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## LOCAL MEN TO LOOK FOR MISSING CATTLE IN 2 STOLEN HERDS

Sheriff Jack Hallmark and M. E. Fry were in Shackelford and Stephens counties to see if they could identify any Brown county cattle in a couple of herds held by officers of that section in an effort to break up what is believed to be the biggest cattle stealing ring in the history of those western counties.

Three men are being held in jail as a result of the officers' drive. Hallmark and Fry did not identify stock from this section in their brief inspection, but a more thorough check-up will be made in the next few days.

The Albany sheriff told Hallmark that in the next three or four days he would try to be ready to invite all who have had cattle stolen, or have cattle missing from their herds, to come on a day to be named, at which time all may thoroughly go through the herds and see if any of their cattle are among them.

### Will Notify Local Men

In turn, Sheriff Hallmark states that he will notify all in this county who are known to have lost cattle within the last five or six months, and will ask them to go with him for the inspections as soon as he has been notified of the date by the Albany sheriff. Four or five men in Brown county have lost cattle from their herds in the last few months, he said.

Sheriff Hallmark and Mr. Fry visited one herd of cattle that was held on a ranch fifteen miles south-east of Albany and another in pastures on the line of Shackelford and Stephens counties. There were 600 or 700 head of the cattle, Hallmark said. All brands had been changed.

An Abilene Reporter-News correspondent writing Albany Monday said:

"Local officers, assisted by Texas Rangers, today spurred their efforts to crack what appears to be the biggest cattle stealing racket in Shackelford county's history."

### Fifty-Two Head Identified

"Meanwhile, West Central Texas stockmen and officers began the tedious job of identifying cattle stolen in their respective areas. They were inspecting crudely branded animals in two herds being held east of here by county officers.

"Already 52 cows and calves have been claimed by Shackelford ranchers from approximately 100 held. Tentative identifications were made today by stockmen from Hamlin, Merkel, Moran, Putnam and Palo Pinto, who reported losses during the summer.

"Work on the case was started last Tuesday when one of the three men—members of a pioneer Shackelford county ranch family—being held in jail was arrested by officers as he attempted to load cattle from a pasture adjoining his ranch.

"County Attorney Thomas L. Blanton Jr. and Sheriff John Holland today questioned the prisoners and other suspects preparatory to filing charges. Several other members of the family were released after questioning.

"The remaining unclaimed cattle carry various and sundry brands, some having as many as half a dozen different marks, making identification difficult."

## Reports Building of 17 Earthen Tanks

County Agent C. W. Lehmburg reports the building of 17 earthen tanks by Brown county farmers and stockmen in the last thirty days. The average maximum depth of the tanks is 19.7 feet. They average two acres each, covering a total of 34 acres, with a total water holding capacity of 122 acre feet.

## METHODISTS OF THIS AREA TO HEAR BISHOP IVAN LEE HOLT IN BROWNWOOD SUNDAY NIGHT

Methodist churches of Brown county are uniting for a joint service at First Methodist church in Brownwood Sunday night, to hear a sermon by Bishop Ivan Lee Holt on his first Episcopal visitation to this area.

Rev. Leslie Boone, pastor of First Methodist church, and Rev. A. D. Chisholm, Central Methodist pastor, are arranging for the service and pastors and members of congregations from Bangs, Blanket, Zephyr, Indian Creek, May and other places are expected to join in greeting the bishop and hearing him speak to the churches of this section. The hour will be 7:30.

Special music for the service will be by the combined choirs of First and Central churches under the direction of Miss Bettie Murhl.

## THREE CANDIDATES TO OPPOSE O'DANIEL IN NOVEMBER ELECTION

W. Lee O'Daniel, Democratic nominee for governor, will be opposed by three candidates in the November election.

The general election ballot will have only six columns this year, compared with eight two years ago. In order, from left to right, columns had been designated for the Democrats, Republicans, Socialists, Communists, Independents and any candidates whose names might be written in.

Two years ago the Prohibition and Union parties also were represented. That was one of the largest ballots of all time in Texas, perhaps the largest.

**Socialist Slate Full**  
The Secretary of State's department recently barred from the ballot names of four candidates for office on the Communist party because they had participated in a Democratic primary.

The four were Enoch Hardaway, candidate for Railroad Commissioner; O. T. Campbell, for Comptroller; W. C. Rucker for State Treasurer, and Ben H. Lauderdale, for Commissioner of Agriculture.

The Communists, however, had candidates listed for four state offices, including Governor. The other three were for Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General and Land Commissioner.

The Republican party, on the tentative ballot, was represented by candidates for 10 state offices. Two of the nominees chosen at Houston, H. A. Van Tassel for Treasurer and Thomas E. Ball for Judge of the Court of Criminal Appeals withdrew.

The Socialists had a full slate of 12 candidates in the field.

All candidates were required this year to certify whether they had participated in the Democratic primaries. Replies had not been received by the Secretary of State from all.

The ballot, subject to last minute corrections, listed the following for state offices:

### For Governor

Democrats—W. Lee O'Daniel of Fort Worth.

Republicans—Alexander Boynton of San Antonio.

Socialists—Earle E. Miller of Dallas.

Communists—Homor Brooks of Houston.

### For Lieutenant Governor

Democrats—Coke Stevenson of Junction.

Republicans—S. D. Bennett of Beaumont.

Socialists—H. D. Pouncey of Waco.

Communists—Cecil Robinett of Houston.

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## BIG CROWD EXPECTED AT COMMUNITY FAIR AT BLANKET SATURDAY

Blanket people have things all in readiness for the community fair to be held there Saturday, October 15. A fine interest in the fair is reported and a large attendance is expected. A good collection of exhibits is assured.

Music for the day will be furnished by the Blanket Hill Billy Band (the Future Farmers five-piece string band of that community) and the Daniel Baker Band. The Blanket band will play Saturday morning and the D.B.C. band will play in the afternoon.

The Blanket fair is in the hands of a committee of which W. B. Jones is chairman and J. M. Logan vice-chairman. Other members of the committee are L. F. Bird, J. B. Evans, J. A. Kesler, T. E. Levisay, T. M. McCully, S. E. Lacy, Mrs. V. B. Eoff and Miss Cathryn Rushing.

## NEW PRODUCER AND STARTING DEEP TEST WEEK'S OIL RECORD

One new producing well and the spudding in of a new deep test are the chief features of oil activities in Brown county this week.

The G. P. Mitcham well on the Newton tract in the Thrifty field was drilled in Tuesday and is showing to be one of the nicest producers that has been drilled in that area. Estimates have placed the production at somewhere between thirty and fifty barrels daily.

A new wildcat well that takes the try for Ellenberger lime production into the extreme south-western part of the county is now starting. The test is by the B. F. Phillips Company of Gladewater on the J. V. Sewall ranch, five miles southwest of Brooksmith. Contract is for 2,500 feet. Rig was moved in by W. D. Cunningham of Brownwood, contractor, latter part of last week. The location is a quarter of a mile east of the old Bud Rice home.

Art Cox Production Company, who spudded a well on the M. L. Guthrie tract several weeks ago, have changed location and have moved the rig about 1,000 feet to offset the Sewall tract. Their location now is about three-eighths of a mile from the Phillips location.

The Jim Brewer well on the Doug Scott tract in the Salt Creek area, eight miles northeast of Brownwood, set casing last week around 750 feet.

The C. Newburne well on the Faulkner tract, about two miles north of the Salt Creek wells, is drilling below 1,350 feet.

## Next Year's Wheat Allotments Made

Wheat allotments for the 1939 crop have been mailed to Brown county farmers.

The allotments set the amount of wheat acreage that the farmer may plant for the ensuing year and be eligible for AAA benefits.

Growers complying with the program are in line for wheat payments on acreage planted and the AAA wheat crop subsidy.

Farmers who plant less than eight acres in wheat were not mailed the allotments. They may come in the county agent's office and make arrangements for their acreage, or may plant what they normally plant. Shows said.

## Twice as Many Men As Women at T. U.

Austin—There are more than two men for every woman student at The University of Texas this year, 6,918 boys having enrolled as compared with 3,057 girls. It is shown by statistics on registration up to September 27, compiled by the Registrar's office. A total of 9,975 students had enrolled up to that date, as compared with 9,266 on the comparable date last year. Total enrollment by October 6, however, including late registrations with loss of credit, totaled 10,064.

The largest percentage increase in enrollment occurred in the College of Pharmacy, which showed a gain of 17.9 per cent over last year. In actual individual enrollments however, the College of Arts and Sciences showed the largest gain, 220 students, or 4 per cent.

A total of 115 students enrolled in the University's newest branch, the College of Fine Arts, 25 men and 90 women.

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Sweet-voiced Deanna Durbin of the movies was just 13 when the picture at left above was taken as she started on the road to stardom. She has come far and fast in the two years since. And she has "grown up" too--witness the new picture at right of a mature young lady dressed in the height of fashion.

## PECAN BAYOU FLOOD SURVEY IS BEGUN BY ENGINEERING PARTY

A flood control survey of Pecan Bayou and Lake Brownwood by the United States Engineering Department, a division of the War Department, was begun Wednesday as a part of a flood control project covering the entire Colorado river watershed.

The work is being done here by a party under the direction of J. A. Cotton, assistant engineer in charge of the work in this area. The group was transferred to Brownwood to take up its work here on completion of a survey at Brady. They arrived in Brownwood Monday and established their headquarters at Brownwood Hotel. There were ten in the group arriving at that time and Mr. Cotton stated that the number working out of the Brownwood office would range from ten to forty.

It is said that the advisability of constructing floodgates at the lake which would permit raising the water level in time of flood are to be investigated.

In the party arriving here with Mr. Cotton were W. B. Clark, Jack Butler, W. F. Cooper, W. D. Durant, G. O. Griffin, G. M. Morgan, J. W. Penuel, W. R. Wood and C. O. Caffey.

## YOUTH NEAR THRIFTY IS FATALLY BURNED

Charles Burroughs of Thrifty, fifteen years old, died this, Thursday, morning from burns received Wednesday night when a small oil still which he had made from a stove in the pasture near his home exploded. He was brought to Central Texas hospital but succumbed to the burns a few hours later.

His mother, Mrs. A. K. White, and his two sisters, one 17 and the other 7, were with him when the explosion occurred. The elder sister threw sand on the boy to extinguish the flames.

The boy ran a half mile to the home of an uncle who brought him to Brownwood. His mother and sister went to a neighbor's home and were taken to the hospital.

He is survived by his mother, Mrs. A. K. White; his step-father A. K. White; one sister, Maxine Burroughs; one brother, Haley Burroughs; two step-sisters, Ramona White and Mrs. Leatha Woods; and two step-brothers, Milton and Otis White. Fred White, Brownwood police officer, is an uncle of the boy.

Funeral services will be held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Rock church. Austin-Morris Funeral Home will have charge of the funeral.

**Navy Royalty Payment**  
WASHINGTON—The treasury deposited \$29,778,210 in accrued naval oil royalties to the credit of the reclamation fund this week.

Commissioner ohn C. Page said the deposit completed a transaction authorized by the last Congress to provide new funds for Western water developments.

## BROWNWOOD TEAMS FACE STIFF BATTLES IN WEEK'S SCHEDULE

The Howard Payne Yellow Jackets are heading the Texas Conference after a 7-0 win over the T. W. C. Rams last Saturday. Five thousand fans including a special train of Howard Payne students witnessed the game. With only eight minutes to play, Joe Hext passed the ball to Roland Michel who scored the touchdown.

The Yellow Jackets left for Sherman Wednesday where they were to face the Austin Kangaroo's Thursday night.

The Daniel Baker Hill Billies dropped their opening conference game to Austin College 7-6 last Thursday night. The game was bitterly contested from beginning to end with an unusually large number of penalties. The Hill Billies were greatly handicapped by injuries. Daniel Baker scored in the second quarter when Gene Hooper of Rising Star plunged over his right tackle from the one yard line.

The Daniel Baker squad will be in the best physical condition since their first game when they play the Texas Wesleyan Rams here Friday night. Two backfield regulars Alonzo Bittick and Preston Watson will be ready to go in the backfield along with Hooper and Snodgrass. Since both teams lost their initial conference game, both will be fighting hard for a victory.

The Brownwood High School Lions were held to a scoreless tie by the heavier Ranger Bulldogs in their first conference game of the season. Rice and Murphy were the outstanding stars for Brownwood in this game. The Lions face their toughest test to date when they play the Cisco Lobos Friday afternoon on the Cisco field. Cisco boasts the strongest team in years and have defeated several large schools this year. Brownwood, however, has only the scoreless tie with Ranger to mar its record and has high hopes of upsetting the Lobos.

The city street department used three carloads of asphalt on the 27 blocks recently completed. Labor was furnished by the WPA, with the city furnishing material and equipment.

## A.C.C. Invitation To Schools Issued

All high school students and faculty members in West Texas are being invited to be guests of Abilene Christian college Saturday, October 15, as the Wildcats of A. C. C. meet the Trinity University eleven in Abilene.

In preparation for the event 20,000 identification slips are being mailed to 645 high schools in the Abilene territory. With these slips signed by a local school official, any high school student or teacher may obtain a free pass to the football game at Morris Stadium.

In addition to the game, there will be a special chapel program at 10 a. m. Saturday and tours of the campus will be conducted throughout the day. The last "high school day" was attended by 1100 from 81 high schools of this section.

## NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

No.	OWNER	MAKE	DEALER
136-704	J. F. Morgan	Pioneer	Patterson Motor Co.
136-707	G. F. McKay	Brownwood	Ball & Ball Motor Co.
136-709	Mrs. Neva & B. Ashmore	B. Plymouth	Patterson Motor Co.
136-712	A. W. Anderson	B'wood	Harris Motor Co.
136-714	John M. Driggers	B'wood	Holley Langford Co.
<b>Commercial Vehicles</b>			
212-691	Mrs. Pauline Fisk	B'wood	Patterson Motor Co.
This week one year ago 12 Registrations this week			
To date one year ago 640 1938 Registrations to date 388			

## FARMERS' MARKETS

Growers' prices quoted in Brownwood, Thursday, October 13, 1938.	Old Toms	08c
<b>Vegetables</b>	Old Hens	10c
Bunch Vegetables, doz.	Eggs, dozen	12c-29c
<b>Butter and Cream</b>	<b>Hay and Grain</b>	
Sour Cream, lb.	No. 1 Milling Wheat	55c
Sweet Cream, lb.	No. 1 Durham Wheat	45c
Country Butter, lb.	No. 2 Red Oats	23c
<b>Poultry and Eggs</b>	No. 3 Oats	21c
Heavy Hens	No. 2 Barley	35c
Light Hens	No. 2 White Corn	50c
Fryers	No. 2 Yellow Corn	50c
Bakers	Mixed Corn	45c
Roosters	White Ear Corn	35c
No. 1 Turkeys	Yellow Ear Corn	35c
No.		

# News of Brown County Communities

## Indian Creek

(Intended for last week)  
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Jones of Dublin spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Laroque.  
Mr. and Mrs. Slider Jones and babies, Mrs. H. B. Jones and Mrs. Etta Young and Miss Ada Thompson of Gap, spent Sunday evening with Mrs. F. B. Chambers.  
Mrs. Jewel Cagle and boys and Mrs. Evelyn Chambers and daughters attended church at Walnut Sunday.  
Mrs. Gussie Pittman is visiting her daughter at Gordon.  
Mrs. Mollie Cagle spent the week end with her son, Loman, at Walnut.  
Miss Melba Chambers entertained her friends with a birthday party Monday night for her aunt, Bess Chambers, on her thirteenth birthday. She served cake and cold drinks. Those present were Misses Alta May Owens, Vera Parker, Ruth Allen, Louzene Tidmore, Oleta and Janeta Donaldson, Ellen Butler, Janeta Summers, Derrel M. A. Frank Moore and the honoree, Bess Chambers.  
Everybody is busy threshing peanuts, which are being taken up while the weather is pretty. Most everybody will get through this week.  
Mrs. Henry Jones entertained a large crowd with music furnished by Era Hood, Elmer Laroque, Waymon Osburn and Billy Ray Laroque at a wedding shower for Mr. and Mrs. Herman Coker Monday night. Uncle Jim Moore is very poorly this week.

## Salt Branch

(Intended for last week)  
Mr. and Mrs. Walton Lamon of Schulenburg and Sam Lamon of Luling were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. K. McMurry Friday and Saturday.  
Guy McMurry left Thursday for Firebaugh, California, for several months visit.  
Mrs. Royce Sewalt of Brooksmith is visiting relatives here.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Yarbrough of Bangs visited Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Wilson Sunday.  
Tom Wilson of Brownwood visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Wilson Sunday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Haynes of Trickham were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cole Sunday.  
Miss Lucille Harris of Poteet spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bill Harris.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Dribled have moved to Brooksmith.  
Mr. and Mrs. Poe Reogor and son of Abilene spent the weekend with relatives here.  
The Missionary Society met at the church Monday afternoon.  
Rev. Herschel Burgin filled his regular appointment at the church Sunday and Sunday night.  
William Hooper of Brownwood attended church here Sunday.

## Regency

(Intended for last week)  
Rev. S. L. Rives of Indian Creek preached to a small but enthusiastic crowd here Saturday and Sunday.  
Those who attended church from other communities were Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts and Odene Russell from Ebony, Mr. and Mrs. Wicker and Grandmother Coeu of Goldthwaite, Tom and Will Perkins and children of Indian Creek.  
Those having cotton to gather are taking advantage of the ideal weather that still prevails and are working early and late. Although the crop will be light in this locality, diversified farming and the "live at home" program will tide the majority of the farmers over.  
Pears, the only fruit crop to escape the April freeze, are bearing abundantly and are selling from 75c to \$1.00 in this community.  
Charles Roberts and Charm Whittenburg have completed an earthen tank. They have not only benefited by the proceeds from employment, but have added to their water supply for livestock. Others have deadened timber to let sun-rays to grass turf that has been shadowed for many years. The erosion work to save good soil has made beds for clusters of purple flowers that attract the attention of those who travel.  
Tom Perkins and children took dinner with Mrs. L. M. Jones Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Egger have returned from an extended visit with their son Earl Egger and family of Big Springs and daughter Mrs. Ernest Martin of Big Lake.  
Homer Rowlett who has been driving the school bus from Scalora to Goldthwaite had to give up his job due to an attack of sciatic rheumatism.  
May Belle Perkins of Novice visited home folks over the weekend.  
Ben Egger entertained the young people a few nights ago and all report a very enjoyable time.  
Ewan Roberts and John Guthrie of Mullen were in this community to buy cattle Tuesday.  
Mrs. Charles Roberts called to see Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newbury and Mrs. J. N. Perkins recently. Grandmother Perkins is not well yet, but Mr. Newbury is still improving.  
Sam Riggs of Brownwood is spending a few days with his brother Tom Riggs and the Egger families. He was a guest at the Charles Roberts home Saturday.  
Mrs. Henry Smith is with her sister Mrs. McDermott of Cross Plains and is recuperating from a case of ivy poison. She intends to come home soon. Her many friends will welcome her back.  
Jesse Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Ceel Egger and Ynel called to see Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Charles Roberts, Will Perkins and children took the noonday meal with Mrs. W. H. Rowlett Saturday after church.  
Rev. Williams and Rev. Lewis, Howard Payne College students, will preach at Regency the third Sunday of this month. The pleasing personality of these young men won them many friends during the meeting which they held here last summer. They organized a Sunday School at that time. Be out Sunday to take a part.

## Ebony

A good crowd gathered for services Sunday. Bro. John McDowell preached for us. He reminded us that it had been twenty-nine years since he first preached for this community.  
E. L. Green of Brownwood is expected to preach for us next Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Houston Curtis and children and Mr. and Mrs. Marian Curtis of Ridge brought their lunch and attended church here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Crowder and children also brought lunch and attended church here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Crowder have bought a home about five miles the other side of Goldthwaite. They moved to it Tuesday of last week.  
Little Wanda May Mashburn had her tonsils removed Saturday. She and her mother, Mrs. Cloud Mashburn, are staying in Brownwood at the home of Miss Zeola Philen for a few days.  
Mr. and Mrs. Blue Thompson and children of Bosque County were here Sunday greeting old friends. They called on Mrs. Nellie Malone and had dinner with Mrs. Irene Reeves. They returned home Sunday afternoon.  
P. R. Reid is helping Oil Dwyer build a double garage.  
Mrs. M. L. White, who has had an apartment with Mrs. Lula Kelly since the flood in the summer left Monday for Christoval where she expects to spend the winter.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Haynes, Mrs. Meredith Chesser and Dale Reid attended the ball game at Indian Creek Friday afternoon.  
Mrs. Frank Crowder returned the first of the week from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. John Holder, at O'Donnell. She also visited relatives at Big Spring and San Angelo.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Egger and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts attended church here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Truman Crowder and Bro. McDowell had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Ivy Sunday after church.  
Bob Egger had a fine horse sick last week, but he got the veterinarian on and saved him.  
Neuma Crowder, who is attending business college in Brownwood, spent the weekend with homefolks and attended church here Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Reeves announce the arrival of a son, Joe Hubert, born Tuesday, October 4, at Medical Arts Hospital, Brownwood.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts had fourteen for dinner at their home Sunday after church. Besides themselves, there were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Egger, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNair and children, Norville and Royal Gene, Miss Odene Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittenburg and baby Clint.  
Mr. and Mrs. Troy Carroll of California visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNair Thursday.  
Miss Vivian Day and Miss Bernice Wilmeth went to San Angelo Saturday to attend the game between Abilene Christian College and North Texas State Teachers' College. While there they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Cawyer. They report a victory 8 to 0 for A. C. C. They were accompanied home Sunday afternoon by Mrs. Clara Miller of San Angelo, who will spend a while with her sister, Mrs. Nellie Malone.

## Zephyr

More than a hundred friends attended the shower Tuesday evening in the high school building honoring Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Gaines. Forty-two and dominoes were enjoyed throughout the evening. J. P. Gullion gave a talk of appreciation in presenting the gifts to Mr. and Mrs. Gaines. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served by the P-T A.  
Misses June Baker and Adeline and Madeline Coffey went to Brownwood Wednesday morning where they will attend Daniel Baker College.  
Raymond Roach has returned to Seymour after spending the past two weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roach.  
Lowell Vanzandt underwent a major operation in a Fort Worth hospital Tuesday. He is reported to be doing fine.  
Mrs. Opal Couch and daughter Anita were in Brownwood Saturday.  
Mrs. Luther Mosier was shopping in Brownwood Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. James Kesler of Brownwood spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Lanie Kesler.  
Mrs. Driskill Petty of Pecos spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty.  
Several from Zephyr attended an entertainment at the Risinger home at Ricker Saturday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Grimes, Miss Gladys Witten, Mrs. Laurence Hallmark, Miss Anita Couch, Mr. Ira Beatty, Mrs. Opal Couch.  
Dave Cunningham and daughter of Ricker were in Zephyr Sunday morning.  
Hubert Roach spent the weekend at Temple.  
Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Kesler are visiting in the home of his mother Mrs. Lanie Kesler.  
A. B. Dabney of Houston spent the weekend with his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Dabney Sr.  
Little Miss Jane Petty, six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Petty is receiving medical treatment in Brownwood at the Central Texas Hospital.  
Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Cornelius were Brownwood visitors Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Milford Cornelius and children of Brownwood visited his mother Mrs. Jesse Cornelius Sunday.  
At 8 o'clock Saturday evening, September 24th, the wedding of Miss Nell Page and Gerald Bowden was quietly solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Moore. Rev. W. H. Purdy of Goldthwaite pronounced the vows. The couple was unattended and the vows were pronounced before an improvised altar. The bride was attired in royal blue velvet with wrap-around accessories and she carried a bouquet of white gladioli and baby's breath fern. Mrs. Bowden is the charming daughter of Andy Page. She is a graduate of Zephyr High School. Before coming here she attended school at Early High. The bridegroom is the son of George Bowden. He has lived here several years and attended the Zephyr high school. After the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served. Mrs. Douglas Fry and Miss Zelma Moore served iced beverages while Miss Zelma Fry of Brownwood and Miss Katherine Fisher presided over the cake after the bride had cut the first slice. The bride donned a winter's gown three pieces tailored suit for the going away trip to Odessa where the couple will visit the bridegroom's mother. Mr. and Mrs. Bowden will make their home in Zephyr.  
To compliment Mrs. Cecil Rider, a recent bride who was formerly Miss Eugenia Barnes, Mrs. Elzie Pittman and Mrs. H. Z. Longley entertained Friday afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Pittman in Zephyr.  
The color scheme of pink, blue and white was used. A delightful social hour was enjoyed and was concluded with the presentation of a collection of useful gifts. Those enjoying this delightful affair were Mesdames A. B. Daleney, A. R. Sikes, Vivian Lange, Fadie Ratliff, Joe Kyzar, E. C. Barnes, O. C. Couch, R. A. White, Earl Reasoner, Joe Galloway, Elzie Pittman, H. Z. Longley, Misses Margaret and Lucy Galloway, Emogene Couch and Odessa White. Mrs. J. E. Bury and Mrs. G. P. Guergolz of Brownwood.

