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SOUTH OPPOSED TO COTTON LOAN BOOST PROPOSED BY SMITH

Congressman Charles L. South in San Angelo Saturday from Coleman, declared it would be unwise to increase the cotton loan from 8.3 cents a pound to 11 cents as proposed by Senator Smith (D-SC) in a conference in Washington yesterday with administration officials, says the San Angelo Standard-Times.

Rather than increase the loan, the Texas congressman would favor a direct subsidy, explaining that "it would amount to an expense to the government either way." Senator Smith offered the subsidy as an alternative to the loan increase.

The South Carolinian, heading a delegation of senators asking increased cotton and wheat loans of the Department of Agriculture, was quoted in dispatches from Washington as asserting there could be a permanent solution of the farm problem until more money was put in circulation.

Must Nurse Exports

Congressman South, while sympathizing with the farmer, says it is essential to nurse the export market. "The price now will encourage the export market if anything will, and we must not lose sight of that angle," he said. "Increasing the loan certainly would be losing sight of it," he added.

Senator Smith left a letter to Secretary Wallace in which he said that the administration's program would be seriously jeopardized unless the government meets demands for more cotton aid, as reported from Washington last Saturday.

During the conference lesser officials had a controversy with Harry Brown, assistant secretary of agriculture, and Jesse W. Tapp, Agriculture Adjustment administrator.

"We aren't going to solve this by standing around and raising our eyebrows," Smith said. "We are up against the American farmer."

"I hope you don't think the Department of Agriculture is against the farmer," Brown interjected. "I sometimes do," the senator shot back.

Hold 7,000,000 Bales Now
 He demanded in his letter to Wallace that the present government loan on the 1938 cotton crop be increased from 8.3 cents a pound to more than 11 cents, or that cotton growers be offered an additional government subsidy payment of three cents a pound.

Brown, representing Wallace, who was out of the city, told the conference the cotton loan rate had been fixed at 8.3 cents "because in the long run the Department of Agriculture felt that would be better for the farmers themselves as well as the government."

He said the government already had 7,000,000 bales of cotton under loans and a high loan rate would cause more cotton to be diverted from trade channels into government holdings.

Smith, chairman of the Senate agriculture committee, announced he would call his committee together in December to work out "a real farm program" for presentation to the new Congress in January.

World Wheat Supply

Washington—The 1938-39 world wheat supply is estimated at 4,910 million bushels by the bureau of agricultural economics. This is the second largest supply for any year on record and 585 million bushels more than the preceding year when supplies were the smallest since 1927.

This year's figure consists of 595 million bushels carryover as of July 1 and 4,345 million bushels estimated produced this year. China and Soviet Russia are not included in the estimate.

Tenth Anniversary of County's \$1,650,000 Vote for Road Bonds

It was ten years ago this week that Brown county voted for a bond issue of \$1,650,000 for road building.

The succeeding decade has seen a transformation in the roads of Brown county that makes the anniversary well worthy of notice.

At the time that this important step was taken for a road system here, there were no paved roads in Brown county. The county had only dirt roads, poorly located and with numerous right angle turns, on its State highway system and on its lateral roads had very few drainage structures, with very poorly graded roads and very narrow right of way.

Four Years' Work

The result of the bond issue in the approximately four years covering the building program was the paving of 86.99 miles of State highways and the building up of the lateral road system. On the lateral road system there were approximately 296 miles graded and 432 drainage structures were constructed, ranging from 24 inch diameter corrugated metal pipe up to and including the 418-foot reinforced concrete and steel bridge across Lake Brownwood on the Brownwood-Cross Cut road, as shown in report on the road filed by Engineer Leo Ehlinger.

Of the \$1,650,000 voted for the road bonds, \$206,000 was used for the retirement of outstanding bonds and warrants for the lateral road work. This left \$1,444,000 for the State highway system and the construction of approximately 296 miles of lateral roads, which was divided as follows: State road system, \$845,000; lateral road system, \$599,000.

State Spent \$1,360,816

The total cost of the 88.99 miles of State highways was \$1,360,816, of which \$679,812 was county funds and \$1,250,816 was State Highway Department funds. In addition to this, State Highway Department spent \$110,000 for 7.3 miles Brownwood-Cross Cut feeder road, bringing its total expenditure to \$1,360,816. The county spent \$186,000 on preliminary engineering.

