Texas Corporation 82
Texas Gulf Sulphur 73 1/2
Texas & Pacific 27 1/2
Union Carbide 142 1/2
Union Pacific 142 1/2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol 128 1/2
U. S. Rubber 27 1/2
Vanguard 122 1/2
Westinghouse Electric 104 1/2
Western Union 141 1/2
Willamette Industries 141 1/2
Woodworth 159 1/4
Yellow Truck 31 1/4

INDIAN RACES AND LEGENDS DISAPPEARING

By NEA Service

ONE of the most deplorable tragedies of this age is the fact that the rich culture of American Indian life is not being preserved, in the opinion of Elsie Weil, newspaper woman and author, who lived for some time among the Blackfeet.



Miss Elsie Weil

Indians in Montana and was adopted into the tribe of the Peigans.

"It would seem as if the only solution left to the Indian problem is complete diffusion, which seems to me a crime considering that it would eventually mean the elimination of all that rich culture," Miss Weil said.

"In the tribes I know, of a total of around 3,000 Indians, there are less than 1,000 pure bloods left. The fine old warriors are living in the glories of the dead buffalo days; the old women still preserve their lovely religious sun festivals of another day, but the young generation is intermarrying and losing much by becoming educated and cultured."

"The New Mexico and Arizona Indians have received encouragement through a widespread appreciation of their art. But the Blackfeet tribes, richest in beautiful legends of all tribes are at a standstill. Unless some savior of their own race rises to lead them, it is only a question of time until the last traces of this noble race are gone."

FOXY PHANN

Just ask Bill Carrigan if you want to know what is the last word in baseball.



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TEXAS COTTON CROP SET AT LESS THAN FIVE MILLION BALES

AUSTIN, Aug. 30.—(AP)—George B. Terrell, Commissioner of Agriculture, today estimated the Texas cotton crop would be less than 5,000,000 bales.

Terrell said there had been considerable deterioration since his estimate of 5,025,208 bales, based on reports up to August 15th, and the government's estimate of 5,137,000 bales, based on reports up to August 1st.

"Deterioration caused by excessive drought in some sections and boll worm and boll weevil damage in other sections," Terrell said.

Two Charged With Attack Under Bond

CORSICANA, Tex., Aug. 28.—(AP)—Royal and Aubrey Fincher charged by complaint with a statutory offense growing out of an alleged attack Friday on a 14-year-old girl near Blooming Grove, waived examining trial and were bound over to district court on bond set at \$2,000 each today.

A third man held in the purported attack had not made application for a hearing or bail and is held in the Navarro county jail.

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BITTER FIGHT IN GOLF MEET

FORT WORTH, Tex., Aug. 30.—(AP)—Battles will be waged with all the bitterness that lies in golf clubs in the match play which started today in the combined River Crest invitation and Southwestern Golf Association tournament.

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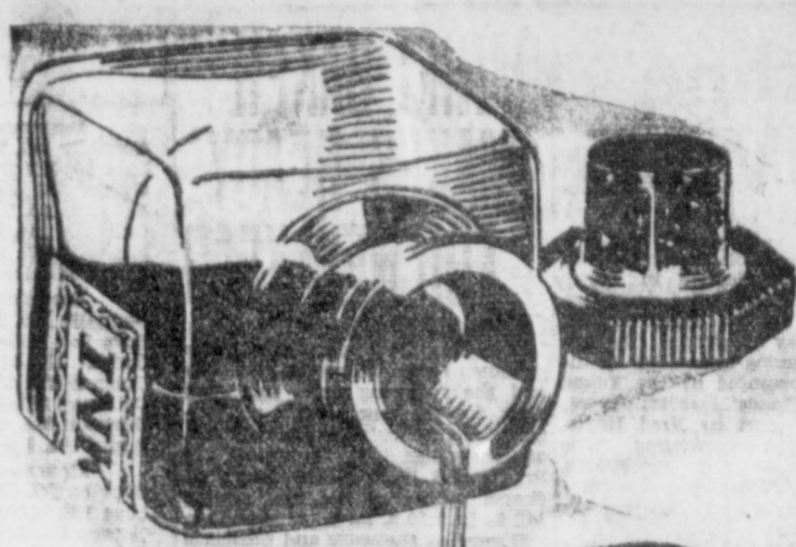
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The Golden Cocoon by RUTH CROSS

SYNOPSIS
Molly Shannon, State University student, has the first "real taste of life" when Stephen Renfro, efficiency expert, takes her to the theatre. Mrs. Parker, her kind-hearted landlady, supplied money with which to buy her a presentable dress. Molly is in the seventh heaven of rapture until Miss Brian, of the faculty, calls her in one day and warns her against "going out" with Renfro. It makes her "talked about," she says. But Renfro persists in his attentions and Molly accepts his proposal of marriage.

CHAPTER X—Continued
"I'm afraid, my dear, that's the snobbish, small sort of person you've been allowing to interfere with your work and make you wretched and ill and thin as a little wraith."
"Does everybody—know?"
"Well, it's a small world, this beehive of ours—things do get about. The older woman rose and pushed back her chair with a gesture of finality. "And now there's just one thing for you to do—make a clean, decisive cut and have it over with."
Molly rose, too. She staring miserably straight in front of her.
"One thing more, Mrs. Parker is the kindest creature in the world, but she lets her impulsive, romantic heart run away with her. You mustn't listen to her about this promise me you won't."
Molly promised and got out of the room—out of the building and under the open sky. She grouped and stumbled her way to a familiar retreat in the woods beyond the campus and there hid her anguish and shame. She threw herself face down upon the indifferent cool earth. She lay there for hours, trembling and quivering from sheer torture, without even the bleak relief of tears. It seemed impossible she could ever go back—face those people who knew, who had talked about her and pitied her. If they had only let her alone...

CHAPTER XI
When she came back to town on the first day of August she was greeted by pretty much the same group of an August ago, with an addition of two—and the subtraction of Stephen. She was too numb and dispirited to take note of Mrs. Parker's mysterious, faraway expression while they were clearing the dishes after supper. But when that game little woman came bustling up to her room an hour later and popped a shining, Santa Claus face in at the door, Molly understood.
"Guess who's downstairs?"
"Santa Claus shined in a stage whisper, peeping out exultantly from over the crooked old spectacles."
Molly looked at her for a moment in silence. Then, "If it's Stephen," she said, "I don't want to see him."
"That was hard enough. But Mrs. Parker's look of a crestfallen guardian angel who has just had her wing feathers plucked was worse. Molly turned abruptly and went over to the window. "Please," she finished without looking around. "If he comes again, don't tell me about it."
Mrs. Parker it was who finally nudged her over to the enemy, Mrs. Parker, Stephen's sworn henchwoman. Face to face with Stephen on a shadowy evening campus—the perfidious little fairy godmother melting shamefully into the middle distance—Molly knew that she was lost. Pride, resentment, everything was swept away, forgotten, in the heavy of reconciliation, which was like no reconciliation before. Stephen asked her to marry him. He ad-

mitted with his usual frank ingenueness that he hadn't meant to. He hadn't even wanted to. He thought he could get on without her. Since he couldn't—here his most whimsically appealing smile—what else was there to do?
Later he told her that he had an editorial position offered him in New York. He had been on a newspaper there once, and somebody had, oddly enough, kept track of him. He was going to take Molly with him.
Then he took Molly again in his arms and kissed her—thoroughly, teasing, as of old, even to the twin hollows in her neck and to the spots behind her ears. She wondered a bit sardonically, though, even through her rapture, whether the offer of marriage wasn't a pretty steep price to pay for that privilege. At all events, at midnight they walked home hand in hand, like happy children through the August darkness; she at least trusting stars. And all night she was so drunk with joy she could not close her eyes to sleep. She did not want to sleep. She might lose a moment of something beautiful and precious, something that was hers now and might never be hers again.
There was one thing, Stephen added casually at the door before he said good night, it would be as well to say nothing to anybody yet. He had still some affairs to be settled, and it was no use taking the world into one's confidence, anyhow.
One evening toward the end of August the group at Mrs. Parker's had planned an excursion to a Mexican bazaar downtown. When the hour agreed upon came and Molly was to go, she found her appearance, Molly, who knew well his magnificent indifference to promptness, insisted that the others should not wait. Mrs. Parker was reluctant about leaving her, but they all went off at last, waving good-by to her on the front steps in the moonlight.

A clock striking inside the house startled her rudely from this fearful, yet intoxicating, reverie. "Ten." She moved down the steps, gazed out toward the street, listened intently for an unburied footfall—a mere trifle of being an hour or so behind time would never discompose Stephen. Presently she walked to the gate, looked up and down the street, listened again. The night had preternaturally still; it seemed to be listening with her.
When the clock struck eleven and still he had not come, she forgot her own foolish timidity in a panic of fear for Stephen. Something had happened. Perhaps he was ill and had no one to look after him; or hurt—lying helpless and in pain. She mounted the steps, threw open the screen door, and walked without a tremor into the blackness which filled every crack and crevice of the deserted house like a palpable fifth element. She felt her way to the back hall, switched on the light, and opened the telephone book.
"She had never called Stephen's number before and there was some difficulty about finding it—her fingers trembled so. For a long time she could get no answer. She alternately pleaded with a cross and sleepy central and shook frantically at the hook. After several small electricities a man's voice, resentful and husky with sleep, materialized at the other end of the wire.
"Mr.—who? . . . Who do you say?"
"No, I can't hear you—shake up your hook. Oh, Renfro!"
"No, he's not here." Unmistakable symptoms of hanging up. Then Molly, faint but insistent, "Do you know—where he is?"
"No." Stronger symptoms of hang-

ing up.
"One minute—please. . . . With every syllable her voice grew fainter and more chill. "It's—very—important. Can't you tell me—at least—when he went out?"
"There was a perceptible hesitation, then the man snapped out with uncivil finality: "He packed his grip, paid his rent, and left town on the noon train. That's all I know. Good-by."
"Please—please. . . . Molly entreated desperately, "he didn't leave—any word?"
"No, no word. Good-by."
Perhaps Stephen was in some dreadful trouble that he dared not even tell her about. Perhaps he needed her at this moment as he would never need her again. It was cruel of him, though, not to let her help him—to shut her out in this darkness and cold and unspeakable terror. Or perhaps—But reason paused before that other vague and as yet mercifully nameless possibility. Some things the mind cannot accept all at once. They must be come at by degrees—one drop of anguish at a time—or they unning, destroy. . . .
She turned out the light and groped her way stumblingly up the ink-black stairs to her room. Here he said good night, it would be as well to say nothing to anybody yet. He had still some affairs to be settled, and it was no use taking the world into one's confidence, anyhow.
"Molly. . . ." she called anxiously before she reached the head of the stairs. Then she popped her head in at the door and breathed a relief at sight of the slim outline under the sheet. "Why, we must have missed you and Stephen at the bazaar!" she began, advancing a little farther into the room.
"We didn't go to the bazaar," Molly lay very still, staring at the wall opposite. "It was so hot. Stephen thought it would be nicer just to take a walk." The lie was an instantaneous gesture of self-defense; as reflex as throwing up one's arm to ward off a blow. She would gladly have sworn away the rest of her life to preserve for herself these next few hours.
But at dawn she rose and went downstairs to Mrs. Parker's door. "He must be in some dreadful trouble—to leave like that—without a word," she finished her confession of as much of the truth as she knew. It had been hard all along—not telling Mrs. Parker. But Stephen had been so authoritative.
The little fairy godmother, perched on the edge of the bed in her high-neck cotton nightdress, regarded her with scared, sleep-dazed eyes. "Sit down, child," she said first. "You don't look as if you'd slept a wink."
"No, I haven't slept." Molly admitted in the same tone that she would have said, "Yes, this is a hot morning," or anything else unrelated. "Do you think," she went on, "he can have done something—wrong or shameful—that that was why he had to leave?" Strange how that idea kept cropping up, as if from some deep, inward distrust. Again the sensation of having really known all the time.
Mrs. Parker was shuffling hurriedly into her shabby bedroom slippers. "If he was in trouble, he would have turned to us. I'll just telephone over to that place where he rooms."
Molly put a restraining hand on her arm. "No, I wouldn't; they don't like being waked."
"It's just some misunderstanding, the other mumbled as she began instead to pull on her clothes. She seemed to have an idea that that was a step toward doing something about it—like going to a fire or

running to the assistance of a victim in a street accident. "He's been called away on business and didn't have time to telephone. Ten to one you'll get a wire this morning, or more'n likely he'll be sticking his head in at the dining-room door two hours from now."
Gallant words, but they carried no conviction.
CHAPTER XII
Morning passed and afternoon three days and three crowding nights and still there was no word from Stephen. Molly went about her usual daily routine, talked as little as possible, pretended to eat and to sleep. To the group at the table who inquired about him she explained merely that he had gone away from a while. And she invested a precious half dollar in a bouquet, and leaned for the first time to laugh from the lips outward. She dared not absent herself from the table lest she create suspicion.
When she came down to breakfast on the fourth morning her senses, over-acute through the long abstinence from sleep, caught at once the guilty hush which fell on the chattering group about the table. The pink little vector dropped the morning paper with crackling haste, like a thief taken with the goods, as she pulled out her chair next to his. There was a profound silence, manifestly uncomfortable for everybody but Molly herself. The Doctor leaned forward from the mathematics department, leaned forward from his place at the head of the table and observed casually, "Well, Miss Molly, and what do you think of this trick Renfro has played us?"
Molly had unfolded her napkin. She dared not commit herself by a question.
"The little vector pushed the paper doubtfully toward her, one plump forefinger on a heading under "Society Items." She glanced the half column over with cursory, businesslike interest. She did not see a single word. The page was a swimming, heaving blur. She knew only that she must keep her eyes fixed very steadily on it, else everything would turn to that heaving black chaos.
"I do think," Mr. Kreuzer was saying aggrievedly, "he might at least have told us." He had been particularly fond of Renfro.
"Oh, I dare say he deemed it sufficient to tell Miss Molly here, without taking the rest of the world into his confidence," Doctor Hamed interposed with a cheerfully significant smile.
She looked up from the paper, smiled back at him mechanically.
"Well, I guess he's feathered his nest all right," Miss Burton's crisp tone left small room for guesswork as to what she thought of the affair.
"That's what he was after!"
Their voices came to Molly dulled and deadened, as though she were shut up in a sound-proof chamber. But after a time the veering, zigzagged lines began to straighten under her eyes, to take form and meaning.
At four o'clock yesterday afternoon Miss Susan Dilworth and Mr. Stephen Renfro, both of this city, were married in Bar Harbor, Maine, where the former, one of the capital's loveliest and most sought after debutantes, was summing with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Renfro will reside in New York City, where the groom has recently accepted a splendid editorial position. Mr. Renfro's connection with the university here was . . .
Molly skipped that.
"The bride is the only daughter of Mr. James M. Dilworth, one of our wealthiest and most influential men—prominent for years in state politics. Although the announcement comes as something of a surprise—
She folded the paper and handed it back to the vector without comment. Then she poured some cream over her cereal and began to eat it. Doctor Hamed made another of his amusing remarks about something totally irrelevant. Everybody laughed, and there was a sudden relieved buzz of small talk as the group broke up. They had come off rather more easily than they hoped. Molly reflected sardonically. It must have been an ordeal for them.
Molly, quitting the room, too, presently, encountered Mrs. Parker, who was just coming in with a plate of hot cakes. There's something in the paper," she said, pointing to where it still lay on the table. She went on up to her own room and locked the door.
An hour later she came down. From time to time, as she and Mrs. Parker worked side by side, the older woman stole a furtive, anxious glance at her, made a wordless entreaty to "Let's talk about it." But Molly either ignored or did not see. She fairly bristled with "Posted, no trespassing" signs, behind which even the little fairy godmother dared not venture. She gazed vaguely new depths and distances, inner shrine and moved cautiously, rather fearfully, away from them.
At noon Molly went in to dinner with the rest, and listened carefully to what was said. Renfro's marriage was frankly the whole topic of conversation. It was, in fact, the sensation of the town. Mr. Dilworth had, it seemed, admitted the marriage, but refused to discuss the details; if, indeed, he knew any.
Through it all, Molly knew they were dealing far more gently with Stephen than they felt he deserved, out of respect to the fact that he was an old, presumed friend.
At dusk Molly came out on the porch where Mrs. Parker sat, cooling off after the flurry of getting and serving supper. She was dressed for the street, with her hat on. "I'm going over to spend the night with some friends" in town," she announced, her eyes on the cotton glove she was fastening.
(To be continued.)

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CITY PLAN MEET TO BE HELD SOON

A MEETING of the City Plan Commission is to be held about September 11, it was decided at City Council session Tuesday evening. All appointees have accepted places on the Commission with the exception of Jno. L. Starkie, and several members met with the Council. Chester Harrison, of Citizens National Bank, was appointed to fill Mr. Starkie's place. Mr. Harrison was recommended by Mayor Palmer C. McInnis.
It is expected that the Commission will begin work at once after the initial meeting in September. Two members of the board are now on vacation.
Two Applications
Two applications, the first under the new zoning law, were heard by Council. L. L. Dehay asked permission to build a grocery store at Fourth Street and Fisk Avenue. A hearing was set for next Tuesday, the site being 15 feet outside the industrial district. Any neighbors wishing to protest will be heard at the meeting.
Application to move the Yellow Jacket's Nest, a small wooden confectionery stand, from Center Avenue to the Howard Payne College campus on Fisk Avenue, was granted. Property owners concerned made no protest, a letter accompanying the application said.
Appoint Board
Members of the equalization board which will determine property tax values were named. Included are:
E. M. BOON
ED GILLIAM, SR.
R. B. ROGERS.
While the Council expressed itself as favoring the proposed county road program, it declined to give assurance that the highways to the city limits would be connected inside the city with the same class of road. A bond issue, would be necessary to do this, it was stated. Fred Hayes, chairman of the Young Men's Good Roads Association, had asked the Council to give assurance that the city would take care of the highways inside the city limits.
After being questioned by City Attorney R. E. Lee, Mr. Hayes said it was possible about \$100,000 might be available for use inside the city.
Wants Cemetery Road
A committee from the Lions Club asked the Council to push action on

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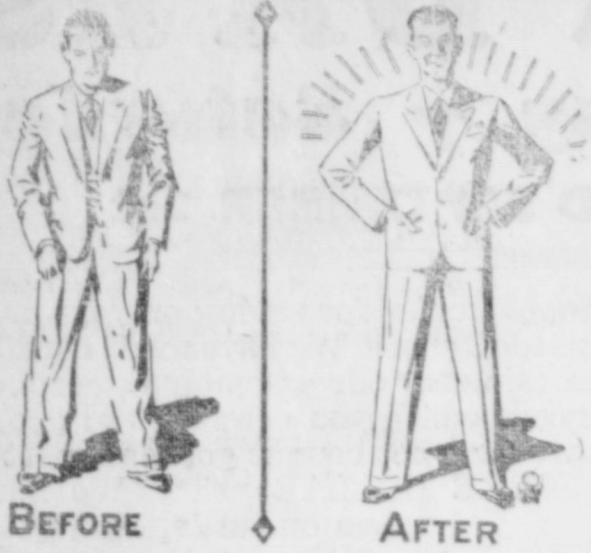
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- October 6th D. B. C. and Centenary at Shreveport, La.
- October 13th D. B. C. and McMurray at Brownwood.
- October 19th D. B. C. and Sam Houston at Brownwood.
- October 27th D. B. C. and Simmons University at Abilene.
- November 2nd D. B. C. and Texas Tech at Brownwood
- November 12th D. B. C. and Austin College at Brownwood
- November 23rd D. B. C. and Southwest Texas Teachers at B'w'd.
- November 29th D. B. C. and A. C. C. at Abilene
- D. B. C. Post Season
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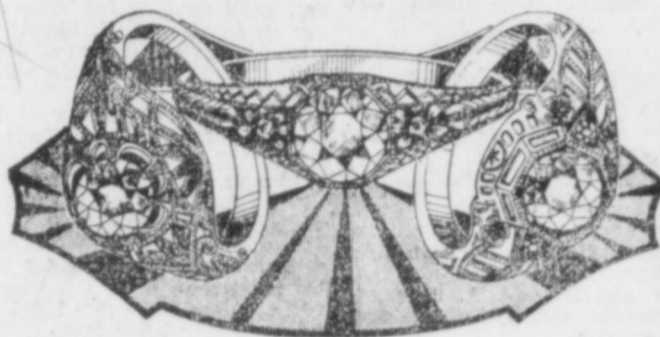
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- October 19th H. P. C. and Austin College at Sherman
- October 26th H. P. C. and St. Marys College at Brownwood
- November 2nd H. P. C. and Trinity University at Waxahachie
- November 10th H. P. C. and St. Edwards at Austin
- November 17th H. P. C. and Sam Houston at Beaumont
- November 21st H. P. C. and Burleson College at Brownwood
- November 29th H. P. C. and Southwestern University at B'n'w'd.
- December 7th or 8th H. P. C. and Simmons at Brownwood.



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County Notes

BLANKET

T. M. McCulley and T. J. Cade visited in Austin Wednesday and Miss Etta Cade returned home with them after attending school there this summer.

Miss Earnestine Richmond is visiting Miss Grace Parker of Gustine this week.

Earl and John Knudson of Albuquerque, New Mexico, arrived here on Wednesday of last week for a visit with relatives.

John Sides visited in West Texas a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Bird left Wednesday for Artesia, New Mexico where he will teach in the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hodges, Mrs. Dan Goodwin and children are visiting relatives at Lubbock this week.

Goss Cobb left Thursday for Spur to visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Richmond and baby of Bangs visited here Sunday.

Ellis Daughtry and family visited in Goldthwaite on Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Evans, of Salt Creek visited Mrs. Jim Faulkner Saturday.

George Russel, Earl and John Knudson visited in Brownwood Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Routh of Cyrel Oklahoma, visited Mrs. G. W. Faulkner last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Deen, of Brownwood visited their parents here Sunday.

John Guill and family returned home Saturday from a tour in West Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Reagan Carter and children of near Coleman visited Jesse Halden and family and other relatives Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Z. T. Blanton came home one day last week from Lohm where he has been helping hold a revival meeting.

Mrs. T. J. Cade and daughter, Miss Etta attended the funeral of a friend at Richland Springs one day last week.

S. P. Magill returned to his home in Dallas Thursday after a few days visit with relatives here.

Mr. Jack Smith, of Brownwood spent Saturday night with his daughter, Mrs. Ellis Daughtry.

Rev. and Mrs. Epperson returned home Thursday from a visit with their son of Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan of Stephenville visited in the M. F. Dossey home Saturday.

J. D. Vernon of Brady visited his mother Thursday.

L. F. Bird and family left Saturday for Fort Sumner, New Mexico, to visit relatives.

O. P. Griffin of Brownwood was in Blanket Monday on business.

Miss Eugenia Routh returned home Sunday from Stephenville where she has been attending John Tarleton College.

Ellis Daughtry made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.

Mrs. Lane and baby of Richland Springs are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cade this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Magill visited their daughter, Mrs. A. W. Luckett of Coleman Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Carlyle and children of Mullin are visiting Mrs. Macon Richmond this week.

Mrs. T. E. Levisay and children, who have been visiting relatives at Comanche and Newburg returned home Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon left Saturday for Taylor, where she will make her home with her son, Frank Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Curry and Mrs. H. L. Moore visited relatives at Miles the first of the week.

Mrs. M. F. Dossey and daughters Misses Thelma and Nina were visiting in Stephenville Monday.

The members of the Knudson family met Sunday in a reunion at the home of their father, Uncle John Knudson. Those present to enjoy the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Wick Raley and children of Miles; Mr. and Mrs. John McCulley of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eaton and children of Comanche; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lacy and children of Sidney; Earl Knudson and family of Albuquerque, New Mexico; George Knudson and family, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Robinson and children, and Russel Knudson and family of Blanket.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Knox and children left Saturday for Dallas to visit a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Culbertson, of Beattie and Mrs. Alva Strickland and children, of Rotan visited J. B. Strickland and family Friday.

Mrs. Charlie Lambert returned to her home in Fort Worth Sunday, after a few days visit with her sister, Mrs. Hodson.

Raymond Tidwell came home Saturday from Stephenville, where he has been attending John Tarleton College.

Misses Joe and Maud Dabney visited in Dallas Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Ruth Goldine of Dublin spent Sunday with Miss Sarah Smith.

Misses Decie Reeves and Kate Routh returned home Sunday from Alpine.

Mrs. Young Hester, Doyle Hester and Misses Clara Smith and Ila Mae Hester visited at Mineral Wells the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Helton moved one day last week to Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tucker moved into the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Helton.

