

BROWNWOOD, TEXAS, THURSDAY, AUGUST 1, 1929

SPECIAL TERM COURT NEARING CLOSE

BREMEN TAKES LAST RECORD OF MAURETANIA

PLYMOUTH, England, Aug. 1.—(AP)—The German liner Bremen, flagship of the North German Lloyd fleet, today took from the British Mauretania its last north Atlantic crossing record, lasting by 8 hours, 17 minutes, the Mauretania's previous last time from New York to this port.

THOMAS SPUDS IN DEEP TEST ON SALT CREEK

David "Doc" Thomas, spudded yesterday on the J. H. Fry tract, M. T. Kay survey, in the Salt Creek area, about thirteen miles north and a little east of town for a 3,500 foot test. He is using a standard rig with a 74-foot derrick.

\$75,000 FIRE AT QUINLAN

QUINLAN, Tex., Aug. 1.—(AP)—Fire of undetermined origin today swept through a part of the business district of this town, destroying light buildings and causing a loss estimated at \$75,000.

CARLOAD OF BULLS SOLD HERE TO MAN IN MISSISSIPPI

A carload of twenty-five Pole Hereford bulls, one and two-year-old stock, has been sold this week by E. W. Gill of this city to Ray Lake at Nicksbury, Mississippi, according to Hilton Burks, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce. This is the second car of animals Mr. Gill has sold to these people, the other having been shipped last year.

OLDSSETTLERS PICNIC HELD ON ROUGH BRANCH

An old settlers picnic and reunion is being held Thursday and Friday near the old log school house near Holder on Rough Branch. Pupils of the old school in by-gone days are arriving to swap experiences and eat hearty basket dinners.

IMPROVING STORE

An antique Tex-stone finish is being put on the display windows at Knoblers Style Shop on Center Ave. The entire front of the building will be repainted and with the decoration of the windows. Mr. Knobler expects to have a still more attractive store.

Appeal Made for Leahy Reprieve

HUNTSVILLE, Texas, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Harry J. Leahy, scheduled to die in the electric chair at the State Penitentiary here shortly after midnight, spent most of the day writing letters to friends and relatives.

HOOVER CLAIMS CRUISER DELAY IS JUSTIFIED

WASHINGTON, July 31.—(AP)—The agreement between the United States and Great Britain looking to complete equality in the strength of their navies is held out by President Hoover as an answer to critics of his decision to postpone work on the cruiser which was to have been laid down in navy yards next fall.

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USE AND KEEP OF THE LAND A. & M. THEME

COLLEGE STATION, Tex., Aug. 1.—(AP)—Land utilization and conservation was the subject of discussion at the general session of the Farmers Short Course at the A. & M. College of Texas today.

BUTTER CONTEST WINNERS

Winners in the butter judging contest were announced as follows: Mrs. H. Schulze of Kerrville; Mrs. H. Deabler of Waco, and Mrs. W. Baird of Tyler. Mrs. D. A. Kysner of Brown county was honorably mentioned. Twenty-eight entries participated in the contest.

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FARM INCOMES RISE AS WHEAT YIELD FALTERS



BY ALLARD SMITH
Vice President, The Union Trust Company, Cleveland, O.
The interval since early in June has brought an extraordinary improvement in the economic position of the American farmer. During this time his income, measured by the value of crops, has been increased by more than \$1,200,000,000. This remarkable improvement not only has brightened the outlook for agriculture, but it has lent considerable cheer to the business world as well.

CLASSIFICATION OF 52 RURAL SCHOOLS IN COUNTY IS MADE

Classification of the fifty-two Brown county rural schools, as made by the county board of trustees for the school year 1929-30, was announced by Superintendent J. Oscar Swindie Tuesday.

Forty-five of these fifty-two schools will teach all seven of the elementary grades. Seven schools will send pupils to consolidated high schools and will not hold classes. Twenty-five of these forty-five will teach high school subjects, all four grades to be taught in seven of these, three grades in seven of them, two grades in five of them, and six schools will teach but one grade of high school.

OKLAHOMA AND TEXAS DISCUSS RIVER BRIDGE

AUSTIN, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Texas and Oklahoma Highway Commissioners meeting here today decided to enter into a program of constructing bridges over Red River with each state sharing proportionally the cost of bridging the boundary stream. Execution of the program would involve an expenditure of approximately \$400,000 by each state.

LEAVES FOR VACATION

Eddie C. Thogmartin, custodian of the court house, with his wife and daughter, Edwina, left early Thursday morning for a two-week motor trip. They will visit Carlsbad, El Paso, and Salt Mountain, Wolf Valley, district 4; Rocky, district 5; Elm, district 55; and Salt Mountain, district 31, each have seven elementary grades.

BROWN COUNTY GIRLS WINNERS STATE PRIZES

Shortly afternoon today, a telegram was received here from A. & M. College announcing Miss Imogene DeHay, member of the Indian Creek Farm Girls' Club, as winner of first prize in the State Girls' Clothing Contest today at the Farmers' Short Course.

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Comanche is widely advertising its Second Annual Roundup, to be held in the city of Comanche four days, August 14-17, a feature of which is to be cowboys and cowgirls in sensational riding, roping and bull dogging events.

FIRE DESTROYS RIG AT OWENS COLEMAN WELL

The Sherwood Owens well, about ten miles south of Coleman and four miles north of Shields, on the Brenecke tract, in Coleman county, which had developed a flow of about a million and a half cubic feet of gas, caught fire at 6:00 o'clock Wednesday evening, and burned until 3 o'clock this morning before the flames could be extinguished.

1929 BUILDING REACHES TOTAL OF \$901,620.00

Although the total amount of building permits issued in Brownwood for the month of July sets a new low mark over a period of more than two years, indications are that a decided increase in building activities will be noted during the remainder of the current year.

DAWES VISITS McDONALD

LONDON, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Ambassador Dawes visited Premier MacDonald at No. 10 Downing Street again today. They continued their conversations on disarmament.

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LOCAL TRIO OF BUILDING BUSINESS MEN ORGANIZE TOAD CATCHING CONCERN

By PERRY DAUGHTERY
The full grown promoter or business man who foresees a fortune in a balloon foundry or flexible rubber toothpicks has nothing on three Brownwood boys who, because they see a vast income in horned toads, have organized a "Horned Toad Catching Company."

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DISCOUNT RATE RAISED

BRUSSELS, Belgium, July 31.—(AP)—The Belgian National Bank raised its discount rate today from 4 per cent to 5 per cent.

MANY CRIMINAL CASES TRIED IN DISTRICT COURT

During the regular June and special July terms of District Court Judge E. J. Miller has handled, in addition to a great number of civil suits, a total of forty-nine criminal cases. The judge closed his criminal docket for the term on Thursday morning. The next session here will be in November.

Liquor Indictments

With regard to the fifty-six indictments returned on liquor cases by the June Grand Jury, cases of twenty-three came before Judge Miller.

Other Charges

A. Skiles pleaded guilty on one charge of forgery and was given two years. Another like charge against him was dismissed.

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SCHOOL TRUSTEES ORDER TRANSFER OF PUPILS OF THIS COUNTY AND OTHERS

Brown County gained students in its county school from Comanche County and lost some to Coleman County as a result of action of the county board of trustees which met in Superintendent J. Oscar Sandie's office Tuesday afternoon. They approved an order allowing pupils of the Mt. Valley district in Comanche County to attend the Blanket Consolidated High School, that county's district carrying an election for that purpose recently. The following trustees were appointed for the Blanket district: L. P. Bird, T. E. LeVesay, Alvin Richmond, Will Heptinstall, L. L. Lanford, Will Townsend and J. H. Fry.

At the same time an application from the Sand Creek district was approved allowing the twelve or fifteen pupils from there to attend the Buffalo District school in Coleman County, that district to give free schooling and free transportation to the Brown County students. The reason for this was an account of the too small number of pupils necessary to get state aid in that district.

Will Page was approved as a member of the board of trustees in the Jones Chapel district upon the resignation of L. W. Gorman.

POSSIBLE SALE OF WATER BONDS THIS WEEK, SAYS ARNEY

Another meeting of the water board with bond men was held in the Citizens National Bank building Tuesday afternoon. No definite deal was made for the \$2,500,000 water bonds, F. S. Arney, president of the board said, but indications are that this might be consummated this week. J. E. Starley attorney for the Brown County Water Improvement District No. 1, was due in Brownwood Wednesday to confer with the board about the matter, and it is likely members of the board will go to Dallas some time this week to further the deal, Mr. Arney said.

VETERANS AT REUNION FIFTH TEXAS DIVISION CARRY YEARS LIGHTLY

Rev. and Mrs. W. H. White, 1210 Irma Street, have returned from Christoval at which place was held July 23-26 the annual reunion of Confederate Veterans of the Mountain Remnant Brigade of the Fifth Division of Texas. Rev. White is a member of the Fifth Division and he and Mrs. White report that royal entertainment was furnished the veterans by the citizens of Christoval, Eldorado and San Angelo. Fifty-six veterans attended with their families and friends. Musical programs and various other forms of entertainment left no dull hours in the entire encampment program. The oldest veteran present was a Mr. Carter, 93 years old. With his physical and mental strength remarkably preserved, he took an active part in the reunion. The next to the oldest veteran was S. E. Stark of Eldorado, who is 87 years of age. Immaculate and well groomed in his white summer suit and hat he presented a most unusual picture as he took prominent part in the reunion with the vivacity of a youth. Not until a slight illness three months ago had he ever employed the services of a doctor. It pleased him greatly to tell of his nine children, all living, his forty grandchildren and his twenty great-grandchildren.