## Zephyr

(Intended for last week)  
G. W. Adams spent Wednesday in Lampasas visiting his brother, Pink Adams, who is ill in the hospital there.  
Mrs. Laura Smith, who had been visiting her daughter in Blackwell, Okla., returned home Thursday morning.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alec H. Edwards of Sweetwater spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Petty.  
Mrs. Fannie Thorpe spent Friday and Saturday in Brownwood with her daughter, Mrs. Sam Wilson.  
Misses Mary Belle Shelton and Lucille Locks, students in Howard Payne College, spent the weekend with their parents.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fisher of Lubbock spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. C. C. Chesser.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dixon and Billie Faye of Bangs visited her mother, Mrs. W. L. Clarke, Saturday afternoon.  
Miss Esther Underwood of Brownwood spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Underwood.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alex Baker and son of Monahans spent Tuesday night with his uncle, A. J. Baker, and family.  
Misses Mildred Mills and Ruth McBurney left Sunday for Denton to enter Texas State College for Women.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Vahon of Lott, Texas, and Mrs. W. L. Gilbreath and Mrs. Floyd of Shields week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. H. Priest.  
Mrs. Lella Carr left Sunday for Denton where she will attend Texas State College for Women this winter.  
Mrs. Mary Ehinger Jr. spent the weekend in Dallas.  
Miss Katie Julie Crockett spent the weekend in Brownwood with her sister, Mrs. W. L. Clarke.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Vanzandt of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Boland Monday.  
Those attending the Roach reunion Sunday, September 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Roach were:  
Out of town guests—Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cammack and sons Duane, M. C., Orville Wayne and Dale, and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hubbard, all of Coleman; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Edwards and daughter Lucille, of Ft. Worth; Mr. Raymond Roach of Seymour, and Bobbie Hambrick, of Coleman.  
Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Roach and son, Jackie, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Roach, Mrs. S. E. Elliott and the host and hostess.  
Mrs. Jap Clemons and Miss Zelma Moore were joint hostesses Wednesday afternoon when they entertained with a miscellaneous shower honoring Miss Nell Page, who will become the bride of Gerald Bowden September 24. The event took place at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Clemons.  
Attractive arrangements of mixed cut flowers were used as decorations about the rooms where guests enjoyed informal entertainment. Telegrams were received during the afternoon by the honoree and the guests were found to contain bits of advice. At the termination of the afternoon Miss Page was requested to rearrange the dining room table, upon which she found an assortment of lovely gifts.  
Refreshments of sandwiches, cake and iced tea were served. Those attending and sending gifts were: Mesdames Howard Driskill, W. F. Timmins, Vivian Lange, A. A. Moore, Lanie Kesler, J. A. Cunningham Sr., M. M. Cobb, A. J. Baker, M. W. Bowden, L. S. Cape, Madge Newman, Joe Kyzar, Fannie Thorpe, D. F. Petty, Fay Driskill, C. E. Keeler, S. E. Matlock, C. B. Powell, A. B. Dabney, G. P. Matson, A. R. Sikes, A. R. Trippett, Ward Driskill, S. C. Kesler, M. L. Smith, R. H. Scott, Earl Reasoner, N. L. Reasoner, Burl Gist, Harold Gist, Walter Reasoner, Modie Glass, R. L. Mills, F. B. Brewster, L. L. Ritchie, W. L. Lee, Garland Petty, Ellie McDaniel, Pearl Roach and Mary Ehinger.  
Misses Nelda Moore, Lula Cunningham, Geraldine Hollinsworth, June Baker, Katherine Wagley, Cunt Cape, Oleta Ritchie, Madeline and Adeline Coffey, Dorothy Glass, Mollie Lee Sears, Maxine Boose, Mildred Mills and Lucy and Margaret Galloway.  
Mesdames L. T. Flowers, Perry Boyd, Lee Crane, J. R. Smith, G. W. Smith and Misses Bernice Flowers, Faye Doris Boyd and Annie Louise Crane of Early High and Mrs. Rio Cox of Brownwood.

## McDaniel

(Intended for last week)  
Miss Geneva Cally spent Sunday in the home of her friends, Misses Lucille and Willie Browder.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Tervooren spent one day last week in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Otto Rock, and family of Bangs.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carpenter and daughter of the Clear Creek community, Mr. and Mrs. John Nail and daughter of Brady and Mrs. Morris Abernathy and children of Brownwood visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Haynes Sunday afternoon.  
The Brotherhood of the Rocky Baptist church met last Monday night. The women were invited and a social hour was held after the regular program was given. An enjoyable time was reported.  
Little Jimmie Boler is reported as being on the sick list. We hope he will soon be able to go back to his school work.  
Mrs. Robert Sewell and children visited Miss Amanda Ashcraft Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. B. O. Baugh spent last Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest McCreey.  
Mr. and Mrs. Burl Teague and sons of Brownwood attended church at Rocky Sunday and visited relatives after church.  
Mrs. Murele George and daughter were visitors in the home of her mother, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Browder, and family Sunday.  
Several from this community attended the singing at Blanket Sunday.  
Rev. Jesse Wade of Brownwood will fill his regular appointment at Rocky next Sunday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Everyone is invited to come and worship with us.  
Comfort and Satisfaction in glasses fitted by Dr. R. A. Ellis.

## Blanket

Philo Baker of Shreveport, La., was here last week visiting friends and relatives.  
Will Anderson of Oakland, California, and his brother, Clifford Anderson of Bakersfield, California, spent several days here last week calling on old time friends.  
They were at one time residents of our community and have many friends here who always welcome their return. They left for California Sunday morning.  
Mrs. Frank Vernon and daughter, Miss Patsy, returned Wednesday from a two weeks visit with relatives in Dallas.  
Mrs. Minnie Chenavit and Mrs. Gus Snougrass were shopping in Brownwood Monday afternoon.  
Miss Frankie Parson spent the weekend in Brownwood the guest of her sister, Mrs. Marshall D. Fox, and next-nd.  
Grover Dabney, Reynolds Hobson and John Dabney were transacting business in Brownwood Tuesday.  
Mrs. Mattie Switzer spent last week in Brownwood visiting her son, Charlie Switzer, and wife.  
Don't fail to attend the Blanket fair next Saturday, October 15.  
Miss Cleo Bird of De Leon was here over the weekend visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Bird.  
The Methodist ladies will serve coffee and sandwiches during the fair in "the big tent" next to Allen's drug store.  
Mr. and Mrs. Billie Simpson announce the arrival of a daughter, October 6.  
Mesdames Wes Dameron, T. M. Curry, Heber Moore and John Druce were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Butler Damron at Bethel last Tuesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Damron of San Saba were weekend guests of relatives here.

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November 11th, St. Edward's University  
November 24th, Southwestern University  
December 3rd, Hardin-Simmons University

\*Night Games

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Mrs. Ray McDonald and son were visiting Mrs. Lonnie Stanley and children one evening last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mabra and daughter were Brownwood visitors Friday.

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## Ricker

(Intended for last week)  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Keeler and Miss Fay Risinger visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cason Friday night.  
Mrs. J. W. Vernon and son Arthur Vernon visited while Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Perry Byrd.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Lee and family visited Mrs. Lee's mother Mrs. Forehand at Blanket Sunday.  
Miss Neva and Clara Belle Beal entertained the young people of the community with a party Friday night. Everyone reported a very enjoyable time.  
A surprise quilting was given Mrs. Declie Hammond Monday. Mrs. Hammond has been very ill for a long while but she is now improving. Those enjoying the quilting were: Mrs. Judson Slides, Mrs. Gofor, Mrs. Jim Smith, Mrs. Mann Teel, Mrs. Lee Phrene, Mrs. George Yarbrough, Mrs. Perry Boyd and Mrs. W. B. Price and little daughter Eva Nell. Mrs. Hammond appreciated the quilting very much.

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#### McDaniel

Rev. Jesse Wade of Brownwood filled his regular appointment at Rocky Saturday night, Sunday and Monday night.  
Miss Kate Tervooren of Brownwood attended church at Rocky Sunday.  
Miss Margaret Wade of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Seals and Bobby Jack, of Thrifty and Miss Lillie Mae Haynes of this community visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Cantrell and family Sunday.  
Mrs. Em Carson and son, J. T., visited in the home of her brother, J. C. Tervooren, one day last week.  
Several from this community attended the singing at Concord Sunday afternoon.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Cally, who has been ill for some time, is greatly improved.  
Mrs. E. C. Haynes spent a few days last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Carpenter, of the Clear Creek community.

Foy Phelan of Brownwood was visiting his friend, Lawrence Norton, Sunday.  
Mrs. J. C. Allcorn and daughter, Patty Lee, of Woodland Heights were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Browder, and family Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Bessie Haynes spent Sunday in the home of Mrs. C. L. Tervooren.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. Roy Reeler is quite ill in a Brownwood hospital. We hope for her a speedy recovery.  
Mrs. Joe Lewis of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lewis and son, J. B. Jr., of Bangs and Mrs. Murel George and daughter, Dorothy Jean, of this community, visited in the home of Mrs. Mary Teague Sunday afternoon.

#### Ricker

Miss Pauline Haynes was the guest of her cousin, Miss Lora Cavel, Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Cheatham of Brooksmith visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. Bessie Haynes, one day last week.  
J. G. Swindle of Indian Gap spent last Sunday night in the home of his daughter, Mrs. B. O. Boler, and family.  
Several from this community attended the funeral of Mrs. Childress, which was held at the Bangs Baptist church last Tuesday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Browder and sons of Bangs spent Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Browder, and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Albert Curry and daughter of the Indian Creek community visited in the home of her father, Will Garms, Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Edwards of the Melwood Ave. Christian Church preached at Boyd's Chapel Sunday evening. A good sermon was delivered.  
Miss Inez Boyd spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Boyd.  
Will Wyatt and children visited Sunday with J. W. Wyatt.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Bunch of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Taylor.  
Mrs. R. W. Melton of California spent a few days last week with her son and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ford Allen of Roundmountain are visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Black this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Newcomb spent the weekend at May.  
Miss Lois and Ada Risinger spent Sunday with Miss Frances and Imogene Cox.  
Mr. and Mrs. Lon Wells visited

Robert Beal and family Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Harris and baby of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Harris' mother, Mrs. Higgins.  
Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Sparks visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beal.  
Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Friend of Trent, Texas, visited Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Black this weekend.  
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Melton and family visited in San Saba Sunday.  
Those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Nichols' mother, Mrs. Mitchell, Monday at Aboka, near Noxville, were Mr. and Mrs. Siles Byrd, Mrs. Raymond Kirksey, Mrs. Walter Jackson, Mrs. George Yarbrough and Mrs. Perry Boyd.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker and two daughters, Louise and Rhoda Craborchid, Tennessee, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Newcomb.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Newcomb of May spent Sunday visiting his son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Newcomb.

May  
Mrs. B. H. Bettis is spending this week with her daughter Mary Bees at Wink, Texas.  
Will Baker and wife and children and Ira Rymer all of Crab Orchard, Tennessee, are here visiting the W. L. Newcomb family. Mrs. Baker is a sister of Mr. Newcomb.  
Mrs. Joe Martin of Rising Star was in May Monday on business.  
Rev. Ben Morrison of the Melwood Baptist Church of Brownwood preached at May Sunday night at the Brotherhood meeting.  
Peanut threshing is the order of the day.  
John Kinney of Anson is visiting his sister Mrs. J. R. Woods.  
Miss Floyd and Miss Esk Bramlin and Hefflin Browder, teachers at Breckenridge, spent the weekend with home folks at May.  
Mrs. M. J. Ballard left last week to make her home with relatives near Atlanta, Georgia.  
Loys Wagon and family have moved into the Ballard home and we gladly welcome them to our

### France Calls Her Husband To Duty



France's mobilization orders made Mrs. Jean Albert Collin, above, of Philadelphia, a war bride. The wedding date was moved up when her fiancé, Lieut. Jean Albert Collin of the French naval aviation reserve was called to the colors. She is the former Edith Roberts Grooms.

### Indian Creek

There was a pic supper at the school house Friday night.  
G. C. Edwards has returned from Los Angeles, California, where he visited his children, Henry Edwards, Mrs. Henry Moran and Mrs. Olan Reese. Mrs. Edwards remained for a longer visit.

Indian Creek won 31 to 0 in a football game with Blanket here Friday afternoon.  
Mrs. Mary Head of Brownwood spent Sunday with Mrs. Lizzie Middleton.

Mrs. Milton Boyd has been ill but is improving.  
Mr. and Mrs. Loy Hester and son Billie of Spur visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bullion Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. McBride gave a musical program Saturday night.  
The fourth quarterly conference of the Indian Creek Charge met at the Methodist church Sunday. Rev. Williams, Presiding Elder, spoke at the morning service. Lunch was spread at noon. J. G. Gaines, Jim Wren and J. R. Cross of Brownwood were among the visitors attending.

Mr. and Mrs. Kerney Martin and daughter Janice Lynn of Houston visiting relatives here this week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Blakely and children Patsy and Bobby of New Mexico have been visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gable.  
The Baptist W. M. U. gave a State Mission program at the church Thursday night.

The Young People's Max Wise of Brooksmith, Jack Townsend and children of Brownwood and Noel Haynes of Ebony attended the musical Saturday night.  
Mrs. Bob Prater and son of Owens spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Parker.

The Young People's Classes of the Methodist and Baptist churches and their teachers went on a picnic at the river Wednesday evening.  
There will be a special program at the Baptist Church next Sunday. Guest speakers will be present and lunch will be served at noon.

R. F. Starves moved into the house vacated by F. E. Erisben and family who moved to Dr. McGee's place.  
T. D. Snipes of Brownwood was in May Monday.  
Othelo Vanderveer and wife made a business trip to De Leon Monday.

Mrs. J. F. Wiggins is quite ill. We trust that she will soon recover.  
D. M. Medcalf and wife attended the funeral of his niece at Bangs Monday.  
Mrs. Mattie Harlow of Brownwood is visiting her son W. W. Harlow. Michael of Santa Anna was in May Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Buzby visited her brother A. W. Triplett in Cisco Sunday.  
Mrs. Elmer Killion and son made a business trip to Fort Worth Monday.  
Homer Robinson took his son to German Monday and had his tonsils removed. He is doing nicely at this time.  
H. V. Glenn and family visited Mrs. Glenn's sister Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chambers at Early High.

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### Cross Cut

The Young People's Union which was recently organized at the Methodist church met Sunday evening with twenty present. Willis Armstrong acted as leader and the following program was rendered: Bible reading, Jack Terry Newton; "To think about," Mrs. Alvah Allen; special song, Mr. Shannon and Miss Baines.  
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Pruitt and daughter Patty visited relatives in Moran Sunday.