Mrs. B. A. Hise of Brownwood was buried here Friday after funeral services were held in Brownwood. A number of Brownwood people attended the services.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Macon Richmond has been real sick for the past few days.

Zephyr

Rev. Capps preached Sunday afternoon at three o'clock.

Miss Lucile Anderson, who has been visiting in the home of Mrs. J. H. Wood returned to her home Monday.

Miss Maxine Boase left last Wednesday for Brooksmith.

Miss Vera Chesser of Mullin spent the week end with her cousin, Miss Marcelle Boland.

Miss Aurilia Petty who has been visiting in De Leon returned home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Piller and son of Abilene spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Piller.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Scott and daughter Bernice and Miss Eloise Gable left Monday to spend a few days in Lubbock and other points in the west.

Mr. Claude Driskill spent a few days last week visiting his brother, Mr. Arthur Driskill of this place.

Mrs. Osburn Mullins and son of San Saba spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. G. L. Piller.

Miss Virgie McKinney and Aurilia Petty were Brownwood visitors Monday.

Miss Nina Bell Terren of De Leon is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. C. R. Boase spent Wednesday in Temple.

Miss Helen Cunningham spent the week end with home folks.

Miss Anna and Mattie McKinney of Brownwood spent Sunday with home folks.

Miss Velma Henderson spent the week-end with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Locket of Lamesa spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boland.

Mr. G. L. Piller and daughter Edith left Monday for Temple where Mr. Piller will take medical treatment.

Mrs. Mitchell Hayes and son Johnnie of San Saba spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. G. L. Piller.

Mr. John McKinney of West Columbia spent a few days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boland.

Miss Ida Petty spent Monday night visiting friends in Brownwood.

Miss Marzell Boland spent Saturday night with relatives in Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Dabney made a business trip to Brownwood on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boland and family spent Sunday afternoon visiting relatives in Brownwood.

An attractive home wedding was solemnized Sunday at 4 P. M. when Miss Ina Wood became the bride of Mr. Kirby L. Kinsey at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Wood. Rev. R. B. Twitty, pastor of Austin Ave. Presbyterian church of Brownwood performed the ceremony.

Miss Lucile Anderson, of Coolidge, Texas, sang "I Love Thee" by Greig; Mrs. Earnest Allen played the wedding march. The bridal chorus was played during the ceremony.

Little Miss Ruth McBurney bore the ring in a lily.

Mr. John Cox, of Sweetwater, was the best man and Miss Nona Cobb, of Sweetwater, Texas, was the bridesmaid.

The bride was beautiful in a model of white georgette.

An informal reception was held after the ceremony.

Out of town guests who attended the wedding were: Mr. and Mrs. Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Burnett, son and little daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Watson, Miss Hazel Mankin, Mr. John Cox, Mr. Linder, all of Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Allen and son of Blanket; Rev. and Mrs. L. M. Wood of Brady; Rev. and Mrs. R. B. Twitty and Miss Cleo Cobb of Brownwood, and Miss Lucile Anderson of Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinsey left at once for Sweetwater, Texas.

They will leave Sept. 1st for Missouri.

The Brown-Mills County District singing convention will meet at Bethel Church Sunday September 9th.

BANGS

Mr. and Mrs. John Benedict of Breckenridge were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Sparks.

J. Mark Boler returned Thursday night from a ten day vacation spent in Mineral Wells.

Rev. and Mrs. James L. Smart, and children returned on Wednesday of last week from Silve in Hamilton county where Rev. Smart did the preaching in a revival where there were thirty one people baptized.

Miss Virginia Hennegen of Brook Smith is the guest of Miss Virgie Mae Sheffield this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Browning and daughter of Lohm, were visitors in the home of Mrs. Browning's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Huedgins, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mary Bell Ailcorn of Cisco is visiting relatives here this week.

Bryan Jackson, wife and daughter, of Midland are visiting Mr. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson.

J. A. Gilbert and family of Brownwood spent Sunday in the home of Mr. Gilbert's father.

The revival of the Church of Christ came to a close Sunday night with three additions to the church.

T. C. Fitzgerald is holding his position in the store again after a few days illness.

Mrs. R. D. Aubry is reported on the sick list.

Mrs. F. R. Early, daughter and son returned Monday from Seguin.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met at the church Monday afternoon and elected officers for another year.

W. W. Gilbert and family, visited Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Gilbert

ASSESSMENTS CAUSE STORMY COURT SESSION

Brown County Commissioners' Court experienced a stormy session Saturday morning when a large group of oil royalty holders and land owners appeared before the court to seek adjustments of assessments on their properties. Many of those appearing were of the opinion that their holdings have been assessed more than their actual value and others were of the opinion that the principle of assessing royalty holdings used by the local commissioners' court is wrong.

W. R. Chambers, defeated candidate for county judge and who was representing several royalty and lease holders of the county, presented the argument before the court that royalty holders should be assessed at the same rate that oil operators or those holding working rights are assessed. Mr. Chambers argued before the court that a royalty holder should pay only one seventh as much taxes as the oil operator or the man who received seven eighths of the oil produced.

To this argument, the court through its presiding officer, Judge E. M. Davis, answered that the tax assessments are made on the actual values of the royalty holdings and working rights. Judge Davis stated that the marketable value of any royalty holding is about one half the marketable value of working rights on the same lease.

Same Principle

The court stated further that oil is being produced in about 100 counties in Texas and that in all these counties, the same principle of assessing the oil properties is used as is being used by the local court. This principle is that royalty holder pay two-sevenths as much tax as the man holding the working rights.

Thomas Y. Pickett, who has worked with numerous commissioners courts of Texas in adjusting the assessments of oil holdings, explained to the royalty holders present in court Saturday, that the actual marketable value of royalty rights is approximately one half that of the actual and marketable value of the working rights, or the rights of the oil operator producing the oil. He further explained that the oil operator pays three and one-half times as much tax on the same production as does the royalty holder and that through 20 or 25 years of work and study the principle as is being used here, has been adopted and is used throughout Texas.

The commissioners expect to finish their work Saturday afternoon but more time may be required. Assessments of most oil operators were adjusted Friday, but a few appeared before the court Saturday. Those appearing Saturday were mostly royalty holders and land owners.

Apparently all royalty holders were satisfied with the system of assessing taxes that is being used by the local commissioners' court, according to members of the court. The entire court is of the opinion that the plan that is in use all over Texas is the most satisfactory and just that can be devised.

Friction is generally considered to be caused by the interlocking of minute projecting particles which extend from the surface of all substances regardless of their nature or accuracy of finish.

The Government's August 1 estimate of 14,300,000 bales was somewhat lower than was expected. However, allowance was made for expected boll weevil and other insect damage and for abandonment of acreage. The estimate for Texas of 3,137,000 bales is about in line with expectations. Demand for cotton slackened during the month because of the poor yarn and cloth markets.

Consumption in July declined sharply. During the month only 439,000 bales were used in the United States, as compared with 511,900 bales in June and 569,000 in July, 1927. Exports were small, also. The monthly report of the Cotton Textile Merchants of New York reflects the poor condition in the cloth market. Production in July was materially reduced and unfilled orders fell off sharply.

"Cotton prices declined more than \$12 a bale. October New York futures closed on July 31 at 20.17 cents, against 22.75 cents a month earlier. The market fluctuated widely for a few days after the estimate was issued; since that time, the trend has been downward."

A PARTICULAR HEN

LONDON—Postman Terry of Epping, has a hen which makes its way to the kitchen of his home, turns out the cat and dog, seats itself on the armchair and lays its eggs.

NEW SHOES JUST ARRIVED

- Boy's Gun Metal Oxfords, regular \$3.50 value for Only **\$2.95**
- Men's Heavy Grey House Shoes, leather sole and rubber heels. **\$1.25**
- Men's full weight and full cut Best Grade Overalls **\$1.25**
- Boy's Overalls, 7 pockets, made like dads. **95c**
- Men's Sox, 2 pair for **25c**
- Blue Chambre Work Shirts **48c**
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Texas Cotton Crop Shows Improvement in Critical Month

AUSTIN, Tex., Aug. 27.—(Sp.)—Cotton crops in Texas came through the critical month of July showing considerable improvement, even though the "crop-killers" had the growing plants at the point of destruction most of the time, according to Bervard Nichols, assistant in charge of index numbers in the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas.

"Moisture fell in practically all districts of the state, so that the crop in many localities has overcome the late start of last spring," he said. "While it is true that weevil and other insects are quite prevalent this year, damage so far is much less than was expected. Root rot is showing up in many localities and the damage by this disease is likely to be of serious proportions if it continues to spread as it has done in the past two or three weeks."

"Plants are blooming profusely and bolls are growing rapidly. Little shedding has taken place except in those localities where dry conditions have prevailed. Harvesting is becoming more general and labor seems to be plentiful."

The Government's August 1 estimate of 14,300,000 bales was somewhat lower than was expected. However, allowance was made for expected boll weevil and other insect damage and for abandonment of acreage. The estimate for Texas of 3,137,000 bales is about in line with expectations. Demand for cotton slackened during the month because of the poor yarn and cloth markets.

Consumption in July declined sharply. During the month only 439,000 bales were used in the United States, as compared with 511,900 bales in June and 569,000 in July, 1927. Exports were small, also. The monthly report of the Cotton Textile Merchants of New York reflects the poor condition in the cloth market. Production in July was materially reduced and unfilled orders fell off sharply.

"Cotton prices declined more than \$12 a bale. October New York futures closed on July 31 at 20.17 cents, against 22.75 cents a month earlier. The market fluctuated widely for a few days after the estimate was issued; since that time, the trend has been downward."

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FILE CHARGES AGAINST DRIVER OF WRECK CAR

Lee McAllister was charged in Justice Court Monday morning with driving a car while intoxicated following a wreck Saturday night at the corner of Coggin Avenue and Fourth Street. His bond was fixed at \$500 and was immediately perfected and McAllister was released.

A Whippet sedan, driven by McAllister, collided with a light car, driven by J. W. Mitchell, who was accompanied by Mrs. Thompson and baby and Miss Lily Bud Denman of Anniston, Alabama. Mrs. Denman was thrown from the car and received severe cuts and bruises about the face and head. She was rushed to the Medical Arts Hospital where an examination was made and medical attention given. She was able to return to the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Mitchell, Sunday. Miss Denman is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Denman, who formerly made Brownwood their home. Mrs. Thompson also received severe bruises.

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EXHIBITS HALL FOR FAIR IS ARRANGED FOR

Completing arrangements that will provide for a general exhibit hall and enlarge the space for the community exhibits in the agricultural building was the work of the Board of Directors of the Brown County Fair at its meeting Tuesday afternoon.

The building at the fair grounds heretofore used by the dairy cattle department will be thoroughly renovated, a new floor put in and other work done to put it in first class shape as an exhibit hall. This decision followed a discussion of the art, textile, culinary and flower departments, with special reference to the placing of their exhibits. Several of the heads of departments met with the board for a discussion of the subject.

To Convert Hall
The building to be converted into an exposition hall is 80 by 100 feet. After exhibit room has been provided for the departments named, the remainder of the space will be sold for merchants' exhibits.

This arrangement will remove the art, textile, flower and culinary departments from the agricultural building and leave larger space there for the community exhibits. New barns will be built for the baby beaves, dairy cows and other show cattle. All stalls will be taken from under the grandstand and the space there arranged for the poultry department.

Fences are being built as decided upon by the directors at a recent meeting, and at Tuesday's session. Carl Salter was instructed by the board to sell advertising space on the south side of the race track. This fence faces the parking place provided for cars. A 7-foot fence is also being built from the race track south to the entrance to the grounds. All cars will be parked on the right hand side of the entrance, and the ticket selling will be on the left hand side of the entrance.

Trucks to be admitted to the grounds for business purposes, ice wagons, and officers' cars will enter the grounds at an opening on the extreme west side, near the railroad. No vehicle will be admitted at this entrance except those bearing the "Official" sign. An entrance will be opened on the east side of the car parking space, it is stated, coming in from Belle Plain.

To Issue Stock
Secretary Burns was instructed by the meeting Tuesday to issue to purchasers all fair association stock that has been paid for. The secretary was also instructed to issue to stockholders one season ticket for every \$25 of stock held, in accordance with the stock sale agreements.

Special attention was called to carnival attractions secured for this year at the fair, and it was pointed out that while this is a James carnival, the same name and owned by the same man as the one here last year, it is not the same carnival that was here at the previous fair, but is three or four times as large as the one here then. This is the James No. 1, said to be one of the largest carnivals in the south.

Earl Looney, J. J. Timmins and Hubert Coston were named as a parade committee. Chas. Day, J. H. Ragsdale and J. Claude Smith were appointed as a flag committee. Joe Shelton was added to the grounds committee.

WARDEN RAPS DEATH PENALTY

Directors present at the meeting were: C. A. Johnson, president; J. K. Wilkes, Joe Shelton, W. J. Odell, J. H. Ragsdale, J. V. Reed, J. Claude Smith, A. N. Thomason and O. P. Griffin. Heads of departments meeting with the board to discuss plans for their exhibits were Mrs. C. H. Shackelford, Mrs. Emmert Evans and Miss Myesie Malone.

HUNTSVILLE, Aug. 29.—(P)—Capital punishment does not prevent crime, in the opinion of Captain E. F. Harrell, newly appointed warden of the Texas state penitentiary. Extraordinary cases and never on circumstantial evidence, he said he believed, in discussing prison affairs today.

The electric chair is the most humane manner of executing criminals, the warden said, and the sheriff of a county in which a person is given the death penalty should throw the switch instead of one man being compelled by law to do all the executing.

Mr. Harrell said he favored centralizing the penitentiary system for the reason that it would be more economical and would afford better opportunity to prevent escapes. Concerning a location for a centralized penitentiary, the warden said, with a vein of humor, that it should "be set way out in the middle of the plains of West Texas so the prisoners could never get out of sight when they escape."

Under the present system, he said all prisoners first are brought to Huntsville, registered, fingerprinted and given physical examination; then we ship them out to different farms, all of which costs a good deal even in transportation.

Mr. Harrell, who assumed charge of penitentiary affairs less than two months ago, has instigated many reforms. One of these was stopping of "trusty" convicts from walking the streets of Huntsville at night. This met with approval of citizens here.

"Kindness is 80 per cent in handling prisoners," he said. "I never whip a man. When a prisoner violates the rules he is either punished by being placed in solitary confinement or is required to do hard work. One cannot curse and abuse a convict and get along with him. I do not permit it."

Captain Harrell, who is 39, has been a peace officer for 16 years, starting in Carroll county, Mississippi in 1912. Later he was policeman and eventually chief of police at Paris, Texas. Nearly two years ago he joined the Texas Rangers and was appointed warden of the penitentiary on July 9, 1928.

To The Voters of Brown County:
I take this method to thank the voters of Brown County for the interest they have shown in me, and the overwhelming majority I received in both primaries. It is with a great deal of pride that I thank all who through their efforts nominated me to the office of County Clerk. To show my appreciation I will give unstinted service and attention to all things entrusted to me, and will strive to give the very best of service at all times. I will treat all with the courtesy that is due them, and above all things I shall do my utmost to merit your confidence.

HIT-AND-RUN CAR ABANDONED AFTER 9 HURT

ARRESTS are expected shortly in the hit-and-run automobile accident which occurred on the Georgetown road, north of Austin, Sunday, when a car containing nine women and children driving from Brownwood was forced off the road and burned over by another car which speeded on without stopping, according to dispatches to The Bulletin from Austin.

The license number of the fleeing car was obtained by a witness who gave it to the Austin sheriff's office. The car is reported to have been located in Houston, abandoned by the driver, who may be fleeing the state, pursued by officers of several counties.

Mrs. J. A. Smith, one of those injured in the crash, told Austin newspapermen she intended to prosecute the driver of the hit-and-run car upon his apprehension.

Six of the seven Brownwood and Brown county people who were injured in a car wreck near Austin shortly before noon Sunday, returned to Brownwood Tuesday night. The seventh, Mrs. J. A. Smith of Indian Creek, was unable to leave the hospital in Austin Tuesday and is expected to be able to return either Wednesday night or Thursday morning. Mrs. Smith received several broken ribs, also injuries to her back and bruises about the body.

Mrs. Bruce M. Francis, 1607 Seventh Street, and her four sons, Meador Dean, Billy Bruce, Henry Low and Joe David, returned Tuesday night, as did Mrs. F. H. Hewitt of Indian Creek. Mrs. Francis received only slight injuries in the wreck and three of her sons were only slightly injured. Billy Bruce, age 6, received a broken hip and according to physicians will be unable to walk for two or three months. His condition is favorable, it is stated.

Mrs. A. P. Gregg of Staples and her son, Dewitt, age 5, have been able to leave the Austin hospital for their home. Mrs. Gregg's injuries consisted of a dislocated shoulder and minor cuts and bruises. Her son was uninjured.

Austin officers indicated that felony charges will be filed against the hit-and-run driver, due to the fact that he failed to stop and render help after knocking the Francis car over a seven foot embankment, causing it to overturn.

Bruce M. Francis, Bulletin sports editor, rushed to Austin Sunday night upon receipt of a message announcing the accident, and returned with his family Tuesday night.

NOTICE
Monday, September 3rd, Labor Day, being a legal holiday, the banks comprising the Brownwood Clearing House Association, will be closed. Customers will please be governed accordingly.
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NIGHT SKY ON DOSE
BERLIN—A new device, called planetarium, which reproduces the night sky on a white dome has been installed in Berlin and fourteen other German cities.

ROAD ISSUE IS FAVORED

A delegation from Cross Cut and Byrd's Store was in Brownwood Tuesday afternoon to confer with Fred Hayes, chairman of the Young Men's Good Roads Association of Brown County, and reported sentiment in those communities as generally in favor of the good roads movement.

The location of one of the roads in which Byrd's and Cross Cut people are interested was discussed, it is stated, but the matters considered did not involve any question of any additional roads or of any allotment for roads, other than contained in the general plan for the county as submitted to the commissioners' court Saturday.

Among the members of the delegation here were Messrs. Prater, Chambers and Thompson, and others.

The Knights of Pythias with a large attendance at their meeting Monday night voted to endorse the movement for good roads in Brown county and declared themselves ready to "put their shoulders to the wheel" and do whatever they could to help in carrying the road bond election on October 1.

Among those who made short talks expressing their interest in better roads for Brown county were R. A. Strider, Jack Howard, W. B. Avinger and Dr. W. R. Sanderson. Several others also expressed their endorsement of movement, and the vote in favor of getting behind the proposition was unanimous, reports from the meeting state. The K. of P. lodge in Brownwood has a membership of 343.

In taking an active part in this campaign the local lodge is acting in accordance, it is said, with the policy outlined by the Grand Lodge at its meeting in Austin a few months ago, dealing with the idea of community service by the fraternal organization on this line adopted by the Grand Lodge was as follows: "When the financial condition of a subordinate lodge will warrant the expense to be incurred our subordinate lodges should undertake and give proper publicity and support to some worthwhile community service."

Lions Favor Road Plans
A good attendance and interesting but informal program marked the Lions Club luncheon at the Southern Hotel Tuesday, endorsement of the good roads movement and expression of interest in several civic matters being to the fore in a summing up of the session.

As the main part of the program for Tuesday had been intended to listen to the program of the Fort Worth Lions at their weekly luncheon, and through the courtesy of the Gilliam Radio Store a radio had been placed in the dining room for that purpose, Mr. Gilliam being present to tune in for that entertainment. Owing to state, the program could not be received, and President Johnson took the meeting in hand for an impromptu program.

W. H. Thompson, who was elected to membership at the last meeting of the club was present and was "initiated" as a Lion. Slim McInroe being present by the president to conduct the initiation, Thompson got over the initiation in fine shape and was pronounced a "100 per cent Lion."

PARTY REPRESENTING DANIEL BAKER GIVE KERRVILLE PAGEANTS

Ten representatives of Daniel Baker College have returned from the Westminster Presbyterian encampment at Kerrville, where they spent a part of last week in the college.

On Thursday night, the group took part in an educational pageant, "A Family Reunion," directed by Mrs. Morrel of Texas Presbyterian College, Milford. Mrs. Harry W. McGhee of Brownwood, wearing a costume of 1888, the year Daniel Baker was founded, took the chief speaking part and introduced others in a sketch entitled "The History and Ideals of Daniel Baker."

In this review there were included Mrs. McGhee, Mrs. Effie Pentecost, Miss Janie Peavy, and Miss Mary Evans. In depicting the various departments of the present day there appeared Miss Mary Allison, Chester Parks, Steve Heather, Mrs. W. H. Foster of Galveston, Homer Beakley, Mrs. Charles Clapper, Miss Edna Germany and Miss Edith Springmeyer. Following the pageant the Daniel Baker party entertained at the Texas Presbyterian college cottage with a fine arts concert, when Miss Hardy, Steve Heather, Chester Parks and Miss Mary Allison presented a splendid program. Mrs. W. C. Cox of San Antonio, formerly of Brownwood, also gave two splendid vocal numbers.

On Friday night the same group of Daniel Baker representatives appeared in a colorful pageant, "Mexico in Bondage," which was directed by Miss Beas Dobbs. They were assisted by a dozen girls from the encampment, who had been drilled by Mrs. W. C. Cox and Mrs. Stewart Hopper. Features of the pageant included "Ramona," sung by Steve Heather, accompanied by Miss Mary

State Prison Farm Guard Discharged

HOUSTON, Aug. 29.—(P)—A dog sergeant at the Harrison state prison farm has been discharged as a result of an investigation into the death of two convicts from heat prostration, William H. Mead, general manager of the state prison system, announced today.

Mr. Mead, in a report to the prison board, said the sergeant failed to give timely medical aid to the two convicts who were stricken while in a cotton field. He added he had found other charges which would have warranted discharge of the dog sergeant, but refused to discuss them.

Sheriff Off After Confessed Slayer
HOUSTON, Aug. 30.—(P)—Sheriff T. Binford expected to leave Houston today for Seattle, Wash., to return to Texas. Frank Joe Foltin, who confessed to the slaying of a Houston man last March. Foltin was indicted yesterday for murder, the indictment being based upon a statement Foltin made to Seattle police and later repudiated. Sheriff Binford said attempts would be made to obtain a second indictment from the grand jury for the sale of a stolen automobile in El Paso.

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IMPROVEMENT NOTED IN CONDITION OF CROPS IN TEXAS

DALLAS, Tex., Aug. 30.—(P)—Improvement in the condition of growing crops, a good wheat crop harvested and marketed at fair prices, cotton in fair to good shape in all sections except South Texas and in isolated localities elsewhere and a material change for the better in the livestock industry are noted in the monthly business review of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, dated Sept. 1 and issued today.

The indicated yield of corn in the eleventh reserve district, which embraces Texas and parts of Louisiana, Arizona, Oklahoma and New Mexico, while less than in 1927, is substantially above the average production, says the report. Most minor crops promise fair to good yields.

Calling attention to the August 1 report of the Department of Agriculture indicating the districts largest cash crop—cotton—this year would reach the second highest total on record, the reserve bank continues.

"Nevertheless, it must be borne in mind that the fields in most sections in the district are infested with weevils or other insects and while damage to date has been slight, except in a few instances, the presence of insects in large numbers presents a serious potential danger to the crop which may serve to greatly reduce the yield."

While conditions in some portions of the livestock area had become acute prior to the July rains, grass in practically all sections has been revived and has made rapid growth in recent weeks. Since improvement in range conditions livestock generally have been mending very rapidly.

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SALT PORK	BEST GRADE Per Pound	21c	
CORN MEAL	FRESH DAILY 24 lb. Bag	70c	
PORK & BEANS	No. 2 Can Per Dozen	98c	
HOMINY	VAN CAMP BRAND Large Can, Each	10c	
CORN	NO. 2 STANDARD Per Can	13c	
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For Sheriff, Brown County: M. H. DENMAN

For County Clerk: S. E. STARK (For Re-Election) W. E. (BILL) BURLERSON.

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

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

For Tax Assessor: CLAIR BETTIS (Re-election)

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

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

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

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

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

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FIRE VICTIM'S RING IS FOUND

The diamond ring that belonged to Mrs. Lewis R. Brittain, who was burned to death in the tragic fire that destroyed the Noel Apartment House on West Lee Street few weeks ago, was found Saturday by workmen who were engaged in cleaning up the rubbish from the hot former-ly occupied by the house. In addition to the ring, the workmen found part of the band to a wrist watch, three 25-cent pieces and two pennies.