It will be seen from the above figures that the county spent less than the amount set aside by it for the work. This is worthy of note as the anniversary of the program's beginning is contemplated, for it is one of the few times that ever any county voted bonds for road work and completed the work on less than the amount voted.

The county came out with a surplus of approximately \$165,000 on this part of the work, which was transferred to the lateral road system. This was used in the construction of additional lateral roads and for furnishing the county's share of WPA projects on lateral roads that came later on.

Engineer Employed

In February, 1929, the Brown county commissioners court, with E. M. Davis as county judge, hired an engineer, who was then maintenance engineer for the State Highway Department of Texas, to be in charge of the location and construction of both the lateral road and State highway systems. This was Leo Ehlinger, now division engineer, who has been a citizen of Brownwood since that time. The engineer began his duties March 1, 1929.

In a report filed by Ehlinger last year he called attention to the fact that at the time of the completion of the State highway system in Brown county it was the only county in the state that had a complete-

Priest Escapes 'Prison' Briefly



Imprisoned in his parish house for seven weeks by a picket line of parishioners, the Rev. Simon Borkowski of Vulcan, Mich., is shown here as he emerged from his rectory after a group of business men freed him for a few minutes. The parishioners, who refuse to allow Father Borkowski to be transferred to a Wisconsin seminary, rioted, dispersed the "liberators" and returned the priest to his "prison."

ly paved highway system of modern design. These highways, he said, are still equal to those of any county in the state.

The lateral road system of Brown county now has a large mileage paved with caliche and some asphalt and this system, states the engineer, is now second to none as to type and permanence of drainage structure and ability of traffic to use same in all weather.

The following is an approximate estimate of the quantities of various materials used in the construction of the State highway system: One hundred and ninety thousand cubic yards of caliche and 150,000 cubic yards of crushed limestone for constructing bases; 820,000 gallons, or 90 car loads, of asphalt; 210,000 cubic yards of concrete, using 200,000 cubic yards of crushed stone and gravel and 100,000 cubic yards of sand; 2,100,000 pounds of reinforcing steel and 1,260,000 sacks of cement.

Large Amount for Labor
 These materials were purchased from local property owners with the exception of asphalt, reinforcing steel and concrete. Of all the money spent in the construction of the road system, 42 per cent went for labor. One hundred and fifty thousand dollars were paid to land owners for right of way. Caliche was bought from local farmers.

When the engineer took up his work here there were 85 right angle turns on the State highway system in the county, which were eliminated in the laying out of the new roads. Twelve miles of distance was saved by the new locations. Actual construction work was begun in June 1929.

The commissioners' court under which this work was begun was composed of County Judge E. M. Davis and Commissioners N. P. Pinson, W. C. Morrison, W. M. Medcalf and L. F. Byrd. The court under which it was carried on to completion was composed of County Judge Courtney Gray and Commissioners E. S. Thompson, James Phillips, J. A. (Chuck) Bettis and Charles B. Palmer.

District Offices Here

An important outgrowth of the road building program here is that Brownwood is now the headquarters of district 23, a ten county district. District offices were established here in 1932 and the present highway building was constructed in June 1935. The building and equipment cost \$16,132.

The district office has a monthly salary payroll in Brownwood of \$6,862.55. The personnel is as follows:

Leo Ehlinger, division engineer; Robert J. Milligan, assistant division engineer; C. A. Bradshaw,

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TEACHERS MEET AT 3RD ANNUAL DINNER OF THE ASSOCIATION

The Brownwood Classroom Teachers Association heard a discussion of educational problems with especial reference to proposed legislation affecting educational work by Congressman C. L. South of Coleman, at its third annual dinner at Brownwood Hotel Tuesday night. Mr. South's address was the feature of the evening's program and was heard with keen interest. After discussing educational legislation he referred briefly to European affairs and other matters before this nation and the world today.

With an attendance of more than a hundred, the teachers and their invited guests enjoyed a four course dinner and an entertaining program. Ralph B. Griffin, member of the high school faculty, was toastmaster and the speaker of the evening was introduced by J. M. Binlon, president of the Classroom Teachers Association. Beside Mr. Binlon, other officers of the association are: Mrs. Tex Worsham, vice president; Miss Ann Epps, second vice president; Miss Elva Scott, recording secretary; Mrs. Mildred McDonough, corresponding secretary; Mrs. J. N. Wilson, treasurer; Ralph B. Griffin, parliamentarian; Miss Emma Belle Scott, publicity director.