The outside girls basket ball team defeated the school girls by a score of 20 to 11 in a game played in the gymnasium Thursday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Newton and children, Mrs. Purlman Horn and children of Thrifty and Mr. and Mrs. Porter Davis and children of Cross Plains were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Newton Sunday.

The Boy Scout Troop of Cross Cut met in regular session at the school building Tuesday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shannon visited Mrs. Shannon's niece Mrs. Wallace Denman and Mr. Denman at Winchell Saturday night.

Linda Newton attended the football game at Daniel Baker College Thursday night.  
Miss Virginia Watts, student at Howard Payne College, spent the weekend with her sister Mrs. Ross Newton and Mr. Newton.

### Stagg Creek

The little infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Rance Moore was laid to rest here Saturday. Rev. Ruben Ward of Brownwood conducted the funeral services.

Mrs. Georgia Woods of Gorman was buried here Tuesday.  
W. J. Chambers and son Harvey and daughter Clara of Indian Mountain spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Chambers.  
Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Rochel of Dallas spent the weekend with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hood.

Mrs. Jessie Stone and son Donnie of Burbank, California, is spending two weeks with her parents Mr. J. G. Hood.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ira Lynch of Blanket spent Friday with her sister Mrs. Jesse Chambers.

Arthur May has gone to West Texas to work.  
Miss Hattie Trice and Waymon Osburn have moved to West Texas where they will make their future home.  
Uncle Jim Moore has passed away since we began writing. He was one of the oldest residents of this community. He was around ninety years old.

Big Randolph Field Class  
SAN ANTONIO—Randolph Field faced one of the largest tasks the air corps primary flying school has ever undertaken when 225 flying cadets and 114 recent graduates from the United States Military Academy were enrolled for the first stages of flying training.

Added to this figure will be 10 or more flying cadets expected to arrive at the field Tuesday and 23 air corps reserve officers who begin their refresher training course it was said.  
With the beginning of the new term this week a total of 371 students will be enrolled for the primary stage training and 189 for the basic stage, making a total of 560 students under flying training at the field.

### Official Statement of Financial Condition of the BLANKET STATE BANK

at Blanket, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 28th day of September, 1938, published in the Brownwood Banner, a newspaper printed and published at Brownwood, State of Texas, on the 13th day of October, 1938.

RESOURCES  
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security \$49,022.14  
Loans secured by real estate 2,400.00  
Overdrafts of U. S. 421.37  
Securities of U. S. 8,500.00  
State or political subdivision thereof 1,958.55  
Other bonds and stock owned 200.00  
Banking House 700.00  
Furniture and fixtures 600.00  
Real Estate owned, other than banking house 1.00  
Cash and due from approved reserve agents 19,372.42  
TOTAL \$73,775.48

LIABILITIES  
Capital Stock \$25,000.00  
Surplus Fund 8,500.00  
Undivided Profits, net 2,435.44  
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days 37,820.02  
Other Liabilities (Itemize) 10.02  
Suspense 10.02  
TOTAL \$73,775.48

State of Texas, County of Brown We, W. J. Richmond, as President and S. E. Lacy, as Cashier, of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

W. J. RICHMOND, President  
S. E. LACY, Cashier  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of October, A. D. 1938.  
MACON RICHMOND,  
Notary Public, Brown County, Tex.  
Correct—Attest:  
JAS. N. BAILEY  
E. ALLEN  
M. ALVIN RICHMOND  
Directors

ADAMS—Boyd Adams, 31, died Friday morning, October 7, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Adams, 1310 Brady avenue, where he had made his home for the last nine years.  
Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon at the White & London chapel, with Rev. J. M. Cooper and Rev. Mr. Self officiating.  
Mr. Adams is survived by his parents and by two sisters, Mrs. Helen Street, of Fallsburg, and Mrs. Peggy Moore, of Dallas.

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Attorney General-Elect Gerald Mann, in an address before the annual convention of the County Judges and Commissioners Association of Texas in New Braunfels last week, urged a complete revision of the State constitution as the basic foundation for a more economical and efficient government in Texas. There is much basis for the position taken by Mr. Mann.

Patching The Quilt

Often we hear the thought advanced that since the United States has operated with fair success under a constitution which was written at the close of the Revolutionary War, Texas should be able to patch its constitution with amendments and make the old document serve very satisfactorily. This seems logical since the Texas constitution, written in 1875 and adopted by the State in 1876, is a full hundred years younger than the Federal constitution. This argument would be logical were it true that the State constitution is modeled after the Federal document, or even that they covered, basically, the same ground.

Unfortunately, as ably pointed out by Mr. Mann, such is not the case. Through a wisdom which they probably did not realize they possessed, the framers of the Federal constitution did not attempt to include purely legislative problems within the constitution. The Constitution of the United States lays down, on a broad base, the fundamental principles of our government, leaving legislative matters to the Congress.

Not so with the State constitution. Written as Texas was coming out from under the carpet bag rule, the statesmen who wrote the document mirrored the thought of the times, and attempted to include in the Constitution an unusually large number of legislative provisions. Not confining themselves to fundamentals, the writers of the Texas constitution went so far as to designate and set up the salaries for county and even precinct officers. The State constitution enters the legislative field in many of its provisions, and sets up so many "safeguards" that it was out of date a short time after its adoption. During its comparatively short life, the constitution has been amended every few years, and attempts to amend it have been made some 150 times.

There is much logic in Mr. Mann's position that the speediest and most satisfactory way to better government in Texas would be through the adoption of a new constitution, rather than the incessant effort to patch up the present document to meet modern needs.

An interesting example of the need for a constant change in the State constitution is the single amendment which will be submitted to Texas voters at the November general election. It will merely eliminate that portion of the constitutional oath of office which makes the new officer swear that he has not fought a duel or acted as a second when any duel was fought with deadly weapons. The provision itself is a throw-back to pioneer days. There is no time on record when any official failed to qualify because of inability to take the oath. And yet, when the constitution was adopted back in 1876, this provision probably was of importance.

The Vote on Duelling

The effort to strike the provision from the constitution does not mean, of course, that the Legislature feels that duelling should have some sort of legal sanction. But there is no need for the duelling provision in the oath, and there is a rather definite feeling that it should be eliminated.

The constitutional oath, required of all officials elected or appointed to positions of any nature, now, in addition to the provision with regard to duelling, required the official to swear that he has not promised any job or reward as a condition to securing the office, and that he will faithfully perform the duties of the office and uphold and defend the constitution of the State.

Many times the inclusion of the duelling provision has turned a solemn occasion into a humorous one. Almost invariably when the officer administering the oath gets to this provision, a smile comes to the face of the applicant, and a titter runs through any assembled crowd. The effect is that the paragraph takes much from the solemnity of the remainder of the oath.

There is no logical or conceivable reason why the single amendment on the ballot this year should not be adopted by Texas voters.

There is nothing like keeping an enemy on the run when you get him started. Remarkable gains have been made in automobile accident prevention this year. There is greater cooperation on all sides to prevent death and injury than ever before.

Keep the Enemy Running

It has become generally acknowledged that in addition to educating the public on safety measures, it is equally important to build roads, intersections and automobiles in such a manner as to make accidents more nearly impossible.

In studying the mechanical conditions which tend to create accidents, in spite of a driver's ability, the question of road visibility from the car is now receiving particular attention. It becomes apparent that in recent years, practical vision for the driver, as well as occupants of the car, has been impaired by the craze for stream-lined effect.

According to Arthur W. Stevens, a member of the Society of Automotive Engineers, the 1938 motorist has a range of forward, useful vision which is only one-eighteenth of that of a man walking; and while cars are about 50 per cent faster than they were 17 years ago, the driver's visibility has been reduced 38 per cent.

No wonder "vision" from the inside of an automobile is coming in for a checking up in the accident prevention drive. With safety glass, which is universally used in automobiles, there seems to be no good reason for designing cars with less visibility. Greater visibility will help keep the enemy (motor accidents) on the run.

Perhaps never before in the printing industry have we been called upon to be creators, instead of just plain type-setters. One well-known authority says we must create something—anything! It is only in creating that man fulfills his reason for being on earth. . . . Until you create, you are frustrated, helpless. With your first, your own creation, you become a king.—Howard N. King.

Apparently none of those tellers of big fish stories thought of bringing along the scales.—Greenville Banner.

The he-man who died with his boots on has a son who will probably die with his shoe on—the accelerator.—Denison Herald.

A sure way to get politicians interested in the people is to have the people suddenly become interested in politicians.—Tyler Telegraph.

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Appeals and Peace . . .

WASHINGTON—President Roosevelt's performance in behalf of world peace and the national attitude which prompted that performance were last week aptly summarized by two people: Steve Vastlakis, proprietor of the peanut stand at the White House gates, and Sir Wilmott Lewis, Washington correspondent for the London "Times."

To a group of customers, Vendor Vastlakis said: "Look, all the world is yelling and pushing at each other except here. Here is peace and no fighting. Over there there are guns. Here there ain't no guns. Here there's squirrels on the lawn."

To the Bond Club of New York, Correspondent Lewis said: "It was very much like the old story of the four men who were endeavoring to lift a grand piano into a truck and were unable to do it. When the fifth man came along, the fifth man did what the four could not do."

Leaving to future historians and memoir-writers the assignment of credit for preserving world peace last week, contemporary historians could only set down facts of the Roosevelt performance: After receiving from Dictator Hitler a shoulder-shrugging reply to his first appeal for negotiations to continue, the President dispatched a second appeal to Fuhrer Hitler urging not only continued negotiation of the German-Czech issues but also a broad discussion (among all the powers directly interested) of questions correlated with those issues. Said the President: "Hundreds of millions throughout the world would recognize your action as an outstanding historic service to all humanity."

This plea the President further backed up by cabling a personal suggestion to Benito Mussolini that he say a restraining word to Herr Hitler. But, at Prime Minister Chamberlain's behest, Mussolini had already talked to Herr Hitler by telephone before the Roosevelt message arrived. Announcement of Hitler's decision to hold the four-power peace meeting at Munich followed so soon after these two Roosevelt messages that the appearance of cause and effect was inevitable.

Praise and Criticism . . .

LONDON—Nearly the whole world last week undertook to pass judgment in one form or another on Britain's Prime Minister. That Neville Chamberlain will be awarded the Nobel Peace Prize (about \$40,000) was taken for granted by the Norwegian press, and one influential paper (Aftenposten) urged that it be given "immediately" to Mr. Chamberlain without waiting for the next scheduled Nobel award date—December 10, anniversary of the death of Alfred Nobel. Norwegian joy at the peace was such that all Oslo school children were given a holiday. In Britain Mr. Chamberlain seemed slated to receive from George VI the rare honor of knighthood in the Order of the Garter, and Birmingham University immediately received a \$50,000 scholarship fund from Publisher Sir Charles Hyde "to commemorate the services for peace of the Prime Minister."

The Prime Ministers of Britain's "Dominions Beyond the Seas" cabled to Mr. Chamberlain their Cabinets' warmest congratulations. The British Labor movement—never militantly class-conscious and just anxious to avoid fighting—also upheld Mr. Chamberlain, but the silded British Aristocrat Alfred Duff Cooper launched the first at-

tack against him in London by resigning his Cabinet post as First Lord of the Admiralty. Really scathing attacks on Neville Chamberlain were made almost entirely from extremely safe distances of several thousand miles—far from the theatre of what might have been a European war.

Cheers! . . .

MUNICH, Germany—The French were furious when in 1935 the British, under Stanley Baldwin, made a separate naval limitations pact with Hitler's Germany—an agreement which incidentally violated the Treaty of Versailles. And they were furious last week when Neville Chamberlain surprised almost everyone at Munich by accepting an invitation from Adolf Hitler to stay on for a 90-minute talk after the Four-Power Conference had ended.

Munich crowds, which had cheered Conferees Mussolini and Daladier to the echo as they departed, went wild with shrieks, roars and tears of joy as Neville Chamberlain finally returned to his hotel to hand newspapermen a copy of the communique issued in the names of himself and Adolf Hitler:

"We regard the agreement signed last night and the Anglo-German naval agreement (of 1935) as symbolic of the desire of our two peoples never to go to war with one another again. We are resolved that the method of consultation shall be the method adopted to deal with any other questions that may concern our two countries, and we are determined to continue our efforts to remove possible sources of difference and thus to contribute to the assurance of peace in Europe."

Returning to Paris from Munich, Premier Daladier received the greatest ovation in modern French history, was severely criticized next day for not obtaining from Hitler some such two-man peace pledge as Mr. Chamberlain got. It was this document—not the four-power pact dismembering Czechoslovakia—which the British Prime Minister proudly waved before the cheering Hitler throngs that welcomed him home at Heston Airport.

Such shouts and transports as London has not seen since the Armistice sped Britain's 69-year-old hero to Buckingham Palace. There Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain and the King and Queen were called out on the balcony by a steady roar of "Good old Nev! Hurrah for Chamberlain!" It was obvious that the insular British throng cared little for Czechoslovakia, cheered mainly because they felt they will now not have to fight the only power they have feared since Napoleon—Germany.

In Germany and Italy, the two dictators who have made a specialty of sabre rattling and warring like speeches had their chastening experience of receiving the greatest ovations of their careers—solely because the Munich keynote had not been war but peace.