These articles were found under the room adjoining the sleeping porch where Mrs. Brittain and her son, Dean Bradner, age 19, were supposed to have met their tragic death. Workmen immediately telephoned to police headquarters, notifying Chief Guilliams of their find and he, together with City Recorder Charlie Murphy, went to the scene of the tragic fire, and took possession of the articles found.

According to Chief Guilliams and Judge Murphy, the articles were found by Jack Gober and J. W. Doud, shortly before or after the noon hour Saturday and were found directly under the northeast corner of the room adjoining the sleeping porch. Apparently the articles had been placed on a dresser in that part of the room, it is stated, as evidenced by the fact that parts of the dresser and a metal box containing combs, etc. were also found at the same place.

Police officials are of the opinion finding of the ring supposedly worn by Mrs. Brittain on the night of the fire, discounts any rumors that any foul play was connected with the death of either Mrs. Brittain or her son. Police officials state that the finding of Mrs. Brittain's ring indicates that she had taken her ring and watch off prior to retiring on the night of the tragic fire.

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Box Supper For Zephyr Fair Friday

A box supper will be held at Zephyr Friday night, and the people of Brownwood have been extended a special invitation to attend. If any one will take a box to contribute to the number to be sold it will be appreciated, and no less appreciated will be the patronage of all those who buy the boxes that will be sold at auction.

The proceeds of supper sales will go to providing the premium list for the Zephyr Community Fair, which will be held Sept. 7. Zephyr is offering approximately \$100 in premiums, it is said, for the best exhibits at the community fair. All who patronize the box supper will be contributing to that enterprise. The Zephyr exhibit at the Brown County Fair will be made up from the community fair exhibits.

J. T. Stovall, teacher of vocational agriculture, was asked by the directors of the Chamber of Commerce to take charge of plans to have a bunch of Brownwood people accept the Zephyr invitation and attend the supper Friday night. Mr. Stovall will appreciate having any one interested to communicate with him. He can be reached at the Chamber of Commerce, telephone No. 7.

MRS. B. A. HISE

Mrs. Barbara Anne Hise, age 77, died early Friday morning at the home of her son, Bert Hise, 1305 Austin Avenue, following an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Hise had lived in Brownwood and Brown County for many years and her many friends join with the family in their present bereavement.

Mrs. Hise was born September 26th, 1850, in Marion county, Tenn., but had spent the greater part of her life in Texas.

Funeral services were held at three-thirty o'clock Friday afternoon from the home of her son, at 1305 Austin Avenue, with Rev. R. B. Twitty, pastor of the Austin Avenue Presbyterian Church, conducting the services. Rev. Twitty was assisted by Rev. Z. T. Blanton. Burial was made in the Blanket cemetery following the services at the home.

Mrs. Hise is survived by the following children: Sam Hise of Santa Monica, California; D. Hise of Brownwood, Mrs. Ben Whitehead of Dublin and Bert Hise of Brownwood. A brother, Bruce Rauston of South Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania; a sister, Mrs. Fannie Winn of Murphysboro, Tennessee; six grandchildren, and one great grandchild survive Mrs. Hise.

Pall bearers for Mrs. Hise's funeral were Ernest Davis, O. L. Powell, Carl Adams, Clair Betts, Joe Dabney and Chuck Betts.

Cross Cut School Completed Soon

Cross Cut's new six room brick veneer school building will be completed next week, according to J. Oscar Swindle, county school superintendent who was in Cross Cut Thursday. The new building, together with all equipment and furniture for the large auditorium will cost approximately \$18,000, according to Mr. Swindle.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new four room brick veneer school building at Byrds, according to Mr. Swindle. The building will be completed in time for the opening of school, it is believed. The new school will cost approximately \$12,000. Bonds for the Cross Cut

and Byrds districts have been approved by the State Department of Education, Mr. Swindle states. A new one room school building is nearing completion in the Gunn school district, a short distance from Cross Cut.

New Books Bought by Library Here

Books bought for the rent shelf of the Carnegie Public Library include:

- Beau Ideal, Wren; Farewell to Youth, Jameson; Juggernaut, Campbell; Six Proud Walkers, Breeding; Tide of the Empire, Kyne; My Life, Duncan; Sorrell and Son, Deeping; Outline History of China, Gower; The Chinese Parrot, Biggers.

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SIXTH ANNUAL COUNTY FAIR AT HAND

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Gates Will Swing Open Tuesday on Annual Exhibits

Everything is in readiness for the fair. The ground work of the preparations has been completed in the series of meetings held within recent weeks by the Board of Directors of the Brown County Fair Association, and the finishing touches are now being put on the arrangement by the attention to all necessary details.

Officials in charge of the 1928 exposition, under the able leadership of Rev. C. A. Johnson, president of the Brown County Fair Association, have done all that was within their power to make the fair this year the best that has ever been had in Brown county. A complete and diversified program of entertainment has been prepared and it is confidently believed that this program will meet with the hearty approval of one and all.

The 1928 program includes complete exhibits of all products of the farm and home from almost every community of the county, an unusually large exhibit of livestock including dairy cattle, beef cattle, hogs, sheep and poultry, an attractive exposition of industrial products, exhibits of art, and the unusually attractive round of entertainment, including carnival shows, free shows before the grandstand, free balloon ascensions, as well as other novel attractions and above all, the five days of horse racing.

Although officials in charge of the 1928 exposition feel that every phase of the five-day program is well worthy of the interest of all visitors to the fair, special pride is placed in the racing program, which undoubtedly is the best ever attempted at a fair in this county. The horse races will be run daily, starting promptly at 2 o'clock and will end Saturday with the big sweepstakes race, which carries a purse of \$300.

Attractive premiums have been offered in all departments and a great array of worthy exhibits may be expected in all divisions to contest for them. Community exhibits and a great array of individual entries will present a demonstration of Brown county's products and resources well worth beholding. They should awaken a renewed interest and pride in the county and be an inspiration to greater achievement.

Officials of the 1928 Fair extend a most cordial invitation to one and all alike to come and visit what promises to be one of the greatest fairs ever held in the history of Brownwood or Brown county.

Lavish Display in Catholic Meeting

SYDNEY, Australia, Sept. 6.—(AP)—A pontifical high mass, celebrated

this morning in St. Mary's Cathedral by Cardinal Cerretti, papal legate to the Eucharistic congress, surpassed in dignity and color all previous lavish ceremonies in connection with the congress.

Fifty thousand people silently paid homage to the stately procession which preceded the service. Only a fraction of the spectators could enter the edifice, but other thousands knelt in the neighborhood and heard the chanting ritual which was transmitted to them through amplifiers. Assemblies of the congress today heard discourses regarding the Eucharist delivered in several languages at various halls. An important figure in the assemblage has been Archbishop Kelly of Sydney,

who, it is reported, may soon receive the red hat of a cardinal. Cardinal Cerretti today telegraphed Pope Pius requesting a special apostolic blessing for the congress and all of Australia.

Abilene Booster Trip to Coleman

COLEMAN, Sept. 6.—(Sp.)—The wheels of business in Coleman paused for 45 minutes here Wednesday morning to greet and mingle with 125 Abilene business men, who arrived on the special trade trip excursion accompanied by the Sim-

mons University Cowboy Band.

At the station, the Coleman band greeted the visitors as the train drew to a stop. Immediately the parade through the business section of the city was formed terminating at the Coleman county court house where L. Emet Walker, county clerk and president of the Lions Club, who was introduced by Sam O'Neal, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, welcomed the visiting Abilene delegation. The response was delivered by Thos. E. Hayden, Jr., mayor of Abilene, who was introduced to the large audience by T. N. Carswell, secretary of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce.

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SPECIAL DAYS ARE PLANNED FOR BIG FAIR

Four special days have been announced by the Board of Directors of the Brown County Fair Association. These four days have been arranged especially for visitors from the various towns and sections named by the officials of the Fair, but every day of the Fair is wide open to one and all, regardless of the place of abode.

Tuesday, the opening day, has been designated as Brown county day and special preparations have been made for the entertainment of citizens from Bangs, Zephyr, Blanket, May, Cross Cut, Indian Creek, Brooksmith and other Brown county communities.

Wednesday, the second day of the 1928 Fair, has been designated as San Saba, Comanche and Goldthwaite day. Citizens of those three cities are extended most cordial invitations to attend the 1928 exposition on that day.

Thursday, the third day of the Fair, has been designated as Brownwood day. It is expected that all Brownwood business houses will close on that day and that all citizens of the home of the Brown County Fair will turn out en masse for one gala day.

Friday, the fourth day of the Fair, is expected to be the one big day, in that the officials in charge have seen fit to designate this as children's day. All school children of Brown county will be admitted to the Fair grounds free of charge on that day and specially prepared entertainment will be offered for the thousands of school boys and girls expected on that date.

Although Saturday has not been designated as a special day, it is expected to be one of the biggest days of the 1928 exposition. It is hoped that citizens of Brown and surrounding counties will join in making the closing day one long to be remembered.

ATTENTION LADIES Special prizes will be given for various kinds of cakes, bread and cookies, also jellies and preserves; At the Brown County Fair, Tuesday until Saturday, Sept. 11th to 15th. All Exhibits must be in place by noon Tuesday, Sept. 11th. Phone 82 for particulars. Mrs. Emmett Evans. 279-w 1tc

PLAN SCHOOL OPENING HERE NEXT MONDAY

The Brownwood City Schools will open at 9 a. m., Monday, Sept. 10. The faculty, consisting of 88 teachers, will report for duty at the Junior High School building at 10 a. m., Saturday, Sept. 8th, and everything will be in readiness for the enrollment of pupils promptly on Monday morning. All high school pupils from non-affiliated schools should report at the high school for entrance examinations on Friday, Sept. 7th, beginning at 9 a. m.

Because of the fact that the new ward school building is not yet completed and the other ward schools will be badly crowded during the first half of the year, none of the pupils under seven years of age will be admitted at the opening of the term. If at the end of the first week, however, conditions are such that the school authorities can arrange to house those who are under the scholastic age, they may be admitted the second week of the term.

All pupils in the high-sixth, the seventh and the eighth grades will be enrolled at the Junior High School. The Ford Ward School will accommodate pupils of the first, second, third and fourth grades, while the J. R. Looney Ward School will house the fifth and low-sixth grades. The Cavin and the Brownwood Heights Ward Schools will accommodate all grades from the first to the low-sixth, inclusive. Pupils in grades nine to eleven, inclusive, will be enrolled in the Senior High School.

The desks for the new addition to the Brownwood Heights school will be installed this week and ready for the opening next Monday. Supt. E. J. Woodward and family arrived in Brownwood last Saturday, after spending the last six weeks at the University of Chicago. He reports that his faculty is now complete, and that several teachers have arrived and located each day this week. He expects a full attendance of his faculty at the meeting at the Junior High School next Saturday morning.

Senior High School J. R. Stalcup, Principal; Fay Alexander, Foods; Ima Barlow, History; Grace Boon, Latin; Beryl Burnett, P. T. & Bio.; W. P. Cooke, History; Eulalia Gavitt, Clothing; Marjorie Gresham, English; H. T. Hayes, Science; Mrs. J. F. McGahey, English; Gladys McKean, Commercial; Mrs. E. J. Miller, English; Carolyn Rice, Spanish; Mrs. Harold Scott, Spanish; Olive E. Smith, English; C. S. Wilkinson, Math.; Dutch Woodward, Math.; J. L. Wiley, History; J. T. Stovall, Agriculture.

Junior High C. F. Weener, Principal; Louise Aston, Music; Jack Bane, Man. Training; Winnie Basham, Math.; Roberta Blackwell, Science; Lillian Burleson, Home Ec.; Frances Cannon, Latin; Ruth Cole, Spanish; Mildred Davenport, History; Pearl Favor, Arithmetic; Mrs. Mayme Gore, English; Nellie Kirkpatrick, History; B. R. Lee, History; Nealie Moore, Orthography; Addie Perry, History; Mrs. Kate Prude, Math.; Mrs. G. C. Skinner, English; Mrs. E. G. St. Clair, Geog.; Alma Wells, Reading.

Coggin Ward Miss Nellie Anderson, Principal; Ione Bettis, Third; Hazel Downs, First; Clare Drey, Music; Ethel Eller, Reading; Mrs. Cecil

Evans, History; Mrs. C. E. Florey, Second; Pansy Hamilton, Primary; Mrs. Tracy Hayes, Third; Mrs. Grace Hendle, Primary; Mrs. H. J. Hughes, Fourth; Golden Jones, First; Lilla Majors, Geog.; Frances Merritt, Art and Penmanship; Myrna Miller, Primary; Mrs. V. I. Parker, English; Miss Patti Peizer, Art and Penmanship; Jessie Ramsey, Arithmetic; Mrs. C. P. Wesner, Primary; Velma Whitmore, Primary; Mrs. C. M. Williams, Fourth.

Ford Ward Mrs. W. L. Turner, Principal; Pauline Adams, Primary; Virginia Bell, Third; Mrs. R. Davenport, First; Mrs. J. A. Deen, Second; Mrs. Ed Franke, Third; Mrs. Ruby Hilley, Primary; Dorothy Key, Primary; Beth McCauley, Primary; Mrs. Mildred McDonough, First; Lois Peek, Fourth; Mrs. R. D. Uelton, Music; Laura Winston, First.

J. R. Looney Ward Mrs. Minnie Mayhew, Principal; Beatrice Bucher, Geog.; Mrs. Jack Bane, History; Mrs. Rilla Liebhart, Art and Penmanship; Tina Marie Thompson, Arithmetic; Mrs. C. C. Worsham, English.

Brownwood Heights Ben C. Evans, Principal; Lizzie Bullion, Reading; Mrs. Ethel Fisk Burton, Reading; Bertie McKinzie, Primary; Tyrene McMahan, Second and Third; Mrs. Grace Reeves Pouns, Music.

Colored School R. F. Hildin, Principal; Grace Brooks, Elementary; Lorraine Jordan, Primary.

North Dakota in Split Over Hoover

BISMARCK, N. D., Sept. 6.—(AP)—North Dakota Republicans today had split over the question of supporting Herbert Hoover for president.

The non-partisan league faction of the party was on record as refusing to endorse Hoover's candidacy, while the independent Republicans are backing him.

The action came yesterday at a meeting, called to organize the Republican State Central Committee. The independents offered a resolution endorsing Mr. Hoover and his stand on agriculture. This was defeated by a vote of 19 to 9.

The independents or "regular" Republicans organized separately and decided to carry on a vigorous campaign for the national ticket. The non-partisans in their resolutions criticized Mr. Hoover as a "tool of big business" and asserted that the Republican party had strayed from its original course. The resolutions made it clear that the action was intended to show a lack of faith in the Republican party and its candidates rather than an endorsement of Governor Alfred E. Smith.

A CUTTING REMARK DOCTOR: About nine patients out of ten don't live through this operation. Is there anything I can do for you before we begin? DUSKY PATIENT: Yeah, Oh me mah that—Tit-Bits.

KNOWS HIS JURIES SWEET THING: Oh! I've murdered my husband. POLICE - SERGEANT: Well, you're in the wrong place, lady—this ain't no vaudeville booking office.—Judge.

NOT QUITE READY HE: I've come to a conclusion. SHE: What is it? HE: I realized today that I have been a bachelor for 38 years, and— SHE: Oh, Jack, this is— HE: And I decided I'd had a jolly time and that I'd keep it up. —Tit-Bits.

PRINCES OFF FOR AFRICA

LONDON, Sept. 6.—(AP)—The Prince of Wales and his younger brother, the Duke of Gloucester, are sailing from Marseilles tonight to hunt big game in Africa and to spread imperial good will.

For days the two adventurers and popular sons of King George have been busy packing for the trip while the newspapers of London have been carrying accounts and pictures of the regions and the black people they will see.

Sailing from Marseilles the Prince and his brother will go to Alexandria and then to Cairo and from there by motor to Ismailiya on the Suez Canal. Here the British India steamer Malda will embark them for Mombassa, and there they will entrain for the interior of Kenya.

Their baggage includes many fine sporting fire arms, and many an uncouth beast now roaming the native wilds is destined to fall before the aim of the imperial hunters before Christmas finds them ready to return with the trophies of the chase.

The trip for the Prince of Wales holds heavy burdens of official duties. He is bursting with speeches, prepared for reviews and inspections and ready with the smiles that have spread his popularity widely.

CLEVELAND—This bootlegging racket is not what it's cracked up to be. That's the conclusion of Mollie Bobrosky, whose ambitions to become rich, through the illicit thirst of others, was nipped in the bud by police. Mollie was "picked up" shortly after she had purchased her first stock-in-trade, consisting of ten pints of alleged liquor.

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Miss Mayesie Malone, home demonstration agent of Brown County, and who is chairman of all exhibits of the Women's Home Demonstration Clubs for the county, for the Sixth Annual Brown County Fair, announces that she expects an unusually good exhibit this year by the various clubs of the county. Work of all clubs during the past year has been very remarkable. Miss Malone states and the exhibits by the clubs

and individual members of the club will be representative of the work done during the past twelve months. The Home Demonstration Club Women's exhibit will be held in the new exhibit hall that has been recently overhauled and with more and better display room assured them. Miss Malone is confident that the 192 exhibits will be more attractive and shown to a better advantage than at any exposition during the past few years.

Club Exhibits

The Home Demonstration display will include club exhibits and exhibits of individuals. The best club exhibit will be sent to the State Fair at Dallas. Suitable cash prizes have also been offered for the winning club exhibits.

Exhibits in this department will include canned products, both fruit and vegetables, home made braided rugs, pillow cases, table cloths and napkins, wash dresses with set-in sleeves and pockets, boys' suits for children under six years of age, girls' cotton dress under six years of age, silk or wool dresses, best article for home improvement and best complete record book and history of work.

Premiums Zephyr Fair

Premiums of Zephyr 4 Square Community next Friday, Sept. 7, at the Fair:

Corn (best 10 ears), 1st 75c; 2nd 50c.

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Kaffir, any variety, 1st 75c; (best 10 heads), 2nd 50c.

Cotton (20 bolls best), 1st, 75c; 2nd 50c.

Wheat (best gallon), 1st 50c.

Oats (best gallon), 1st 50c.

Barley (best gallon), 1st 50c.

Millet (best gallon), 1st 50c.

Sorghum (best gallon), 1st 50c.

Soybean (best gallon), 1st 50c.

Peanuts, best gallon, 1st 50c.

Pears (best plate), 1st 50c.

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Honey (comb or strained honey), 1st 50c; (best 3-quart jars of each), 1st 50c.

Syrup (sorghum), (best gallon), 1st 50c.

Potatoes (Irish), best gallon, 1st 50c.

Potatoes (sweet), (best 10), 1st 50c.

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Bed spread (best, colored), 50c.

Fainting Spells of Mrs. Mellus Described in Trial

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 6.—(P)—Testimony that Mrs. Myrtle Mellus was subject to fainting spells while drinking innocents today had a place in the defense of Leo P. Kelley, butcher boy, charged with her murder.

Mrs. Mae Switzer, wife of a wealthy Los Angeles merchant and friend of Mrs. Mellus and Kelley during their five-year romance, yesterday declared as the first witness

for the defense that "many times" she had seen Mrs. Mellus fall in fainting spells, in the six months preceding her death.

"What was she doing at the time?" the witness was asked. "She was drinking," Mrs. Switzer replied.

Upon the testimony of Mrs. Switzer, defense attorneys said, they hoped to prove that Kelley did not kill Mrs. Mellus but that she died of natural causes, complicated by injuries received in falls when she fainted.

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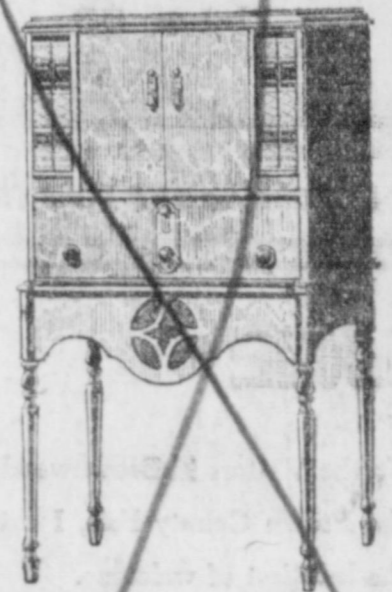
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13th Bomb Hurts Mill Inspector

KENOSHA, Wis., Sept. 6.—(P)—The thirteenth bomb to explode during the seven months' strike of Allen A. Knitting Mills workers had left Mrs. Chauncey Pitts, inspector in the mills, in a serious condition today.

Metal slugs tore her arms and legs and left her unconscious as she attempted to put out sparks from the bomb on her front porch last night. Although her husband is a union member, former workers in the mills regard Mrs. Pitts as a strikebreaker.

A temporary injunction against picketing was made permanent yesterday.

Beds instead of berths, running water, tiled floors and silky bed covers are among luxuries recently introduced into Pullman railway coaches.

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M'MILLAN TO MANAGE FAIR RACE PROGRAM

O. H. McMillan of Okmulgee, Oklahoma, has arrived in Brownwood and has begun his work with the Brown County Fair. Mr. McMillan

will again serve as manager of the racing program to be held during the fair and as official starter of all races. McMillan served in this capacity one year ago and his services were very satisfactory to the fans and horse owners alike. He is considered as one of the best race managers and starters in the Southwest. McMillan has put up five starter gates on the local track and will devote much time during the next few days to training young horses as well as some who are hard to handle at the post. Training while the horses in stables here are going through their regular daily workouts. Many fast horses

can be seen each morning on the local track and the public in general is invited to come out and watch them do their stuff. Mr. McMillan stated Wednesday afternoon that 20 more horses had arrived Tuesday, these coming from Menard. These belong to W. T. and Glabe Locklear, Avanti, Brock and Will Moore. Another group of horses will arrive within the next day or two from San Angelo and local officials are expecting a ca. load from Lawton, Oklahoma. A race meet being held there closes September 7. Still another car will come here from Kansas City, Missouri and others from various Texas points. Mr. McMillan and other officials in charge of the five-day racing program that is to be held during the Brown County Fair, state that there will be more and better race horses here next week than ever before and that the 1928 race meet is sure to be one of the best ever held in Texas.

SMITH OPPOSED IN UPSTATE NY

BY BYRON PRICE, Associated Press Staff Writer

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Sept. 6.—(AP)—In all of his battles for the political mastery of his own state, Governor Smith has met his greatest opposition outside the boundaries of his native New York City, in the half hundred and more counties known collectively to politics as "Up-State New York." It is so in 1928. Throughout this northern country the Republicans are organizing once again with an impressive determination to overthrow by up-state strength the heavy majorities Smith always has commanded in the down state metropolis. A great deal of water has yet to go under the bridge in this campaign, and it is safe only to predict that neither side will leave undone anything it can find to do toward the capture of the Empire state prize of 45 electoral votes—more than one-sixth of the total number needed to elect a president. In its early stages the campaign is turning on old familiar ground. The dries are active, talk of possible hard times for business under a Democratic regime at Washington goes about among the Hoover men as they seek to alienate from Smith the presidential candidate, as many as possible of those who have supported Smith, the candidate for governor. There also is the old

complaint or condemnation of the state's political machinery by down-state leaders in the conference of Tammany Hall. On the basis of past returns, any prediction would be impossible. Not since the Cleveland era has New York voted for a Democrat for president, save only when Taft and Roosevelt disagreed in 1912. Most of the recent Republican majorities have been overwhelming. So far as up-state New York alone is concerned, the question is not whether the supporters of Hoover have a normal advantage, but whether they can so use that advantage as to out-balance Smith's strength in his great stronghold downstate. Almost all of the up-state counties are normally Republican, both in state and national politics. A great majority of them are normally dry. In all of the country sections and among up-state city populations as well the Republican tariff and anti-Tammany pleas have been used effectively at times in previous campaigns. These are some of the things by which the Republicans hope to profit this year.

JOE ROBINSON IS OPTIMISTIC

ROBINSON SPECIAL CAR EN ROUTE TO NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Expressing optimism over information gathered on his trip in Texas and Arkansas as to conditions in those two states, Senator Joe T. Robinson moved today into Tennessee, the only Southern state so far selected by Herbert Hoover for a campaign address. An even month, however, will elapse between the filing by the Democratic vice presidential nominee of his opening campaign broadcast in the state and the date, October six, selected by the Republican presidential nominee for his address at Elizabethton. While Mr. Robinson has expressed no apprehension over loyalty of Tennessee to the Democratic standard, some regard the state as doubtful and many Republicans have claimed it will be found in the Hoover column in November. Mr. Robinson has three speeches scheduled in the state. The first will be at Nashville at 9 o'clock tonight. He then will speak on successive days at Chattanooga and Knoxville before journeying into Virginia and from there southward along the Atlantic seaboard. Upon his return from a two-day swing into Texas, the senator was welcomed back to his home state of Arkansas by a crowd at Texarkana. As the train pulled into the station, a crowd headed by a band gathered around the platform of the private car and applauded the senator when he appeared. "We have all the information on that subject we want," he added, "and what we now want is action, and Al Smith will give us that."