Guests at the dinner included members of the Brownwood school board and Mayor and Mrs. Wendell Mayes.

Music was furnished by an orchestra composed of high school and college students, under the direction of W. R. Parker.

HILTON BURKS HEADS NEW CENTRAL TEXAS ROADS ASSOCIATION

The Central Texas Good Roads Association was organized at Waco last Friday with Hilton Burks of Comanche, former secretary of the Brownwood Chamber of Commerce, chairman and Manton Hannah, Waco, secretary. Twelve vice presidents were elected, each representing a different county, including Howard Kilpatrick of Comanche.

The association was formed at a conference following a Central highway rally at which Harry Hines of the Texas Highway Commission was one of the principal speakers.

Lack of paved roads by which people living off the highways may come to town in all kinds of weather was referred to as the weak line in Texas' highway system.

He expressed belief that an error had been made in reducing federal aid for building and maintaining highways. Congress could remedy this mistake, he said, since the reduction was not effective until July 1, 1933. He favored a federal three-to-five-year farm-to-market road-building program, as large as the federal-aid program for major highways, with highway departments of the various states charged with its administration.

Hines praised the work of the Texas Good Roads Association. "As we find opportunity, we shall complete the gaps in our highway system," Hines said.

State Highway Engineer Julian Montgomery said that approximately \$400,000,000 would be required over a period of about twelve years to fill the gaps now existing and to rehabilitate obsolete roads if not another mile of road was built. He had, he said, requested a PWA grant for \$11,500,000 for 123 highway projects in 101 counties, and he suggested that Texas Congressmen get behind this effort.

Montgomery said that so far this year the State Highway Department has under way and contracted for projects aggregating \$28,000,000, the largest sum of any nine months in any year. There are no peaks, no low points in the state highway program, he said. It was mandatory, he said, that 1 per cent of federal aid be spent for roadside development or beautification.

Housekeeping Aide Project Will Hold Open House Monday

The public is given an invitation to attend open house of the Housekeeping Aide Project at Community Center, 409 West Anderson street, next Monday from 4 to 9 p. m. Miss Gertrude Johnson is supervisor of the work.

County Values Up \$231,272

OIL ACCOUNTS FOR LARGE PERCENT OF VALUATION GAINS

Assessed valuations of Brown county are \$13,826,735, which is an increase of \$231,272 over the previous year, as shown by the tax rolls which have just been completed in the office of Assessor and Collector Winston Palmer.

Increase in oil and oil properties accounts for the greater part of the increase, Palmer states. Oil and oil valuations of the 1937 rolls were \$1,384,292, exclusive of the pipe line assessments. The new rolls place these items at approximately \$200,000 higher.

The valuations as shown by the recapitulation of the rolls now completed are: Lands, \$5,975,360; city property, \$5,146,690; personal property, \$2,985,785; 68.29 miles railroad—roadbed \$479,285, rolling stock \$85,930; intangible valuations \$506,450; telephone and telegraph lines, \$2,530; pipe lines, \$329,710; 649 shares bank stock, \$114,995.

The rolls show 4,650 horses and mules, valued at \$118,700; cattle 19,800, valued at \$194,230; sheep 27,890, valued at \$58,800; goats 700, valued at \$1,050; hogs 8, valued at \$80.

There were 2,510 automobiles rendered, valued at \$194,600. There are approximately 5,500 cars in the county.

Collections in the year just closed were the best in the last ten years, the records of the collector show, 82 per cent of the taxes having been paid.

Collections for the current year started a week ago. Payments are being made at a good rate, it is stated.

Brownwood Colleges Given Fund Quotas For 78 NYA Jobs

Monthly fund quotas and number of jobs under the college aid program announced Saturday by the state headquarters of the National Youth Administration at Austin included both the Brownwood colleges.

Daniel Baker's quota is \$375 for 25 jobs and Howard Payne's quota is \$795 for 53 jobs.