Hitler's Shadow In the U. S. . . .

WASHINGTON—Up to testify before the Dies Committee on Un-American Activities last week strode a militant-looking Hitler counterpart clad in a brown shirt uniform, with a dab of mustache and a Fuhrerish haircut. He was Newspaperman John C. Metcalfe who joined Nazi Fritz Kuhn's German-American Bund to spill its secrets in the press.

Put on the Dies Committee payroll as an investigator, Metcalfe

testified two months ago that the Bund—on the surface a singing, beer-bibbing and marching society—was in reality a hateful Nazi network with some 500,000 U. S. sympathizers. He added last week that the Bund was a fighting subversive force that had penetrated into U. S. navy yards and aircraft factories, was prepared to "muster a force" of 5,000 soldiers. Some of Witness Metcalfe's quotations: Bundsman Albert Zimmer of Cincinnati: "No one knows this but we have a permanent list of silent contributors. Most of these persons are wealthy. . . so I keep a double set of books." Declared Witness Metcalfe: "It is generally understood in Bund circles that some prominent American industrialists are helping to finance the movement."

Bund Fuhrer Kuhn: "I have a special arrangement with Hitler and Germany that whenever any of our groups have trouble with the consuls in their districts they are to report it to me in full detail. I then take it up with the Ambassador." According to Mr. Metcalfe, Ambassador Hans Dieckhoff replaced former Ambassador Hans Luthar because Herr Luthar did not step properly for the Bund.

"Ambassador Dieckhoff, losing patience, protested last week to Secretary Hull, pointed out that Germany has done all it can do by forbidding its own nationals to join the Bund."

Duels . . .

COLUMBUS, Ohio—Chairman Arthur J. Altmyer of the Social Security Board threatened to cut off Federal contributions to Ohio's 112,000 aged pensioners last month unless Governor Martin Luther Davey ceased playing politics with the aged before November. The Governor dared him to. After a hot political word war, Chairman Altmyer took the care and last week cut off \$2,576,000 of October payments, sternly warned that Governor Davey must clean up and improve his State's social security administration before November.

LANSING, Michigan—Arm in arm into the Secretary of State's office at Lansing last week marched the Rev. James W. Hallwood and Tunis Johnson, both of Grand Rapids, to decide the outcome of their race for Democratic nomination to the House. Each had received 4,533 votes. The Secretary of State said they must draw lots. Rev. Mr. Hallwood delayed the proceedings while he read a statement to the effect that he disapproved of "gambling," therefore would not draw a lot himself, would let a proxy do for him. His proxy then stepped up, drew out of the hat box for Parson Hallwood the slip marked "Elected."

FORT FAIRFIELD, Maine—In Farmer "Bot" Smith's hilltop field at Fort Fairfield—with a crowd of 4,000 standing around in the rain to watch—Mr. Barrows scrambled backwards into a basket between his long, straddled legs. The winner: Maine's Barrows, 201 lbs. to 197 lbs. He apologized: "I probably had a four-pound rock in there." Idaho's Clark explained: "Your potatoes are smaller and more slippery than ours."

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Side Glances - - - - - By George Clark



PEEP SHOW —For Ladies Only— BY MIGNON

I thought I'd write a column The best that could be had So here I start by clipping This little quip from Vad.

"An author wrote a little book Which started quite a quarrel; The folks who read it frowned on it And said it was immoral. They bade him write a book of worth. He said that he would try it. He did. With it they found no fault— But neither did they buy it—"

For Vad, too, did some lifting From down old Boston way And so it seems the little verse Is quite a roundelay.

But it's so good and hits the bull's eye nicer than anything I've read this week. Remember "Black Oxen?" It was barred from most public libraries and because of that very fact, perhaps, was one of the best sellers for years. I'll bet if somebody would write a book called "Elsie on the Loose" all those old Elsie Dinsmore books we read when we were kids would be pooped even worse than they are. For "Elsie on the Loose" would be a best seller over night.

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GALLOPING PARALYSIS

Washington Daily News: The Briggs body plant at Detroit installed a new conveyor system for 1939 model bodies. The auto workers' union complained that it was operated at an excessive speed-up. The management contended that the schedules were no faster than last year's. In the dispute, the union workers were fired. Thereupon 9,000 workers in the plant staged a short sit-down strike, then walked out.

Next the Plymouth factory in Detroit, its supply of bodies cut off, was forced to close, and 7,000 more men lost their jobs. Then the Chrysler plant in Walkerville, Ontario, closed for the same reason, sending 2,900 more workers home. Other auto plants began curtailing operations—and at the close of business last night it was estimated that 18,700 were already idle and the jobs of 30,000 more Chrysler workers were in jeopardy.

Unless the dispute is settled soon, 12,000 dealers in all parts of the country will be kept waiting for the new models they have promised their customers.

Thus does industrial paralysis swiftly spread. And this isn't the whole picture. If the auto factories can't get bodies, they won't need steering wheels, ignition systems, tires, windshields. If the dispute isn't settled, we can expect soon a cancellation of orders for scores of accessories, wiping out the jobs of other thousands of workers. And back of the processors lie the basic materials and the jobs of thousands who produce and distribute those materials.

When you buy an automobile—to mention a few basic items—you buy a ton and a third of steel, 33 pounds of copper and brass, 22 pounds of tin, 27 pounds of lead, 144 pounds of cast pig iron, 119 pounds of rubber, one-tenth bale of cotton, 13 square yards of upholstery fabric, 2 1/2 gallons of spraying lacquer, 37 pounds of paper and fiber board, 18 square feet of glass. But you don't buy an automobile until your dealer gets it in stock.

This particular dispute probably will not prove a serious one. Doubtless it will be settled in a short time, and the wheels of industry, stopped a few days, will start again. But what an awful waste is even one day's stoppage in a key industry in a system as complex and sensitive as ours.

Somehow we'll have to work out a way to mediate and settle these industrial disputes and prevent the paralyzing spread.

Our railroads have found a way; there a quarrel over a proposed wage cut has been going on for months—but the trains are still running. British employers and employees have found a way; there in nearly all industries the managements and unions have developed machinery for settling differences with a minimum of wakouts and shutdowns.

This nation cannot afford to hobble along with a system under which the alleged speed of one conveyor belt can throw the whole works out of gear.

Thousands of Swedish Nightingales

Foreigners think that Jenny Lind was the only "Swedish nightingale," but visitors to the province of Scania, the ancestral region of the Lindberghs, say there are thousands of nightingales there which stage melody every evening in the trees.

Advertisement for 'THIS CURIOUS WORLD' by William Ferguson. Includes illustrations of insects, horses, and octopuses with descriptive text.

Advertisement for 'CLOSEUP and COMEDY' by Dan Thomas and George Scarbo. Includes a portrait of Genevieve Tobin and a cartoon illustration.

Some Guys Get All the Breaks



Gallant Caesar Romero, suave cinema star, has drawn himself an enviable assignment in fitting pulchritudinous Joan Crawford's ice skates at the Hollywood premiere of the 1939 Ice Follies. Movie folk had a post-show party at the rink.

Mechanizing Army Ruins Horse Trade

ADELAIDE, South Australia — The future of the horse in this country, made precarious by the steady advance of mechanical aids to traction, has been rendered gloomy indeed by the recent closing of the India market to Australian horses.

The Indian Army is being mechanized, and attempts are being made to breed locally any horses which may be wanted for mountain fighting where mechanized units cannot go.

Breeding remounts for the Indian Army has always been an important industry here. Several hundreds of horses went from one breeder in this State alone each year, but it was not the size of the industry alone that counted, it was its influence on the whole horse-breeding of the country.

For the Indian Army demanded fine animals. They had to be sound, to stand fifteen hands high and to be from 4 to 6 years old. The finest animals, all bays, were first chosen for the bodyguard of the Viceroy of India; after them came the cavalry remounts and the artillery horses. Thoroughbreds and polo ponies went abroad also to meet the sporting needs of the British Army officers in India.

Now this business has vanished before the edict of Minister of War Hore-Belisha. The result is to be seen in the slump in prices. Today Australian horses are offered at around a quarter of their old value. Most inland ranches run his bands of horses, many more than they need. Today the breeders suddenly see these animals becoming liabilities, consuming valuable feed, and may have to shoot them.

Pipe Line Valuation

WASHINGTON—The Magnolia Pipe Line Company's lines in Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas which form an integral part of the Socony-Vacuum Corporation system were evaluated at \$41,200,000 by the Interstate Commerce Commission.

The valuation was as of Dec. 31, 1934.

No Liability for Wrong Diagnosis

In Pennsylvania a physician is not responsible for an error of judgment or a mistake in diagnosis in the treatment of a patient, the Pennsylvania Supreme Court holds in an action by husband and wife for damages on a claim that defendant make a mistake in diagnosing an injury to the wife's foot, it is reported by Medical Record.

240 MILES TERRACES ARE CONSTRUCTED TO SCS SPECIFICATIONS

Terrace and terrace channel construction by SCS cooperators is going forward rapidly despite the continued dry weather, according to technicians of the local camp. Tuesday of last week, nine rigs were in operation building terraces or excavating channels on the following farms: R. C. Van Zandt, Ava Bolton, Elmer Mullis, Henry Ryan, J. V. Sewall and W. L. Thomas. Five and one-fourth miles of terraces and 4,100 linear feet of terrace outlet channel were completed during the week.

Since the establishment of the local SCS camp in August, 1935, 240 miles of terraces protecting approximately 4,500 acres have been constructed to SCS specifications. Surplus terrace water is being carried away without erosion by 64,230 linear feet of terrace outlet channels which have been properly protected against erosion, mostly by the use of Bermuda grass sod.

The practice of constructing wide, flat terraces is spreading among farmers in this locality. Terraces having a base width of thirty-six feet or more present no problems in cultivating or harvesting as large combines may be used without trouble on terraces of this type. A recent example of forty feet base width terraces may be observed on the farm of R. C. Van Zandt.

Trickham Cemetery Working

Announcement is made that there will be a working of the cemetery at Trickham Tuesday, October 18.

Return From Visits

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Montgomery, 1204 Vincent street, have returned from a seven weeks tour during which they visited relatives at Frederick, Okla., Clovis, N. M., and Lubbock, Tahoka and Big Spring, Texas.

"We had a fine time," said Mr. Montgomery on his return, "arriving at each place just in time to find the blackeye peas, roasting ears, fried chicken and water-melons all getting ripe."

Brownwood Firemen Turn Beauticians, Work on City Hall

Not long ago the city had some work done on the city hall that made that edifice present a very bright and cheerful appearance to the passers-by over on Flisk avenue.

The firemen decided that it was a good idea and that it should be carried further. So, without charge for their services, they began a renovation of that part of the city building with which they are most directly concerned. They are just now finishing up the job, which has added much to the attractiveness of their surroundings.

To begin with, there was a wooden seat between the two front entrances at the city hall, with a square of dirt extending from the seat to the sidewalk. It was a nice place for members of the fire department and their families to sit in summer evenings, but it looked like it could be improved. And it was improved. With brick given them by W. H. Gifford of the Texas Brick Company the firemen went to work, and where the old wooden seat was there is now an attractive looking brick seat, with a square of bricks where was the square of dirt.

Then into the interior, where repainting, repainting, replastering, calcimining and so on was done in several parts of the building, including the office of Chief Rance Pettitt, the stairways, the six apartments occupied by the firemen and their families and the fire engine room.

The work was all done by the firemen at central station, along with Chief Pettitt and Fire Marshal Seaborn Jones. They are Orville Bradley, Ivan Hays, Seaborn Jones Jr., Louis (Jack) Dempsey and Jimmie Pike. As building beauticians they now claim first grade certificates.

There are eleven firemen altogether in the city, including the chief and fire marshal. Besides those named at Central station, there are Tom Taylor and Norman Chaney at station No. 2, corner of Third street and Avenue D, and John Gill and Wiley Wheeler at station No. 3 on West Baker street. Fire Marshal Jones lives at station No. 2.

Three

(Continued from Page 1) For Attorney General Democrats—Gerald C. Mann of Dallas.

Republicans—Enoch G. Fletcher of Grand Saline.

Socialists—George Clifton Edwards of Dallas.

Communists—Nathan Kleban of San Antonio.

For Associate Justice of Supreme Court Democrats—Richard Critz of Taylor.

Republicans—A. F. Nossaman of Whitewright.

Socialists—F. N. Adams of Dallas.

For Judge of Court of Criminal Appeals (Regular Term) Democrats—F. L. Hawkins of Waxahachie.

Republicans—D. Heywood Hardy of Houston.

Socialists—J. C. Breeding of Dallas.

For Judge of Court of Criminal Appeals (Unexpired Term) Democrats—Harry N. Graves of Georgetown.

Socialists—C. T. Renshaw.

For Railroad Commissioner Democrats—G. A. (Jerry) Sadler of Lonview.

Republicans—C. A. Milligan of Pittsburgh.

Socialists—J. W. Hembree of Smithville.

For Comptroller Democrats—George H. Sheppard of Sweetwater.

Republicans—T. J. Martin of Brackettville.

Socialists—J. M. Jewell of Waco.

For Land Commissioner Democrats—Bascom Giles of Austin.

Republicans—R. H. Smellage of Waxahachie.

Socialists—O. M. Williams of Temple.

Communists—James Sager of Harlingen.

For Treasurer Democrats—Charley Lockhart of Austin.