'FLATHEAD' ANNOUNCER RESTING WELL AFTER CRASH IN FORT WORTH

Report from Fort Worth state that Gus Obenhaus, the "Flathead" announcer for the Bulletin radio station KGKB, is resting well in St. Joseph's Infirmary in that city following a crash on Camp Bowie Boulevard Monday night. Obenhaus sustained a badly sprained jaw, a broken right arm and cuts and bruises when the car in which he and W. R. Sneed, also of Brownwood hit and broke a light pole. The crash was reported to have put out of commission a unit of the lighting system in that part of the city. Sneed was released from the hospital after obtaining emergency treatment for cuts and bruises, not having been badly hurt. It was said the men were just starting to drive back to Brownwood at the time of the accident.

Candy Kitchen Is To Reopen Under New Management

The DeLuxe Candy Kitchen, formerly operated by E. K. Williams of Brownwood, which for the past three days has been closed, will be opened tomorrow under the ownership and management of Walter P. Harper, a former employee of the Renfro Drug Company. The place will be reopened under the name of Martha Washington Confectionery. Mr. Harper states he will dispose of the old stock of candies and tobaccos and will restock with all fresh goods. No candy will be manufactured by Mr. Harper, but the entire stock will be placed in the store by a Fort Worth wholesale candy company. A soda fountain will also be operated. A fresh stock of cigars and tobacco will also be on hand, according to the new owner.

HOUSTON DAVIS GETS TWO YEARS IN PEN

A jury in District Court Tuesday afternoon gave a sentence of two years in the penitentiary to Houston Davis who was charged with selling liquor. Gordon Black, charged with the same offense, is being tried Wednesday. McCaughy and Darroch are representing the defendant.

Two Drowned in Irrigation Canal

HARLINGEN, Tex., July 31.—(AP)—Jim McCullum and A. Erringer of Beville were drowned last night when an automobile in which they were riding plunged into an irrigation canal near Mercedes. A companion was rescued. The accident occurred when their car struck a bridge railing while rounding a curve. McCullum was a brother of the Sheriff of Bex county. Erringer was a traveling salesman.

Clyde Maner Buys Interest In Hicks Rubber Company

Clyde Maner, for five years with the United Tire Company, located on the corner house square, is now connected with the local distributing company of the Hicks Rubber Company, located a few doors east of his former business. Mr. Maner bought an interest in the firm and has as partner Dan Stokes.

SAY REPORT PREMATURE NEW YORK, July 31.—(AP)—Bristol Myers Company officials stated today announcement of acquisition by Drug Inc. was premature. Explaining that while there have been negotiations looking toward such a combination, the transaction had not as yet been consummated.

HARPER HOTEL GIVES WAY TO NEW BUILDING

In Brownwood's building program, the constant replacing of the old by the new has at last claimed one of the city's oldest landmarks. The Harper Hotel on South Broadway, for the past 27 years owned and operated by W. S. Harper, is being torn down and on the lot where it stands five new and modern store buildings are soon to be erected. Twenty seven years ago, the Harper Estate forsook in the future of Brownwood, bright prospect for the maintenance of a modern hotel. The old building passes, but in the future of Brownwood, Mr. Harper sees other prospects—the need of more modern store buildings. At an estimated cost of approximately \$40,000, five new one story brick buildings are being planned. Facing the front of the street, will be four store buildings made of acme face brick and concrete. Back of these buildings will be a modern warehouse of similar construction occupying a space of 8x110 feet. This warehouse will be suitable for any kind of storage. Mr. Harper stated this morning. Each of the buildings will be of fireproof construction. Although there are several prospective tenants of the new buildings, nothing definite as to occupancy can be given at this time Mr. Harper said.

STRIKE ENTERS ITS THIRD DAY

MANCHESTER, England, July 31.—(AP)—Lancashire's cotton mill stoppage entered its third day today with prospects slimmer than ever for immediate settlement. A section of the British press is protesting the serious loss to British industry growing out of the stoppage. Germany, France and Japan were represented in these newspapers as gloating over the opportunities presented. The Mail declared Northern France would reap a golden harvest and that orders which ordinarily would go to Lancashire going to Lille, Roubaix and Tourcoing. The paper averred the French textile mills were working at top speed.

Childress Stock 4th This Year by Walker-Smith Co.

C. Y. Early returned yesterday from Childress, where he has been the past week supervising the invoicing of the stock purchased by Walker-Smith Company from Goodner Wholesale Grocer Company. The stock will be enlarged and one or two additional salesmen put on the road, so that the branch will take its place along side the other twentysix branches of the company now operating in Texas. This is the fourth stock of this kind purchased from other jobbers by Walker-Smith this year. They have just recently taken over the wholesale business of Peacock Mercantile Company and have now under course of construction a modern fire-proof brick and concrete building at Midland. Mr. A. C. Bratton of this city, being engaged in the construction of it.

Perfect Landing by Robin After Flying More Than 17 Days

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—(AP)—Dale (Red) Jackson and Forest O'Brine today rejected professional theatrical offers which would have paid them handsomely. They did not announce future plans. The known cash income of the fliers from their feat had amounted to \$31,529.91, in addition to their salaries for the flight, hundreds of personal gifts and what was paid them by a newspaper syndicate for a first person story of their flight. The one cent was sent to them with a note of good-natured joshing by a friend.

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—(AP)—After exceeding the old world's record for sustained flight by more than a week, Dale "Red" Jackson and Forest O'Brine brought the St. Louis Robin to a perfect landing at Lambert-St. Louis field last night at 7:31:30 o'clock (C. S. T.), because they wished to attend the funeral services today of George Lea Linnick, killed Monday with a student flar on a practice spin. They made the sky above St. Louis their home for 429 hours, 21 1-2 minutes, at two weeks and a half. Their greatest thrill came when they said last night, as they watched the milling thousands below churn the dust of the field into a sticky gumbo as a hard rain descended about 6 o'clock. A crowd estimated at 25,000 was at the field and easily broke police lined up a fence erected to protect the plane. They cheered wildly and jammed about the hangar where Jackson and O'Brine were rushed. Employees of the Curtiss-Robertson company, sponsors of the flight, together with police, flocked souvenir hunters and the plane was towed with a tractor to its resting place beside the hangar. Its motor, a 6-cylinder air cooled radial Curtiss-Challenger will be dismantled for a thorough factory inspection. The champion endurance grind was started as a test for the motor, which was brought into commercial production about five months ago. Both Feeling Fine Jackson and O'Brine were cheerful almost to hilarity as they discussed their achievement with reporters. Both said they felt fine although O'Brine added he was a "little weak in the knees." Asked as to the hardest part of the flight, O'Brine replied without hesitation "the first 100 hours." Both airmen praised the plane. Jackson adding "that old motor sure is a Lulu. It would have done another 200 hours." O'Brine was even more optimistic. "Yeh, we

sumption toward the end of the flight. Except for oil and grease stains and a patch on the fuselage where a hole had been torn by a weight during refueling, there was no serious structural wear on the plane. Major William B. Robertson, President of the Curtiss-Robertson Airplane manufacturing company which sponsored the flight, declared today that he was ready to sponsor Jackson and O'Brine in another endurance flight should the record be beaten. Each pilot was enriched \$15,672.50 as a result of the flight, not counting checks and cash mailed to them and their salaries as commercial pilots. To that the St. Louis Municipal Opera decided to add \$1 for each hour they were aloft.

CONTRACTS FOR ROADS AROUND \$3,500,000.00

AUSTIN, July 31.—(AP)—Contracts aggregating \$1,500,000 will be let by the Highway Commission today and tomorrow another batch totaling about \$2,000,000 will be awarded. All kinds of road construction work is included in the lot—bridges, concrete pavement and grading and drainage structures. Contracts today will be awarded on projects as follows: Carson county: 19.70 miles concrete pavement; highway 75. Baylor county: 20.92 miles concrete pavement; highway 30. Trinity county: 23.44 miles gravel and limestone base and bituminous surface; highway 94. Jeff Davis county: Grading for relocation highway 3 at Wild Rose Pass. San Patricio county: 10.44 miles grading and drainage structures on highway 128. Hudspeth county: 5.68 miles grading and drainage highway one. Austin county: 8.8 miles grading and drainage structures highway 73-A. Bayette county: 9.75 miles grading and drainage structures highway 72. Bexar county: Removal of dips and construction of concrete culverts; highways 2 and 16. Matagorda county: Three-fourths mile grading and drainage structures highway 38. Reeves county: 1.32 miles grading, drainage and caliche surface; highway 1. Somervell and Johnson counties: 2.55 miles grading and drainage structures highway 68. Eastland county: 19.81 miles lengthening culverts and reshesoldering highway one. It is stated that in the Belgian Congo elephants are more satisfactory than motor tractors.

JEFF D. HARRIS IS DENIED BAIL

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 31.—(AP)—United States Judge Edgar S. Vaughn declined today to allow bail to Jeff D. Harris, under cover man charged with murder in connection with the slaying of two farmers near Tecumseh, Okla., July 4. Bond of \$15,000 was set for W. W. Thomason, federal prosecution officer, also under a murder charge in the same case. Immediately after denial of bail for Harris, A. S. Wells, his attorney, announced that without formality of a hearing in federal court, he would apply to state attorneys to remand the case to the Pottawatomie county district court, he would agree to the move if Harris consented. Thomason's attorney, however, desired to have his client go to trial in the federal court. Harris was charged with killing both Oscar Lowrey and James Harris, while Thomason was alleged to have been connected only with the slaying of James Harris. Harris, said Judge Vaughn, in making his decision, admitted he killed both men but pleaded self defense. Testimony of Mrs. James as given in the preliminary hearing in state courts conflicts with that given yesterday at the hearing by Jeff Harris, the judge declared. "The question of whether Jeff Harris shot in self defense or in the killing of James Harris is one on which the court has his doubts," the judge asserted. "Thomason's testimony yesterday was that James Harris was shot after he had thrown down his gun." There is no evidence that Thomason fired a single shot in the affair, Judge Vaughn declared.