Seventy-nine Texas colleges and universities have already been approved as eligible for participation in the program this school year, J. C. Kellam, State NYA Director, announced. "This means that 4236 part-time jobs have been made available to boys and girls in Texas who could not otherwise continue their college educations," he said.

Mr. Kellam also announced that to date more than 1000 high schools had been approved for participation in the 1938-39 NYA School Aid Program. Applications from both colleges and secondary schools are being acted upon as rapidly as they are received.

B.P.W. Banquet to Honor Club Leader

The Brownwood Business and Professional Women's Club is completing plans for a banquet to be given next Tuesday night at Brownwood Hotel honoring Mrs. Richard J. Turrentine, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. This will be the local club's public meeting of Business Women's Week. Federated clubs of the city will join with them in the plans.

Peanut Growers of Brown County Form Association at May

Starting its work with 129 members, the Brown County Peanut Growers Association has been organized at May, with J. H. Buzbee as president. The association will market the peanuts of its members through the Southwestern Peanut Growers Association.

Arrangements have been completed for a bonded warehouse at May.

No Fear of the Polish Language
 Polish people are such linguists that no tourist need be afraid to visit Poland, because the chances are that your host will know English; and in the larger towns are great numbers of Poles who lived in America.

A President Gives Thanks for Peace



Like millions of other worshippers throughout the nation, President Roosevelt gave thanks for peace at St. James' Episcopal church in Hyde Park, N. Y., the Sunday after Europe's war scare had passed. The President, shown here as he arrived in an open car at the century-old church, heard the Rev. Frank B. Wilson call for a continued "anti-war offensive."

COMMITTEE NAMED TO START WORK TOWARD POULTRY SHOW BY NEW BREEDER ASSOCIATION

WEEK IN REVIEW

Friday, Sept. 30

A world that for some days had tensely watched Europe staggering under the brink of war, with millions of men mobilizing in the armies of several nations, breathed a sigh of relaxation if not of complete ease when the headlines announced that the Munich conference had given a new lease on peace. This was to be followed, as the succeeding week's news shows, by varying opinions as to the effects of the agreement signed by the "Big Four" of the conference—Chamberlain, Daladier, Mussolini and Hitler—and by stirring world events.

Saturday, October 1

A tornado in the historic town of Charleston, South Carolina killed 22 and injured 200.

Thomas E. Dewey was given the Republican nomination for governor of New York.

Prague bitterly protested the four-power agreement as triumphant Nazi troops entered the Sudeten area.

Secretary of Agriculture Wallace defended the existing AAA cotton program in an address at Fort Worth.

Czechs given final demand by Poland.

Lehman nominated for fourth term as governor of New York.

Sunday, October 2

Newspapers of this date concerned mostly with discussions of the efforts for peace.

Reports of fight brewing on the CIO as the American Federation of Labor met in Houston.

Monday, October 3

Czech get \$50,000,000 British loan.

Tuesday, October 4

Suit for \$15,850,000 against fifteen oil firms, instituted in Texas seven years ago, settled for \$450,000.

Wednesday, Oct. 5

Benes resigns as president of Czechoslovakia.

Hitler opens relief drive for Sudetens.

Most European skyscrapers are medieval cathedrals, and the highest office building on the Continent is not in Paris, or Berlin, or Rome, but in Antwerp, Belgium.

Taber Shipping Out Cattle in Kansas

J. W. Taber will leave for Matfield Green, Kansas, Friday night to ship out another bunch of cattle from pastures under lease there. The cattle will go to Kansas City. Mr. Taber was in Kansas a couple of weeks ago and made some shipments to Kansas City at that time.

ACTIVITIES LIGHT IN OIL OPERATIONS DURING LAST WEEK

Activities have been light in Brown county oil fields during the last week, nevertheless there are several wells now drilling or starting.

Texhoma Oil & Gas Corporation is spudding a new well on the Vaurin tract near Trickham. This is the first of three wells to be drilled there at this time, as announced last week by A. W. Walker of Denver, the Texhoma president. It is near the company's gas well which was drilled last February.

Mr. Hutton has moved in rig for his No. 1 J. W. Taber, five miles north of Brownwood near the old county farm.

G. P. Mitcham set pipe Wednesday at between 800 and 900 feet in his No. 1 J. W. Newton in the Thrifty field.

Jim Brewer of Abilene is making good progress on his No. 1 Doug Scott in the Salt Creek area, which should be completed before many days, it is reported.