Socialists—J. M. Killough of Waco.

For State Superintendent of Public Instruction Democrats—L. A. Woods of Austin.

Republicans—Mrs. Gertrude Leek of Livingston.

Socialists—Carl Brannin of Dallas.

For Commissioner of Agriculture Democrats—J. C. McDonald of Waxahachie.

Republicans—Hoyt A. Winslow of Dallas.

Socialists—A. E. Gay of Canton.

Heavy Increase in Shelterbelt Trees

Wichita Falls—Tree shelterbelt plantings in the Plains states, in which the Forest Service cooperates with farmers, in 1938 almost doubled the total for the three previous years, a report just released by Forest Service headquarters here shows.

A total of 6,871 1/2 miles of tree shelterbelts has been planted, of which 4,264 1/2 miles were planted in 1938, the report shows. A total of 11,536 farms have been served, 7,046 of them this year. Eighty-four million trees were used to establish these shelterbelts.

The largest mileage for the year was in Oklahoma, 1,939 miles on 1,870 farms; Nebraska was second with 1,697 miles on 1735 farms.

Oklahoma also leads in total plantings, with 1,542 miles on 2,760 farms. Nebraska is second with 1,516 miles on 2,587 farms. Other state totals are: Texas, 1,165 miles on 1,388 farms; Kansas, 1,150 miles on 2,988 farms; South Dakota, 843 1/2 miles on 1,394 farms, and North Dakota, 655 miles on 1,119 farms.

Shelterbelt planting in the Plains states is wholly cooperative, Foresters point out. Planting is done only after an application is received, an examination made of the planting site, and the soil prepared for planting. The Forest Service furnishes the trees, and uses relief labor to do the planting and build the fence surrounding the shelterbelt. The farmer furnishes the land, prepares it for planting, furnishes the fence material when needed, and cultivates the shelterbelt during the few years this is necessary.

RUBBER STAMPS—For marking Butter wrappers — 3 day service — Bring us your orders—Brownwood Banner.

Bangs

Mrs. T. D. Holder was hostess to the T.E.L. class of the Baptist church at her home in north Bangs Thursday afternoon, October 6. Assisting hostesses were Mesdames Hardwicke, Hintner, Howard and Hawkins.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Claud Howard. Mrs. Rufus Pierce, vice president, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Ira Norris.

In the business meeting the following teachers and officers were elected for another year: Assistant teacher, Mrs. Holder; president, Mrs. John Allison; first vice president, Mrs. Wardie Fitzgerald; second vice president, Mrs. V. D. Stacy; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Luther Bruton; teacher, Mrs. Neal Greer. Mrs. Greer gave the closing prayer.

A social hour was then enjoyed, games being directed by Mrs. Howard. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mesdames Owen, Crouch, W. S. Stacy, J. C. Stacy, Seymour, Chas. Mathews, Cate, Greer, Allison, Bruton, Fitzgerald, Hawkins, Adair, Pierce, Holder, Prince, Hardwicke, Pike and Brooks. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Chas. Mathews in November.

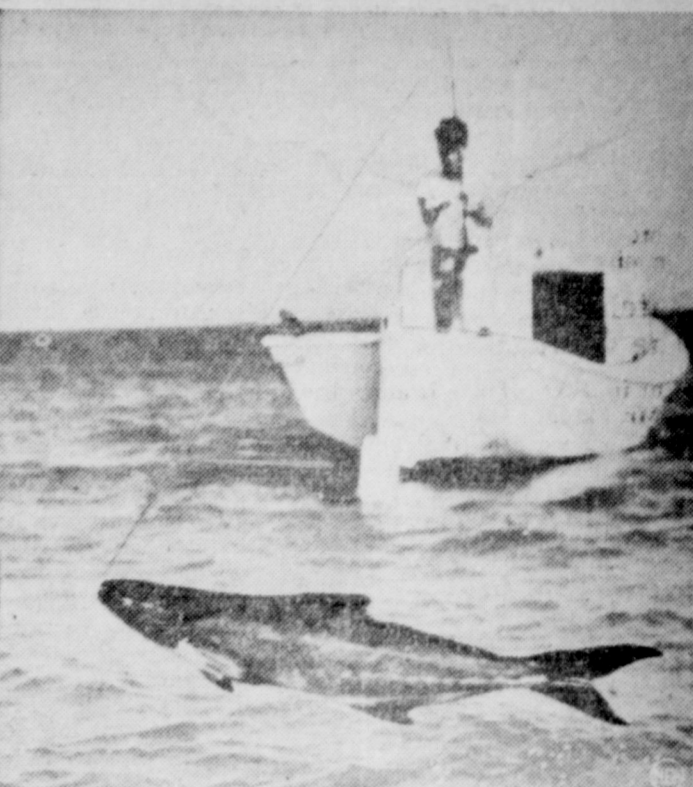
A bride's shower was given Mrs. Floyd White of Brownwood, the former Miss Edna Walker, October 6 at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Alice Rutledge. Mrs. White received many lovely and useful gifts.

The P-T A. will meet at 8 p. m. Thursday night, October 20, at the gym, in a Fathers' Night program as follows: Prayer, Mrs. Neal Greer; special music, J. C. Lewis; "The American Home," Mrs. Trapp; "The Advantages of the Modern Home Over the Home of Fifty Years Ago," affirmative Mr. Vestal, negative Mr. Louis Yarbrough; stunt by pep squad; singing.

All parents having children in school are urged to be present. Come and see how you like inside of the gym since the fire, the new stage, equipment, piano, etc.

Miss Mayesie Malone organized a 4-H club for girls in Bangs October 5. There are 47 girls in the club. Officers were elected as follows: President, Kathleen Harris; vice president, Alice Humphrey; secretary, Marlene Oden; Parliamentarian, Nadine Sikes; yell leader, Charlene Pugh; song leader, Mary Lois Pruitt; reporter, Mary Helen Stacy; sponsor, Mrs. V. P. Riley; garden demonstrators, Alice

Cameraman Is Luckier Than Angler



This fish, a cobbler, escaped from the line of the man in the boat after breaking water and jumping right into the lens of a surprised cameraman in another skiff. The remarkable picture was taken off Crocodile Island, N. C.

Humphrey, Juanita Butler, Nov. passed away at her home there June Mathews and Nada Newton; Saturday, October 8, after several clothing demonstrators, Kathleen months illness. She was laid to Harris, Clara Bell Brown, Melba rest in the Bangs cemetery October Robbins, Jo Ann Bennett, Wilma 10. In addition to her husband she Yazel, Virginia Cunningham, Mary leaves two daughters, Jeanneth Helen Stacy and Nina Mae Mc-Lucile and Peggy Lee. She is also Gaughey. The club will meet on the survived by her parents. Mr. is also first and third Thursday in each Mrs. W. M. Medcalf of Bangs; by month.

Supplementing her college work and Mrs. Oria Salyer of Brownwood; by three brothers, Earl and Ervin Medcalf of Bangs and a Bangs is a temporary member of sell Medcalf of Mozelle, and by a the Denton public school faculty, host of relatives and friends.

under the supervision of the education instructors of Texas State College for Women. She is obtaining this practical experience in teaching as a step toward a permanent certificate. A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Taylor, Mrs. Taylor is a senior at the college.

and has been active in social as well as academic affairs. Mr. and Mrs. Otha Bruton and family are moving from Concord Mrs. Leland Aiton of Fort Worth to North Bangs to make their home.

Officers Chosen by Brown County Club Girls for the Year

Miss Mayesie Malone, Brown county home demonstration agent reports the election of officers by girls' clubs in Brown county for the current school year as follows:

Bangs

Kathleen Harris, president; Alice Humphrey, vice president; Mercene Oden, secretary-treasurer; Nadine Sikes, parliamentarian; Charlene Pugh, Mary Louise Pruitt, song and yell leaders; Mary Helen Stacy, reporter; Mrs. V. P. Rice, sponsor; Alice Humphrey, Juanita Butler, Novelene Mathews and Nada Newton, garden demonstrators; Kathleen Harris, Clara Brown, Melba Robbins, Jo Ann Bennett, Wilma Yazel, Virginia Alice Mary Stacy and Nina May McCaughey, clothing demonstrators.

Concord

Charleen Sallee, president; La Vena Greer, vice president; Doris Early, secretary-treasurer; Johnee Page, parliamentarian; Betty Ruth Pike, song and yell leader, and reporter; Mrs. Wallace Greer, sponsor; Doris Early and Wanda Page, garden demonstrators; La Vena Greer, Lucille Davis and Charleen Sallee, clothing demonstrators.

Brookesmith

Nova Hurst, president; Ina V. Rogers, vice president; Willene May, secretary-treasurer; Dophene Sewall, parliamentarian; Joan Meyer, reporter; Mrs. Otie Wilson, sponsor; Wanda Lewis and Nova Hurst, garden demonstrators; Lohi Caffey and Alen Mauldin, clothing demonstrators.

Mukewater

Mary Anna Norris, president; Johnnie Swenson, vice president; Benlah Nipher, secretary-treasurer; Louise Reid, parliamentarian; Joyce Eoff, song and yell leader and reporter; Mrs. Lennie Sikes, sponsor; La Verna Walton, clothing demonstrator; Johnnie Swenson, garden demonstrator.

Early

Nelda Hunt, president; Montrued Fowler, vice president; Dorothy Byrd, secretary-treasurer; Betty Jean Lightsey, parliamentarian; Bernice Wade, reporter; Nell Dickson, yell leader; Betty Jean Lightsey, song leader; Mrs. Bert Wright, sponsor; Mary Lou Eaton and

Nelda Hunt, garden demonstrators; Bernice Wade and Montrued Fowler, clothing demonstrators.

Zephyr

Ima Jean Powell, president; Mary Ella Cobb, vice president; Mary La Verne Keeler, parliamentarian; Francis Glass, secretary-treasurer; Sue Powell, song and yell leader; Gatha Lee Perry, reporter; Mrs. R. A. Scott, sponsor; Susie Counts and Sue Powell, clothing demonstrators; Dorothy Jones, garden demonstrator.

Indian Creek

Juanita Crowder, president; Zola Martin, vice president; Gladys Jones, secretary-treasurer; Nelda Jean Jones, parliamentarian; Ethel Reese, song and yell leader; Jewell Teggie, reporter; Mrs. D. H. Bullion, sponsor; Iona Allgood, garden demonstrator; Junita Crowder and Doris Greeley, clothing demonstrators.

Owen

Mammie Ross Green, president; Jean Green, vice president; Ina Nell Hollingsworth, secretary-treasurer; Betty Jo Nelson, parliamentarian; Betty Jo and Bobbie Nelson, song and yell leaders; Ina Nell Hollingsworth, reporter; Mrs. E. H. Ehrke, garden demonstrator; Mammie Green, clothing demonstrator.

Grosvenor

Pauline Williams, president; Betty Jo Chastain, vice president; Dorothy Hallford, secretary-treasurer; Billy Hallford, parliamentarian; Patsy Hallford, song and yell leader; Helen St. Clair, reporter; Mrs. A. E. Hallford, sponsor; Dorothy MacFury and Wanda Moore, garden demonstrators; Johnnie Wilson and Billy Hallford, clothing demonstrators.

Spiritual Retreat At Coleman Oct. 19

The Spiritual Life Retreat of the Brownwood District will be held at the First Methodist Church in Coleman on Wednesday, October 19, beginning at 10 a. m.

Speakers include Mrs. Arthur Moore, wife of Bishop Moore of San Antonio; Conference President Mrs. Gid J. Bryan; Mrs. C. A. Boaz of Fort Worth and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sicheloff.

Women of the district are urged to attend, as an inspiring program has been arranged for the day.

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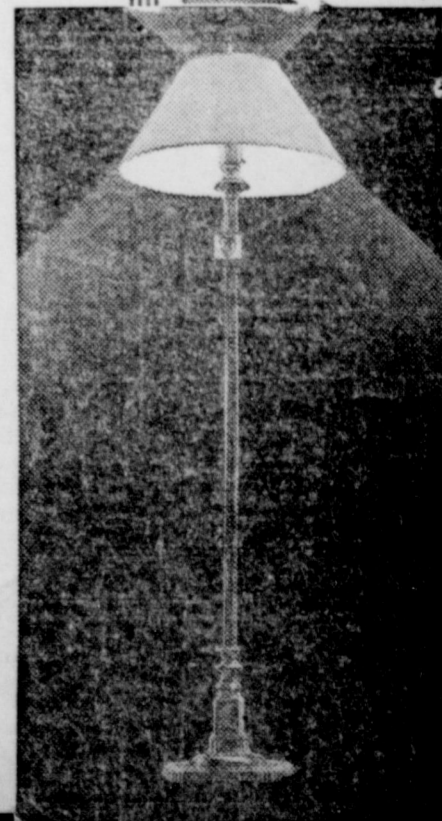
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### Need Common Force To Wage Fight for Safety of Public

Austin—"We can control traffic within this state if every agency and the public will join in a common force to wage this fight," states Julian Montgomery, Texas highway engineer, in an article in the October issue of Texas Parade. "An ailing patient must be subjected first to a careful diagnosis before treatment or before undergoing an operation," writes Mr. Montgomery in an article titled "Black Spots on the Safety Picture."

"Accordingly, we have undertaken to break down our traffic accidents into causes, places of accidents, and other pertinent facts to determine where and how to apply corrective measures in our war upon all accidents.