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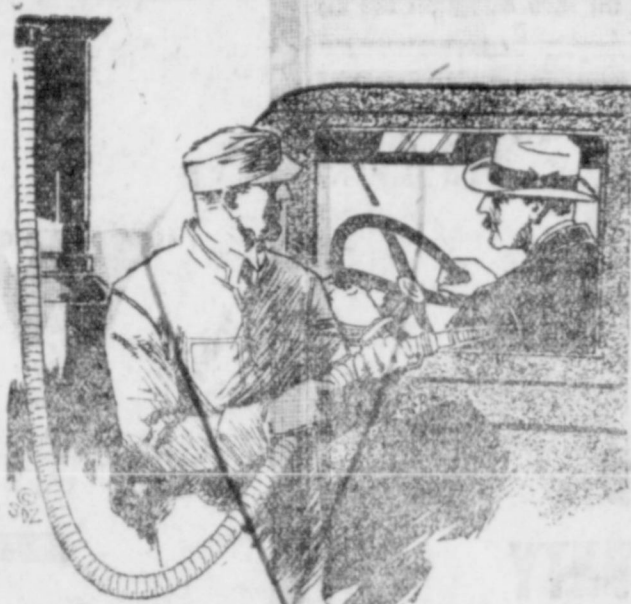
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BAPTIST BOARD SHORT MILLION

ATLANTA, Ga., Sept. 6.—(AP)—The Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist convention today had announced itself unable to pay current salaries due to the discovery of a \$1,500,000 shortage in accounts of Clinton Carnes, treasurer, who disappeared August 15. Developments piled high as a special church committee headed by Dr. C. W. Daniel of Richmond, Va., dug deeper into affairs of the board and Carnes.

The committee was able to announce the approximate size of the shortage after it was found that Carnes kept a secret file in which were entered special loan transactions with more than 150 banks in the South, transactions which never came under the scrutiny of regular auditors or of the church.

First court action was announced when Walter R. Brown, Baptist layman and lawyer intervening as a church contributor, obtained a temporary injunction returnable September 29 against several possible sources of funds to rehabilitate the board. Criminal court proceedings were indicated in the announced determination of Assistant Solicitor General Ed A. Stephens to begin grand jury proceedings against the Mission treasurer as soon as practicable. He began conferences with the joint church committee for that purpose.

Meanwhile there was little to indicate what Carnes could have done with the money he allegedly obtained during the period of the accruing shortage, estimated to be several years, possibly eight. Nor was there any word of the missing treasurer, who vanished after telling his chauffeur he would not be at his home for dinner on August 15 because of a business trip to Raleigh, N. C.

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Many German street cars have dining cars attached as trailers for convenience of passengers.

In January last there were 1,944,803 motorcycles in the world, an increase of 296,983 during 1927.

In one street in the West End of London, New Waterloo Place, there are 31 public signs, all but two of them referring to traffic.

Kentucky plans to span the Kentucky river with the highest highway bridge in America.

RACE PROGRAM BIG FEATURE ANNUAL FAIR

That the racing program during the Sixth Annual Brown County Fair, which opens here, September 11, will be replete with action, is easily foreseen in the complete racing program that has been prepared by the committee in charge of the races. Although the committee reserves the right to change the order of program, it is likely that the five day card will be carried out as announced. All races will be run under the rules of the Kentucky Thoroughbred Association. Entries close at 11 o'clock the day before the race is to be run.

The complete program, together with purses offered for each race, is as follows:

- First Day—Tuesday, Sept. 11**
 - 1. 3-8 mile \$ 75.00
 - 2. 7-16 mile, (2 year) 100.00
 - 3. 5-8 mile 150.00
 - 4. 3-4 mile 150.00
 - 5. 1 mile 175.00
- Second Day—Wed. Sept. 12**
 - 1. 3-8 mile \$ 75.00
 - 2. 1-2 mile 100.00
 - 3. 5-8 mile 100.00
 - 4. 3-4 mile 125.00
 - 5. 7-8 mile 150.00
- Third Day—Thursday, Sept. 13**
 - 1. 1-3 mile \$100.00
 - 2. 3-8 mile 100.00
 - 3. 3-4 mile, Brownwood Derby 150.00
 - (5 to nominate and 10 to enter)
 - 4. 7-16 mile 150.00
 - 5. 1 mile and 70 yards 160.00
 - 6. 3-4 mile 120.00
- Fourth Day—Friday, Sept. 14**
 - 1. 1-4 mile \$ 65.00
 - 2. 5-8 mile (2 year old) 150.00
 - 3. 3-8 mile (non-winner) 75.00
 - (First and Second)
 - 4. 7-8 mile, (3 year old) 125.00
 - 5. 3-4 mile (non-winner) 100.00
 - (First and Second)
- Fifth Day—Saturday, Sept. 15**
 - 1. 1-3 mile (2 year old) \$100.00
 - 2. 5-8 mile 125.00
 - 3. 7-16 mile 100.00
 - 4. 7-8 mile 100.00
 - 5. 3-4 mile 330.00
 - (5 to nominate and 10 to enter)

Unique Feeding Plan For Fish at Cisco Hatchery

CISCO, Sept. 6.—(P)—The State Fish Hatchery department has installed a unique system of feeding fish in its 14 ponds near the Cisco dam.

Electric lights have been placed two feet above the water so as to attract grasshoppers, crickets, and other insects, enormous numbers of which fall into the water and are devoured by the fish. Many game fish jump out of the water and nab the insects as they fly near the surface.

NOW HE'S OUT
"What kind of a chap is Jack?"
"Well, when we were together last night the lights went out and he spent the rest of the evening repairing the fuse."—Til-Bits.

POULTRY EXHIBIT AT COUNTY FAIR TO BE BETTER THAN EVER

Charles Day, superintendent of the poultry department of the Brown County Fair for 1928, is confident that the poultry show at this year's exposition will far exceed the 1927 show or, as for that, any other show held in connection with the annual county fair during the past few years. Mr. Day expects at least twice as many birds to be entered in this year's show and in this number will be included exhibits from some of the leading poultry farms of Texas. In 1927 there were between 150 and 200 birds on display in the poultry department and Mr. Day is confident that there will be approximately 400 this year.

Poultrymen of Brown county, as well as from other counties of the state, are taking much interest in the 1928 poultry show at the County Fair and with this keen interest being manifest, it is almost certain that the 1928 show will witness much keener competition in all classes. There promises to be unusually keen competition among the Rhode Island Red poultrymen. Mr. Day states.

A. P. A. Judge
One of the outstanding features of the 1928 show will be the judging of the birds on exhibit. Mr. Day states. Walter Burton, official judge with the American Poultry Association, and who served as judge of the 1927 winter poultry show held here under the auspices of the Brown County Poultry Association, has been secured as judge of the poultry show at the County Fair. Mr. Burton will arrive here Wednesday morning, the second day of the Fair and judging will begin that day.

In addition to serving as judge of

the poultry exhibits, Mr. Burton will gladly answer any and all questions relative to the poultry industry and poultrymen of the county and state exhibiting birds during the fair are urged to confer with Mr. Burton on any phase of the poultry business that additional information or advice is needed.

The 1928 poultry show will be held in quarters especially prepared for the show under the huge grandstand at Fair Park. Mr. Day is well pleased with the new show place, stating that it will be cooler than ever before, as well as being roomier and in every way more satisfactory to exhibitors and visitors alike.

An interesting exhibit of turkeys is also expected for the Brown County Fair poultry show, Mr. Day states. Many exhibitors plan to have a large number of fine specimens on exhibit throughout the five day Fair.

Premiums offered by the Brown County Fair Association for winners in the various classes of the poultry show have been greatly increased for the annual interest shown by exhibitors and to this fact alone can be attributed the increased number of entries. Another important factor in the increased number of entries for the 1928 poultry show is the increasing prestige of Brownwood and Brown county as a poultry center.

Mr. Day and others, who have worked with him in assuring that the 1928 Brown County Fair poultry show will be the best ever held in connection with a county exposition here, cordially invite one and all to visit the show during the five day Fair.

Makes Good His Threat to Escape

PARIS, Sept. 6.—(P)—Dr. Pierre Bougart, who declared in open court when convicted of murder "I will escape," has made good his word in France's penal colony in the tropical forest of French Guiana.

Dr. Bougart and two others escaped from the hospital at St. Louis Maroni, off which is the notorious Devil's Island, where incorrigible prisoners are sent.

The doctor had always maintained he was innocent, and his lawyer was so convinced of his client's blamelessness that he wrote a book which caused his disbarment.

AH! A FISH TALE

BROOKLYN, Mich.—A report from usually reliable sources says that two amateur fishermen recently caught a 14-pound pike in Vineyard Lake. A more unusual part of the story is that they caught the fish with the anchor of their boat. They told cottagers that, after locating their prize and having no suitable bait, they maneuvered within striking distance in the shallow water and dropped the anchor. The pike was so stunned that they had little trouble in completing the capture.

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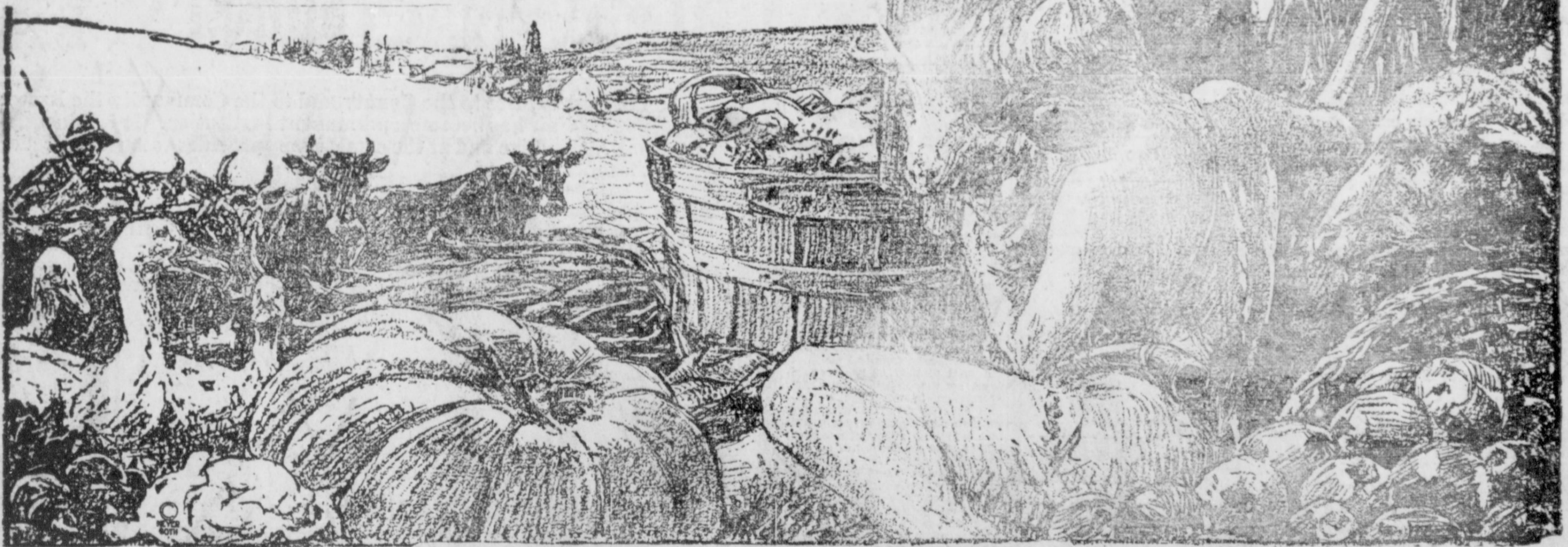
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Dairy Show Attracting Much Interest

Agricultural Exhibits To Be Better Than Ever Before

NEW CATTLE BARN READY FOR EXHIBIT

OFFICIALS in charge of the livestock exhibit for the 1928 Brown County Fair anticipate one of the most successful exhibits of all classes of livestock ever had at any former county exposition in Brownwood. However, those in charge of the livestock show, have repeatedly called special attention to the dairy cattle show and undoubtedly this will be the feature of the 1928 exposition, especially in the livestock division.

Hilton Burks, secretary of the Brown County Fair Association, has announced that at least 100 cattle from several counties of Texas will be on exhibit throughout the five day fair and with this number, all from the best herds of the state. Visitors to the fair will be assured rare treats in the livestock show.

Of the 100 head of cattle expected to be on exhibit during the fair, approximately 50 head will come from out of the county herds. The Scott and White Dairy Farm, of Temple, has made reservation for 14 head of dairy cattle and the Hughes Dairy Farm, of Dublin, has made reservations for a similar number. Marshall Caraway, of Comyn, in Comanche county, has asked for reservations for 15 head of short horns to be entered in the beef cattle exhibit. Other out of town exhibitors are also expected to place entries here.

Club Boys Exhibits
Shelton Bros., of Brownwood, and other local dairymen will have the best cows of their herds on exhibit but one of the features of the local exhibit will be those by 4-H club boys of the county who will enter their baby beaves and dairy calves in the livestock show.

O. P. Griffin, county farm demonstration agent and who has charge of club boys work in the county, has announced that there will be between 15 and 20 baby beaves exhibited by his club boys and that at least 20 dairy calves will also be placed on exhibit. He states that the boys have been clipping and blanketing the calves for several weeks in order to put them into show condition. Mr. Griffin expects the baby beaver and dairy calf exhibit this year to be better than any ever held in the past.

Mr. Griffin states that all baby beaves and dairy calves are well bred and that the dairy calves are from high producing ancestry. There are two classes in the baby beaver and dairy calf exhibits, these being juniors and seniors. Juniors include all that were under one year of age September 1, and seniors those over one year of age at that time.

Be Judged Early
Judging of all baby beaves and dairy calves will be done the first day of the fair and visitors to the fair will be able to tell by ribbons on the best calves on exhibit and the names of the boys exhibiting same. All baby beaves will be sold at public auction the last day of the fair.

Mr. Griffin states that the pig show this year will be larger than ever before. There will probably be about 20 club pigs on exhibit and these are all fat and finished ready for the butcher. These will also be sold at auction on the last day of the fair.

All cattle on exhibit will be housed in the new exhibit hall built specifically for the livestock show. This building will accommodate 100 head of cattle and according to present indications the new building will be taxed to capacity and perhaps to overflowing. The new cattle exhibit hall is 96 by 38 feet and will have only a roof and perhaps one wall, making of it an open air building, thus assuring comfort to all animals on exhibit and making it pleasant for all visitors to these exhibits.

Jealous Husband



Kills Four Men

APPARENTLY crazed after failing to effect a reconciliation with his estranged wife, Percy Barnes, Sacramento, California, railroad shopman, went on a murderous rampage, killing four men and badly wounding another before the police captured him. The husband and Mrs. Barnes with their daughter, Beverly, are pictured above.

10 COMMUNITY BOOTHS TO BE FEATURE SHOW

VISITORS to the 1928 Brown County Fair will see one of the best and most complete agricultural exhibits this year that has ever before been shown at a county exposition here according to O. P. Griffin, county farm demonstration agent and C. A. Cavel, superintendent of the agriculture department.

As in the past, the agricultural exhibits will be featured by community booths in which will be displayed every growing plant known to this climate and section of the state. At least 10 communities will have well arranged and attractive booths this year, Mr. Griffin states, and these booths should be a marked improvement over all others of past years, this being due directly to the unusual good crops that have been raised throughout the county this year.

Community booths have always been one of the chief attractions to farmers and merchants alike and have always proved of much value to one and all alike. Those exhibits have a great educational value in that farmers of the various communities of the county have the advantage of seeing what farmers in other sections of the county are doing. In addition to this, the community exhibits afford citizens of Brownwood an opportunity to learn what their farmer brothers are doing.

Feed Show Good
O. P. Griffin states also that the club boys feed crop show be unusually good this year and will contain exhibits of corn, milo, maize, lesteria, hagar and sunflowers. Special selections of all these crops have been made and are being cared for. Mr. Griffin states that there will be some 75 or 80 exhibits in all.

One feature of the agriculture exhibit will be the showing of sunflowers grown by a group of boys as an experiment. It is expected that there will be some 20 exhibits of sunflowers and this alone will be worth a trip to the agricultural hall.

Another exhibit that will be found in the agricultural building will include many mounted specimens of wild animals and a large collection of horns. This exhibit will be arranged by a Mr. Boeckner of Bangs and others. This promises to be an interesting and attractive show within itself.

Hans Schroeder, local florist, will also have an exhibit in the agricultural building and as in the past, this will be of much interest. Mr. Schroeder keeps a large number of monkeys, parrots, rabbits, etc., at his place of business and these are to be placed in especially prepared cages. This exhibit is always of much interest to the kiddies, as well as to the grown ups.

FAIR OFFERS LARGE PURSES

All officers of the Brown County Fair Association have assured the citizens of Brownwood, Brown county and the Heart of Texas district, that the 1928 Fair will be bigger and better than ever before but heretofore have not advanced any basic reason for this marked improvement.

According to Hilton Burks, secretary of the Fair Association, that basic reason is found in the amount of premiums offered exhibitors at the 1928 Brown County Fair.

A total of \$5,877.50 has been offered by the Brown County Fair Association to exhibitors at the 1928 exposition to the winners of the five day racing program. This fact alone has attracted many exhibitors and no doubt has made it possible to secure 100 of the best race horses in Texas for the five day racing program.

Of the \$5,877.50 offered in premiums and purses, \$2,627.50 will go to exhibitors of livestock, agricultural products and to exhibitors in other departments.

Race Purses Large
Of the total amount, \$3,250 will go to winners of the five day racing program and these attractive purses have assured race horse fans of the best race program ever held in Brownwood or in this part of the state.

Not only have the premiums offered been instrumental in increasing the number of exhibitors and in bringing more race horses to Brownwood, but the prestige to be gained in exhibiting at Brown county's annual fair has contributed much. The Fair is growing and as it grows in size, it grows in prestige and as a result winning exhibitors will reap rewards beyond the premiums offered.

Northeast of Arisalg, in the country ever associated with the landing and departure of Prince Charlie, lies Loch Morar. It is the deepest lake in the British Isles.

1928 COUNTY FAIR BIGGER AND BETTER

Rev. C. A. Johnson, president of the Brown County Fair Association in behalf of the Board of Directors of the association, extends a hearty invitation to every citizen of Brownwood, Brown county and surrounding cities and counties, to attend the 1928 Brown County Fair. Rev. Johnson further states that the Board of Directors will extend every courtesy possible to all exhibitors and visitors. At this time the Board of Directors wish to request one and all to report any discourtesy or unfairness to them as it is the earnest desire of the directors to correct any such act.

The Board of Directors unhesitatingly state that it is their candid opinion that the 1928 Fair will be better and bigger than any Fair ever held in Brownwood and these officials are anxious that the Fair be carried on to the complete satisfaction of each and every exhibitor and to the satisfaction of all visitors.

Expect 25,000 Visitors
The officials in charge of the 1928 exposition expect at least 25,000 paid admissions during the five day fair and with this number in attendance the Board of Directors fully appreciate that their task in arranging every phase of the entertainment program is indeed a gigantic one. Despite this fact, officials of the fair assure that nothing has been left undone that would tend to make one's visit to the 1928 exposition more pleasant.

It is announced by the officers in charge, that proper and ample police protection has been arranged for the 1928 Fair. These police officers will be on the fair grounds to help visitors as well as to protect them. Men have been employed to help with the more or less difficult task of parking the thousands of automobiles of visitors. In fact all is in readiness.

"Come to the Brown County Fair

INCREASED EXHIBITS EXPECTED FOR ANNUAL BROWN COUNTY FAIR

Every department of the Brown County Fair will be enlarged and improved, and new departments will be added, according to A. N. Thomason, treasurer for the Fair Directors, who spoke today at the weekly meeting of the Rotary Club.

Thos. H. Scott, a member of the Good Roads committee, also spoke briefly of the plans for conducting a good roads campaign. The club took no action of endorsement or otherwise upon the pending road bond program, in accordance with its long-standing rule in such cases. Mr. Thomason, in discussing the Fair, gave detailed information as to the arrangements that have been made for taking care of increased exhibits this year, especially in the stock departments. Since will also be provided, he said, for merchants' exhibits which have not heretofore been shown on account of a lack of facilities. The racing program will be the best ever held here with \$100,000 worth of race horses in the stables and purses totalling \$3,300.

The Fair Directors, Mr. Thomason said, are devoting most of their time to completing the preparations for the annual exhibition, and it is expected that the fair will prove a decided success from every standpoint.

KATY MEN MEET
DENISON, Tex., Sept. 3.—(AP)—Approximately 5,000 officials and employees of the M. K. & T. railroad were here today for the annual Katy athletic meet. Delegations were present from practically every city in the Katy system.

Every week, throughout the whole time the House of Commons is in session the Cabinet meets at No. 10 Downing street, each Wednesday.

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Adam's Cash and Carry is here, too, for your benefit. Here's where you get your money's worth, and more, in groceries and meats.

FAGAN APPEALS
AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 4.—(AP)—The appeal of W. J. Fagan from a 99-year sentence in Freestone county for murder was filed today with the court of criminal appeals. Fagan was convicted of murder in the killing of Tim Willard, special ranger, April 19.

SOME CAPACITY
MONTREAL—Doctors here recently reported the case of an insane woman who ate everything that would pass her throat. After taking X-ray photos more than 2,000 pieces of metal and glass were removed from her stomach.

VERY MODERN
"Can I be of any assistance to you, sir?"
"I'm looking for something appropriate for the tenth anniversary of a divorce."—Life.

POLICE PROBLEM
ATTLEBORO, Mass.—An automobile operated by H. Millard collided with one driven by H. Millard here. One was Harold and the other was Harry and they had never met before.

A quintal of fish is 100 pounds.
Sicily is 10,000 square miles in area.
Venus is almost exactly the same size as the earth.

WELCOME--

to the **BROWN COUNTY FAIR**

Through service to the County and to the Community the Brown County Fair has become a permanent institution. It is educational, instructive and at the same time provides amusement for those who attend.

It is through the same means that the West Texas Telephone Company has come to be a Brownwood, Brown County and West Texas Institution—Service.

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Don't Miss the **Brown County Fair** Sept. 11--15

You'll be sorry if you don't attend—There will be plenty of fun—Shows—Carnivals,—Horse Races,—and Exhibits

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Brownwood

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FAIR VISITORS— WELCOME

We are glad to welcome you to our city and to make you feel as much at home as possible while you are here.

You'll find us always ready to serve you—send your dress or suit to us to clean. We'll do it right.

Phone 60

BUCK TAILORING CO.

WE WELCOME YOU TO THE FAIR

And you'll find that the best food in town comes from our place. Come in to see us—and to eat while you are here.

You'll appreciate our service and we will be delighted to serve you.

KARL DERRICK'S CAFE

Welcome To the Fair, Visitors

We are glad to have you in our city. We hope that your stay here will be the most pleasant.

SEE THE SERVICE

That Willard Batteries give and the excellent service we give a nall type of batteries.

DRIVE IN TO SEE US.

We'll be glad to see you—you'll be glad you came in

Carlson Battery and Electric Co.

WELCOME to the FAIR

Welcome, too, to Walker-Smith's Pecan Valley Brand Products. You will like them as much as we like to have you in Brownwood.

The Home of
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WALKER-SMITH CO.

GENERAL RULES BROWN COUNTY FAIR RELEASED

The Board of Directors of the Brown County Fair Association has prepared a set of general rules, that if read and followed by all exhibitors, will avoid any and all misunderstandings and forestall many unpleasant situations that might otherwise occur during the Fair.

The officials of the Fair are very anxious that all exhibitors read these rules carefully. They follow:

1. The Fair will open promptly at noon Tuesday, September 11, 1928, unless postponed or extended by the management, which they hereby reserve the right to do, if, from any cause whatsoever, they deem it necessary for the general good of all concerned.

2. Every exhibit must be in place by noon Tuesday, September 11th, except where otherwise provided in the Special Rules of different departments.

3. Entry free, except as otherwise provided.

4. Every article or animal entered for competition or occupying space on stalls on the grounds, shall be under the control of the director in charge.

5. While the management will use every precaution in their power to protect the property of the exhibitors, it is distinctly understood that the Association will not be responsible for any loss or damage to articles or animals while on the grounds or in transit thereto or therefrom, from any cause whatever.