Harry Trentman, Jr., Inc., and Marion Harvey are nearing the Ranger line in their No. 1 Sikes, two and a half miles southwest of Byrds Store.

Brown & Gardner are drilling below 1,700 feet in their No. 2 Tabor, two miles northeast of Byrds Store.

25 Brown Counties At John Tarleton

Among the 1,180 students enrolled in John Tarleton College at Stephenville, representing 152 counties and ten states, are the following from Brown county:

Brownwood—Moody Bettis, Mark Abney, Rosemary Thompson, Billy Denman, John Swaggerty, Lucile Lewis, Creel Grady, William Gifford, William R. Broecker, Tommy Thompson, Billy Borders, W. C. Butler, Robert Butler, Derrell Davis Porter, W. Norris Smith, Kyle June Roberts, Garland Densby, William Yeager, Erin Knox, Burton Denman, Mary Stalcup.

Baugs—Ben F. Sullivan, Glyn Shields.

Blanket—Gene G. Ward, Adron Chapman.

O'Daniel to Speak At Oil Men's Meet

San Antonio—Governor-Nominate W. Lee O'Daniel Saturday accepted an invitation to address the annual meeting of the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, to be held in San Antonio, October 27 and 28. Al Buchanan, local chairman for the convention, announced.

Plans for a reception to honor the next governor of the nation's largest oil state were made immediately by Buchanan and the local arrangements committee. With Governor-Nominate O'Daniel accepting the association's invitation to speak at the Thursday afternoon session, October 27, the reception will be held just afterward, Buchanan said. Designed to become better acquainted with their next governor, the affair will be open to all those attending the convention. O'Daniel attended his first interstate oil session during the past week.

The reception for O'Daniel adds to the already elaborate entertainment program arranged for the San Antonio meeting, Buchanan said. The association's golf tournament will be staged Friday afternoon, October 28, and the annual dinner and floor show Friday night.

Citizen of Forty Years Ago Visitor

Will Anderson of Oakland, California, has been visiting in Brownwood, Coleman and Comanche this week, and was a guest here in the J. W. Taber home. Mr. Anderson was a citizen of this county some 40 years ago and was a schoolmate of Mr. Taber. He was here for a brief visit two years ago.

FARMERS' MARKETS

Growers' prices quoted in Brownwood, Thursday, October 6, 1938.	Old Toms	.....08c
Vegetables	Old Hens	.....10c
Bunch Vegetables, doz.	Eggs, dozen	.....12c-20c
Butter and Cream	Hay and Grain	
Sour Cream, lb.	No. 1 Milling Wheat	.....55c
Sweet Cream, lb.	No. 1 Durham Wheat	.....45c
Country Butter, lb.	No. 2 Red Oats	.....22c
Poultry and Eggs	No. 3 Oats	.....21c
Heavy Hens	No. 2 Barley	.....35c
Light Hens	No. 2 White Corn	.....50c
Prayers	No. 2 Yellow Corn	.....50c
Bakers	Mixed Corn	.....45c
Roosters	White Ear Corn	.....35c
No. 1 Turkeys	Yellow Ear Corn	.....35c
No. 2 Turkeys	Mixed Ear Corn	.....30c
	No. 2 Milo cwt., bright	.....60c

NEW AUTOMOBILES REGISTERED

No.	OWNER	MAKE	DEALER
136-692	Southwestern Paper Co.	Plymouth	Patterson Motor Co.
136-694	R. L. Watson	Pontiac	Edmiston Motor Co.
136-700	W. H. Sewell	Plymouth	Abney & Bohannon, Inc.
136-701	Marion Perkins	I. C. Ford	Weatherby Motor Co.

This week one year ago18 Registrations this week4
 To date one year ago628 1938 Registrations to date234

News of Brown County Communities

Early High Notes

Mr. Dorsett was called to Win-ters last week on account of the illness and death of his father.

Mr. Perry Wyatt visited all day Friday with Mrs. Tom Flowers. Rance Day and grandson Fred Day of Brownwood visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Cull Earp.

The Happy Hour Sewing Club met on Thursday afternoon of last week with Mrs. Walter Roscoe. Many different kinds of work were being done and several games were played.