"In centering our attack upon this phase of greatest destruction, we have developed some salient facts for the period of the first six months of 1938. The safety division of the Highway Department has prepared an 'accident spot' map.

"It is noted from this map that 39.56 per cent of the fatalities during the period cited happened in twelve counties wherein 32.65 per cent of the inhabitants of the state reside.

#### Accidents Within Towns

"The general public has been prone to accept, without analyzing, a common belief that most of the fatalities happen on our highways. These statistics prove that such is not a fact and serve to allocate part of the responsibilities to agencies other than the State Highway Department and the Department of Public Safety. Of the 767 fatalities recorded, 458, representing 59.71 per cent, happened upon our highways. The remaining 309, representing 40.29 per cent, happened within our cities and towns and upon roads other than state and federal highways.

"It was of note that 192 fatalities, representing 25.03 per cent, happened in our cities of more than 2,500 population; whereas 43 fatalities, representing 5.61 per cent, happened in towns of under 2,500 population. These figures indicate that more than 30 per cent of the fatalities for the period happened in localities where city and town authorities have jurisdiction and control.

"The same is applicable to counties as is evidenced by 74 fatalities, representing 9.55 per cent.

"During this same six months period, there were 5,633 personal injury accidents throughout the state as reported. These accidents are segregated: 2,594, representing 38.81 per cent, as having happened in towns of over 2,500 population; 356, representing 5.33 per cent, in towns of under 2,500 population; 3,425, representing 51.25 per cent, on the highways, and 368, representing 4.61 per cent, happening on other roads.

"These facts place a grave responsibility upon city, town and county authorities.

"If the State Highway Department and the Department of Public Safety are to succeed in the war they are waging upon accidents, fatal and non-fatal, they must have the full, unswerving support of the officials of every city, town and county.

### Love in Jail Doesn't Pan Out



Love laughed at locksmiths, but Dan Cupid wept over the broken romance of Lula Belle Kimel, daughter of the Lexington, N. C., jail keeper, shown here as she sat dejectedly in court where she was sentenced to 60 days in jail. Lula handed over the keys to her father's jail to a convict who said he loved her. The escaped prisoner, James Godwin, was captured.

"These two departments, working in complete unison and close liaison are waging an unrelenting fight for safety, and they pledge their full support and co-operation to every city, town and county, and ask for the same spirit of co-operation from the officials of those governmental units.

#### Fatalities Reduced

"The united forces that have contributed to the cause of safety in this state can justly be proud of their accomplishments during August, 1938. During that month, the fatalities were reduced to 196 compared to 139 in July, 1938; 150 in August, 1935; 170 in August, 1936; and 187 in August, 1937. However, we must not allow one skirmish victory to so fill us with pride as to slacken our efforts, because we have a hard fight ahead.

"In our campaign we can expect and hope to gain a little here today, a little there tomorrow; dig in and hold our gains against disappointing reverses; and keep fighting in an unrelenting struggle. That is the type of fight and the only one that can bring victory with order out of chaos."

#### 70,000 T. E. Exes

Austin—Former students of the University of Texas now total more than seventy thousand, according to records of the Ex-Students' Association. They are scattered to all parts of the globe—Ketchikan, Alaska; Mount Britain, New South Wales; Honolulu, Hawaii; Luebo, Belgian Congo, Africa; Amsterdam, The Netherlands; Hong Kong, China.

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Report of Condition of the			
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of Brownwood, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on September 28, 1938, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 3211, U. S. Revised Statutes.			
ASSETS			
1. Loans and discounts	\$ 298,124.50		
2. Overdrafts	431.33		
3. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	1,161,650.00		
4. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	62,298.42		
5. Banking house, \$80,820.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$1,900	80,821.00		
6. Real estate owned other than banking house	20,300.00		
7. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	358,239.42		
8. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	625,722.16		
9. Cash items not in process of collection	85.09		
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$2,607,671.83</b>		
LIABILITIES			
14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$1,875,504.75		
15. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	693.32		
16. State, county, and municipal deposits	249,403.15		
17. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	57,534.21		
18. Deposits secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$ 249,403.15		
19. Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	1,933,732.28		
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b>	<b>\$2,183,135.43</b>		
20. Other liabilities	3,379.52		
21. Capital account:			
Common stock, 1,000 shares, par \$100.00 per share	\$100,000.00		
Surplus	100,000.00		
Undivided profits—net	221,156.88		
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT</b>	<b>421,156.88</b>		
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES</b>	<b>\$2,607,671.83</b>		
MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities			
21. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	250,000.00		
22. Pledged:			
Against State, county, and municipal deposits	250,000.00		
<b>TOTAL PLEDGED</b>	<b>250,000.00</b>		
State of Texas, County of Brown, ss:			
I, Millard Romines, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.			
MILLARD ROMINES, Cashier.			
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 7th day of October, 1938.			
C. W. CARTER, Notary Public.			
CORRECT—ATTEST:			
A. H. BELL, JNO. T. YANTIS, J. A. WALKER, Directors.			

### Game Restoration In This Area Need Not Be Expensive

M. W. Ledbetter discusses the problem of game restoration in a communication to The Banner as follows:

"The problem of game restoration in this area need not be one of costly and sometimes hopeless replacement programs. A careful analysis of our past experiments will show that the planting of imported shrubs and grasses as cover and food for wildlife has not and will not furnish a food supply for the great coveys of birds that once existed in this area, nor the planting of a few pairs of birds or the placing of fish in streams produce magic results in game restoration.

"A few short years ago our fields and woods were covered with game birds and our streams alive with game fish, now several species of birds are extinct and others reduced to a point where rigid protection must be given them to insure their existence. Our supply of game fish has dropped to an alarming degree. It is true that great numbers of birds were killed and fish taken by those who thought the supply inexhaustible or just did not care, but frankly, that is not the reason of this alarming decrease.

#### Removed Plant Growth

"I think the outstanding reason is, we in our great machine made haste to absorb the seemingly inexhaustible supply of soil wealth, removed the very thing that all life and especially wildlife depends upon for existence, namely cover.

"In using the word cover, I mean the plant growth that blankets the earth, serving as a producer of food for man, beast and birds, a holder and producer of soil through its complex root systems, a reservoir and control of our rainfall and the protector of our streams.

"Without cover game birds and animals perish or concentrate in dense numbers on remaining cover, bringing on the complex problems we are now facing in certain areas, the result is no hunting, or if any, only to the few. As cover disappears, soil begins to move and streams die from silt. Silt, means floods, unsanitary water and no fish, thus goes the sport of fishing and finally the persons who have been leading the raid on cover are faced with waste land and finally all life must face this bleak prospect.

"First to Feel Results  
"Unfortunately wildlife is the first to feel the results. I think if it were the other way around and man was first, many nations and much more fruitful life would be evident today.

"The one bright hope and definite cure that really and truly exists is very evident in America at large and especially so in this area and that is this, specialists tell us that there is enough cover left to definitely make a recovery, through wise land use and known soil conserving practices, and through Fed-

eral, State, County and private organizations, a tremendous movement is in progress toward this end.

"Sportsmen must help, it is no longer a fight to be carried on by farmers and ranchmen, it is definitely every person's fight.

"A sportsman of today must not only know that gun, shell, rod or lure is most effective, he must know and must talk what conservation practice will give the widest benefit. He must be able at all times to help morally and financially.

"The entire picture including wildlife recovery, soil recovery, range recovery, all look very bright just now in our area. Favorable seasons and extensive conservation practices are beginning to have effect.

#### No Beauty Contests in Denmark

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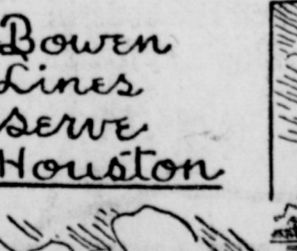
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YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon David Y. Pyron, J. M. Harrell, Jacob M. Harrell, John Harrell, A. J. Harrell, Mary Harrell, E. B. Turner, F. W. Chandler, Hiram S. Smith, H. L. Smith, Almeda M. Smith, Eugene K. Smith, Sophie S. Smith, J. Louglass Brown, S. W. Johnson, J. B. Napier and wife, E. B. Napier, W. W. Chandler, W. C. Allen and wife, Annie E. Allen, Phidello W. Hall and wife, Sarah J. Hall, G. W. Glascock, Jr., Elizabeth J. Logan, Albert H. Glascock, Andrew J. Glascock, Annie E. Hall, Champe Carter, C. L. Carter, E. F. Sumner and wife, Mary Mont Sumner, B. F. Cass and wife, Robbie L. Cass, Randolph Carter, Pattie Carter, Jennie Carter, G. W. McElyea, Greenleaf Fisk, William A. Fisk and wife, M. N. Fisk, J. P. Barton, Mrs. M. N. Barton, Noble B. Fisk and wife, Mary A. Fisk, Eliza C. Compton, and Chas. L. Wicker, the places of residence of each and all of said Defendants being unknown to Plaintiff, if said Defendants be living, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of any and all of such named Defendants as may be dead, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day thereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Brown County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Brownwood, Texas, on the 5th Monday in October, A. D. 1938, the same being the 31st day of October, A. D. 1938, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 19th day of September, A. D. 1938, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7652, wherein M. A. Richmond is Plaintiff, and David Y. Pyron, J. M. Harrell, Jacob M. Harrell, John Harrell, A. J. Harrell, Mary Harrell, E. B. Turner, F. W. Chandler, Hiram S. Smith, H. L. Smith, Almeda M. Smith, Eugene K. Smith, Sophie S. Smith, J. Douglas Brown, S. W. Johnson, J. B. Napier and wife, E. B. Napier, W. W. Chandler, W. C. Allen and wife, Annie E. Allen, Phidello W. Hall and wife, Sarah J. Hall, G. W. Glascock, Jr., Elizabeth J. Logan, Albert H. Glascock, Andrew J. Glascock, Annie E. Hall, Champe Carter, C. L. Carter, E. F. Sumner and wife, Mary Mont Sumner, B. F. Cass and wife, Robbie L. Cass, Randolph Carter, Pattie Carter, Jennie Carter, G. W. McElyea, Greenleaf Fisk, William A. Fisk and wife, M. N. Fisk, J. P. Barton, Mrs. M. N. Barton, Noble B. Fisk and wife, Mary A. Fisk, Eliza C. Compton, and Chas. L. Wicker, if

said Defendants be living, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of any and all of such named Defendants as may be dead, —are Defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action being as follows:

Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title, to recover title and possession of that certain tract or parcel of land situated in Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

Being situated in the D. Y. Pyron Survey No. 8, Brown County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit: BEGINNING at the North corner of a tract of 77.83 acres of said survey, described in deed from C. C. Wilkins and wife, to M. E. Fry, dated August 25, 1925, of record in Volume 263, page 587, of the Deed Records of Brown County, Texas; Thence North 45 East 74 1/2 vrs., more or less, to the North corner of said survey; Thence South 45 East with the Northeast line of said survey to its East corner; Thence South 45 West 74 1/2 vrs., more or less, to the East corner of said M. E. Fry Tract; Thence North 45 West with the Northeast line of said M. E. Fry Tract, to the point of beginning, containing 214 acres, more or less.

In addition to his count in trespass to try title to recover said land and premises, Plaintiff specifically pleads right to recover title and possession of said land and premises under and by virtue of the three, five, ten, and twenty-five year Statutes of Limitation of the State of Texas.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 19th day of September, A. D. 1938.

L. J. WILSON, Clerk,  
District Court, Brown County, Tex.  
By Mallie Kilgore, Deputy

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF BROWN

To those indebted to or hold claims against the estate of P. J. Owens, deceased, the undersigned having been duly appointed executrix of the estate of P. J. Owens deceased, late of Brown County, Texas, by the Judge of the County Court of said county the 1st day of August, 1938, and during a regular term thereof, hereby notified all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to her within the time prescribed by law at her residence at Sanatorium, Texas, where she receives her mail.

WITNESS my hand this 12th day of September, 1938.

HOLYCE OWENS,  
Executrix of the Estate of P. J. Owens, deceased.

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Brown County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon W. H. Kokernot, C. H. Bailey, Mutual Oil and Royalty Corporation, a private corporation, E. B. Carruth, Senior, and Zeno E. Wilks, by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Brown County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Brownwood, Texas, on the last Monday in October, A. D. 1938, the same being the 31st day of October, A. D. 1938, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1938, in a suit, numbered on the docket of the said Court No. 7674, wherein Mrs. Jennima Curtner, is Plaintiff, and Claud Curtner, is Defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Plaintiff alleges that she has resided in Brown County, Texas, for more than twelve months next pre-

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of October A. D. 1938, then and there to answer an amended petition filed in said Court on the 27th day of September, A. D. 1938, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 7669, wherein E. O. Baker and Blanche Baker, are Plaintiffs, and Brown County Improvement District Number One, W. H. Kokernot, C. H. Bailey, Mutual Oil and Royalty Corporation, E. B. Carruth, Senior, and Zeno E. Wilks, are Defendants, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows: Plaintiffs allege that defendant, Brown County Water Improvement District Number One, during the year 1934 constructed a dam across the Pecan Bayou a short distance below where it joins Jim Ned Creek thereby forming a lake covering about 7500 acres of land. That plaintiffs at and prior to said time owned 80 acres of land out of the Roland Honeycutt Survey, lying on the South side of Jim Ned Creek about two miles above said dam. That by reason of the construction of said dam, water was backed onto and across plaintiffs land and permanently submerged and flooded about 8 acres of the plaintiffs land; and by reason of the fact that said back water filled a slough or depression, rendered the plaintiffs field in-accessible to his residence thereby greatly lessening the value of his entire tract, and thereby permanently damaging and injuring said land in the sum of \$9,200.00. Plaintiffs allege that W. H. Kokernot is the owner of an undivided one-eighth interest in the mineral rights; and that the defendant Mutual Oil and Royalty Corporation, is the owner of an undivided one-sixteenth interest in the mineral rights; and the defendants, E. B. Carruth, Senior and Zeno E. Wilks, each own an undivided one-thirtysecond interest respectively in the mineral rights in and under the said land, and are made parties hereto that their rights may be adjusted.