6. All goods must be unpacked immediately on arrival and empty cases removed from the grounds, and at the expense of the exhibitors; exhibitors bearing all expenses of conveying, delivering, arranging, fixing and removing their exhibits, and also the cost of erection of fixtures, screens, counters, etc.

7. The management reserves to themselves the right to remove from the grounds any exhibit or animal that may be falsely entered, or may be deemed unsuitable or objectionable, without assigning reason.

8. Exhibitors may sell at their stands or stalls any article or animal, but will not be permitted to remove said article or animal from the grounds until the close of the Fair, without the written consent of the Superintendent in charge of the department in which said article or animal is exhibited, approved by the Executive Committee, and any exhibitor violating this rule will forfeit any premiums which may be awarded him.

9. If it be ascertained that any exhibitor has made or caused to be made any false statement in regard to any animal or article exhibited, or if an exhibitor shall attempt to interfere with the judges in the performance of their duties, he shall be excluded from competition on the grounds of the Association.

ENTRIES

11. Entries in every department and class must be made prior to noon September 11th, 1928, by letter on phone to the Secretary, or at the office of the Association. Entry blanks will be furnished upon application to the Secretary. (See Podlery and Floral Department for exceptions to this rule.)

12. No charge for space to exhibitors, except as otherwise provided for.

13. All applications for space in exhibition halls must be made to the Secretary-Manager, the management reserving the right to reassign an space not occupied by exhibitors by September 11th and no exhibitor shall be allowed to sublet this space without the permission of the management.

JUDGING AND AWARDS

14. No one will be allowed to act as judge in the class or ring in which he exhibits.

15. No premiums shall be awarded when the article is unworthy, though there be no competition.

16. The Committee shall award premiums only on such articles regularly mentioned on the schedule of premiums. In the case of display, the committee is particularly requested to take the quality of the goods into consideration, and not quantity.

17. The honors will be designated by ribbons: Blue meaning first; red, second; white, third; and purple for sweepstakes and championship winners. The ribbons will be attached only by the superintendent of each department, after the judging committee has signed its report, and the same has been approved by the chairman of the committee.

18. Premiums will be paid by the Secretary at the office of the Association on the closing day of the Fair.

19. All merit medals and diplomas will be executed and delivered as speedily as possible.

ANIMALS

20. Stall rent will be charged for all animals occupying stalls or pens during the Fair, and payment must be made to the Department Superintendent or Secretary. Stall rent for cattle, horses, mules, jacks and Jennets, \$1.50 per head. Stall rent for sheep, goats and swine, 25c per head. Stable rent for Running Horses, \$2.00 per head.

21. Stalls and pens will be assigned only to bona fide exhibitors, and no sub-letting will be permitted.

22. No horses or cattle will be permitted to occupy stalls, nor sheep or swine pens, unless entered for competition.

23. Exhibitors desiring stalls or pens for exhibition of horses, cattle, sheep or swine, etc., must file application with the department superintendent or the Secretary, naming the breed of animals for which stalls are desired. Application for stalls will not be considered unless accompanied by proper fees.

24. Parties contracting for stalls and not occupying same on or before Tuesday, September 11th, 1928, shall forfeit the fees paid, and the stalls shall be subject to reassignment.

FEEDING AND BEDDING

30. Feed and bedding for horses, cattle, hogs or sheep, can be bought on the grounds in sufficient quantity, at market prices, but the exhibitors have the privilege of buying elsewhere.

31. Protest against an awarding committee on the grounds of incompetency or previous bias, must be made in writing to the Superintendent of the Department in which they occur, and referred by him to the Executive Committee.

32. In the event of conflict of general and special rules, the latter will govern.

33. In every contract made by the Brown County Fair Association, its officers or agents, the foregoing rules and regulations shall form a part thereof as fully as if incorporated therein.

34. Exhibitors will confer a favor upon the management if they will report, at once, to the Secretary any complaint they have to make. Do not wait until the Fair is over to make the complaint, but report immediately, as then is the time to settle and adjust any differences.

BROWN COUNTY FAIR PROGRAM IS COMPLETED

A complete program has been arranged and released by the officials of the Brown County Fair Association, and although not given in detail, the general program includes many attractive features. The 1928 Brown County Fair will be officially opened at 11:30 Tuesday morning, September 11, immediately following the opening parade which will leave the down town section of Brownwood promptly at 11 o'clock. The general program follows:

Tuesday
10:00 a. m. Big Parade.
11:30 a. m. Formal opening.
1:30 p. m. Free attractions. Balloon ascension.
2:00 p. m. Races.
4:00 p. m. Judging beef calves and dairy calves.
Night. Especially booked attractions of exceptional quality.

Wednesday
10:00 a. m. Judging horses, mules and ponies.
1:30 p. m. Free attraction.
2:00 p. m. Races.
Night. Show in front of grandstand.

Thursday
1:30 p. m. Free attraction. Balloon ascension.
2:00 p. m. Races.
Night. Especially booked attractions of exceptionally quality.

Friday
Children's day. All school children admitted free.
1:30 p. m. Free attraction. Balloon ascension.
2:00 p. m. Races.
Night especially booked attractions of exceptional quality.

Saturday
10:00 a. m. Announcement of winnings.
1:30 p. m. All winners parade.
2:00 p. m. Races.
Judging of Livestock
All livestock except hogs, sheep and goats will be judged before the grandstand. On the opening day of the fair, dairy calves and beef calves shown by the Boys' Agricultural Club will be led out at 3:30 just after the races.

On Wednesday morning at 10:00 o'clock, horses, mules and ponies will be judged. Cow ponies, polo ponies and children's ponies as well as saddle horses are to be shown with riders. Day teams, horses and mules are to be shown hitched to wagon or float.

There will be no charge to admission to the grandstand during judging hours and the public is cordially invited to attend these events.

All Winners Parade
On the last day of the Fair the winners of prizes in every class, including the ugliest man and the prettiest woman will parade before the grandstand at 1:30 p. m. Announcement of names of winners will be made as early as possible and all winners are expected to be on the ground by 1:00 o'clock. If possible, premium checks will be ready at this time.

Tuesday—Brown County day.
Bangs, Blanket, Zephyr, May Cross Cut and other Brown county communities.

Wednesday—San Saba, Comanche, Goldthwaite.

Thursday—Brownwood day.

Friday—Children's day.

In case of unavoidable detention and failure to attend Fair, proper notice of inability must be furnished the Secretary prior to 6:00 p. m., September 10th, 1928, otherwise the matter of returning fees will not be considered.

The owner of the dam at the time of service will be considered the breeder of the animal exhibited.

The age of the animals in classes for cattle, sheep and swine (except where otherwise specified in Department Rules), shall be determined from date of birth to Sept. 1st, 1928.

Exhibitors must have owned or had in charge or control, all animals exhibited by them for competition, for a period of not less than thirty days before the date of exhibition.

Animals affected by or having been exposed to any contagious disease during the thirty days next preceding the Fair, will be excluded from the grounds. Exhibitors of livestock shall file with the Division Superintendent an affidavit that the livestock exhibited by him is free from contagious disease, and has not been exposed to any contagious disease within thirty days next preceding the opening of the Fair.

All animals to compete for prizes must be on the Fair grounds by noon, September 11th, 1928, and no animal shall be removed from the grounds until the end of the Fair, except with the consent of the Executive Committee and written order from the Superintendent in charge of the department.

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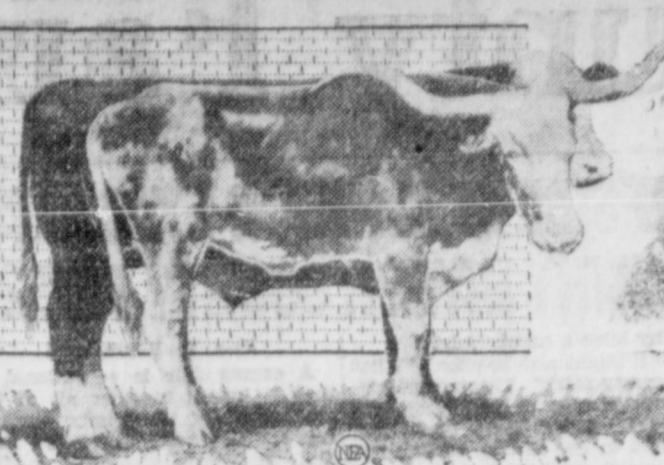
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HOW LIVESTOCK HAS CHANGED!



THIS superimposed photograph of a Longhorn steer of the last generation that a modern animal shows graphically to what extent the American livestock industry has progressed. It was made by the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture. The comparatively small, scrawny, tough animal has been replaced by the larger, fleshy and fatty beef of today.

FASHION PROMENADE LAST THREE DAYS OF PRESENT WEEK

The Fashion Promenade, for which plans were being formed as announced by Roussel-Robertson Company a few days ago, will be held at the Roussel-Robertson store on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of this week, at 7:30 to 8:30 o'clock each evening. A platform suitable for the promenade will be erected in the center of the store. The children who are to participate in this style are being trained

by Mrs. Lon Smith and Mrs. Gladys Shuler Whitney, and will appear in this fashion pageantry under their direction. This will be the "Evolution of Children's Dress," or "Crimoline Days to the Present." Dresses will be modeled as follows: Old English Period, year 1620, worn by Jane Queen.
Old Colonial, 1660, worn by Frances Ellis.
Crimoline Days, 1700, worn by Gene Evans.
Revolutionary War Period, 1775, worn by Jerry Nelson.
"Colonial Sunday," 1800, worn by Lillian Schroeder.
"School Bound," 1810, worn by June Buck.
Period War with England, 1820, worn by Jane Hardin.
"Sunday Best," 1830, worn by

Ruth Clifford Corder. Period Civil War (The Bustle Dress), 1865, worn by Virginia Lyle. Period before World War, 1913, worn by Bernice Herrin.
A program has been announced as follows:
Page, Bernice Herrin. Musical Reading, "I Got a Pain in My Sawdust."
Gene Evans—Dance of the Glew Worm.
Ann Ellis—"Better Be Good."
Nursery Rhymes—Ann Ellis, Ruth Clifford Corder, Betty McIntosh, Patty Downs, Margret Nelson, Peggy Joyce Ice, Jerry Nelson, Bernice Herin, Jane Hardin, Mary Whitney and Virginia Lyle.
Lillian Schroeder—Clown Dance, Mildred Nintzig, Helen Herman, Georgia Fitzgerald—Readings, Virginia Snyder—"Ain't She Sweet?"
Jane Queen, Jeffy E. Queen—Playmates.
Louise Keyser—"I Don't Care."
Nancy Merle—Robotom—"I'm Irish."
June Buck—"Little Red School House."
School Days—(Ensemble).
WIGAN, England—A taxi-driver here was summoned for refusing to take a woman passenger who weighed more than 355 pounds. The case was dismissed.

Tunney Is Liked By Men of France

PARIS, Sept. 4.—(AP)—Paris newspapers today expressed surprise at the lack of signs of a boxer about Gene Tunney.
"He was meant to be a poet and was a boxer by necessity," said Le Petit Parisien. "He only won in the ring enough dollars to enable him to end his days in peace. He perhaps is not a happy man. His glory weighs heavily on this champion who has not yet found happiness."

Other sporting writers remarked that Tunney's figure was athletic but not exaggeratedly so. They said that those not knowing him would never think the blue-eyed blond gentleman was champion of the world and the vanquisher of Dempsey.
"He is a perfect gentleman," was the way the sporting writers summed up Tunney.

Newsies' Rest
ROCK RAPIDS, Iowa.—While remodeling an old building here workmen found three bottles of champagne, bearing vintage marks of 30 years ago. The building had once been a saloon.

WELCOME VISITORS To The Fair And Our Store!

Like the Fair
We are growing. Soon we will occupy the space we now have and the present home of Martin's Hat Shop.

Come In
We, Too, Have a Show—
Beautiful fall Slippers and Hose

ROBINSON'S SLIPPER SHOP

104 E. LEE

The Home of Good Food Bids the Fair Visitors WELCOME

Eat in the newest cafe in town while you are here. The food is good and the service, too. Bring your friends and enjoy a real meal.

Blue Bonnet Cafe

112 East Baker Street



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We'll Meet You at the

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Sept. 11--15

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"Everything Electrical"

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To The
Brown County
Fair

We will buy your country produce and pay the highest market price.

We carry a complete stock of
"Standard Brand Groceries"
Selling as low as can possibly be sold.

J. L. ALLBRIGHT

On the Square

Brown County Fair Grounds Improved

NEW BUILDING ERECTED, MORE EXHIBIT SPACE

VISITORS to the 1928 Brown County Fair will find a marked improvement of grounds and buildings as compared with one year ago and it is believed by Fair officials that the changes that have been made and that are now under way will tend to make visits of one and all to the 1928 exposition more pleasant and more profitable. The changes under way and that have already been completed will make assistance to the grounds more convenient, will afford better parking space, will provide better and more spacious exhibit halls and above all will afford all visitors a much more comfortable and larger resting place.

The changes will be first noticed when approaching the Fair grounds from Bell Plain Avenue, in that the visitor will find two large entrances to the grounds instead of the one that has heretofore served to care for all visitors. The second entrance to the grounds is being made from Bell Plain Avenue about the block east of the present entrance from the same street.

Large Parking Lot
The two entrances afford an inlet to a 12 acre block that will be used exclusively for the parking of automobiles. This parking space is located to the right of the old entrance and two exits, entering and leaving the grounds will be made much easier and faster and will tend to avoid traffic jams that have to a certain extent marred visits to the Fair in the past.

A seven foot board fence has been built around the side of the race track from the grandstand on past the carnival grounds and parking space, making it impossible for anyone to watch the races and other attractions without gaining entrance to the grandstand. From the end of the high board fence, at the end of the parking space, a high barbed wire fence will be built. This is to be erected to avoid any possibility of entrance to the field opposite the grandstand.

Another seven foot board fence will be found extending from the fence along the race track to the gate at the old entrance. This fence will separate the carnival grounds from the parking lot. Near the center of this high fence will be found the ticket office and entrance gate to the Fair grounds proper.

Motorists will park their automobiles and then purchase tickets to enter the grounds. This change will facilitate entrance to the grounds, it is believed by Fair officials.

Midway Being Enlarged
Heretofore, part of the space to the left of the old entrance has been used for parking ground but this year visitors will find that the entire lot is devoted to the use of the carnival attractions secured for the 1928 Fair. By making this change it will be possible for the

carnival attractions to occupy more space, thus avoiding jams around any one show or attraction. This will make it possible to widen and lengthen the midway and afford more room for the increased number of visitors expected for the 1928 exposition.

After reaching that part of the Fair grounds devoted to exhibit halls, all visitors will find and addition exhibit hall and another hall that has been completely remodelled and renovated. The addition hall and the refinishing of the other hall will make it possible for all exhibitors to have more and better space and will afford all visitors a better opportunity to visit all halls in comfort.

New Livestock Building
The new exhibit hall has been built for livestock, or rather cattle exhibits and is 96 by 58 feet. It is an open air affair, thus affording comfortable quarters for all livestock that are exhibited during this Fair and others to follow. The building has two side ways and on each side of these have been erected places for the tying of cattle on exhibit. That the exhibit hall for cattle this year will be well filled, is certain, according to Fair officials in charge of the Livestock department.

The new cattle exhibit building is located back of the building formerly used for this purpose and is between that building and the stables erected for race horses along the Frisco railroad track.

The building that in the past has been used for livestock exhibits, has been remodeled and will be used for the exhibits of the art, textile, culinary, flower and home demonstration departments. In addition to these exhibits, many of the local merchants and out of town businesses will have booths for the display of their wares. A total of 24 booths have been built in this building, with eight 12 foot booths on each side and eight 10 foot booths in the center, which leaves space for two side ways to care for visitors.

This building has been floored, windows put in and the walls shiplapped, thus making it attractive and suitable for the class of products that will be put on display there. This building is 30 by 100 feet.

100 Stables Built
Stables for 100 race horses have been built on the north side of the Fair grounds, along the fence adjoining the Frisco right-of-way. A high wire fence will separate the stables from the Fair grounds proper, this fence to run from the east end of the grandstand to the fence on the north side of the grounds. Fair officials have been assured that at least 100 of the best race horses in Texas will enter the races here.

The space underneath the grandstand, which in the past has been used for various purposes, will be used this year exclusively for poultry exhibits and sheep exhibits. It has been arranged so as to properly accommodate exhibitors of chickens, turkeys, other fowls and sheep and goats.

Near the fence, between the grandstand and horse stables, pens have been built for hog exhibits and according to present outlooks the hog exhibit this year will surpass any former similar shows. The building known as the Agri-

PRESIDENT JOHNSON EXPLAINS "WHY HAVE A COUNTY FAIR?"

"Why have a county fair?" And it might also be asked, "What is a county fair?" Throughout history one is able to find records of county fairs that have been held, not only in the history of this nation, but throughout the history of other nations. Perhaps the ancients and even the early moderns did not call their fairs by the familiar name, "County Fair," but to all intents and purposes these fetes, exhibitions, or whatever one might call them, have been little more than county fairs.

At all fairs held and that have been recorded in the annals of time, it is found that one of the chief features of the fairs, exhibitions etc., has been the spirit of competition through exhibition, either in physical or mental skill, as manifested by physical contests, athletic contests, or the competitive showing of the works of the hand or the products of the land. The Greeks and the Romans had their fetes of this nature and other nations in their day have followed the examples set by them. Perhaps a Roman or Greek fete, or fair, might not compare in every way with modern day fairs or exhibitions, but the differences in many respects would amount to little.

But, why have a fair? Rev. C. A. Johnson, pastor of the First Christian Church of Brownwood, and who is president of the Brown County Fair Association, has answered the question very concisely and in so doing he has advanced three outstanding reasons for such a project. Dr. Johnson's three reasons that he believes justify the expense and trouble of having a fair are, that a fair is educational, that it affords entertainment and that it is an excellent means of promoting good fellowship.

The culture Exhibit Hall, will be used exclusively for agricultural exhibits this year, these exhibits to include the 10 or more community booths and all farm exhibits of club boys of the county. This will assure those in charge of the agricultural exhibits ample room and according to all advance information, the fair exhibits this year will require all the space available in this building.

More Rest Room
Another marked improvement, and one that is sure to meet with the favor and approval of all visitors, is the enlarged arbor or rest room, which last year was erected immediately in front of the agricultural building. This arbor is being doubled thereby affording resting room for twice as many people as did the arbor that was built one year ago.

Every change that has been made by local officials has had only one chief objective, that of making the visits of one and all to the 1928 Brown County Fair more pleasant and more profitable.

Near-sightedness, or myopia, a common eye complaint, is said to be due to the fact that man has not yet completely ceased being a fish.

Fair Is Educational
A county fair is educational in that it brings together all of the best things of the country, including the best products of the farm and the latest and most modern products of the industrial world. This is educational in that it affords one and all an opportunity, that otherwise would be denied many people, to learn what progress is being made in other communities, as well as the possibilities of other communities, thus giving each and everyone a broader viewpoint of life. Rev. Johnson states, "The county fair affords all the chance to see the best that there is and this knowledge, gained through actually seeing, is of great educational importance."

Affords Entertainment
Second, the county fair affords entertainment, and all people like and seek a certain amount of entertainment. Dr. Johnson states, and it is always possible for a fair to afford plenty good wholesome entertainment and this factor alone would justify the trouble and expense of any fair. Dr. Johnson states, "A county fair also affords a varied entertainment program and as proof of this statement, Dr. Johnson has called attention to the entertainment that has been planned for the 1928 fair, which includes daily horse racing, balloon ascensions, parades, carnival attractions, musical programs and other entertainments that will be provided for this year."

Promotes Fellowship
However, one of the basic reasons for a county fair is that it affords the means of good fellowship, through acquaintanceship and through the stimulating of ideas, according to Dr. Johnson. People of various communities are brought together for a period each year and this association is sure to bring forth new friends, new acquaintances and above all never fails to create a better and more lasting fellowship between citizens of this and that community. Dr. Johnson stated, "A county fair affords the city man and his rural brother an opportunity to meet on a common ground, for a common purpose and this kind of association is always productive of better and closer friendships. Throughout any year, farmers of the county come into Brownwood's business houses and see the progress that is being made and the latest products of the market but seldom does the business man have the opportunity to return his customer's visit, but the County fair gives the business man to see what his rural brother has been doing during the year and the association can bring nothing but good, Dr. Johnson states.

JAZZ ON DECLINE

LONDON—Jazz music is losing its hold on the British Isles. Observers say there are signs of an increased interest in classical music, while the Victorian style, including the once popular form of song known as the "ballad," is regarded as definitely done.

The oldest love letter in the world is in the British Museum. It is a proposal of marriage for the hand of an Egyptian princess and is in the form of an inscribed brick.

One of the simplest details of fire prevention lies in cleaning up the woodlot to reduce the fire hazard.

ENFORCED MODERATION

LONDON—The landlord of a small Devonshire inn refuses to allow his guests more than three drinks a day. He maintains that three drinks per day is enough for anyone.

BLIND, PLAY CRICKET

LONDON—The ball recently used in a cricket match, between the East London School for Blind Children and the Norwood Royal Normal College for the Blind, was made of basket weave with a bell in the center.

All the United States navy yards are arsenals.

Welcome

to the
BROWN COUNTY FAIR

It is a pleasure to us for you to be here. Make the most of the opportunity you have—to further inform yourselves along the lines you are interested in.

When you have seen the Fair come to see us. We will welcome you to our place of business.

If, while you are here, you need anything in the electrical line, we will be glad to show you our stock—to discuss your problems with you.

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Welcome You to the Fair

Let a thrilling drama or a hilarious comedy be a part of your entertainment while you're in Brownwood.

We are Strong Believers in a County Wide Fair



The Community Fair Offers the Opportunity for the Exchange of Ideas and Makes it Easy for one Community to Profit by What the Other Community Has Learned.

The Community Fair offers the opportunity for the producer—who has labored long and taken pains to raise a product that is superior—to show his handiwork—and it gives the consuming public an opportunity to show their appreciation of his efforts.



MEET US AT THE BEGINNING TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11TH

Looney Mercantile Co.

Where There's Plenty of Room to Park

For the reason that it offers the one and only opportunity for the man in town, the merchant, the manufacturer, the professional man—to co-operate with the man from the rural sections—the farmer, the poultry raiser, the stock man.



In This Co-operation a Spirit of Friendship is Created and a Better Understanding is Had.

The community Fair encourages the raising of better farm products, better poultry, and better livestock—and naturally makes a county a better one in which to live.

Welcome of the FAIR

The Fair Association has spent much money and time in the preparation of this event for the people of the county and the surrounding territory. We wish to bid you WELCOME to the Fair that they have worked so hard to make a success—and to make you feel welcome to our place of business.

Visit Our Shop—See How
Butter-Kist Bread

IS MADE
Taste It's Goodness,
Inspect the Texture,
Note It's Freshness,
'Watch the Butter Fly'

We are a Brownwood Institution and as such ask your investigation.
BROWNWOOD BAKERY

WELCOME to Brownwood and the BROWN COUNTY FAIR

See all the exhibits—the races—enjoy all there is—help this to be the biggest Fair of them all!

We'll be Glad to See you at

AUSTIN MILL & GRAIN CO.

EXHIBITS HALL FOR FAIR IS ARRANGED FOR

Completing arrangements that will provide for a general exhibit hall and enlarge the space for the community exhibits in the agricultural building was the work of the Board of Directors of the Brown

County Fair at its meeting Tuesday afternoon. The building at the fair grounds heretofore used by the dairy department will be thoroughly renovated, a new floor put in and other work done to put it in first class shape as an exhibit hall. This decision followed a discussion of the art, textile, culinary and flower departments, with especial reference to the placing of their exhibits. Several of the heads of departments met with the board for a discussion of the subject.

To Convert Hall
The building to be converted into an exhibition hall is 50 by 100 feet. After exhibit room has been provided for the departments named,

the remainder of the space will be sold for merchants' exhibits. This arrangement will remove the art, textile, flower and culinary departments from the agricultural building and leave larger space there for the community exhibits. New Banns will be built for the baby beaves, dairy cows and other show cattle. All stables will be taken from under the grandstand and the space there arranged for the poultry department.

Fences are being built as decided upon by the directors at a recent meeting, and at Tuesday's session, Carl Salter was instructed by the board to sell advertising space on the fences being erected on the south side of the race track. This fence faces the parking place provided for cars. A 7-foot fence is also being built from the race track south to the entrance to the grounds. All cars will be parked on the right hand side of the entrance, and the ticket selling will be on the left hand side of the entrance.