Mr. and Mrs. Deedie Hammond have returned from Martin where they have been taking treatments for rheumatism.

Andrew Jane McLaughlin started back to school Monday.

Mrs. Carrol Haynes and little daughter have been visiting with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Lee Eaton.

Edwin Webb and little friend Kenneth Pierce of Brownwood spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Horace Webb.

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

Tenmarq Seed Wheat — Resists leaf rust.—Grain Growers Cooperative.

Indian Creek

Mrs. Carl Greer, Mrs. Loyd Utzman and Mrs. Monroe Allen attended the Baptist Association at Cogan Avenue Baptist Church at Brownwood Thursday.

The Indian Creek football team went to Rockwood Friday for a game. The Indian Creek team was defeated.

Miss Lucretia Norman of Brownwood spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Norman.

L. J. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian McCoy and G. W. Brack attended a singing at Blanket Sunday.

Rev. L. D. Ball filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday. Baptismal services were held at the river Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Earl Edgington of Grosvenor spent Friday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Grady.

Mrs. Bradley Canon, Nannie Belle Canon, Hilory Canon of Jordan Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cabler of Brownwood and Mrs. Boyd attended church here Sunday night.

Jack Townsend and children Fred, Tommie, Emma and Bernice of Brownwood visited friends here Sunday afternoon.

Patsy Christine Martin and Mrs. Joseph Head have been quite ill. Dudley Boyd has returned to Port Necker after spending his vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Boyd, Welton and Claude Boyd returned with him.

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

Blanket

Miss Sadie Dobbs of Mason was here for the week end visiting friends and relatives.

Earl Dorn who has been seriously ill in Central Texas Hospital is convalescent.

Mesdames Robert Swartz, H. M. Boyer were visiting in Comanche Monday.

J. W. Dameron, T. M. Curry and Heber Moore spent the first Monday in Comanche.

Mrs. Alice Switzer and daughter Miss Vada of Rising Star were here recently visiting in the C. B. Switzer home.

Union Grove

The lovely fall weather has helped the farmers to save their peanut crops. Some of the crops are fairly good and yielding a good nut crop while others are not so good.

Mrs. Dorothy Shook of Rockwall was a weekend visitor with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hancock.

Mr. and Mrs. Watson from near Cisco visited their daughter Mrs. Will Owens Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Soucy returned to her home near Blanket Sunday after a visit with Mrs. Sue I. Graves and Miss Annie Innis.

The cotton crop here is almost a complete failure. Many of the farmers will not make enough to have it picked.

Mrs. J. M. Kennedy is improving after a severe attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Newton were Sunday visitors with relatives at Cross Plains.

Henry Wilson of San Angelo, who as a boy lived with his parents here, was in the community on business last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Newton and Mrs. J. A. Waldrip made a trip to Cross Plains Sunday afternoon.

Comfort and Satisfaction in glasses fitted by Dr. R. A. Ellis.

Tenmarq Seed Wheat

First year from Experiment Station Seed. Yielded 27.5 bu. Highest germination and purity tests. Produced at Capps Pecan Farm. For Sale by South-

ern home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curry Wiley and family of Brownwood were here Sunday visiting relatives.

The Blanket Fair is October 15th. Everyone come!

A family reunion was held September 26th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Whitmire, south of Blanket. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Whitmire and Miss Bessie Whitmire of Midland, Lane Whitmire of Goldsmith, Miss Lurley Whitmire of Denver, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ward and children, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Whitmire of Blanket. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Clive Brewer of Blanket and Edd Alexander of Brownwood. At the noon hour, a bountiful lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gleaton and family were in San Saba recently visiting their daughter Mrs. Burnett Ivy and husband.

The many friends and acquaintances of Mrs. H. D. Christian, who was operated on in Central Texas Hospital last week, will be pleased to learn that she is recovering.

Miss Alva Lee Gleaton of San Saba was here last week visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Gleaton.

Mrs. D. S. Wilkerson is visiting relatives in Fort Worth. Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Lorene Caldwell and Mr. Arlie Simpson both of this community. The vows were read September 28th at the Methodist parsonage with Rev. Chester A. Wilkerson officiating. Their many friends in this community wish to extend congratulations and best wishes.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Iden and daughter of Big Spring were weekend guests of their brother Rev. C. A. Wilkerson and family.