Lancaster Man Is Candidate

DALAS, Tex., July 31.—(AP)—State Representative Ray Holder of Lancaster expects to announce as a candidate for lieutenant governor about January 1, he said today. "I am going to make a speech at Hico on August 8," he explained, "and in that speech I intend to say that it is my plan to run for lieutenant governor next year."

EDUCATOR DIES

EDMOND, Okla., July 31.—(AP)—J. S. Adamson, 70, former County Superintendent of Grayson County, Texas, died here last night. He had been an educator for many years. He was born in Collinsville, Texas. A garage to house 500 cars is being built in Bucharest. The tourist industry is worth over \$200,000,000 to France every year.

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PAYMENT OF FRENCH DEBT IS POSTPONED

WASHINGTON, July 31.—(P)—Payment of France's \$400,000,000 war supplies debt to the United States, due tomorrow has been postponed in view of that nation's ratification of the \$4,025,000,000 Mellon-Berenger agreement which provides for funding it, with all other war obligations, over a period of 62 years.

The postponement was effected through an exchange of notes between Secretary Mellon and Ambassador Claudel. Although the congressional resolution authorizing such action in event of French ratification of the general debt funding agreement failed to receive the signatures necessary to make it a law, the administration felt that its adoption by both Senate and House shortly before they recessed for the summer provided ample moral authority to carry out its intent.



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NEW OWNERS TOURIST CAMP TO MAKE IT ONE OF BEST IN THE STATE

Camp Brownwood, a six acre tourist camp out from town on the Comanche road has been purchased from the McCulley estate by J. M. Bowman and M. E. Paris, who state that they will make of it one of the most modern tourist camps in the state, ready for the heavy tourist travel next season.

At the present time there are eighteen cabins on the location. These will all be renovated and others added, each with all modern conveniences. The camp is situated in a natural pecan grove. Community kitchens will be built for the convenience of the board of motor tourists expected through here with the building of better roads, and a specially built traveling men's court will be erected for the use of commercial travelers who are using such camps more and more.

Mexicans Are for New Labor Code

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 1.—(P)—The Mexican Senate has passed by a vote of 48 to 1 the recommendation of its committee on constitutional points seeking amendment of the federal constitution to allow passage of the new labor code of President Portes Gil.

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Pointers For The Efficient Farmer

(By U. S. Department of Agriculture)

One of the big hitches now used in the corn belt is the eight-horse hookup. With this one man can plow about eight and a half acres, disk 40 acres or harrow 80 acres in a day. In the eight-horse hitch, the animals usually are hitched in tandem in two four-abrest units. Other big team hitches adapted to general use are the six and 12-horse hookups.

The average cow in milk needs at least one ounce of salt a day, and a heavy producer should get more. Some dairymen mix salt with the grain mixture, using one or two pounds of salt to 100 pounds of concentrates.

W. E. Easterwood Announces He Will Run for Governor

DALLAS, July 30.—(P)—Col. William E. Easterwood, Jr., Dallas capitalist and aviation enthusiast, today announced his candidacy for governor of Texas subject to the 1930 Democratic primaries. His platform will be "lower taxes and fewer laws."

Col. Easterwood declared he intended to wage an active campaign for the office after the first of the year. He said he would stump the entire state by airplane, a unique mode of campaigning in Texas. The announcement was as follows: "This is to inform the voters that pressure has been brought to bear upon me to announce my candidacy for the great office of governor of Texas, subject to the Democratic primaries."

One Killed and Two Wounded in Chicago Shooting

CHICAGO, July 31.—(P)—James "Bozo" Shupe died this morning from a bullet wound received in a shooting affray last night in which two other men were wounded. Physicians at Bridgwell hospital expected momentarily the death of Thomas McNichols, 37, believed to have been one of the participants in the shooting. They said he could not live more than a few hours.

FOREST FIRES MORE SERIOUS

TORONTO, Ont., July 31.—(P)—With no sign of rain, seemingly the only remedy, the forest fire situation in Canada continued to grow more serious today. From the Atlantic to the Pacific, pall of black smoke lay over wide areas in every province.

Surrender Time Limit Extended

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 1.—(P)—The time limit for the surrender of rebels through Mexico, which expired Wednesday night, has been extended 24 hours to enable insurgents in the more isolated sections to learn of the proposed amnesty. To comply they must turn their arms over to federal army headquarters and be given a safe conduct home.

"I CAN'T BEGIN TO TELL YOU WHAT IT'S BEEN WORTH TO ME"

"If Everybody in Brownwood Knew What Orgatone Did for My Kidney Trouble, You'd Have a Rush in This Store Like a Run on a Bank," Says Smithson.

"If everybody in Brownwood only knew what Orgatone has done for me, you'd have a rush in this store for that medicine like a run on a bank," said Arthur Smithson, who lives at 2109 Victoria St., while in Camp-Bell Drug Store, Brownwood, Tex., the other day.

"I haven't been a well man for many years," continued Mr. Smithson, "but I just kept doctoring and patching up with first one thing and then another and somehow managed to keep on my feet. But I tell you the truth, if I had gone by my feelings I would have been in bed half of my time. It was about four or five years ago that my kidneys started bothering me and ever since that time until I began taking Orgatone, I've been gradually going down hill. My stomach got in such a weak condition I couldn't eat anything hardly but what would give me a sort of a rush in this store. My nerves were so shattered I couldn't sleep only in just little naps, and would wake up and lay for hours at a time unable to go back to sleep, and when I would wake up in the mornings I felt so bad and cross with the world, I would simply have to pull myself out of bed. I tell you all these things working on a fellow at the same time will soon put him out of commission. I spent lots of money for other kinds of medicine, but failed to get any real good out of them, and when I started on Orgatone I was just about past going."

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NICARAGUAN CONSUL SHOOTS FORMER FRIEND

SAN FRANCISCO, July 31.—(P)—Francisco D. Perez, Nicaraguan consul general, fired a bullet across the aisle of a crowded cable car here yesterday and severed the spinal cord of his friend of years, Celso De Leon, 45.

Perez, recently separated from his attractive wife, boarded the car during the midday rush and shot at De Leon three times. He is not expected to recover.

Police said Perez' only explanation of the shooting was that De Leon had "insulted" him. He refused details. He was charged with assault with intent to commit murder.

Pure Seed Law to Be Extended

AUSTIN, July 31.—(P)—Extension of the state pure seed law, which formerly applied only to cotton, to include saccharine and non-saccharine sorghums, has been decided upon by the Board of Plant Breed Examiners. Chief Entomologist J. M. Del Curto of the State Department of Agriculture, announced today.

About 8,000,000 wood shafts, mostly made of hickory, will be used for tool handles and golf clubs this year.

HOOP ROLLING TREK STARTS

GALVESTON, Texas, July 31.—(P)—H. B. Williams of Texas City, left the city hall of his home at 9:07 a. m. today on the start of his hoop rolling trek to New York City amid the cheers of a large group of citizens, headed by Mayor E. L. Noble. He expects to reach Houston by noon tomorrow. Williams carried a letter from Mayor Noble to Mayor Jimmie Walker of New York, which he expects to deliver by December 1.

Call Conference Textile Workers

CHARLOTTE, N. C., July 31.—(P)—Call for a general conference of all organized and unorganized Southern textile workers to meet here October 12th and 13th was issued today by a provisional executive committee named at a preliminary conference held in Bessemer City last Sunday under auspices of the National Textile Workers' Union.

Baltimore Banker for Italy Post

WASHINGTON, July 31.—(P)—John W. Garrett, Baltimore banker, is understood to have been selected by President Hoover as Ambassador to Italy, succeeding Henry P. Fletcher, who has determined to retire from the diplomatic service.

ALLAN HOOVER ILL. WASHINGTON, July 31.—(P)—Allan Hoover, the president's son, is ill at the White House with a minor intestinal disorder.

Honor the Rabbit. The newsboys of Boston like Rabbit Maranville Braves' third sacker.

Speed With Age. Dan O'Leary pedestrian, is 90, but he circled the bases six times in 4:58 at the baseball stadium in Buffalo, N. Y., the other day.

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R. S. Cambric in pretty printed patterns. Colors are fast. 36 inches wide, 4 yards for	\$1.00	Pique in printed patterns and solid colors. 36 inches wide. 3 yards for	\$1.00	Normandy dotted voile on black and colored background. 38 inches wide, 3 yards for	\$1.00						
36 inch printed suitings, for the year round outing dresses or ensemble. 3 yards for	\$1.00	Sheer, crips printed flaxon in dainty summer patterns. 36 inches wide. 5 yards for	\$1.00	36 inch fine flaxons and batiste in beautiful colorful prints. Fast colors. 3 yards for	\$1.00						
"Year-Round Prints Superior tubfast fabric. Comes, too, in nurses' patterns that appeals to the little one. 3 yards for	\$1.00	"Light O' Day Permanent Finish, Fast Color Prints. Appealing patterns. 2 yards for	\$1.00	Dance Sets of dainty printed materials. Colors are fast. 2 sets for	\$1.00	Nainsook Waist Union Suits for boys and girls. Light weight and comfortable, reinforced at all points of wear. Loose fitting knee. Sizes 4 to 12. 4 suits for	\$1.00				
Men's white linen handkerchiefs. Drawn thread and hand whipped edge. 3 handkerchiefs for	\$1.00	Men's summer weight two-piece underwear, fancy trunks and knitted shirts. Suit	\$1.00	Men's sand shape khaki. Shirts of the better grade. Full cut, coat front, two pockets. \$1.50 value, each	\$1.00	Boys' Wash Suits. Ages 2 to 8. The materials are excellent and the styles are good. 2 suits for	\$1.00	Boys' Golf Knickers of linen and crash. Sizes 6 to 12. Light color plaids, checks, etc., pair	\$1.00	Assortment of Boys' Shirts. Sizes 12 1/2, 13, 13 1/2. Made of broadcloth, cambric, etc., in fancy patterns. 2 shirts for	\$1.00

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Will Assist Club Boys in McCulloch To Obtain Calves

BRADY, Aug. 1.—(Sp)—A meeting of the Baby Beef Club boys of McCulloch county was held here with County Agent J. D. Previtt in charge, at which time arrangements

were made by which the calves will be gotten, and at the same time reasons for the feeding was discussed by the county agent.