Trucks to be admitted to the grounds for business purposes, ice wagons, and officers' cars will enter the grounds at an opening on the extreme west side, near the railroad. No vehicle will be admitted at this entrance except those bearing the "Official" sign. An entrance will be opened on the east side of the car parking space, it is stated, coming in from Belle Plain.

To Issue Stock
Secretary Burks was instructed by the meeting Tuesday to issue to purchasers all fair association stock that has been paid for. The secretary was also instructed to issue to stockholders one season ticket for every \$25 of stock held, in accordance with the stock sale agreements.

Special attention was called to carnival attractions secured for this year at the fair, and it was pointed out that while this is a Hames carnival, the same name and owned by the same man as the one here last year, it is not the same carnival that was here at the previous fair, but is three or four times as large as the one here then. This is the Hames No. 1, said to be one of the largest carnivals in the south.

Earl Looney, J. J. Timmins and Hubert Cosion were named as a parade committee. Chas. Day, J. H. Ragsdale and J. Claude Smith were appointed as a flag committee. Joe Shelton was added to the grounds committee.

Directors present at the meeting were: C. A. Johnson, president; J. K. Wilkes, Joe Shelton, W. J. Odell, J. H. Ragsdale, J. V. Reed, J.

TICKET PRICES ARE ANNOUNCED BY FAIR BOARD

The Brown County Fair Association has issued the following statement regarding prices of admission to the Fair:

To the Citizens of Brown and Surrounding Counties:
At a recent meeting of the directors of the Brown County Fair Association the question of admission to the Fair Grounds was seriously discussed and an increase was deemed necessary. We believe that it is impossible to continue the Fair meeting the expectations of the community especially the exhibitors at a gate fee of 25c. While the citizens have been liberal in their purchase of stock for the Fair Association, it is a well known fact that the equipment for taking care of the live stock exhibits, display of agricultural exhibits, as well as home economics is far from satisfactory. It is also true that 100 or more race horses will enter this year with no stabling facilities. Being without funds, it is necessary to build temporary stables, pay labor for constructing them, rent on lumber and then turn the lumber back at a discount, which expense could be avoided were we in position to build permanent stables.

Many of our merchants representing various lines, also manufacturers, are asking for exhibit space that they are willing to pay a liberal rental for, but it is also recognized that we do not have a building to offer such exhibitors. In our judgment we believe it is a good business proposition for the community at large to work out some plan to properly take care of and foster a more lively interest in the exhibit of agricultural products, stock, poultry, home economics, merchandise and manufacturing products, we as your Fair Association kindly ask that the citizens of the community cooperate with us in this matter.

The price of admission for this year will be as follows:
Children under public school age will be admitted free. Children from 7 to 12 years of age, will be charged 25c. 13 and over will be charged 50c.
Season tickets for the 5 days, children from the ages of 7 to 12, \$1; adults \$2, the same prices to the races will obtain.
Ten season tickets will be given to each community who has a community exhibit.
All boys having an entry in the baby beef club will be given a season ticket.
In addition to the above one day of the Fair will be set aside, and known as School Children's Day, at which time all school children will be admitted free of charge to the Fair Grounds. The price of admission in the evening will be 25c to all except those under school age but those who visit the Fair during the day will be given a return ticket for the night program.
The entertainment committee has secured the best available free entertainment, this entertainment will be practically continuous throughout the day and night.
Ten communities of the county have already signed up for a space and others will follow, the live stock exhibits will be three times as great as ever before and in all things we can promise you the best Fair ever held in Brown county, and our only reason of making this little increase in the gate fee is that it will enable us to give you more adequate and better buildings for various exhibits another year, and we believe that you will heartily co-operate with us in this matter.

Respectfully,
BROWN COUNTY FAIR ASSOCIATION.

MAINE PUTS ON BIG SHOW

PORTLAND, Me., Sept. 4.—(AP)—With all of the customary flourish, and some besides, Maine is bringing to a conclusion another of those state campaigns in which every presidential year, the great national parties pass through their baptism of fire.
On Monday next the state will choose a governor, a senator, its full quota of representatives in Congress, a legislature, and other state and local officials. It will not vote for president until November, when everybody else does. For peculiar reasons, linked with tradition and tinged by a background of unwavering Republicanism, the campaign which ends with the current week is for Maine the big political event of the year.

The most impressive element of the picture is the intensive effort of the Republicans to roll up a record-breaking majority. The Democrats are fighting more quietly. But they have no delusions about the difficulties they face in a state so dry it was the first of the forty-eight to adopt prohibition, and so Republican it never has cast its electoral vote for a Democrat except in the great Republican disagreement of 1912.

A BELATED HONOR

QUEBEC—More than 150 years after the defense of Quebec against the "Continental" armies, a tablet has been unveiled to commemorate the part played by the Royal Fusiliers. The tablet is at the corner of the principal wall of the Chateau Frontenac.

RULES GOVERNING LIVESTOCK EXHIBIT ANNOUNCED BY BAUGH

George S. Baugh, superintendent of the livestock department for the 1928 Brown County Fair, which opens here September 11, has arranged a set of general rules governing entries, judging, etc., of all livestock entered for exhibit. Mr. Baugh has arranged these in very concise form and for the benefit of all, they are reprinted here:

- Rules and Regulations**
- All entries and awards in this department shall be subject to the General Rules and Regulations published in this Catalogue.
 - In all pure-bred classes, certificates of registry, attested by all the Secretaries of the respective pedigree records, must be furnished at the request of the Superintendent, or same will be barred from competition.
 - All female cattle forty-two months of age or over must have produced offspring within the past eighteen months to be eligible to show. Any bull over thirty-six months old that has not dropped to his services a living calf during the twelve months preceding the opening day of the Fair, shall be deemed barren, and as such shall be excluded from competition.
 - No bull two years old and over will be allowed on the grounds without a ring in his nose, or to be let through the grounds without a staff.
 - No animal having any hereditary unsoundness will be allowed to compete.
 - No premium will be awarded when animal is unworthy, and not in show condition, though there be no competition.
 - Only first prize winning animals will be eligible to compete for championship honors. No championship prizes will be paid unless there is competition.
 - Only champion prize-winning animals will be eligible to compete for grand championship honors.
 - In case where there is only one entry and no competition, the judge or judges shall award only one premium, which may be either second, third, or fourth, in accordance with the merits of the animal exhibited.

Robinson Store Expanding With More Floor Space

The Robinson shoe store, 104 East Lee, is enlarging its floor space and will have two entrances, one at its present location and another at 222 Center avenue, the former location of Mrs. Martin's millinery store. Mrs. Martin is moving her business to one of the new buildings she is erecting on Coggin avenue, and the Robinson store will be extended from Lee Street through the building to the Center Avenue entrance. Mr. Robinson stated today that the change will provide space for much larger stocks of women's shoes and hosiery, which will be installed as soon as the remodeling of the building has been completed.

South Plains Banks Form Organization

LAMESA, Tex., Sept. 4.—(P)—C. F. Drexel of Lubbock, was elected president of the organization when 40 West Texas bank officials gathered here yesterday and formed the South Plains Bankers' Association. O. P. Thrane of Snyder was chosen vice-president and Morgan L. Copeland, secretary and treasurer. The next meeting will be held at Big Spring, Oct. 12. Counties composing the South Plains Association are Mitchell, Andrews, Martin, Midland, Dawson, Scurry, Garza, Lubbock, Terry, Cochran, Hockley, Lynn and Borland.

Religious Freedom In Mexico is Asked

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 1.—(P)—A petition signed by 140 prominent Catholic laymen asking amendment of the religious laws to establish "Complete religious liberty in Mexico and make the church and state independent," was before a senate committee today for consideration. The petition was read in the senate last night and turned over to the committee on constitutional points for a report on it. The memorial was also filed with the chamber but that body was not in session yesterday.

ASK COMMUTATION

FORT WORTH, Tex., Sept. 4.—(P)—Signed by 17 Methodist ministers of the Fort Worth District, a petition requesting Governor Dan Moody to commute to life imprisonment the death penalty of J. R. (Bob) Silver, was sent to Austin yesterday.

HE KNOWS

PHILOSOPHIC STONE—CRACK: Well, my friend, 'tis simply Fate that has caused us to be cast into prison.

ALSO IN STRIPES: Fate—nothing! It was my wife.—Life.

BRING ON THE BALLOTS

CONGRESSMAN: What arrangements are being made to get the voted out?

UNCLE CY: Wa—al, we've shifted the booth from the Town Hall to Eph Wilkins' cellar.—Life.

Hughes Favored For League Post

GENEVA, Sept. 4.—(P)—Saturday September 8th, was fixed today as the date for election of a judge to the permanent court of international justice to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of John Bassett Moore.

Herulf Zahle, president of the league assembly, in a speech expressed regret at the resignation of Judge Moore and paid a glowing tribute to his services.

SWEET REVENGE

GIRL MOVIE USHER: You're looking pleased with yourself.— ANOTHER ONE: An old flame of mine has just come in with his latest and I've separated them.— Passing Show.

WELCOME FAIR VISITORS

Have a good time while you're here!

After you've seen the exhibits, the races, the stock show, the big attractions stop in somewhere and eat.

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OFFICERS BROWN COUNTY FAIR HAVE WORKED HARD

Officers who have worked faithfully the past few months in an effort to make the 1928 Brown County Fair the best ever held in Brownwood, are deserving of much credit for whatever success the 1928 exposition attains, while on the other hand, should the fair not prove the success anticipated for it, the blame certainly cannot be laid to the lack of work on the part of those in charge of each department.

That one and all may know who the men are that have contributed their time, talent and money to the 1928 exposition, their names and official positions are herewith reprinted.

Officers 1928 Fair

- C. A. Johnson President
- P. A. Glanville Vice President
- J. K. Wilkes 2nd Vice President
- A. N. Thomason Treasurer
- H. Burks Secretary
- G. S. Baugh Supt. Livestock Dept.
- C. A. Cavel Supt. Agricultural Dept.
- Chas. Day Supt. Poultry Dept.
- Mrs. W. D. Armstrong Supt. Woman's Dept.
- Board of Directors
- C. A. Johnson, P. A. Glanville, J. K. Wilkes, H. G. Lucas, L. E. Shaw, W. J. Odell, J. V. Reed, J. H. Ragsdale, O. P. Griffin, C. A. Cavel, Joe Shelton, Earl Looney, J. H. McKee, J. Claude Smith.
- Standing Committee
- Concessions: L. E. Shaw, Hugh

Grove and Will Talbot.
 Finance and purchasing: J. H. McKee, A. N. Thomason and Earl Looney.
 Races: J. Claude Smith, E. B. Henley, Jr. and W. D. Armstrong.
 Entertainment: J. H. Ragsdale, J. Claude Smith and Fred Hayes.
 Publicity: P. A. Glanville, W. D. Armstrong and Buz Canon.
 Police: J. K. Wilkes, F. S. Preston and C. A. Cavel.
 Grounds: H. G. Lucas, J. V. Reed and W. J. Odell.

Agriculture: C. A. Cavel, Roy Morris and O. P. Griffin.
 Livestock: George Baugh, Charles Day and S. P. Burns.
 Reception: W. J. Odell, J. C. Galoway and P. C. McInnis.

General superintendent ladies committees, Mrs. W. D. Armstrong.
 Culinary department: Mrs. Emmett Evans, superintendent.
 Art department: Mrs. C. H. Shackelford, superintendent.
 Textile department: Mrs. Earl Looney, superintendent.
 Home demonstration department: Miss Mayesie Malone, superintendent.
 Flower department: Mrs. W. J. Redmon, superintendent.
 Live stock: George Baugh, superintendent.
 Poultry: Charles Day, Superintendent.

Agriculture: C. A. Cavel, superintendent.

FAIR PRESIDENT

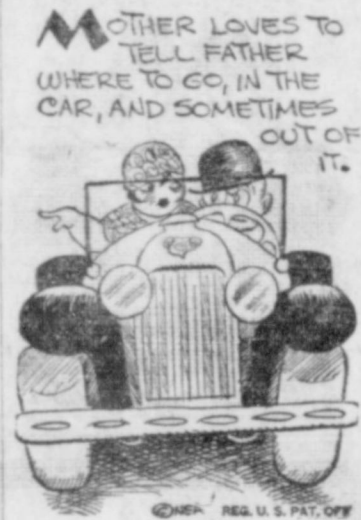


REV. C. A. JOHNSON

Rev. C. A. Johnson, popular pastor of the First Christian Church of Brownwood, and president of the Brown County Fair Association, has long been interested in and connected with county and state fairs. For several years he was assistant secretary of the Indiana State Fair and in that capacity he handled all admissions to the annual State Fair held at Indianapolis. For several years he has had charge of admissions for the Brown County Fair Association and his services in this capacity caused the Board of Directors of the local fair association to elect him president of the 1928 fair. He has worked hard this year and cordially extends an invitation to one and all to attend the 1928 fair which he assures will be from 50 to 100 per cent better in quality and quantity than ever before.

CLOTHES SAVINGS

If you plan to have some attractive house frocks that you can put on as soon as you come in from shopping or work, you will find it far easier to always look neat and well-groomed when going out. Changing shoes also is a good economy measure.



GIANT TOMATO



WALTER KING is a plumber of Lawrence, Kansas, but you ought to see the tomatoes he's been growing. His vines are like trees, standing 15 to 20 feet high, and his tomatoes average two pounds each. Here he is with one that is eight inches in diameter and weighs three pounds.

LAUNDRY SAVINGS

If you hang all your clothes of a kind together, when laundering and sprinkle and iron in the same order, you will find much time saved in extra handling required in sorting afterwards.

CUTTING CORN

When you cut corn off the cob, unless you have a very sharp knife, try running a kitchen fork down each row of kernels. This removes the whole kernel very nicely.

FOXY PHANN

Nothing takes a man off his feet quicker than a good place to sit down.



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"A GIN BUCK"
THANKS TO HERNANDEZ
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To the visitor and the exhibitor, who make the Fair what it is, we extend heartiest good wishes and congratulations for your work, in showing Brown County's best products.

Like You,

We offer only the very best the nation affords in our line

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SO OBLIGING
DAD (to daughter): Now that your mother's away for a holiday, you'll have to see that I get up in the morning for work every morning.
DAUGHTER: All right, dad, I'll try to get in, in time.—Judge.

HERE KITTY!
FIRST LADY: I saw your husband yesterday, but he didn't see me.
SECOND LADY: I know. He told me.—Passing Show.

COLORFUL CONTAINER
A very inexpensive yellow glass jelly dish heightens the beauty of the breakfast marmalade.
LITTLE BOY: I like a marmalade for a boy about ten years old.
MOTHER: We haven't any as old as that, madam. Have you tried a dentist's plates which cost only a few cents waiting room?—Passing Show.

A GENTLE HINT
LODGER: Did you ever see anything so unsettled as the weather?
LANDLADY: Well, there's your bill.—Passing Show.

The Virgin Islands, acquired by the United States March 3, 1917, have an area of 142 square miles.

The average height of human beings is 5 feet 6 inches. The tallest group are the Australians, 6 feet 1 inch and the shortest the African Negrillos, 4 feet 3 inches and the Eskimos.

RULES AND REGULATIONS FOR COMMUNITY EXHIBITS AT FAIR

Community exhibits of farm and garden products has long been one of the outstanding features of the annual Brown County Fair and according to present indications the community exhibits of 1928 will not fall below former community exhibits.

A complete set of rules and regulations governing community exhibits in community booths has been arranged, and released for publication. These rules and regulations follow:

1. Entries for Community Exhibits will close Monday, September 10, and all exhibits must be in place not later than noon, Tuesday, September 11th. Any exhibit not in place and completed by that time will be penalized 25 points. Exhibits not in place and completed by 2 p. m. on Tuesday, September 11th, will be barred from competition. Positively there will be no exception made to having the exhibit completed by the stated time. The Superintendent will make a written report to the Secretary of the Fair Association of any violation of the above rule, and this report will be delivered to the judges, who will be governed accordingly.
2. The display and decorations from each community shall be confined strictly to products actually grown in said community. This is not to be construed to prevent the use of wallboard, paper or bunting to cover the wall or floor of the booth. Flowers may be used.
3. Exhibitors will be assigned space in the agricultural building by the Superintendent.
4. Specimens or apparatus showing other than the agricultural development of the community represented will not be permitted.
5. The party in charge of each exhibit will be required to make affidavit that all products contained therein were produced in the community in his charge in 1928.
6. Signs bearing the name of the community only are to be placed in a uniform line at the top of the exhibits. These signs will be furnished by the Brown County Fair Association at Brownwood, at a cost to each community of \$2.00. Additional signs of grain or seed only, will be permitted on the wall or background only.
7. Each exhibit shall be carefully and tastefully arranged and installed, as this feature is taken into consideration by the judges.
8. Samples of cotton, each to consist of twenty open bolls, shall be arranged in neat cardboard boxes of uniform size. All bundles, unless otherwise specified, shall be securely tied and shall not be less than three inches or more than five inches in diameter at the middle tie. Exhibits of fruit preserved in their natural state in liquids that render them inedible will not be permitted. A quantity of five points will be levied against any exhibit for each discrepancy in size of bundles or measurement of grain or seeds.
9. Exhibitors are requested to read carefully the score card that has been adopted, as awards will be made strictly in accordance with same. An excess above the number of samples required will not be permitted.
10. Absolutely no product in addition to those required in the score card, will be permitted on the platforms of the booth.
11. All products required in the score card must be placed on the platform of the booth. No part of the exhibit to be judged shall be placed on the wall or background for decorative purposes. Exhibitors wishing to show more specimens or other products than those included in the score card, may do so by assembling same on the wall or background of the booth, or in front of the platform on which the entries to be judged are placed. Any violation of this rule will result in that class being thrown out by the judges.
12. No crop included in any classification shall be displayed in any other class.

MADE THE FRONT PAGE
"Look, Tita; something about me in the paper."
"Really? What does it say?"
"It says, 'In the month of July the trolley company carried 15,738,526 passengers—well, I was one of them, wasn't I?'"—Buen Humor, Madrid.

DON'T WRITE, WIFE
TEACHER: If you never learn to write how will you be able to carry on correspondence when you grow up?
JOHNNY: I won't have to do any writing, because all of my folks live right in town.—Youngstown Telegram.

WITH A VENGEANCE
BROWN: The doctor said he'd put me on my feet, again in six weeks.
SMYTH: And did he?
BROWN: Yes, I had to sell my car to pay his bill.—Daily Express, London.

Search should be mixed with soapy water. The iron will not stick and the linen will have a better gloss.

The weasel whose white winter coats forms the emblem of commerce, is found in various forms from the Arctic to the Tropics.

THE SILENT TOWN
LONDON—Cadecote, in Dorsetshire, is believed to be the quietest and saddest place in England. Since the death, by drowning of its only child citizen, the merry laughter of youth has not been heard in its one straggling street. The town now has a population of 30 adults.

The lack of nourishment in the Equatorial and Arctic zones keeps those people short. People who live in the fertile temperate zones have more and better food and therefore grow taller.



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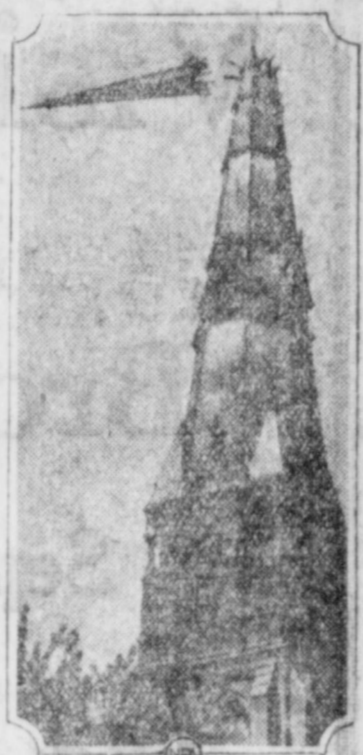
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LOOK OUT BELOW!



When repairs to an 80-foot steeple on St. Stephen's Baptist church in Kansas City began to grow costly members of the church voted to remove the steeple. A news photographer caught this snapshot as the top section was pulled off.

HONOR KIN OF MARK TWAIN



NINA GABRIOWITZ, daughter of Ossip Gabriowitz, director of the Detroit Symphony Orchestra, and a granddaughter of Samuel Clemens (Mark Twain), has been spending the summer at a girls' camp at Wanala Woods, Tutu Lake, Michigan. She took a leading part in a recent horse show, and was voted by campers and visitors the best rider there.

MOST BACHELORS
CONTEND THEY KNOW
EVERYTHING ABOUT WOMEN—
WHICH MAY BE WHY
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FOXY PHANN
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In Sterilized Bottles

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BROWN COUNTY FAIR IS NOT MONEY MAKING INSTITUTION

Rev. C. A. Johnson, president of the Brown County Fair Association, who with others has given unstintingly of his time to the success of the 1928 Brown County Fair, states that he knows of no Fair in Texas or elsewhere that is being run as a money making institution and adds that certainly the Brown County Fair is not being run on that basis. Rev. Johnson states that should any money be made this year it will be given back to the people in a better Fair for 1929.

For several years the Brown County Fair has been run at a loss, from a financial standpoint at least. But in 1927 the Fair made a small profit but none of this went to the stockholders of the association. On the other hand it was applied to debts that had accrued the past few years, despite the fact that the profits did

Not a single officer of the Brown County Fair Association receives a penny for his or her services, despite that all of them have given unstintingly of their time in order that the 1928 Fair may be a bigger success than ever before.

These directors and officials have unlimited faith in the County Fair and believing that it is an absolute necessity to the community life of Brownwood and Brown county and believing that in the near future the Brown County Fair will grow to be the leading exposition in the Heart of Texas district, the Board of Directors had gone ahead with an improvement program that will in the near future provide adequate facilities for a bigger and better Brown County Fair. These improvements have cost money and since the profits, small as they were, of last year were used in paying outstanding bills, the new buildings and other improvements have been built upon the faith the directors have in the future of the Brown County Fair.

That the 1928 Fair will far surpass the 1927 exposition is foreseen in the fact that twice as many entries for exhibits, etc., have been made than last year, and as for that, ever before in the history of the Brown County Fair Association. But these exhibits will be cared for this being made possible through the new building that has been erected and by remodeling another building.

C. A. CAVEL ANNOUNCES RULES GOVERNING ALL AGRICULTURE EXHIBITS

C. A. Cavel, superintendent of the agricultural department of the Brown County Fair Association, has announced a complete set of rules and regulations governing the 1928 agriculture exhibits. He asks that all planning to enter exhibits in his department, read carefully the rules and comply with each and every one.

They are reprinted here for the benefit of all.

1. All entries and awards in this Department shall be subject to the General Rules and Regulations published in this Premium List.
2. All entries in this Department must be the product of 1928 unless otherwise specified and must have been grown or raised by the exhibitor. Affidavit to this effect must be given when demanded by the superintendent.
3. No entry fee or space rental will be charged in this department.
4. Entries will close Tuesday, September 1, at noon, and exhibits not delivered to the superintendent by that time will be barred from competition.
5. Exhibitors must not change their exhibit, or any part thereof, after the hour designated for the same to be in place. Violation of this rule will forfeit any and all premiums won in this department by exhibitor.
6. All exhibits must be correctly named and labeled.
7. Entries in this department will be limited to one sample in each lot, from the same individual.
8. Exhibitor must pack exhibit carefully, placing list of contents and full instructions inside of package, and also the full name and address on the outside of package, showing from whom received.
9. Shipments must be addressed: "Brown County Fair, Brownwood, Texas."
10. Express charges must be prepaid by exhibitor, otherwise exhibit will not be received.
11. If it is desired that exhibit be returned, specific and detailed instructions must be given.
12. In classes where there is only one entry and no competition the judges shall award either second or third premium in accordance with the merits of the specimen exhibit.

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You'll find the Brown County Fair the best you ever attended and we know you'll find Exide BATTERIES The Best You Ever Used!

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We all join in wishing you a good time at the Fair and in hoping that you will come again to Brownwood.

We are co-operating in helping to make the Sixth Annual Brown County Fair the Best that has ever been.

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County Notes

Zephyr

Rev. Bill Rogan preached his last sermon at the Presbyterian church Sunday night. Everyone was sorry to see him leave, but he left to complete his education and we all hope to see him some time in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Pillar of Abilene spent a few days last Sunday visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Miss Lona Lee Bingham, who has been in Wickett for some time returned home Sunday night.

Mr. Walter Fry of Brownwood was in Zephyr Sunday.