The County Singing Convention which was held here Saturday and Sunday was attended by a large number of people.

Rev. and Mrs. E. P. Swindell of Garden City, formerly of this community, announce the marriage of their daughter Miss Emmaline to Mr. Roy Gregory of Laredo. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents September 17th by the father of the bride. The couple will reside in Laredo. Friends here extend their congratulations.

Glasses correctly made give service. Dr. R. A. Ellis, Optometrist.

Cross Cut

The ladies of the Methodist church gave a miscellaneous show-er for Mrs. Pat Brown, wife of the Methodist pastor, on Thursday of last week. More than one hundred gifts were received. All of the churches in Rev. Brown's charge were represented. These include Thrifty, Pleasant Valley, Salem, Holder and Cross Cut.

A contest based on attendance in Brownwood last weekend. Mr. Willoughby is principal of the Cross Cut high school.

Linden Newton and O. B. Byrd attended the H. P. C. vs. Trinity University football game held in Brownwood Friday night. Linden is a graduate of Howard Payne Col-lege.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chambers of Early, Weldon Chambers of Williams, Mr. and Mrs. E. McElmoy of Galveston and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Newton of Cross Cut were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Les Byrd Sunday.

The Boy Scout Troop of Cross Cut spent Friday night and Saturday camping and fishing at the Brownwood Lake. They were accompanied by their scoutmaster Claude Shannon, who is superintendent of the Cross Cut school.

J. W. Newton, A. J. Palmore, Mrs. Oscar Melton, Mrs. George Hall-ford, Mrs. Jess Byrd and Miss Emma Newton attended the Baptist associational meeting held in Brownwood last Thursday.

Linden Newton and Hollis Kellar visited in Abilene Sunday.

Several members of the Baptist W. M. U. attended an all day meet-ing held at the May church Tues-day.

On Thursday night, October 13th, the first Community Night of this school year will be held in the high school auditorium. This is a tree entertainment sponsored by members of the J. P. and has been held each month during the school term for about eight or nine years. Everyone in the community is urged to attend.

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

Zephyr

Rev. Christian of Blanket will preach at the Baptist church Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Phinney, Miss Dorris Phinney and Miss Mary Ne-Smith were Brownwood visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brazil and Mrs. Luther Mosier and daughter Betty Jean were shopping in Brownwood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Driskell of Big Spring spent the weekend here visiting relatives.

Misses Mae and Wilma Woods of Van Dyke spent Sunday with Miss Anita Couch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Newman of Brownwood visited Mr. and Mrs. Madge Newman Saturday afternoon.

D. Nichols of New Mexico spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Luther Mosier.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Woods and children of Van Dyke spent Sunday with her mother Mrs. T. G. Beckham.

Miss Dorothy Nell Baker of Brooksmith and Miss June Baker of Brownwood spent the weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Solie Baker.

Misses Lucille Locks and Mary Belle Shelton, students at Howard Payne College, spent the weekend here visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Morris and son Hubert and Mrs. Ollie Mae Elliott and daughter Beth visited in Comanche Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Musgrove of Big Spring are visiting the Mosier's this week.

Mrs. T. G. Beckham and Mrs. Jean Couch transacted business in Brownwood Monday.

Mr. E. A. Blinn of Brownwood is doing some plumbing work at the new Griffin home.

Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Cornelius and Miss Emogene Couch visited Mrs. Willie Cornelius and Mrs. B. B. Thompson in Brownwood Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Lee and Mrs. Ralph Hudson were in Brownwood Tuesday.

Miss Lula Cunningham is spending a few days in Brownwood visiting relatives.

Misses Adeline and Madeline Coffey, students in Daniel Baker College, spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. B. Coffey.

Franklin Timmins and Morris Reasoner attended a show in Brownwood Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mosier entertained with a concert dish luncheon at their home Sunday. A delicious and bountiful dinner was served cafeteria style and was placed on a long table in the yard. Those who attended were: Mrs. Lue Smith and son, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Carlisle of Pompey, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Carlisle and daughter of Pompey, Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle and grandson of Mullen, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Carlisle and children of Pompey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and son of Mullen, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Reid of Pompey, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Carlisle of Pompey, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Carlisle of Mullen, Mr. and Mrs. Mat Edith-ridge of Mullen, Mrs. Perley Jen-kins and son of Pompey, Mrs. Webb Perkins of Brownwood, Mrs. Slim Elliott and children, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith all of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fletcher and children of Brownwood, Mrs. W. H. Carlisle of Pompey, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Carlisle and children of Mullen. All reported a grand day.