Previtt stated that the calves will be bought through G. R. White, prominent ranchman, who has offered his financial support to the club boys. O. E. Rice, cashier of the Rochelle National Bank, has also announced that he will assist the club boys of the Rochelle community in feeding their calves.

There has been an excellent feed crop made in McCulloch county, and the members of the Baby Beef Club have produced an unlimited supply of feed for the calves during the coming fall and winter months. The calves will be shown here next spring at the McCulloch County Stock Show, and the fifteen best calves will be sent to the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth, announced Previtt.

There are thirty-two members of the club in McCulloch county, and ten have already begun the feeding of their calves.

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TRIBUTE PAID BY TEXAS TO FARM WOMEN

COLLEGE STATION, Texas, July 29.—Texas paid tribute to its farm women here Monday at the annual Farmers Short Course at the A. & M. College of Texas when five of them were honored as Master Farm Homemakers in a public recognition ceremony attended by farm folk from all parts of the state.

The five women are: Mrs. R. W. Fenton, Tahoka; Mrs. Nevil Felty, Celeste; Mrs. J. E. Foosee, Greenville; Mrs. A. F. Ernst, Somerset; and Mrs. O. W. Fry, Lockney.

They received the gold pin and title of Master Farm Homemakers in a ceremony sponsored by The Farmer's Wife, national farm women's magazine of St. Paul, Minn., and the Extension Service of the A. and M. College of Texas, and later were guests of the magazine at a luncheon attended by sixty rural leaders of the state.

Honored for Achievements

"We honor these women for their own achievements but more especially because they represent thousands of other successful rural homemakers," said Miss Bess M. Rowe of The Farmer's Wife in awarding the honor. "This is recognition for all farm women and an acknowledgment of their job as a profession worthy of the highest respect."

Mrs. Fenton's chief ambition is "to be a wise mother, a wife who is a real help mate, a neighbor to be loved and a real homemaker." She plans meals a week ahead, to save time and money. She is president of the Lynn County Council of home demonstration clubs.

Mrs. Felty has been president of her home demonstration club for two years and vice-president of the County Council, a 4-H club leader and in charge of the club exhibit at her community fair. She hopes to "retire" on the farm.

Mrs. Foosee has two daughters and wants most for them that they shall become well educated, Christian women. There is no question in her mind as to the merits of "homemaking or a career." She "thinks they can be the same thing and says that "being a real homemaker is the biggest job any woman ever undertook." She has been active in the home demonstration work for her community and county, a 4-H girls' club leader and vice-president of the Hunt County Federation of Women's clubs.

Community Builders
Mrs. Ernst lives in a well equipped home on a 350-acre farm. She has served on the school board several times, helped organize a parent-teacher association and is president of her home demonstration club. She has helped build up her club's membership from five to sixty-five.

Mrs. Fry made \$2,435 with butter and poultry last year. This took approximately three hours a day but by good management she spared the time without slighting home duties. She is president of her home demonstration club.

HUNG JURY IN BECKHAM CASE

The jury in the case of the State against Toll Beckham, charged with possession of liquor, was discharged by Judge E. J. Miller, about 4:00 p. m. Saturday, without coming to an agreement. It was reported they stood nine in favor of conviction and three against. They were out on this case over twenty-four hours.

Judge Probably Remembers Time He Was Married

Judge James McCartney tells this one. He said that a man was brought into his court for the violation of a traffic ordinance. The man was nervous.

"Yes," he answered the judge's question whether he was guilty of the charge or not; "yes, I am guilty, your honor. But I hardly knew what I was doing. You see I was just married in Brady and in driving through your city, I just wasn't thinking of what I was doing." "That being the case," said his honor with a smile, "case dismissed."

Four Pay Fines On Fight Charges

Four paid fines in municipal court for street fights, two separate fights occurring Saturday evening, the participants being arrested. The following paid fines of \$9.75 each on fighting charges: I. Stewart, W. H. Johnson, Roger Reed and L. P. Parnell.

VESTRIS WAS OVERLOADED

LONDON, July 31.—(P)—That the Laupen and Holt liner Vestris when she set out on her fatal voyage from Hoboken last November was overloaded and unfit to encounter the perils of her winter trip was the main finding of the Board of Trade's inquiry into her sinking with a loss of 112 lives rendered today.

The inquiry court also found that when peril did overtake the ship her S O S warning was too long delayed, the court declaring it should have been sent out six hours earlier.

The court, which had sat for a record period of forty days hearing evidence in the case which previously had been dealt with by two American investigating bodies, went minutely into all the circumstances of the ship's tragic end.

Boat Owners and Their Pilot Are Released on Bond

ARNOLDS Park, Ia., July 31.—(P)—Blamed for causing the deaths of nine persons when their speed boat "Zipper" cut its way through the Miss Thriller on Lake Okoboji Sunday, the two owners and the pilot were at liberty on \$5,000 bonds.

A coroner's jury, reporting last night, held the trio, John and Milo Hartman, father and son, operators of the Eagle Boat Line, and Harold Yarnes, pilot, jointly responsible for the crash along with the owners of the Miss Thriller, Frank Long and Jasper Alexander.

Illness of Juror Forces a Recess in Snook Trial

COURTHOUSE, COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 1.—(P)—The sudden illness of Mrs. Helen E. Lunsford, only woman

on the regular jury in the trial of Dr. James H. Snook for the killing of Theora Hix, forced a recess of court today until 11 a. m., when additional members of an excused venire were recalled in order to qualify new jurors.

Dr. and Mrs. Melvin T. Hix, parents of the slain co-ed, will attend no more sessions of the trial, Boyd Haddock, their attorney, said the decision was reached because of the physical condition of Dr. Hix and

the strain he had been under during the first five days of the hearing.

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POLICE BELIEVE ARRESTS MADE WILL CRUSH BOMB SYNDICATE

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—(P)—A bombing syndicate that had supplied and used "pineapples" in Chicago and other cities for years was believed crushed today with twelve of the alleged ring leaders in jail and the arrest of others expected soon.

The arrests, in a spectacular raid of the gang's headquarters last night, constituted the first major attempt to stop one of the city's most notorious evidences of lawlessness, a long series of bombings which had increased until this year the average has been about three bombs a week.

The raid was executed through the efforts of an under-cover agent who had worked his way into the gang's confidence.

The agent, James Altmeir, had purchased one bomb and for three months had been accepted as a racketeer. Last night he arranged for the purchase of a large shipment.

Squad in Hiding

With one police squad hiding nearby and another surrounding a house that served as the gang's headquarters, Altmeir completed his deal. He received a package containing four bombs and paid over \$300 in marked money and a check for \$240.

The police signal was sounded and all of the men in the car that had delivered the bombs as well as those in the house nearby were arrested.

Lieut. George Barker, head of the police bomb squad, said the most important men in the bombing in-

dustry were under arrest. They included James Belcastro, believed to be the head of the gang, who was charged with a slaying a year ago but never prosecuted, and Angelo Lucchi, recently acquitted of murder.

The syndicate, Lieutenant Barker said, preferred only to supply explosives but, for an extra payment, would do the tossing or planting as well.

"Prices on the cash and carry basis have ranged from \$10 to \$150 for a single bomb," he said, "and the extra charges for tossing or laying have ranged from \$50 to \$100 and in some cases higher."

Lieut. Barker said there was evidence the gang had been branching out and supplying both bombs and "layers" to clients in other large cities.

After the twelve men arrested had been grilled, raiding squads were sent to their homes and were sent after other men who had been implicated.

TARIFF ON OATS RAISED

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(P)—The tariff on oats was raised from 15 cents a bushel to 16 cents by Republicans of the Senate Finance Committee today in their revision of the House tariff measure.

The rates of 42 cents a bushel on wheat and 25 cents a bushel on corn provided by the House measure were left unchanged. The House had made no change in the rate on oats.

The 25 cents duty on corn is an increase of 10 cents over the present law, while the wheat tariff is the same as at present.

Children Learn Communism in Wisconsin Camp



Communism is being taught Chicago and Milwaukee children at the summer camp of the Workers' International Relief Committee at Paddock's Lake, near Kenosha. This picture shows Miss Eva Stolar, director, conducting a class. The flag in the center is red and a sign on a tree at the right, reads "Young Leninists."

WASHINGTON LEDGER SHOWS EXPENSE OF THE REVOLUTION

BY ROLAND C. DAVIES
(Associated Press Staff Writer)

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(P)—George Washington's revolutionary ledger, showing that as commander-in-chief of the new republic's forces in its long war of independence he spent only \$160,074 of public funds has just been removed from the government's files for the use of American historians.

The ledger covered the eight year period from Washington's assumption of the revolutionary army's command in June, 1775, to the signing of the peace treaty at Paris, and for nearly 150 years has lain thick with dust in the records of the government's general accounting office.

Daily Records

In it, Washington daily recorded with quill and ink his expenses and with careful and explicit notations accounted every expenditure, noting whether it was for "household expenses," reconnoissances of the enemy's forces or for purchase of equipment and filling about 100 pages which now form a priceless manuscript.

The ledger shows that between 1775 and 1781, he spent \$17,617 on his spy system, listing various payments to "unnamed persons."

The book presents a chronological summary of Washington's movements in the revolution and each of his battles. For the first two years, he itemized his expenses in terms of pound sterling, but after 1777 his accounts were in terms of both dollars and the English currency, the latter column being headed "lawful money."