Rev. Jim Cole and sons of Oklahoma spent a few days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cole of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boland and family were visiting in Mulien Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Petty and son, T. J. of Shallower are visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Mrs. Ernest Locks and daughter, June were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Misses Bernice Morris and Ida Petty who have been visiting in Dallas returned home Monday.

Mr. G. L. Pillar left Sunday for Abilene where he will spend a few days.

Miss Helen Cunningham of Brownwood spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. Lois Jones was a Brownwood visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Cobb are the proud owner of a new Ford sedan.

Miss Beatrice Bucher of Brownwood spent the week-end in Zephyr.

Miss Flora Driskell left Friday for Temple where she will enter training at one of the hospitals.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cole and family of Brownwood were in Zephyr Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jett Jolly and little daughter, Jewell Maxine Temple spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Shelton.

Miss Mattie McKinney of Brownwood spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. J. L. Van Zandt and family were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Braddock who has been away for sometime returned home last week.

Mr. Paul Lee Petty and daughter, Vera of near Shallower are visiting at this place.

Miss Edith Piller left Friday for Canyon where she will teach school near that place.

Mrs. Ida Towery who has been visiting in this place returned to her home in Dallas Friday.

Miss Mattie Mae Matson of Brownwood spent Sunday with homefolks.

Mr. Houston Parks of Brownwood spent Sunday in Zephyr.

The Zephyr community fair will meet Friday, Sept. 7. Everybody is invited to come.

Mr. Cecil Agee of Brownwood was in Zephyr Sunday.

Mr. Bernice Smith spent a few days this week visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Smith of this place.

Mr. Harry Dudley who has been on the Plains for sometime returned home Saturday afternoon.

The regular 42 meeting will meet Friday night, Sept. 7. A very interesting program will be given and everyone is invited to come.

Miss Velma Henderson of Brownwood spent the week-end with homefolks.

Mr. D. F. Petty made a business trip to Comanche Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Kenady left Saturday for Missouri, where they will make their home for sometime.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Scott and daughter, Bernice and Eloise Cabler who spent last week visiting points in the west and in New Mexico returned home Saturday afternoon.

Miss Virginia Bell of Brownwood visited friends here Sunday.

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Miss Zera Tidwell left Sunday for Slaton. She will teach in a public school near there.

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Weedon Milner and family of Ranger visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Milner, Friday.

Dr. and Mrs. Lane of Pioneer spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith.

Mac Watson and Richard Gibson of Spur visited Jesse Haddon and family a short time Thursday.

Mrs. Willard Stewart of Brownwood spent several days last week here with her mother, Mrs. Virgie Ashley.

Ray Sparks left one day last week for Wheeler county where he will help hold a revival meeting.

L. F. Bird and family returned home Friday from a tour through New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Haddon of Fort Worth spent the week-end with their parents.

Word was received here Saturday stating that Mrs. George Cook of Bangs had died earlier in the day. Mrs. Cook lived in Blanket for a number of years and has a host of friends who will be grieved to learn of her death.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Daughtry and children spent Wednesday of last week with relatives at Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Milner and son, Oscar, with Weedon Milner and family of Ranger, left Friday for Brownfield and other points in West Texas and will also visit in New Mexico before returning home.

Earl Ashley of Brownwood spent Sunday with homefolks.

Mrs. S. E. Phillips and daughter, Mrs. Sam Moore of Coleman, visited friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dossey of Nacogdoches are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Dossey, this week.

Orr Haddon visited relatives in Fort Worth the first of week.

Tom Rube, Sam Burns, C. I. Decker and Dr. E. A. Chastain were Comanche visitors Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Atoway of Ft. Worth spent the week-end here with relatives.

Mrs. H. M. Robinson and children and Mrs. Ray Sparks and children, visited Comanche Saturday.

Presiding Elder Coleman of Brownwood will begin a revival meeting here at the Methodist Church on the fourth Sunday night of this month.

Charlie Switzer, Roy Dabney and Leonard Bragg left Sunday for Abilene where they will attend Draughtman's Business College.

Miss Derie Reeves visited relatives in Brownwood Monday.

Miss Novella Richmond left on Thursday for Lubbock, where she will teach in the public school.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pringle of Rising Star visited relatives here on Sunday.

Nat Franklin left Sunday for Stephenville where he will attend John Tarleton College.

Mrs. Jack Knox entertained a number of girls Tuesday with a dinner.

Miss Flora Smith of Brownwood visited homefolks Sunday.

Little Inez Strickland was on the sick list the first of week.

Miss Stella Moore left one day last week for Duemont, where she will teach in the public school.

Mrs. Macon Richmond and baby are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carlisle, at Mullin this week.

Herman Bettis of Brownwood visited relatives here Sunday.

Miss True Routh is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Walter Pringle, of Rising Star.

Miss Ada Dabney left one day last week for Lubbock to attend institute and will go from there to Spur, where she will teach this coming term.

Miss Clara Smith visited in Dublin Wednesday.

Rev. R. T. Camps filled his regular appointment here at the Methodist Church Sunday morning and night.

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PICK TREVINO AS PRESIDENT OF OLD MEXICO

EL PASO, Sept. 6.—(AP)—El Continental, Spanish language newspaper, has been informed by dispatches from Mexico City that all the deputies and Senators agreed yesterday to name General Manuel Trevino, governor of the state of Coahuila, president ad interim on December 1st.

El Continental says President Calles congratulated the political leaders on their selection and that it is now only a question of congressional approval for him to be declared provisional president officially.

DETAILS TOLD OF SHORTAGE BAPTIST FUNDS

DALLAS, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Details of the discovery of \$1,000,000 shortage in the accounts of Clinton Carnes, treasurer of the Home Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention, were revealed today upon the return of former Governor Pat M. Neff and Dr. George W. Truett of Dallas from Atlanta, where they sat upon the investigating board which uncovered the shortage. Dr. Truett is president of the convention and head of the executive board, and Mr. Neff is a board member.

The amazing story of how Carnes rose from an almost poverty stricken bookkeeper to the position of treasurer of the Home Mission Board, becoming one of the wealthiest men in Atlanta and yet explaining the source of his wealth to the satisfaction of his associates, was unfolded during the investigation, Mr. Neff said.

"There is a shortage of approximately one million dollars as has been announced," stated Mr. Neff. "This will of course curtail expenditures of the Home Mission Board very seriously," he continued, "but the most deplorable factor in the situation is the betrayal of confidence of thousands of Baptists. The loss sustained represents the lifetime donations of many members of the church."

Mr. Neff declared, however, that it was determined by the executive board to make good and redeem every outstanding indebtedness of the Home Mission Board.

Mr. Neff explained that the shortage was not discovered for several years because the board had given Carnes the extraordinary authority to borrow any amount of money in advance, at any bank he chose.

During the last month before his disappearance on August 15, Carnes borrowed a sum of money not yet estimated, Mr. Neff said, signing the name of the Home Mission Board to 90 day notes for something like 45 banks. Copies of a circular letter that he wrote to many banks were found in his office.

More about shortage on page four, section two.

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While no mention is made of the Harvey canal route, which would shorten the distance between New Orleans and Morgan City as contrasted to the Plaquemine route, the letter states that construction work is to be started immediately on the two sections necessary to complete the route from the Mississippi river at Plaquemine to Galveston, Texas.

Completion of this waterway which is already largely constructed or follows natural waterways along the Louisiana gulf coast, will extend the central inland waterways system of the United States into southwestern Louisiana and Texas territory.

Start Work Soon

The Brigadier General says the department expects that the canal will be completed during September and actual commencement of work will receive attention just as soon as the attorney-general's office approves the plans.

As to the remainder of the route to connect with the Mississippi river, the letter says:

"In the existing route of the intracoastal waterway from Plaquemine to Morgan City, which follows natural waterways of the Atchafalaya river system, very little dredging will be required to secure project dimensions of nine feet deep and one hundred feet in width. Some right of way and dumping privileges must be obtained but as the route extends through swamp lands no trouble is anticipated in obtaining the privileges. While work on this section could be started in the near future, insofar as rights of way are concerned, some of the channels are subject to great change from the existing route, and as depths in the existing route are ample for present commerce, it is considered inadvisable to begin work here until the Morgan City-Sabine river section is well advanced. Work on the dredging to be started now much of the work would have to be repeated when the entire route is opened for nine-foot traffic."

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Trickham Man Is Held In Robbery of Bank

ENID, Okla., Sept. 6.—(AP)—For the third time this week, Loren Norris today was bound over to district court by Justice David Foglesong and ordered held for trial without bail on charges of three robberies of the bank of Breckenridge, 12 miles northeast of here.

Wesley W. Oaks, 18, whose home is in Trickham, Tex., and who, like Norris, was picked from the avia-

tion corps of the United States Army at Kelly Field, San Antonio, to face the bank robbery charges, also was bound over on a charge of conjoint robbery and ordered held without bail.

BROWNWOOD SLAYER GIVES UP TO SHERIFF

Judge E. T. Perkinson, presiding over the coroner's inquest relative to the death of Wayne Beckham Wednesday night, has rendered a verdict to the effect that young Beckham's death was caused by gunshot wounds, inflicted by a pistol in the hands of Leonard Witt, who surrendered to Sheriff White Wednesday night after the shooting. County Attorney Wilkinson stated that murder charges will be filed against Witt.

Wayne Beckham, age 20, son of Tol Beckham, formerly of Zephyr but who at present lives on the Blackwell ranch about 9 miles south of Brownwood on the Elgin road, was almost instantly killed about 8 o'clock Wednesday night when shot three or four times in the body with a ".38" calibre Smith and Wesson pistol. Immediately following the shooting, Leonard Witt, age 34, surrendered his gun to Sheriff Fred White and told him he had killed Wayne Beckham. Witt was placed under arrest and is being held in the county jail pending filing of charges against him.

Coroner's inquest was being held Thursday morning in connection with the death of young Beckham and Judge E. T. Perkinson stated that an examining trial would be held immediately following the inquest. State's attorneys indicated Thursday morning that charges of first degree murder would be filed against Witt.

Witt is married, has one child, and lives in Brownwood here.

According to Manuel Williams, son of E. D. Woods, brother-in-law of Wayne Beckham, young Beckham was at the Williams home eating supper Wednesday night when a car drove up in front of the house. Williams and Woods stated that young Beckham went out to the car, which had stopped near the front gate of the yard but none of the others at the Williams home went to the car.

Girl Hears Conversation

Mary Helen Little, age 12, stepdaughter of Manuel Williams, went to the front door of the Williams home and was the only one who heard any conversation prior to the shooting. This little girl stated after the shooting that when Wayne Beckham reached her car in which Witt was riding, he said to her to get out. Witt is said to have replied, "I've got you now, you low down blankety-blank," and then began shooting.

Others in the house heard the shooting and immediately rushed to the front yard and saw a car leaving. Mrs. Tol Beckham, mother of the slain youth, was the first to reach him and he is said to have spoken to her, saying, "Mamma, Leonard killed me." These were the only words spoken by young Beckham after he was shot. It is stated.

Shot 3 or 4 Times

Beckham was shot either three or four times and apparently the last shot was fired into his body after he lay prostrated on the ground. The shot entered his right chest and another pierced his right arm and still another hit his left leg, glanced upward and entered his left groin. A fourth shot is thought to have hit him in the small of the back, but it had not been definitely determined Thursday morning whether the wound in the back was caused by the bullet that entered the right chest or whether it was caused by another bullet. Those at the Williams home state that four shots were fired.

Manuel Williams and R. D. Woods, brothers-in-law of Beckham, rushed the wounded lad to the Central Texas Hospital in Brownwood but the boy was dead upon arrival at the hospital. Doctors examined him but found that he had been dead several minutes before reaching them.

Old Trouble

Relations of young Beckham indicated Thursday morning that the shooting came as the result of old troubles between the two, but Tol Beckham, father of the slain youth, stated that the two, Witt and Beckham, had met two or three times Wednesday and that neither had said anything to the other.

Several months ago, Witt was brought to a local hospital for treatment of a gunshot wound in the shoulder. At the time he was attending physicians and newspaper men that the wound was caused by the accidental discharge of a gun he was cleaning. No charges were ever filed against anyone in connection with this shooting. Since that time, however, Witt is said to have told that he was shot by young Beckham, whom he is alleged to have killed Wednesday night.

ELECTROCUTION OF TWO SLATED

HUNTSVILLE, Tex., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Two men are to die in the electric chair at the penitentiary here shortly after midnight tonight for a series of attacks on San Antonio high school girls.

They last night were in death row, just above spot where prison officials said an incendiary fire started. They did not leave their cells.

The condemned men are Clemente Rodriguez and Esquivel Servin. They were arrested after three attacks on San Antonio girls, and on July 7, 1927, Rodriguez pleaded guilty to assault and was sentenced to death. Servin also pleaded guilty and received the same sentence two days later. A third man, Enrique Mendoza, on July 11, pleaded guilty to robbery and was sentenced to life imprisonment. He is serving his term.

Electrocution of the two men originally was set for August 31 but was delayed by Governor Dan Moody when Mexican government officials intervened.

AUSTIN, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Court action was the only hope today of Esquivel Servin and Clemente Rodriguez to escape electrocution at Huntsville shortly after midnight tonight.

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Webb and Reed Are Picked by Third Party as Leaders

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STORES CLOSE FOR THE FAIR 2 AFTERNOONS

A motion was passed by the Board of Directors of the Retail Merchants Association at a meeting Wednesday afternoon asking all merchants, drug stores, garage, wholesale houses, and all other lines of business in Brownwood to close their places of business on two afternoons, next Tuesday and Thursday, to attend the Brown County Fair.

It is understood that the request will be complied with by practically all the business houses of the city, in order that everybody may have an opportunity to attend the fair on those afternoons and to make big special fair days of them. The public is asked to remember these dates, and to do the shopping on those dates during the morning hours. The stores will close at 1 p. m. and remain closed for the rest of the day, on each of the two afternoons.

In discussing this action of the board, the directors of the Retail Merchants Association declared that the Brown County Fair is a Brown county institution and that it will succeed or fail according to the cooperation the business interests of Brownwood put into it. The directors of the Retail Merchants Association feel, they declared, that if the merchants will cooperate with the fair association to the extent of closing only two afternoons during the five days of the fair they will assist materially in making the fair a success this year.

Each merchant was asked to mention in his advertising in the daily and weekly papers this week that his store will be closed on the first and third afternoons of the fair on the two afternoons of the week of the county or of this wide territory, might do their trading during the morning on those days and not be disappointed on finding the stores closed in the afternoons.

"The rural districts adjacent to Brownwood have always supported the fair financially as well as by their presence," it was said in further discussion of this subject, "and if all the business houses will close as requested Brownwood then will be doing a small part in making the fair a success for the betterment of the entire community."

"In making the stores to close the two afternoons as suggested," it was also said, "it will be well for the merchants to urge upon the customers the importance of attending the fair, and if necessary to furnish them with tickets to the grounds."

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A CORRECTION

Fifty-two years continuous service to the people of Brownwood, Brown county and Central West Texas.

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Dow Winner New Mexico Campaign

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In the face of a last minute attempt to stampede Col. D. E. D. Sellers, after earlier he had been conceded victory, Dow won the nomination last night with a majority of 94 votes at the party assembly.

Being attorney general of New Mexico has been the vocation of Dow, whose home is at Carlsbad, for the last two years, and dogging steers in rodeos throughout the United States is his avocation.

Two Killed When Cleanser Explodes

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—(AP)—A mother and her 7 year old daughter were dead today following an explosion of cleansing fluid last night as they were removing spots from furniture in their home.

The mother, Mrs. Fannie Wagner, 36, was rubbing a soiled place on aavenport when the fluid was ignited, apparently by friction. The daughter, Rachel, became excited and threw the can containing the fluid onto the fire. Both she and her mother were enveloped by a burst of flames and died during the night.

Change of Venue Plea in Will Case is Heard by Court

PARIS, Tex., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Motion for a change of venue in the contested will case of W. J. McDonald, Paris capitalist, who left almost all of his \$1,250,000 estate to Texas University for the erection of an astronomical observatory, was heard here today by Judge Newman Phillips.

Numerous witnesses were explained as to whether an impartial trial could be obtained in Lamar county every day of the case recently was postponed when attorneys for plaintiffs pleaded illness. At the initial trial more than a year ago a verdict was rendered upholding the bequest to the university.

McDonald's will was contested by relatives, to whom he left comparatively small part of his estate.

Galveston Man is Killed in Affray

GALVESTON, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Paul Kreider, 30, Galveston, was shot to death in a street affray here last night.

Pete Combine, also of Galveston, faced a preliminary hearing today on a charge of murder in connection with Kreider's death.

Coolidge Packing For Return Home

SUPERIOR, Wis., Sept. 6.—(AP)—Packing took hold of the summer White House in earnest today.

With President Coolidge's return to Washington only a few days off, the time had come for almost last minute preparations. Most of the household linen was placed away in trunks and boxes while the chief executive's bulkier personal effects such as books and papers were also packed.

BASEBALL

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 6.—(AP)—National: Boston - Philadelphia doubleheader postponed. Rain.

BOSTON, Sept. 6.—(AP)—Today's double header between the Athletics and Red Sox were called off because of rain.

MARKETS

By The Associated Press

NEW YORK: Stocks irregular; U. S. Steel rises to new 1928 high. Bonds mixed; rails firm; liquid carbolic 66 at new high. Foreign exchange easy; sterling touches its previous 1928 low. Cotton quiet; awaiting crop developments. Sugar easy; hedge selling. Coffee firm; better spot demand.

CHICAGO: Wheat firm; forecast unfavorable weather. Corn steady; moderate receipts. Cattle active and higher. Hogs firm.

Miss Nina Beth Terrell, who has been visiting here for sometime returned to her home in DeLeon Wednesday.

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FULL HOUSE AT BETTIS & GIBBS STYLE REVIEW

Fall and Winter Fashions were presented by the popular Bettis & Gibbs Store on Wednesday evening at the Lyric Theatre to a large and appreciative audience.

The setting consisted of gorgeous baskets of gladiolas, tube roses, asters and ferns, by A. M. Davis Floral Company. The furniture consisted of a beautiful living room suit and floor lamps by Bowden Furniture Company. All together the entire setting was more beautiful than words can express.

The new fashions were presented on about twenty-five debutantes selected from among the many beauties for which Brownwood is famous.

Sports wear, street, afternoon and evening dresses, dress and sports coats, millinery, furs and accessories, as well as lounging robes and pajamas. Misses Nancy Merle Bottom, Maxine Shaw, Dorothy Jean and Chrystie Gibbs, modeled California kids clothes, which received much favorable comment from the audience.

In ladies' coats it was noted that straight line models are the types receiving serious attention. Flare types, however, are present. Dress coats are receiving most attention. They are very elaborately fur trimmed, large new cushion collars, similar to the popular paquin collar received attention. Paquin shawls and pouch collars predominated, however, heart shaped collars both plain and with heads in the back, are also very popular. Long haired furs as well as flat furs, including baby seal, Jap mink, died skunk, genuine badger and weasel, the new spiral cuffs are gorgeous.

Looking back to the years when every dress was like every other dress and the similarity meant absolute simplicity, one wonders just why they were ever popular, and what about them could be pointed out to single one out as more desirable than another. The contrast between them and those shown in last night's show—where they were such tremendous variety and such an infinite number of points to make each one more attractive than the other. The fabrics alone gave a strong clue to the new type consideration of daytime frocks; but color and details made an inexhaustible list of new features.

The back of the head expression is the keynote to the 1928 hats as indicated by those shown in last evening's show. Practically everything in millinery is designed on that plan in the actual origin of the mode comes from the young girls, insistent urge to wear her hat at an angle that exposed nearly the whole expanse of her forehead. It was interesting to note that even poke-cloche, the new version of the cloche—without which no season can prosper—the up-in-the-front line as contrasting with the scooped lines of the sides was much in evidence.

The music was rendered by Mrs. Alice Skerrett Thompson. The models for the evening were: Miss Maurine Buck, Miss Leona McKie, Miss Elizabeth Woods, Miss Lou Belle Miller, Mrs. Milton Ellis, Miss Mary Allison, Miss Charlotte Nolte, Mrs. Louis Petty, Miss Elma Petty, Mrs. W. S. Kennard, Miss Estelle Johnson, Miss Francis Camp, Miss Mildred Gibbs, Miss Margaret Camp, Miss Zana Brown, Miss Oleta Stephens, Miss Ola McDonald, Miss Emaleta Newton, Miss Elbertine Corbin and Miss Aline Newton.

OHOIAN WINS SHOOT

CAMP PERLEY, Ohio, Sept. 5.—(AP)—A. F. Fredericks, a civilian of Kings Mills, Ohio, was announced today as the winner of the National Rifle Association rapid fire championship, finished late yesterday. Fredericks scored 97 out of a possible 100. E. F. Herberg, U. S. Navy, Mare Island, California; Sergeant C. J. Cagle, United States Marine Corps, San Angelo, Texas; and Sergeant George L. Eden, Fitchburg, Mass., were tied for second place with scores of 97.

Cardinal Richelieu is credited with creating the first recipe for mayonnaise.

COUNTY-WIDE ROAD PARLEY IS HELD HERE

A large amount of information concerning the road program for Brown county and the proposed bond issue, many favorable comments on the road program and encouraging reports regarding the sentiment for good roads as found in various parts of the county were brought out in the discussion at the meeting held at the court house Monday night.

Opening the meeting, which was in effect a county-wide road conference, Fred Hayes, chairman of the Young Men's Good Road Association, stated that he desired to know what questions were being asked concerning the bond election and proposed work, in order that correct information might be given on all phases of the program.

There were several erroneous reports in circulation, Mr. Hayes said. He did not call them "false reports" he said, because they had not been made in all sincerity, but they were in error and should be set right.

Many Questions

There had been a great many questions asked when the road from Cross Cut to Brownwood would be built, Mr. Hayes said, the report being that it would not be built or taken under consideration until after the building of the dam in the event of the carrying out of the project of Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1. He declared that this was an erroneous idea and that the Cross Cut road would receive the same prompt attention as the other road of the county. There was ever assurance, he said, that building would begin as soon as the bonds were voted.

Some had said, Mr. Hayes continued, that all the money for roads would be turned over to the Highway Commissioner. He stated that the commissioners court, according to understanding, would turn over \$350,000 of the bond issue had been shown in the plans heretofore published for work on the state and federal highway and that a part of that would go to Highway No. 129, while the Macprecinct would share in the other road and funds in accordance with the plans published. He later asked H. Burks, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, to make a statement regarding the engineering estimates on the work on the state and federal highways fully covering that part of the subject.

Lateral Roads

There had been a great many questions, Hayes said, regarding lateral roads. The plan adopted by the roads organization, and handed in to the commissioners court was a recommendation of 64 committee men or representatives of the various voting precincts of the county. "We have reasonable cause to believe," he said, "that plan will be carried out."

The road plan having been adopted, published, and filed with the court, Mr. Hayes said, the carrying of the bond issue would mean that at least two-thirds of the voters had approved that plan. In other words he would consider that the vote would be in the nature of a man date from the people in favor of the plan that had been submitted.

"I would hate to be a county commissioner and live in Brown county and not carry out that plan," he laughingly added.

There had been a great many questions asked, the chairman declared, and all of them could be answered with facts.

Mr. Burks referred to his visit to the city council last Tuesday night in regard to the connection of the highways through the city of Brownwood, and said that he had been criticized some in connection with his appearance before the council. He said, however, that he had approved, he said, of the plan of the city's paving the links within the city necessary to connect up the highways when they had reached the city limits, and that he got the approval. Not one dime of the bond issue, he said, would be spent in the city limits of Brownwood.

Refers to Work

The chairman referred to the work of the resolutions committee and of the organizations generally in working out a complete plan one, he said, about which there were "no misrepresentations," and declared that he believed the good road improvement was "going over with a bang."

H. Burks, being called upon for a statement relative to questions that had come to him relative to the proposed road work, spoke with reference to the May highway. In the road plan report as to the work in the north end of the county, he said, there had been nothing said relative to working the highway through May. He explained that this was due to the fact that the work on the highway would be in the hands of the State Highway Commission, and read a copy of a letter from the State Engineer's Department to County Judge E. M. Davis giving detailed information on the estimates of the highway work in this county.

Mr. Burks said that as to the bond issue and the road work to be done with the funds in the event the bonds are voted, the commissioners court, and they only, would have jurisdiction of the funds. He referred to the road program as adopted and placed in the hands of the court, and said that while it would be hard to work out a program that would absolutely please everybody, that the committee did work out a program that he believed was fair and just to everybody.

said, that \$5,000 a mile would not build gravel roads. He referred to contracts that he held in his hand which he said would prove that the roads would be built for that amount. These contracts, he said, represented work done in a territory close enough to Brownwood that any one could go in an hour's time and see whether he was correct in his statements.