Plaintiffs ask for damages against the said Brown County, Water Improvement District Number One, in the sum of \$9,200.00 and costs of suit.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 27th day of September, A. D. 1938.

L. J. WILSON, Clerk,  
District Court, Brown County, Tex.  
By Mallie Kilgore, Deputy

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
To the Sheriff or any Constable of Brown County—Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to summon Claud Curtner by making publication of this Citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your County, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Brown County, to be held at the Court House thereof, in Brownwood, Texas, on the last Monday in October, A. D. 1938, the same being the 31st day of October, A. D. 1938, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of September, A. D. 1938, in a suit, numbered on the docket of the said Court No. 7674, wherein Mrs. Jennima Curtner, is Plaintiff, and Claud Curtner, is Defendant, and a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action, being as follows:

Plaintiff further alleges that she was married to the defendant, Claud Curtner, on October 8th 1932. That she has three children, aged five and three years respectively. That they have no community property. That the residence of her husband is unknown.

That because of the harsh, cruel and improper conduct of the defendant toward the plaintiff she was forced to and did permanently abandon him as her husband, on the first day of March, 1936, since which time the defendant has not contributed anything to her support.

She prays for judgment for divorce, and the custody of the three children.

Herein Fail Not but have before said Court, at its next regular term, this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Brownwood, Texas, on this 29th day of September, A. D. 1938.

L. J. WILSON, Clerk,  
District Court, Brown County, Tex.  
By Mallie Kilgore, Deputy

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There is a light visible in southern latitudes called the Aurora Australis.

## Ronald Colman Marries Actress



The happy pair above prove even the wisest of men can forget his fear of feminine wiles and get married quietly. Here are Lenita Hume and her new husband, Ronald Colman. Hollywood is still gasping, for Colman had been regarded as one eligible male who would never marry, because of an unfortunate first attempt.

Menard topped the market in mohair sales last week with several thousand pounds of baby kid hair selling at 67 cents, states the Menard Messenger.

One indictment was returned by the Menard grand jury in its report for the fall term of court, charging a man with the theft of one sheep.

Stephenville is preparing for a big livestock and poultry show to be held October 20-22.

An unusually large number of early fall fairs have been held in Central and West Texas and large attendances and successful fairs have been reported on every hand.

The Rising Star Record reports that a total of around a quarter of a million dollars is indicated for the peanut crop there this year.

A \$27,500 bond issue for construction of a new ward school building was approved, 117 to 95, by Santa Anna voters Saturday. The bond voted was made contingent upon a \$27,500 loan and a \$22,500 grant which the school board is seeking to obtain from the Public Works Administration. If the grant and loan are refused, the bond issue will be invalidated.

Oct. 1 was the last day on which organizations seeking current supplementary PWA funds could hold local bond elections.

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Horse and mule men were on their toes last week as a horse near Richland Springs developed the first case of sleeping sickness in that immediate section, reports the Richland Springs Eye-Witness.

Byrds H. D. Club  
Miss Mayesie Malone, home demonstration agent, met with the club at the home of Mrs. W. A. Gee October 7. Miss Malone addressed the club and exhibited the things that make a well equipped yard. She discussed grades, tools, and their care.

Byrds club will have its achievement day Friday, November 4, at the home of Mrs. Joe Weedon

### Pasture Program on Every Farm Is Goal Of Camp Plan Here

The importance of the pasture in the farm setup is just being recognized. When grain and cotton prices were high and before erosion, plant diseases, and insect pests took their great toll on cultivated crops many farmers considered pastures as places for few or many livestock, just any number they happened to have on hand. As long as pastures were not seriously overgrazed little damage occurred, but the declining yields and low prices of cash crops forced most farmers to stock more cattle and sheep. In 1934, due to extremely low prices for livestock all who could afford to do so held their cattle and sheep for higher prices, consequently the severe drought of that year caught many

pastures seriously overstocked. Although rainfall has been normal since then many pastures have not and will not make a complete recovery without more attention than has been given them in the past, says a statement from the local camp of the soil conservation service.

Efforts are being made by the technicians of the local SCS camp to put into effect a complete pasture improvement program on every farm under agreement. This may include any or all of the following practices: water conservation measures, supplemental pasture, eradication of mesquite and acaci, location of favorable sites for stock tanks, forced grazing, etc., and fencing for rotated grazing, and seeding to suitable pasture grasses.

**Inspection of Lands**  
An inspection is made of all pas-

### Plans Started for S.A.T.C. Reunion

A letter bearing the signature "Buck Private" and asking that those who will help in making the S.A.T.C. reunion here on Thanksgiving day a success will write him at Box 630, Brownwood, says:

"Twenty years ago this fall we were hammering that old front line down on Howard Payne Campus and we'll all swear that it was a tough one to crack, squads right, squads left, flu and army food. Any soldier will tell you that that is the toughest war any mother's son ever fought. This fall we'll fight it all over again. Thanksgiving is the day. From Captain Carpenter down we are all expected to be here. Captain Carpenter was the first man to signify his purpose to be here. He probably will travel farther than anyone else to see his boys. So, write down on your calendar Thanksgiving Day, November 26, reunion of the Howard Payne Unit of the S. A. T. C., Brownwood, Texas."

ture land on each farm to determine areas suited to furrowing, ridging, kerensoning of mesquites, and locations where the farmer might build stock tanks. The farmer is then contacted to get an idea of the number of livestock normally run on pastures and the amount of supplementary pasture and grain available for grazing.

It has been found that good native pasture in this section will carry livestock about seven months a year. Supplemental pasture, in the form of small grain and sudan, should be available for the remaining five months and for emergency grazing in case of severe drought when native pasture might be damaged by overgrazing. Fortunately small grains and sudan do well in this section so the problem of supplementary pasture seldom presents great difficulties.

#### Forced Grazing

Forced grazing is practical where thick stands of needle and spear grass have replaced mesquite and buffalo sod. If entire pastures are infested with these grasses cross fencing should be done to divide the pasture into two or more pastures. One of these pastures is heavily grazed during the late winter and early spring when most undesirable grasses and weeds make their appearance supplemental pasture should be available so deferred grazing can be practiced in order that buffalo and mesquite grass may seed. The next year another of these pastures should receive the same treatment and in time spear and needle grass will be greatly checked. The cross fences can then be utilized for rotated grazing, permitting alternate pastures to reseed at least one year out of every three.

In this locality 67% of the land is in pasture and it is probable that, with proper management, pasture will yield as great a cash profit, acre for acre, over a period of years as cultivated land. In view of these facts the economic importance of proper pasture management cannot be overemphasized states J. W. Arnn, junior technician in the SCS camp here.

#### Length of Cotton Staple Increased

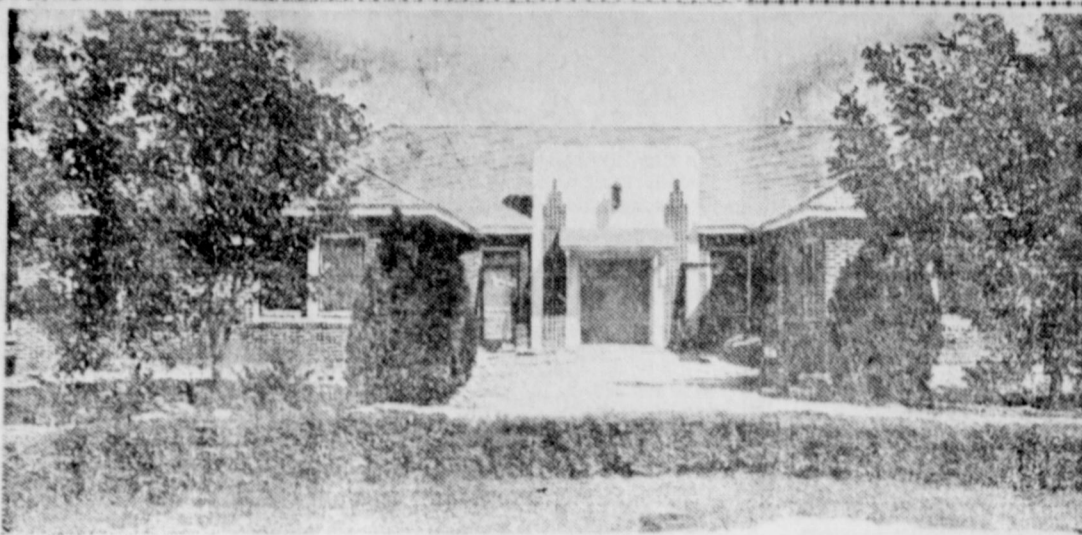
Cotton ginned in Texas prior to October 1, 1938, was somewhat similar in grade but considerably longer in staple than for the corresponding period last year. Estimates by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics indicate that 38 percent was strict middling white and better, compared with 32 percent last year. About 34 percent was middling white, and 19 percent was strict low middling. Less than 17 percent was of the spotted grades, according to a Department of Agriculture report.

Almost 25 percent was 1 inch and longer in staple, compared with only 8 percent last season. Approximately 47 percent was 15-16 and 21-22 inch; 23 percent was 7-8 and 29-32 inch; and only 5 percent was shorter than 7-8 inch. While less than 28 percent was shorter than 15-16 inch this year 58 percent was of these lengths for the corresponding period last year.

Ginnings prior to October 1, 1938, according to the Bureau of the Census, were 1,909,498 bales, compared with 2,650,072 bales ginned to the same date last year.

**Bedridden, Runs Business**  
CLEVELAND, Ohio.—Although Marvin Cole of this city has been stricken for three years with a disease affecting the bones of the body, he has conducted his own business by means of telephone at his bedside. With this service he solicits 50 per cent of the business of his cleaning establishment which employs eight persons.

### Brownwood Experiment Building



This is the new \$10,000 pecan and fruit tree experiment station in Brownwood which was formally presented to the Federal Government by the city of Brownwood and Brownwood Chamber of Commerce latter part of last month. The building has sixteen rooms, including offices, laboratories, photographic dark rooms and library.

### Armistice Plans to Be Taken Up by the Legion Next Week

Plans for the observance of Armistice Day will be taken up by the American Legion here at its next meeting, October 20, states M. L. Loudermilk, commander.

### Famous Icazbalceta Collection Obtained By Texas U. Library

Austin—The University of Texas Library has announced the acquisition of the famous Garcia Icazbalceta collection of Mexican historical documents and books, which, added to the already imposing Garcia Library at that institution, affords that school the most extensive and complete assemblage of Mexican in the world outside of Mexico, it was stated.

The Icazbalceta collection is composed of 150 volumes, each rare in its own right, and 50,000 pages

### Holley Back From Viewing New Car

J. R. Holley of the Holley-Langford Chevrolet Company returned Wednesday night from Dallas where he met with other dealers from over the country to view the new model Chevrolet.

Mr. Holley is enthusiastic about the new Chevrolet. It contains no radical changes, he states, but is built to meet the demands of the motoring public most fully in every respect.

of manuscript, including the original of one of four letters written by the explorer Hernando Cortez to Emperor Charles V of Spain dated October 15, 1524. It is a beautiful document and in an excellent state of preservation. In the opinion of collectors, "there is no measuring stick by which to appraise its spiritual value."

**Sixteenth Century Historian**  
"To have acquired such a library will be of incalculable credit to the University for all time," Donald Coney, University librarian said. "Garcia Icazbalceta's reputation as an historian, and collector of the sixteenth century of Mexico is such that the acquisition of his

**Copy of Epic Poem**  
Of no less importance, interest and value is the rare copy of the original edition of the only epic poem dealing with the conquest of any part of the present United States, the renowned "Historia de la Nueva Mexico" by Gaspar de Villagra, poet and soldier, who took part in the conquest of New Mexico, Dr. Castaneda explained. This book was printed in Alcalá, Spain, in 1610, and is so rare that in order to make its contents available to scholars the Mexican Government published a facsimile edition in 1900.

**Check Travels 11,575 Miles**  
PORTSMOUTH, R. I.—A long distance record for the payment of a bill was made here a short time ago when a check for telephone service came from a naval officer at Olongapo in the Philippine Islands. The check, The Indiana Telephone News points out, traveled a distance of 11,575 miles.

almost invariably by one or more maps in colors. These maps are not only geographical, but they include the products of each region pictorially represented, as well as many other graphic details of conditions. In this group there is a large map of more than six feet square, carefully and artistically drawn in colors. Many of the smaller maps are drawn on agave paper made by the natives out of the maguey plant fiber. This group of descriptions is of inestimable value to every student of Spanish American culture."

Each description is accompanied

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