Washington evidently did not attempt to conceal from the new American government his reverses on the battlefield. In his 1777 accounts he recorded expenditures "during the retreat through the Jerseys to Pennsylvania" and later in the same year a \$1,037 item for expenses on the march from Germantown, Pa., "until we huddled at Valley Forge for the winter."

Frequently entries were made for reconnoissances of the commander-in-chief "sometimes with and sometimes without the army but generally with only a party of horse." The expenditures these records show, were to scout the British forces or to lay out the American army's battle plan or defensive positions by personal observation. They constituted a major item of his accounts—a total of \$42,755.

BOARD GETS INFORMATION FROM INSTITUTE ON COTTON PROBLEM

BATON ROUGE, La., Aug. 1.—(P)—With first hand information on the cotton farmers' problem and individual marketing troubles at the American Institute of Co-operation in progress here, a committee from the Federal Farm Board headed by Chairman Alexander Legge, returned to Washington today to meet with the entire board for formulation of farmer policies.

The members of the group, Mr. Legge, C. C. Teague and Carl Williams, accompanied by Secretary of Agriculture Hyde, told the institute that the board would work toward an expansion of co-operative marketing.

Today at the call of C. O. Moser of Dallas, Texas, president of the American Cotton Growers Association, trustees of the organization met to select a committee to visit Washington and lay before the entire board for solution the problems of production, over production, price fluctuation and general depression which has followed the cotton industry since the world war.

The Federal Board group announced that policies would be formed after the cotton committee was given hearings.

Illinois Gasoline Tax in Effect

CHICAGO, Aug. 1.—(P)—Illinois three-cent gasoline tax law went into effect at midnight. This state was the last to adopt a gasoline tax. State officials anticipate \$52,000,000 revenue from the tax within the next two and one half years.

Committee Is Disposed to Hold

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(P)—In the midst of their consideration of the agricultural schedule of the new tariff measure, the Senate Finance Committee Republicans have shown a disposition to maintain or increase most of the rate advances voted by the House.

That was broadly illustrated in the votes on various classes of eggs on some classes of which the House rate was retained, while on others higher imports were voted. The House rates on milk, cream and skimmed milk and on poultry also were raised, while those on cattle, sheep, swine and butter were maintained.

Body of Kidnaped Engineer Is Found

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Aug. 1.—(P)—The body of Charles L. Stanley, 60, retired Frisco railroad engineer, kidnaped and robbed here last Thursday, was found near Lynn Lane, near Tulsa, Oklahoma, according to word received early today. There was a bullet wound in his head.

Stanley, with his wife, came here to visit last week and on Thursday while standing by the Frisco general offices, was asked the direction to Joplin. Approaching the machine, occupied by a man and a woman, Stanley was forced into it when the man drew a pistol. Stanley was blindfolded and taken into the country where he was robbed of \$1,200 cash, a diamond stick pin and a watch.

Held prisoner 36 hours, Stanley was released and made his way here Saturday, where he reported to police. He later returned to Tulsa.

Seven Mexican Bandits Captured

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 1.—(P)—A dispatch to the Excelsior from Guadalupe today said seven bandits headed by a man called "El Tornado" had been captured and executed near Quila. The band had been active along the Guadalupe Quila road.

Explosion Causes Loss of \$100,000

PITTSBURGH, Pa., Aug. 1.—(P)—More than a score of buildings in the "strip" district were damaged an estimated \$100,000 early today by explosion. Police and fire officials believe was caused by a bomb.

A three story hardware establishment was destroyed, and fronts of buildings for more than a block were shattered.

Scores of persons were thrown from their beds, but no serious injuries were reported.

Great Art Collector

It is often said that the late John Pierpont Morgan was the greatest art collector of modern times. His collections were the largest, most varied, and many of them the most important owned by a single individual. He has been compared with Lorenzo de Medici, and it has been said that he surpassed even that prince in the catholicity of his taste.

FARM BOARD STANDS AGAINST THE PROFESSIONAL PROMOTER

WASHINGTON, Aug. 1.—(P)—The Federal Farm Board has decided upon a determined stand against "professional promoters" seeking to "organize" the farmers for benefits under the agricultural marketing act and believes it has fortified itself so that it will not be misled.

Like any important commission when it is first inaugurated, the farm board has been swamped with applications for jobs but to practically all of the cooperative organization promoters, the board "has shown the door" with the declaration that the policy of the commission is to build up existing cooperatives. Members of the board are convinced that, through education, close supervision and a friendly helping attitude, extant cooperatives will be able to demonstrate their value to the farmers and thus increase their membership.

In another category are the apparently large number of well meaning individuals who believe they can assist the board by "visiting" among the farmers and merely spreading a good will gospel of cooperation—at a fair per diem remuneration.

The business of protecting the farmer most effectively is expected by board members to become easier after the scattered existing associations are more closely amalgamated. That is expected to develop after the centralized cooperative marketing corporations have been established and a national chamber of cooperative economics founded.

Inspection of Prisons Begins

HOUSTON, Aug. 1.—(P)—The Prison Centralization Commission began an inspection of penitentiary properties today with a visit to the Harlem and Imperial Farms.

The commission was established by the Legislature to recommend a plan

of prison centralization. It consists of the nine members of the Prison Board and nine legislators.

Immediate Union of Presbyterian Churches Sought

PENNSYLVANIA, Aug. 1.—(P)—Immediate union of all factions of the Presbyterian Church, both North and South, was the call sounded in an address prepared by Dr. William Chalmers Covert of Philadelphia as the keynote of a meeting of the various factions here virtually on the Mason and Dixon line. Dr. Covert is general secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Christian Education.

The conference, called for the purpose of considering unification, is attended by representatives of the several factions.

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- Rexall Saving Toilet 39c
- Cadet Wrapped Caramels, 1-lb. 39c
- Lord Baltimore Portfolio 49c
- Electrex Coffee Percolator, 8-cup \$2.89

Both for \$2.00

More Examples

- Klenzo Dental Creme 49c
- Georgia Rose Gold Cream 19c
- Puretest Zinc Stearate 17c
- Puretest Witch Hazel, pt. 33c
- Jelly Spice Drops, 1-lb. 29c
- Maxine Stationery 49c
- Firstaid Adhesive Plaster, 5 yards x 1 inch 29c

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COMEDY AND NEWS

Coming "The Desert Song"

CABINET VOTE OF CONFIDENCE

PARIS, July 31.—(AP)—The Chamber of Deputies today gave a vote of confidence to the newly created cabinet of Premier Aristide Briand, the vote being 328 to 136.

A "three months truce" in internal politics was sought in the traditional ministerial declaration to Parliament, asking a vote of confidence for the premier to go to the Hague reparations conference.

"The hour in any case is sufficiently grave to justify sacrifice of all other considerations to the needs of our foreign policy," the declaration states.

The Hague conference, which is to be put into effect the Young plan, was described as "an essential link in the chain of peace."

Premier Briand's government considered that "we find ourselves with the heaviest responsibilities that have weighed on any government since the end of the war."

The declaration opened with a tribute to former Premier Poincare on his sick bed awaiting an operation.

Blanket fair, 17 miles east of Brownwood, will hold their annual community fair and rodeo. Special music will be furnished a noon by the Blanket Orchestra and a free barbecue dinner will be served. Agricultural and livestock exhibits will be on display with the rodeo as the climaxing event.

At a recent meeting of the community fair board, R. L. Fortune, superintendent of the Blanket Public School, was elected to head the fair this year. He will supervise the executive part of the affair and have general charge of entertainments.

The feature of the fair, it was said by Mr. Fortune yesterday will be the rodeo in which a large number of Blanket cowboys will compete for honors. This part of the program will be in charge of Bob Swartz and R. L. Chapman.

A baby beef and dairy calf judging contest will also be held in connection with the livestock exhibits. A prize will be awarded the winner of each division of the contest. Will Switzer will have charge of this livestock contest.

The agricultural exhibit will be under the supervision of G. L. Stewart, Will Hepinstall, Earl Deery, Wightman Switzer, Graver Danney, L. L. Langford, Will Hicks and L. L. Gleason. These exhibits will include any quality of field, garden or orchard products.

There will also be a canned goods exhibit in connection with the agricultural exhibit. In charge of this part of the day's program are Mrs. H. Williford, Miss Maurine Bird, Mrs. R. L. Chapman, and Mrs. T. E. Levisay.

An art exhibit will be in charge of Misses Jewel Cade and Maude Dabney. Handwork and sewing exhibits will be under the supervision of Mrs. R. L. Fortune, Mrs. V. B. Eoff and Miss Mildred Bettie. The financial problems will be in direction of Jesse Blanton and T. E. Levisay.

At 11 a. m. a pinto pony parade will be held on the main street with a prize awarded to the boy entering the "handsomest" pony.

Aside from prizes offered in the baby beef and dairy calf judging, all other prizes will be symbolized by ribbons. Mr. Fortune estimates about 1000 people will attend the fair this year.

BLANKET FAIR AUGUST 17TH

MAN GIVEN A RIDE SLASHES OWNER OF CAR

Giving two strange men a lift to two about 1 o'clock this morning proved unfortunate for I. W. Hanson, an employee of the Humble Oil & Refining Company at Bangs. Today he is in the Medical Arts Hospital where emergency treatment. This morning saved him from bleeding to death.

According to Mr. Hanson at the hospital today, he was riding to work on Belle Plain avenue late last night when two men hailed him for a ride. When they arrived at the corner of Lee Street and Main Avenue near the Davenport Chevrolet Station, one of the men fell out of the car and Hanson stopped that the man might get back into the car, according to statements made after the affair. Instead of getting in the car, the man approached from the left side of the car and struck at Hanson. Hanson says he raised his left arm to protect himself when an opened knife in the hands of his unidentified assailant, slashed a gash in his left arm.

He was taken immediately to the Medical Arts Hospital where sudden attention prevented him from bleeding to death.