The contracts referred to, Mr. Burks said, were for roads to be built in three directions from Coleman. These, he said, were built for \$5,000 and a little less. He referred to certain roads of these gravel and with concrete culverts and bridges built for a little over \$4,000 a mile. There was one question, he said, that what \$5,000 a mile would build you good gravel roads—some places for less.

Reviews Program Mr. Burks reviewed the road program and discussed questions as to the proposed road work. Zephyr and Farns precincts, pointing out the difference in construction of roads in the two sections, and the road plans as asked by the citizens of the respective precincts.

He spoke of the road to Blake. There was an important oil field, he said, with an estimated 100,000 very sticky dirt road. Those people had asked for a hard surfaced road and the committee had felt that they were entitled to it. Beside need of the road, he pointed out, that section was paying a large amount of taxes.

The question of maintenance was discussed by Mr. Burks. He said that \$300 a mile was allowed to maintain the highways in Brown county, and that the gravel roads would be maintained for \$150 a mile. There was one question, he said, that what \$300 a mile would be liberal in the estimates, there would be over \$300,000 to each commissioner for work on other roads in the county. It was pointed out, he said, that after the \$350,000 was turned over to the State Highway Department for the highways in this county, in the event of the bonds being voted, the state takes them over and maintains them without further cost to the county.

Under these conditions, it was said, if there were other roads to be built or other work to be done by the state that named in the road program, there would be more money available for it than ever before. J. C. Johnson, who was in the audience, asked Mr. Burks about the character of the state and federal highways to be constructed. Mr. Burks explained that the engineers' estimates provided for a "hard surfaced road 20 feet wide, with four feet gravel on each side, making a total width of 28 feet. No bridge would be less than 20 feet wide, he said.

Mr. Burks told of the class of road proposed and of the intention to use of caliche in the construction. Caliche, he explained, is gravel with enough substance to make a hard surface binder, and has stood the acid test of the federal government's experiments.

"You have probably driven around the point of a mountain," he said, "where there is a road that has been there for years and years and never wears away but continues to get firmer and better—that is caliche." He spoke of the caliche available for road building in Brown county.

After the explanation of the proposed highway construction, Mr. Johnson said that that was the kind of road that was built from San Angelo to Christoval about nine years ago, which was standing up nicely.

After the statements by Mr. Burks, Mr. Elmer J. Evans of the Salt Creek precinct, said that he hoped that the explanation of the roads and all facts as set forth by Mr. Burks could be published and given thorough circulation in that part of the country. He believed that the sentiment there was favorable to good roads and that the facts before them that the people would be willing to vote for the good roads bonds.

Attention was called to the road election in Runnels county, which had carried by an overwhelming majority, and Mr. Burks stated that he had been informed by County Judge Luker of Comanche that contract was soon to be let for the work on Highway 10 from Comanche to the Brownwood line. This would soon leave Brown county as the only gap between Fort Worth and San Angelo. It was pointed out, and the carrying of the election now pending would enable this county to complete that connection.

Mr. Burks was again called to the floor to answer several questions. He explained that the tax rate necessary to meet the road bond issue, as it had been figured, would be 60 cents on the \$100, for the present and would decrease as the interest bonds were liquidated and retired. On this basis, he said, a man paying taxes on a \$2,000 rendition would pay \$12 a year, or \$1 a month, for the good roads. The average for the first 10 years period on the serial bonds, he said, would be 34 1-2 cents on the \$100, for the second 10 year period 44 1-2 cents, for the third 34 7-8 cents, and for the fourth and last 10 year period 22 7-8 cents. This was based on a total taxable rendition in the county of \$21,000,000.

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BISHOP DIES OF INJURIES IN ROBBERY

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Sept. 6.—(AP)—The Right Rev. Joseph Crane Hartzell, Bishop of the Methodist Episcopal Church for Africa, died here today. His death was due to injuries received when he was bound and beaten by robbers in his home at Blue Ash, near here, June 15.

Bishop Joseph C. Hartzell, known as the "David Livingstone of Methodism," gave 20 years of his life to the spreading of Christianity in the heart of Africa as a representative of the Methodist Episcopal Church. Receiving gifts from Cecil Rhodes, the British Empire builder, 33,000 acres of the site of Umtata in Rhodesia, at the time the British government built its railroad across Africa, Bishop Hartzell developed an educational, industrial and missionary center which has since his retirement been managed by more than \$50,000 by the church.

Bishop Hartzell was active in Eastern Rhodesia and East Africa, the east coast and Liberia, on the Congo and in Angola in the west coast and in the Madeira Islands.

When he retired in 1916, the church estimated he had given 58,400 hours of service to the natives in Africa. While he was living in retirement at his blue ash home last June, two men came to the Hartzell home and asked permission to use a phone, while they remained in a phone, the housekeeper protested that the kindly churchman bade them enter. Within a few minutes the Bishop became suspicious and ordered the men to leave. While the housekeeper ran for aid, the men attacked the Bishop, his shirt, head was broken and a deep gash was cut in his head. Because of his age his wounds never healed. The strangers then took his gold watch and wallet containing \$15.

Business Conditions in Texas Are Good

AUSTIN, Tex., Sept. 5.—(AP)—General business and industrial conditions in Texas during July were maintained at a fairly high level with due allowances made for the usual slack period, the Texas Business Review, published by the Bureau of Business Research at the University of Texas, says.

Even though some industries, notably cotton textile mills and building, retained rather severely, many industries were operating at a higher rate than at this time a year ago," the magazine said. "Moreover, crops improved during the month and the livestock outlook is bright. Financial conditions are sound despite the fact that the credit situation and the money market are causing some concern. In the past few weeks business has shown less interest in the stock market and speculation, and has devoted more attention to its development. As a result, improvement is already in evidence."

HOUSTON, Tex., Sept. 5.—(AP)—Search along more than a mile of river bottom today had failed to reveal the body of Francis Meade, 21, who drowned while in swimming Sunday.

Another Change in Season

Don't wait until the last minute and look up your winter garments to have them dry cleaned and brightened up for fall... Look thru your dresses; you may have one to be dyed or the color touched up where it has faded in streaks as they sometimes do, that hat to be cleaned and blocked just as good as new; those ties that are wrinkled from long wear, we can make them fresh and new.

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(Re-election)
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- For School Superintendent:
J. OSCAR SWINDLE.
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- For County Treasurer:
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The Golden Cocoon
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SYNOPSIS
Stephen Renfro, engaged to Molly Shannon, State University student, has left town suddenly. Now comes announcement of his marriage in the east to "the rich Miss Dilworth." The boarders discuss the affair at breakfast but show sympathy and consideration for Molly. At night Molly, hat on and dressed for the street, leaves the boarding place, telling Mrs. Parker the landlady, she is going to spend the night with friends.

CHAPTER XII—Continued
"But, my dear..." Mrs. Parker began, then broke off uncertainly. She looked at Molly and dis- tressed; there were lines in her already well-creased brow that had not been there four days earlier. "I'll be back in the morning," Molly went on, taking no apparent notice of the inconclusive objection. "I hope you won't need me in the meantime."

CHAPTER XIII
Emerging from the campus into the open city streets, Molly walked rapidly. Her one thought was to get away from the section of town where the university was and where she might at any moment meet some one she knew. She had no destination in mind, no purpose. The story about spending the night with friends had been merely a second gesture of defense; not in- sistent this time, but deliberate, planned. She must be outside where she could walk; she wanted never to stop walking. She went on and on, turning up one street and down another, paying no heed to locality or direction or the deepening twilight. At nightfall she struck into one of the county roads in which the "street" dissolved, and walked on and on. She felt no fear. She was past harm as the dead are past harm.

She had been walking for hours when it occurred to her suddenly that she was very tired. She must have come a long way. The night was soot black without moon or stars, and she could just make out by a single tower light, gleaming faintly in the distance that she was in the open country. There was not a sign of human habitation. She sat down on a pile of stones by the road, rested a while, then dragging herself up and started back to town, her eyes fixed on the light for pilot. Here in the hollow the lights were almost hidden. She recalled dully how they had stream- ed out that first evening across the plains—like golden auroras of promise and hope. And all the

time she had been coming to this. Now and then the headlights of an automobile drove her behind a clump of bushes for concealment. She had a morbid fear of being seen—perhaps questioned. Several times she sat down again to rest. But at last she reached the place where the car "line" began. The houses grew closer together. Still she went on walking up one street and down another, a slim, quietly dressed figure which awakened no curiosity in the occasional police- man she passed.

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crossing. Suddenly a blind at a window overhead, sucked in by a breeze from the river, flapped—startlingly. Almost at the same instant a burst of crazy, drunken laughter—a woman's laughter—jarred and jangled on the night. Shivering, Molly put her fingers to her ears. Then she stopped dead in "her tracks" and looked up. She had a fleeting vision of a woman's face, ghastly white and more ghastly red—of dead, straw colored hair, of garish, tinsel silk. . . . The curtain flapped back into place.

All the blood in Molly's body surged up thickly to her temples, but dampeningly in her brain. She caught at a lamp-post near by, lurched heavily against it. Win- dow, street, lights, even the police- man in the next block, rotated about her in a swirling black vor- tex; spun and reeled and raced, with her like a chip at its axis—then jolted to an abrupt halt. Everything seemed to flatten out to shine in the clearest and most brilliant perspective she had ever seen. That woman had found the way—to destroy herself—not mere- ly the outward shell of her body, but the very core and nucleus of her being.

She wanted to destroy herself. She wanted nothing else on earth. She troubled and pulsed and quivered with the intensity of that de- sire. Physical destruction would not suffice—would not yield the ease and oblivion she coveted. . . . She loosed her hold on the lamp-

post, moved quickly up the walk— there was neither gate nor fence. As she inhaled the wide, white steps and glanced indignantly about her, she recalled having heard that this row of houses be- longed to "Old Jim" Dilworth. But that did not interest her. She pressed an urgent finger against the bell. Her only concern was lest the policeman had seen her— might try to interfere. . . . Presently the door opened—and closed behind her.

On the other side of the door, she stood blinking dazedly. There was light everywhere, nothing but light—white, blinding, terrible. It blazed from walls, stairs, ceilings. The moment's illumination in the street was darkness in comparison. Here all the light in the universe had been gathered up, focused on this one spot—focused on her. It beat down cruelly, pitilessly. She was like a moth, wings scorched, fluttering to earth, charred, con- sumed. She threw up her hands to shield herself, leaned back al- most insensible against the door.

She did not see the man who stood over by the stairs. He, too, had evidently just come in, for he wore still his high hat and a light coat above his evening things. When the servant offered to re- lieve him of them, he shook his head and motioned her to with- draw. He was rather tall, slight of build; forty-five, perhaps though his hair showed gray at the tem- ples. He watched Molly through narrowed, speculative eyes—eyes that had seen everything, experi- enced everything. He knew there was no sensation left unproved, yet he could not stop searching. . . .

As Molly's vision accommodated itself a little to the awful glare of light, a velvet hanging at the rear of the corridor was jerked violently apart. Against a background of garish luxury was framed a scene

which seared itself forever into Molly's brain—a table strewn with wreckage of a feast, a bottle over- turned and its contents pouring slowly into the yellow mop of a woman too drunk to know or care. It was like one of the circles of the Inferno.

(To Be Continued)

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"Now who is absent-minded?" he cried triumphantly, producing two umbrellas from under his arm. "You've forgotten your umbrella, but I've mine and yours as well!" The woman gazed at him pityingly.

"Idiot!" she exclaimed. "Neither of us had one."—Answers.

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RURAL SCHOOL TEACHERS OF COUNTY NAMED

All teaching positions in the rural schools of Brown county have been filled, according to County School Superintendent J. Oscar Swindle, who has compiled a list of all teachers of the county, with the exception of a few who have failed to turn in their contracts for the ensuing year. Approximately 190 men and women will be used in the rural districts of the county this year, Mr. Swindle states.

The schools of the county, together with the teachers elected for the school term of 1927-28, as prepared by Mr. Swindle follow:

Cross Cut; A. H. Plummer, principal, Wilmer, Donahoe, Mrs. Deema Tripitt and Margaret St. Clair.

Byrds Consolidated; Mr. and Mrs. Clive Pierce.

Williams Consolidated; Frank Pierce, Leta Armstrong, Reginald West and Lottie Leach.

Wolf Valley; Mrs. Mary Michaelis and Myrtle Davis.

Rocky; Lora Everage.

Grossriver; L. Sudderth, Mabel Posey and Merle Haynes.

Panther Creek; Vada Fields.

Concord; Homer Schulze, Ruby Lightsey and Louise Wright.

Gap Creek; Mrs. G. G. Heptinstall.

Willow Springs; Miss Odell Morrison.

Jordan Springs; Kate Fields and Mrs. Silas Drake.

Thrifty; C. N. Carter and Mrs. W. C. Stark.

Antioch Union; Leva Eoff, Weedon, Miss Sarah Smith, Rice, Miss Bernice Morris, Anderson; Mrs. C. B. Cone and Stella McMurry.

Delaware; Claud Shannon and Miss Maie Parker.

Ricker; Mrs. H. N. Jack and Miss Mary Black.

McDaniel; Mineva Hereford and Margaret Black.

Mt. View; Mrs. Amanda Hughes and Miss Flora Fuller.

Jones Chapel; Miss Lee Omia Adian, Miss Ina Lightsey and Miss Lillian Middleton.

Jenkins Springs; Charles S. Cobb, Turkey Peak; Mrs. J. P. Lockridge, Mrs. Macon Richmond and Miss Ruth Fisher.

Mukewater; Miss Lola Mae Daniel, Miss Audrey Bull and Mrs. Mylena Fisher.

Clear Cedar; S. W. Miller, Mrs. S. W. Miller and Miss Lela Lineberry.

Chapel Hill; Floyd S. Eoff and Miss Lydia Boenicke.

Woodland Heights; T. F. Eaton, Mrs. G. C. Kirksey, Mrs. Audrey Germany and Mrs. Floyd Gentry.

Center Point; W. B. Jones, Mrs. Erma Medcalf, Miss Iva Calk and Miss Lois Jones.

Dollin; Owen V. Hall and Mrs. Owen V. Hall.

Indian Creek; L. M. Hays, Mrs. L. M. Hays, Miss Elma Middleton, Miss Lula Petty and Miss Ona Wren.

Elkins; Miss Sadie Seward, Mt. Zion; Miss Ruby Dewire and Miss Thelma Bowden.

Barber; Miss Mabel Sloan.

Clio; Otis Pierce, Mrs. Otis Pierce, Miss Grace Trigg and Mrs. Bennie Brannum.

Salt Mountain; Miss Alene Bettis, Cottonwood; Miss Sarah McClelland.

Union Grove; Treadel Thomas, Elm; Buret Williams and Miss Thelma Morrison.

Sand Creek; Myrtle McBroom.

Holder; H. I. Strapp and Miss Vesta White.

Salt Branch; Miss Zada Lee White and Mrs. A. K. McMurry, Jr.

Winchell; J. W. Patterson, Miss Lula Bell Shannon and Miss Vivian Gwathmey.

Coggin; Miss Lovie Cadenhead, Beard Hill; Miss Lucile Pickens, Brooksmith; Eustice Renfro, Clarence Smith and Miss Avis Petrick.

Gunn; Miss Cordia Hamilton, Hones; Mrs. Wilmer Tippen, Kidd Peak; Robert E. Lewis, Cedar Point; Miss Velma Hancock and Miss Eugenia Routh.

BOXER VS. SLUGGER

CHICAGO, Sept. 6.—(AP)—It will be boxer against slugger when two middleweight champion contenders, Rene De Vos of Belgium and Cowboy Jack Willis of Texas, meet in a 10-round decision bout tonight. The winner hopes to get a crack at Mickey Walker's middleweight championship in Chicago sometime this fall.

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Bangs

Mr. and Mrs. George Schwartz and daughter of Hico visited relatives here last week.

Ben Crowder visited in Lubbock Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Howard of Miles came in Sunday and Mr. Howard is meeting customers in the Guyer store this week.

Frank Reckhart and family of Miles were overnight visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hardwick Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Smart, daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Riordan, Mesdames E. A. Taylor, Henry Speck and Miss Ella Gilbert attended the annual meeting of the Woman's Missionary Union of Brown county association at Holder, on Wednesday of last week.

Miss Ruth Gray of Proctor was the guest of Miss Blanch Vandiver, Sunday while enroute to Coleman.

Horace Taylor of Odessa visited his grandmother and other relatives and friends here Saturday.

Miss Helen Calk left Saturday to resume her position as teacher in the school at Sudan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hardwick and children of Rule were guests in the home of Mr. Hardwick's brother, C. C. Hardwick and family, on Sunday.

Misses Mary and Elizabeth Smart visited in the home of their aunt, Mrs. R. O. Willford, in Brownwood last week.

Mrs. T. A. Read has returned from a two weeks' visit to relatives in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Hanks Conklin and children of Galveston are visiting relatives here.

Miss Winnie Swenson left Saturday for Lubbock where she will attend the Teachers' Institute before going to Center, where she will teach in the school again this coming term.

C. B. Guyer and Mrs. Maggie Martin left Sunday for San Antonio to buy their fall stock of merchandise for Bangs and Santa Anna stores.

Dr. E. T. Sonendreker and family loaded out their household goods Saturday and left for Menard to make their future home. The doctor's family have lived in Bangs for about thirteen years and have made many friends, who regret very much to see them leave. Their daughter, Mrs. Bob Caldwell of Temple, who has been visiting in their home for some time, accompanied them to their new home.

Mrs. C. B. Guyer and sons of Santa Anna were here Tuesday for a brief visit to friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Howard returned Sunday after a week's visit at Miles.

Dr. and Mrs. Trigg and children of Snyder were guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. T. D. Holder on Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Friend of Fort Worth were Sunday visitors in the home of C. C. Hardwick and family.

Misses Bernice and Bird Whiteley left Sunday for Canyon, where they will attend Teachers' Institute from these Miss Bernice will go to Pampa, where she will again teach, this being her third term there. Miss Bird will teach at Canadian.

Mrs. T. D. Holder returned Saturday from Holder, where she visited her parents and attended the Brown County Baptist Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Traylor and three children of Bartlett, left for their home Friday after spending a few days with Miss Traylor's parents, and brothers, the Messrs. Rambos and families.

Miss Mary Markwell of Galveston is the guest of Mrs. Guy Eads. There will be several socials given in honor of Miss Markwell while here.

Mrs. George Cook died at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. T. Strange, Saturday morning. Funeral services were held at the residence Saturday afternoon at six o'clock. The Rev. W. B. Gray of Brownwood conducted the service. The body was carried to Silvertown Sunday morning by Undertaker W. A. Forman and laid to rest by the side of her husband.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Reeves of Fort Stockton, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Lewis and Mrs. Guy Hill of Brownwood visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Robert H. Bennett and children were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Nichols in Coleman this week.

Mrs. Lowe Wallace and son are visiting relatives in Rnager.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Gregory and daughter of San Antonio, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Martin last week.

Misses Oda and Verdine Martin of Fort Worth were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Martin, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Ida Campbell and daughter, Mrs. Sam Ebringen of Ballinger, were guests in the home of Mrs. Campbell's brother, E. D. Sheffield and family, Sunday night and on Monday. They were accompanied by Mr. Sheffield left for Glenrose for a two weeks stay.

Levi Spain and family visited in Brownwood Sunday.

Miss Ernestine Mays of Coppens Cove who has been visiting Mrs. Lee Yarbrough, left Tuesday for a visit to her mother, Mrs. Beesie Mays of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bird, and family of Mullin were visiting with friends in Bangs Sunday.

Mrs. Clemmie Ray of Brownwood has moved here and is making her home with her mother, Mrs. S. E. Stacy.

Mrs. W. W. Pulliam and son, Watts, left Monday for Menard to visit Mrs. Pulliam's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Merrett.

TEXAS BANDITS UNDER ARREST

LAREDO, Texas, Sept. 5.—(AP)—Two men identified as Joe Bradley, 22, and Pat Byler, 24, were under arrest here today in the kidnaping of Leo Topperwein, messenger for the Texas Bank & Trust Co., at San Antonio yesterday when the youths robbed of \$3,000 and left tied and gagged. Nearly all of the loot was found in possession of the two when they were arrested for violation of a parking ordinance, officers stated.

Bradley, when grilled by authorities, said he was a former bookkeeper at the bank, having left the institution about a year ago. He said the robbery had been planned while both were under influence of liquor on Labor Day.

Topperwein was absolved of any implication in the crime. Byler, who told police he was employed as a truck driver, steadfastly maintained Bradley picked him up on the San Antonio-Laredo highway a few miles from the former city.

Mr. Paul Payne, who has been visiting his brother, Walter, returned to his home in Fort Worth a few days ago.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hudson and son returned Sunday. They had been visiting in Hobart, Oklahoma; also points in Arkansas.

Some few of the farmers have begun to pick cotton.

BLAST MAY BE FATAL TO MAN

Roy Bynum, age about 25, an employee of the Capps Pecan Farm, was probably fatally burned early Wednesday morning when a can of gasoline exploded in his hands. Mr. Bynum was pouring gasoline into a Fordson tractor from a five gallon can when the gas ignited from the exhaust of the motor which had been left running.

The explosion that followed threw gasoline all over the upper part of Mr. Bynum's body and it is believed that his burns will prove fatal.

He was rushed to the Central Texas Hospital, reaching there about 7:30, and since that time has been constantly attended by physicians who are fighting to save the young man's life. An examination of the burns revealed that Bynum was severely burned from the waist up, both hands and arms being badly burned, as well as his chest, back, face and head. His left leg was also badly burned below the knee. Physicians state that Bynum has only a slight chance for recovery.

Describes Accident

Bynum was conscious when brought to the local hospital and told attendants of his efforts to extinguish his burning clothing. Immediately following the explosion, young Bynum saw a sheet or quilt hanging on a line nearby and ran for this, wrapping the sheet or quilt around his head and body. He was able practically to extinguish the fire and no doubt prevented instant death.

Young Bynum has a wife and one baby, both of whom have been at his bedside all day. Mrs. Bynum rushed to her husband after hearing his cries for help, and other workers on the Capps Pecan Farm were summoned. These rushed Bynum to Brownwood for medical attention.

Community Session Held at Mt. Zion

A very interesting and enjoyable community meeting was held at Mt. Zion Saturday night, according to Fred Hayes, chairman of the Young Men's Good Roads Association, and other Brownwood citizens who attended.

There was an excellent program of music and recitations, and a very clever prophecy of the Mt. Zion community fifteen years hence, reading by a young lady of that community, the Brownwood

SPAIN WINNER

GENEVA, Sept. 5.—(AP)—Spain has advanced a step toward obtaining a semi-permanent seat on the League of Nations Council in return for her re-entrance into the League. Smaller nations are clamoring for greater representation on the Council and Spain's victory today was understood to have been won over their opposition.

HIS THROAT IS SORE

Old McTavish was not a mean man. No; he just knew the value of money.

"Say, doctor, hoo's beezness w' ye the mo?"

"Oh, fair, fair."

"I s'pose ye've a deal o' prescribin' in' tae dae fer cools an' sair throats?"

"Ah."

"An' what dae ye gin'rally gie fer a sair throat?"

"Naethin', I dinna want a sair throat."—Answers.

MORTUARY

JAMES FRANKLIN PIERCE

James Franklin Pierce, age 75, for 54 years a citizen of Brown county by the Owens community, north of Brownwood, died at his home Thursday afternoon. Mr. Pierce was born in Kentucky but came to Texas when a young man and settled in Brown county where he has been engaged in farming until his health failed.

Funeral services were held at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon in the Hefflin cemetery and were conducted by Rev. Silas Allford. Burial was made in the Hefflin cemetery immediately following the funeral services.

MRS. THERESA SMITH

Mrs. Theresa Smith, age 28, wife of A. L. Smith, 101 Booker Street, died Sunday at the home in this city. Mrs. Smith had been living in Brownwood about one year and a half. She was born in Eastland county.

Funeral services were held from the residence here at 1 o'clock Monday afternoon and were conducted by Rev. I. N. Newton. Burial services were held in the Zephyr cemetery, where burial was made.

Mrs. Smith is survived by her husband, two small children and other relatives.

HAIRSTON TWINS

Joyce and Jean Hairston, infant daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Hairston, 1001 Irma Street, were buried in the Richland Springs cemetery Sunday.



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