One of the men who attacked him later was identified it is stated, but was until noon today, no charges had been filed.

Peter B. Kyne's "Tide of Empire" At Gem Theatre

"Tide of Empire," Peter B. Kyne's mighty romance of the California gold rush, now playing at the Gem Theatre, is more than a mere film play. It is a spectacular pageant of a glorious page in history; it is a romance, delicate and haunting as the breath of the lilac, set against the surge and thunder of glorious adventure. Its background is as huge and powerful as the giant Sierras in which it is laid.

This new Cosmopolitan production, released by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, is a gorgeous triumph for the studio that produced it; for Allan Dwan, who directed it; and for Renee Adoree, George Duryea and the rest of the splendid cast that transferred to the screen the mighty romance. Many pictures have been called "epics" that may have fallen short of deserving this title. "Tide of Empire" is not so termed by its producers, but it might well be.

It has the huge scope of the epic—it tells of the Spanish dons' rule of an old civilization, swept from their tranquil grandeur by the gold-seeking hordes that ushered in a modern civilization. It also tells the dramatic story of human struggle in the pioneer fastnesses. The glorious love story that runs, like a silver thread, through the structure, will never be forgotten by those who see it.

IN MEMORY OF LITTLE LOUISE STEWARD

A little baby looked in one day, and smiled on us, and went away; We wonder why it should come and go, And tarry no longer here below.

If baby is dead and that is all, Then sad is the fate that does befall Its little life; but the things we see Are 'th things that are; not what shall be.

A little while and you'll understand That in the beautiful heavenly land The Savior dear, like a shepherd mild, Is caressing in love your little child.

If baby has died to live again, What matter if three score years and ten Were not allotted to it on earth, And its death should follow so soon its birth?

And even its short and beautiful life Has not been lost on this world of strife; Its living here has been worthwhile, For it sweetened hearts with its angel smile.

For baby's work of love has done, And love shall abide when everyone Of other graces has passed away, For the grace of love shall forever stay.

No baby has ever lived in vain, No child ever died but death was gain; He gathers them in, His previous own, And they worship him at the Great White Throne.

So baby has come and baby's gone, And weary our limbs move sadly on; And in our hearts is a tender place, And a softer mood and a heavenly grace.

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BOYS MEET FOR EDISON TESTS

EAST ORANGE, N. J., July 31.—(AP)—Forty-nine rather badly frightened boys were assembled here today for a series of tests to determine upon which one of them the mantle of Thomas A. Edison shall descend.

The boys, ranging in age from 15 to 21, come from the 48 states and the District of Columbia. They were selected by elimination as the "brightest" in their states and to the winner will be awarded a scholarship by Mr. Edison for five tuition in technical schools for four years.

Thomas A. Edison himself will confront them tomorrow with one of his famous questionnaires.

PURCHASES OF ROAD MACHINERY MADE BY COMMISSIONERS COURT

The purchase of a sixty horse power Best tractor, a fifty horse power Monarch tractor and a ten foot Adams grader, was made by the Commissioners' Court Monday after considering a number of bids. The purchase of a third tractor was deferred for a future meeting. This machinery was bought for use on the county's lateral roads.

Bills of \$24.70 for making a Brown county map showing school districts and \$156.50 for locating a third class road from May to the Salt Mountain school house, presented by Engineer Mark E. Ragsdale, were approved by the court.

Ira Piqua was appointed instrument man on the county road surveying crew to take the place of Tom Carney, who recently resigned. W. C. Bragdon was made concrete inspector on road job 4-A, and A. Arcle on road job 2-A, the court approving these appointments.

Too Fast
Air mail traveling three and a half miles a minute is altogether too fast, especially along the first.

MORTUARY

MRS. MARTHA CARMICHAEL
Mrs. Martha Carmichael, 74, for many years a citizen of Brownwood and Brown county, died at 7:30 Monday afternoon in a local hospital where she had been taken for treatment. Mrs. Carmichael was left a widow several years ago and since had lived with her son, Charlie Carmichael, at 1713 Belle Plain Avenue.

Mrs. Carmichael was born November 22, 1854, in Mississippi, but had lived in Texas most of her life. Funeral services were held at 2 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the Belle Plain Baptist church, with Revs. Watson and Steel officiating. Burial was to have been made at Groveson, with McInnis Funeral Home as directors, according to arrangements Tuesday morning.

G. A. BROOKS
George Alford Brooks, 76, died at his home, 911 Belle Plain Avenue Monday night at 9:30 following an extended illness. Mr. Brooks was born October 16, 1852, in Kentucky but moved to Texas in early life.

Mr. Brooks is survived by his wife and four sons, H. O. and T. R. Brooks, of Brownwood, T. E. Brooks of Stephenville and E. E. Brooks of Eldridge.

According to plans Tuesday morning, funeral services for Mr. Brooks were to have been held at 4:30 Tuesday afternoon at Cedar Point, with Rev. Watkins officiating.

McInnis Funeral Home were directors in charge.

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JULY FIRE LOSS IN CITY ABOUT \$7,000

Of the ten calls answered by the Brownwood Volunteer Fire Department during the month of July, only four of them in the city limits made a total loss of about \$7,000, according to the records of Fire Chief Rance Pettitt.

Of these, the two greatest were on Main Boulevard, house and contents of P. L. Mayfield being destroyed with a loss of about \$5,200; and the Boyd residence, loss about \$1,600.

The Shelton dairy fire, where a barn burned with a loss of \$12,000, was outside the city limits and was not counted in the city's loss.

A call at the home of J. H. Barber, 1512 Coogan Avenue at 10:50 a. m. Wednesday, resulted in no loss, a water heater having caused slight damage to the walls.

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Zephyr

The Christian meeting is now in progress at this place. Rev. Montgomery is doing the preaching. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boland were in Mullin Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Prana and little daughter, Marjorie, Francis were visiting here Sunday. Clarence Piller left Friday for Austin where he will be employed for some time. Mr. Rayford Davis of Goldthwaite was visiting in Zephyr Sunday. Mackie Reasoner of Briant, spent last week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Reasoner. Miss Myrtle McKinney left Friday for a visit with friends in Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bolter, of Tuscola, are visiting Mrs. Bolter's mother, Mrs. T. A. Locks. Mrs. Id. Dudley is visiting her daughter near Pempy. Misses Thelma Piller and Marzelle Boland were in Mullin Sunday afternoon. Miss Emma Joe Graves, of Big Spring, is visiting her cousin Miss Allie Ray Coffey at this place. Miss Bettie Bell and Mr. Junior Morris spent the week-end visiting relatives here. Miss Lois McCollum of Brownwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boland Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Alton Johnson were in Brownwood Monday. Mrs. Walter Mosler of Brownwood spent a few days last week with her sister Mrs. Clyde Greer at this place. Miss Marzelle Boland returned home Sunday from a trip in West Texas. Mr. G. L. Piller was in Brownwood on business Wednesday. Mr. James Wood of Cincinnati, Ohio, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood. Miss Ruby Goodnight of Fort Worth is visiting Mrs. Philip Locks this week. Uncle Bud Cobb of Corpus Christi is visiting friends and relatives at this place. Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Kensey, who have been visiting Mrs. Kensey's parents, left Sunday for Sweetwater. Mrs. Jim Wood and son, James, left Tuesday for Temple. Miss Berta Mae Deeve of near Mullin is visiting her sister, Mrs. Murphy Petty at this place. Mr. and Mrs. Sims Graves of Brownwood, are visiting Mr. Graves' sister, Mrs. Brooks Coffey. Mr. and Mrs. P. L. McCown were shopping in Brownwood Monday. Miss Vera Chesnar of Mullin was in Zephyr Sunday. Mrs. Herbert Locks was a Brownwood visitor Tuesday. Mrs. Jim Baker, Mrs. Perlie Aldridge and Alton Baker, all of California, are visiting relatives at this place. Good Graves of Big Spring is visiting relatives at this place. Miss Aurelia Petty visited Miss Virgie McKinney in Brownwood on Tuesday afternoon. A number of people of Zephyr attended church at Bethel Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boland were shopping in Brownwood Tuesday. The community picnic was a big success, although the rain stopped

the progress of the rodeo for some time. The morning program was very interesting, the Colts band furnishing the music. F. L. McCown was transacting business in Brownwood Tuesday. The ladies of the missionary society have postponed the ice cream supper until Thursday night, August the eighth on account of the Christian meeting. Everyone is invited to come. Mrs. Walter Reasoner and daughter Iva Mae were in Brownwood Tuesday. Miss Helen Cunningham returned to her work in Brownwood Monday after spending her vacation visiting friends and relatives at this place. Rev. and Mrs. Paul McCastleman were visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cunningham Wednesday evening of last week. Rev. Jim Cole is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Cole. Mrs. W. A. Piller and little daughter, Eula Nell are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Piller.

Goldthwaite

Henry Featherstone has been real sick for several days at his home on South Parker street. Mrs. Farris of Pilot Point is here the guest of her sister, Mrs. Pribble. Mrs. J. E. Brooking was on the sick list the first of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Partridge and daughter of Lometa visited relatives here last Saturday. Mrs. Bettie Bowden is here visiting her sister, Mrs. McGirk. Mrs. J. T. Morris is real sick in Central Texas Hospital Brownwood. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Clements sympathize with them on account of the death of their little granddaughter which occurred at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Clements in Coleman. A message came to them Wednesday night of last week announcing the illness of the little baby. They went at once and the little one passed away Friday. G. W. Jackson, owner of the post-office building, had another section of lock boxes placed in the post-office last week. Since the raising of the grade of the postoffice there has been an increased demand for boxes which made this necessary. Work has begun on the frame for the garage on the north side of the Saylor Hotel. The building will front Fisher street. The front of the building will be used for an office and display room by Kelly Saylor the Chevrolet sales manager here. Bentley Clements, the 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Duke Clements was bitten by a snake one day last week. He and another little boy were plum hunting on the mountain east of town. He and his companion corded the finger and the one next to it, and when he got home and a physician was called he found he was in no danger from the bite. Quite a number of people are complaining of their turkeys being stolen. Sheriff Bledsoe is working hard on the situation. One man was placed in jail Monday charged with turkey stealing. Mrs. Wilbur Fairman's friends sympathize greatly with her on the

account of the death of her mother Mrs. McKnight at Marlin on Wednesday night of last week. Mrs. Fairman had been with her mother some time before her death and it had been known for some time that she could not get well. W. D. Holland, who suffered a stroke of paralysis several months ago is able to ride out some now and was able to see some of the races at the annual fair. It is not expected he will fully recover but his friends are glad to see him able to be out again. Mrs. Hunt was called to Payne Gap last Friday to attend the bedside of one of her grandchildren who had been bitten by a copperhead snake. The child is only 3 years old but at last report was doing nicely. The revival meeting at the Nazarene church closed last Sunday night. Several conversions and reclamations were reported as a result of the meeting. Rev. S. D. Lambert, pastor of the Methodist church here, assisted in a revival at Center City last week.

The revival at the Methodist church began last Sunday night to continue until August 11. Rev. Alouzo Monk is doing the preaching and the song services are conducted by C. E. Dodge. Good crowds are attending each service. The revival at the Church of Christ is to begin next Sunday. Rev. G. A. Dunn Jr. is to do the preaching. Bro. Dunn is an evangelist and has recently returned from a visit to the Holy Land. He is accompanied by a notable singer.

SHEEP MEN SPONSOR BILL AIMED AT THEFT OF POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK

The sheep growers of Texas sponsored a House bill which requires a permit to be obtained before livestock can be shipped by truck, this being for the purpose of retarding the theft of livestock and poultry throughout the state. The bill, provides in brief, any person who is the driver of any motor truck, automobile or other vehicle must have a permit before being allowed to transport livestock of any kind, including poultry, dead or alive on land not his own, or that is not leased by him, or that does not belong to the person for whom he is working. If found transporting such livestock without a permit, the driver must make an affidavit containing all facts that would be required to secure a permit. The penalty would be a fine of not less than \$25 nor more than \$200 for each animal or head of poultry transported.

In other words the law makes it impossible for anyone to legally transport livestock or poultry, dead or alive, in a motor truck or automobile without a permit, this being to curtail theft of sheep, turkeys and other animals. The bill had an emergency clause attached and passed in the last term and is now a law.

ABATTOIR PLAN DISCUSSED BY CITY COUNCIL

Discussion of plans for a centralized abattoir, the filling of a vacancy on the City Plan Commission and further discussion in regard to the selection of a meat and food inspector to enforce the recent meat and food ordinance passed by City Council, occupied the attention of Council in regular weekly session at City Hall Tuesday night. Mayor G. W. McDonald and all members of Council were present. W. J. Odell appeared before the Council asking for approval and official designation of an abattoir that he proposes to build on his place near the city limits on the Brady Highway. Mr. Odell presented a petition signed by most of the Brownwood butchers asking that Council designate the proposed abattoir as the butchering plant for all meat killed and offered for sale in Brownwood, these butchers promising Council their hearty cooperation in complying with all phases of the new meat and food ordinance, especially in regards to the inspection of meat offered for sale. Mr. Odell stated to Council that the abattoir, as proposed, would make it possible for the city inspector to inspect the meat while same is being butchered, as well as later when it is placed in the various markets and offered for sale. Mr. Odell advised that he plans to spend about \$2,000 on the proposed plant, building it so as to comply with all state and city regulations pertaining to the slaughtering of animals whose meat would in turn be offered for sale at a public place of business.

No Action Taken Although City Council expressed hearty approval individually of the proposed project, no action was taken Tuesday night, this being delayed one week to allow them more time to consider the project. Dr. W. H. Sanderson suggested that Council could do nothing other than pass an ordinance requiring that all meat offered for sale in Brownwood be killed in an abattoir meeting with certain requirements and that it was not in Council's power to designate any one butchering plant as the only one in which animals could be killed. Council also discussed the employment of a meat and food inspector and although no definite

action was taken, the entire body favored the employment of Dr. W. R. Sanderson, local veterinarian. It was stated that Dr. Sanderson had signified that he would take the position at a salary of \$175 per month and that he would devote as much time to the work as required to fulfill all duties of the office. However no definite agreement was reached by Council as that body desired to have a contract drawn up, this to be entered into and signed by both parties. The main purpose of this contract seemed to be to reach a definite understanding as to the collection of fees by the inspector Council desiring that the inspector handle this part of the work.

Boon on Commission Upon the request of the City Plan Commission, E. M. Boon, former alderman, was named as a member of the Commission to take the place left vacant by the recent death of J. R. Looney. Although Mr. Looney was chairman of the commission, Mr. Boon will not take this place, as the commission is to meet at an early date to elect a chairman. Dick Simmons appeared before Council asking for a permit to build a gasoline filling station for the Humble Oil & Gas Co. at the corner of Belle Plain avenue and West Broadway. This permit was granted. F. B. Greenwood appeared before Council asking for an adjustment on delinquent taxes on three lots he had recently obtained title to these lots being located in Brownwood Heights Addition. Council, however, refused to make any reduction in the amount of taxes due and unpaid. City Manager H. V. Hennen reported to Council that the present city water supply will last until July 30, 1929.

OPERATION UNDERGONE BY POINCARE

PARIS, Aug. 1.—(AP)—Raymond Poincare underwent successfully today a preliminary operation for the treatment of a pelvic affection, which forced his retirement as premier last week. A bulletin issued at 9 a. m. read: "M. Raymond Poincare has been operated upon this morning under the best possible conditions by Dr. Marion. There were present at the operation Professor Gosset, and Dr. Boidin. "Everything passed off in the simplest manner." The former premier left the operating room within a half hour of entering at 8 a. m. and soon recovered consciousness. He said he felt no pain and his doctors said there was no fever and they were confident everything would go well. The premier's operation was for an affection of the prostate gland, of a nature common to old men. He will be 69 August 29.

He probably will remain abed two or three days and then be taken home to await the major operation. The Chicago district federal court established some kind of a record when only four not guilty verdicts were returned in the year ending July 30, 1929.

FEDERAL FARM FACTS

MORE money is being asked by the U. S. Department of Agriculture to control the Mediterranean fruit fly which has contained to spread at an alarming rate. Present appropriations are insufficient, the department says, and additional funds are not secured the pest will spread throughout the Gulf States and California. Three new offices recently opened by the Bureau of Agriculture Economics, U. S. Department of Agriculture, on the Pacific coast, will extend its market news on grain, hay and feed on a nation-wide basis. The offices are at San Francisco, Los Angeles and Portland. Even though hens in farm flocks throughout the country numbered about 4 per cent less on June 1 than at the same time a year ago, egg production per hen is larger than last year due to greater abundance and lower price of feed, reports the U. S. Department of Agriculture. Farm wages are reported by the U. S. Department of Agriculture as being slightly higher than last year, indexing 173 this year as compared with 150 last year.

Hole-in-One His Forte John J. O'Connor of Newark, N. J. played around with a golf ball and clubs for 15 years without scoring a hole-in-one. Then, within a period of two weeks, he made three of them.

WESTERN UNION OFFICE MOVES ON CENTER AVE.

Local offices of the Western Union Telegraph Company have been moved from their old location on East Baker Street to their new quarters at 316 Center Avenue. Moving began at the close of business Tuesday night, and all connections were completed and the office was ready to resume operations in their more conveniently located quarters at 5 a. m. Wednesday. I. B. Burns arrested on assault charge. A complaint was filed in municipal court against I. B. Burns, proprietor of a dry cleaning establishment, charging him with assault, and Burns was arrested by A. P. Eunis of the city force. Burns was released on making a \$200 bond to appear in court. This complaint was made as a result of the cutting Monday night of I. W. Hanson in Brownwood, Hanson having been taken to the Medical Arts Hospital in a serious condition with a cut on his arm.

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Brownwood, Texas

spent from Wednesday until Friday of last week. Copperas Cove, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter and daughter, Miss Nettie and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dowdy and little daughter visited Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Garrett of Dublin Wednesday.

Paul Henderson accepted a position with a surveying company in Brownwood last week. Misses Maud and Blanche Dabney returned home Sunday from an extended visit with relatives of Spur and Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stewart and Mr. and Mrs. Clair Bettis of Brownwood visited J. A. Bettis and family Sunday.

Mrs. Janie McLaughlin and children of Stepps Creek visited relatives here Sunday.

Ben Nix and family visited in Rising Star Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Woods and children of Morton visited his father Rev. A. Woods last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dabney visited in Cisco Sunday.

Homer Coppedge of Somerton, Arizona visited friends here Tuesday and Wednesday.

Misses Lena, Leatrice and Beatrice Eoff were visiting in Owens Tuesday.

Miss Irene Falls and E. M. Routh were quietly married Wednesday evening at 8:30 o'clock at the home of the bride in the presence of a few relatives and friends.

Rev. M. B. Epperson, the pastor of the Presbyterian church performed the ceremony. The bride is at the present time agent for the Southwest Telephone Company while Mr. Routh comes from Brownwood.

The out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. William Turner of Brownwood; Mrs. Steele of Ft. Worth; Mrs. Noel Hayes of Caldwell; Mrs. John Reed and daughter, Miss Betty of Wichita Falls and Mrs. M. W. Mackey of Oklahoma.

The many friends of the couple wish for them the greatest of success and happiness as they journey through life together.

Mrs. M. B. Epperson was taken to a local hospital in Brownwood Friday where she underwent an operation on Saturday. At last report she was doing fairly well.

Luke and Whit Reeves left Sunday for Abilene for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Bird returned last week from a visit with relatives in Tennessee.

Rev. Z. T. Blanton left the first of last week for East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Finis Epperson of Cleburne came in Thursday to be at the bedside of his mother who is ill.

Mrs. John Strickland and little daughter, Inez, and Miss Annie Strickland were shopping in Brownwood Friday.

Miss Odell Howton and Ellis Bradley surprised their many friends Thursday by driving over to Coleman and getting married. The two then drove on to Abilene for a short visit with relatives.

The bride is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Howton and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradley. Both parties have been reared in this community and have a host of friends who wish for them the greatest success and happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Deen of Brownwood visited relatives here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Lowe and son Ward of Bangs were visiting here Sunday.

Misses Mildred and Aline Bettis and Octavine Lanford entertained a number of their friends Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. V. B. Eoff with a surprise miscellaneous shower in honor of Mrs. Olaf Hall.

The revival meeting at the Baptist church will begin the third Sunday in August.

T. V. Austin and family and Miss Nina Dossy were visiting at Sidney Sunday.

T. E. Levisay purchased a new Chevrolet sedan Friday.

Mrs. Joe Smith of Gonzales came in last week to be at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. M. B. Epperson.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Bradley and children left Sunday for a tour on the plains.

Mrs. Bob Swart and Mrs. Jack Knox gave a surprise miscellaneous shower Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. E. M. Routh. The ladies met at the home of Mrs. Swart and went in a body to the home of Mrs. Routh. A number of beautiful and useful gifts were received.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hawkins came in Sunday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hawkins.

George Huckaby and family moved to Brownwood the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Eaton were visiting in Comanche Monday.

Miss Jessie Ruth Blanton visited in the home of Earl McMurphy of Owen last week.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Edgings a boy one day last week.

Mrs. McGuire returned home on Tuesday of last week from an extended visit with relatives of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Crisp were shopping in Brownwood Wednesday.

Misses Myrtle Faulkner and Lera Blanton were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Isaac Bishop of Cross Plains is visiting here this week.

John McQueen of Brownwood was visiting his mother Sunday.

Alvin Richmond and children returned home Monday from a visit in Roswell and Las Vegas, New Mexico and other points of interest.

Herman Bettis of Tyler visited his sister, Mrs. Jack Knox Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Bowden, Mr. and Mrs. William Turner of Brownwood; Mr. and Mrs. George Routh of Jones Chapel and Paul Gilliam of Comanche visited Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Routh Sunday.

Rev. A. Woods and son, W. A. Woods, left Monday for Breckenridge where they expect to fish for a short time.

Mrs. Teague of O'Donnell spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Vernon.

Mrs. T. M. McCulley and son, Jake, and Mrs. A. R. Douglas were in Saturday morning.

Mrs. Jim McCulley and Mrs. W. D. McCulley of Brownwood at-

tended the party of Mrs. Olaf Hall last Tuesday.

Mrs. Noel Hayes and children of Childrens and Mrs. John Reed and children of Wichita Falls came in the first of last week for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Crisp.

Mrs. Hibler was shopping in Brownwood Wednesday.

Mrs. E. W. Mackey of Oklahoma came in Wednesday for a visit with her brother, D. E. Crisp and family.

Haddon Hatto and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Ratto moved to Sweetwater the first of the week.

Miss Iva Mae Kennedy of Howard Payne college spent the week end with homefolks.

League program for August 4: Subject: "Where Does Christ Come In—In the Several Forms of Social Recreation In Which Young People Engage." Leader, Miss Lois Puller; Scripture lesson, Ex. 20:4; Songs, to be selected, is pleasure your God, Thelma Switzer; Where does Christ come in (Part 1 and 2), Mrs. Geo. Gleaton; Part 3, Mrs. Roy Yantis, Epworth League Benediction.

This program will be given Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, instead of the usual League hour of 7:30.

The Woman's County Demonstration Club met at home of Mrs. A. D. Petty Tuesday afternoon. A good crowd gathered and enjoyed lessons in basket making. A business meeting was held. Reports on the encampment was given. Mrs. MacMcQuade will attend the short course given at A. & M. College next week.

Ewell Brewer is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Weaver Lewis from Texarkana and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wiggins left Friday to spend the week-end with their brother, Marion Wiggins, in Paducah.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Snipes of Running Water came home with Mrs. Snipes' mother, Mrs. John Witt, who has been visiting in Running Water.

Burret Williams returned Thursday from a brief visit in Alpine.

Mrs. R. T. Wallace's mother, Mrs. House, and little Miss returned to their home in Belton Wednesday morning.

Work was started Thursday tearing down the old Methodist Church. They will soon be ready to start on the foundation of the new church.

Bob Steel has traded for a ranch near Priddy. He is soon to make his home there.

Quite a number of people of May

attended the baptizing of Holder on Sunday afternoon. There were thirteen new members to their church. Rev. Isabell is pastor.

Word came Sunday evening of the death of Dr. Luther Trigg of Snyder Dr. and Mrs. Trigg had been traveling in California for Dr. Trigg's health. He had undergone some kind of operation in Silverton, California, at 5:00 a. m. Sunday and died at 1 p. m. Particulars has not been learned, however, he will be buried in Snyder probably Wednesday or

Thursday. Mrs. Snyder is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Brown left early Monday morning to meet the body of Dr. Trigg and bereaved ones in Snyder. Dr. Trigg has a host of friends and relatives here, who will attend the funeral.

Groner Williams has leased S. H. Roberson's Cafe and Cream Station. He is to take charge the first of the month.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Cooper, and children of San Antonio, were guests in the home of Mrs. Cooper's brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ferguson the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Guyer and son, Maurice, visited relatives at Proctor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Early and son, Firman, accompanied Jim and Bennett Joiner to Fredericksburg Sunday. They had been guests in the Early home for three weeks.

Monroe Rochester and family of Zephyr, spent Sunday in Bangs, visiting relatives, and attended service at the Methodist church.

Miss Alice Maud House, of Brownwood, was the guest of Miss Virgie Mae Sheffield Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim George Jackson arrived Monday from Wichita, Kansas and are guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson and other relatives.

Mrs. W. D. Cippic, has returned home after undergoing an operation in a Brownwood hospital.

Carl Heffington and C. M. Davidson have returned from a business trip to Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ray, visited their parents here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schwartz and daughters of Hico, visited Mrs. Schwartz's parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Weaver of Cross Plains, attended the funeral of Miss Thelma Prince Friday afternoon.

Jodie McKnight returned to his home at Fort Worth Sunday after a visit to his mother and other relatives and friends.

Miss Lilly Pearl Allcorn left on Sunday for a visit to relatives at Rotan.

Miss Melba Bettis and mother and sister, Miss Mildred, of Blanket, were here Friday to attend the funeral of Miss Thelma Prince.

G. W. Bousland of Brownwood came up Saturday afternoon and placed a beautiful new piano in the Methodist church to be used during the revival meeting.

Mrs. Ida M. Phillips left Friday to accompany her daughter, Mrs. Annie Stubblefield of Coleman on a vacation tour. They are visiting Mrs. Stubblefield's daughter at Tiptoe, and from there will go to Pecos before their return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollin Hise and Mrs. Marion Gams left Monday for Colorado and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange and daughters left Sunday and will spend their vacation seeing the sights in Colorado.

Mrs. Sarah J. Cook returned home Sunday after spending more than two months in Hot Springs, Arkansas visiting her sister, Mrs. W. H. Moore, whom she had not seen in sixteen years. She also visited her niece, Mrs. E. H. Powell of Little Rock.

Miss Melba Martin has returned from Fort Worth where she spent several weeks with relatives.

Rev. M. C. Hayes of Lorena, came in Monday morning to do the preaching in the revival which began Sunday at the Methodist church. Rev. Hays, was general evangelist in the state of Oklahoma for four years, was also pastor there. He has held several pastorates. He

spoke Monday morning from the twelfth chapter of Corinthians the twenty-seventh verse: Ye are the body of Christ. The morning services will be held in the church, the evening services at the tabernacle.

Mrs. W. J. Prince and daughter, Miss Yona Bell, left Tuesday for a visit to relatives in Corpus Christi.

Miss Thelma Prince, daughter of Mrs. W. J. Prince, died very suddenly Thursday night at their home here. Her mother had stepped just next door and when she returned, found the daughter where she had fallen, all was done that could be done but the beautiful spirit of this young life had gone to a far more beautiful place of abode than this. Miss Prince had been in delicate health most of her life, but apparently was enjoying better health than usual when the summons came for her to go home.

A very beautiful funeral service was held at the Methodist church Friday afternoon at five o'clock held by Rev. Utley, pastor of the church and Rev. O. C. Reid, of Fort Worth. A beautiful floral arrangement bearers were Walter Ewden, Paul Gibson, Homer Brown, Calvin Sechrist, Loice McMurtrey, Ray Bain, Altus Bowden has returned from Del Rio and Matador.

Mrs. Floyd Hollinger and children of Talpa came in Tuesday for a week's visit in the home of her sister, Mrs. Head.

Guy Eads and H. L. Allcorn are in Fort Worth this week with a carload of fat cows.

Mr. and Mrs. Cash Royalty of Lubbock were guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Allcorn Sunday and Monday. Mrs. Royalty is Mr. Allcorn's cousin.

A Mr. Robinson, who works in the Whiteside oil field was injured Tuesday by a piece of timber hitting him in the head.

Mrs. Mary Brude and daughter Mrs. Pierce, of Brownwood, attended services at the Church of Christ Sunday and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Noah McLaughlin.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Davenport of El Paso are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jule Allcorn and other relatives.

Miss Inez Gibson and O. M. Leonard, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Crowder at Albany Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaten Brooks have returned to their home at Dallas after a visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks.

Mrs. Grace Winn and three sons, of Muleshoe, are guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Brooks.

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