Ebony

Rev. John McDowell of Winchell will preach for us Sunday morning. Try to be on time for Sunday School at 10 o'clock. Rev. Green of Brownwood will be back with us the third Sunday.

Oil Dwyer returned Saturday from a trip to Ralls where he visited his brother Lon Robertson who is seriously ill. Mr. Robertson is reported to be some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Raleigh Egger and Pat of Brownwood attended church here Sunday and visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger and Mrs. Hattie Whittenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts and Miss Odene Russell attended church at Rekeney Saturday.

Miss Vivian Day and her brother Perry went to Abilene Friday afternoon to visit Parlene and attend the A. C. C. football game. A. C. C. defeated Sul Ross 14-0.

Bill Edwards of San Saba county spent Saturday night and Sunday at the McNurlin home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and Miss Odene Russell called at the Dwyer home Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Crowder and John Franklin of Brownwood were visiting in Ebony Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Egger returned Saturday from a trip to Stanton where they visited their son Earl and family. They also visited their daughter Mrs. Elma Martin and family at Big Lake.

Mrs. W. H. Reeves is visiting at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Guthrie at Mullin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charm Whittenburg and baby Clint visited Mr. and Mrs. Edward Egger and Mrs. Hattie Whittenburg Sunday after church.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billie McNurlin Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Wood Roberts, Miss Odene Russell, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Egger and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Egger and Ynelle.

Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dwyer and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Briley were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Nellie Malone.

Mrs. Frank Crowder spent last week with her daughter Mrs. John Holder at O'Donnell.

Mrs. Lloyd Neal of Oakland came after her mother Mrs. Lula Kelly, who has been ill, and took her home with her last week.

My eye examination different. Try Dr. R. A. Ellis and see.

Bangs

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Mathews moved last week to a ranch near Shields. Mr. Mathews formerly operated the Humble Service Station which has been leased to Weldon Mathews.

The PWA sewing room for Bangs was opened Wednesday. The local business men are sponsoring the project by furnishing rent on the building and sewing machines, buying of chairs, irons, ironing boards, cutting tables, building of storage space and all thread used. The WPA furnishes all material and pays all salaries. About 25 women are employed.

The Junior Choral Club with Amos Caldwell as director met Thursday and officers were elected as follows: President, Merlene Oden; vice president, Della Jo McKnight; secretary-treasurer, Kathleen Swan; reporter, Mary Helen Stacy; and parliamentarian, Truman McLaughlin.

Under the direction of J. C. Lewis, new band director, the band has begun the year's work in earnest. The Band Parent's Club is sponsoring a "womansless wedding" to be presented as soon as the new stage equipment is installed.

The Spanish Club met Tuesday night and initiated eleven members. An interesting program was rendered.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stewart left this week for Abilene to make their home.

Announcements have been received by relatives announcing the arrival of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Garms of Sterling City on September 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harris of Dallas visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harris last weekend.

Mrs. E. M. Reed has returned to Centralia, Illinois, after a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wilson.

Mrs. Lizzie Brooks has returned to make her home at Bangs after a several weeks visit at Rising Star. She has an apartment at Mrs. Dutton's.

Miss Elizabeth Early left last week for Fort Worth where she will teach violin in TWV.

Rev. and Mrs. Neal Green, Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Owen, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Browder, Clyde Longley and Seth Jenkins represented Bangs Baptist church at the annual session of the Brownwood County Baptist Association which met with Cogan Avenue Church last week. The local church carried a good report of its work this year. Sixty-five have been added to the membership and 22 of this number were by baptism. A total of \$1,913.35 has been raised for all pur-

poses. \$180.35 was given to missions outside the local work. Sunday school enrollment is 344 and an average attendance of 176 was maintained. The church enrollment is 443. There are 5 B. T. U. unions with 72 enrolled. The highest Sunday school attendance of the year was 255. The church school has been reorganized and the new church year starts with all bills paid. The inside and outside of the building has been painted and varnished which adds greatly to the appearance of the church.

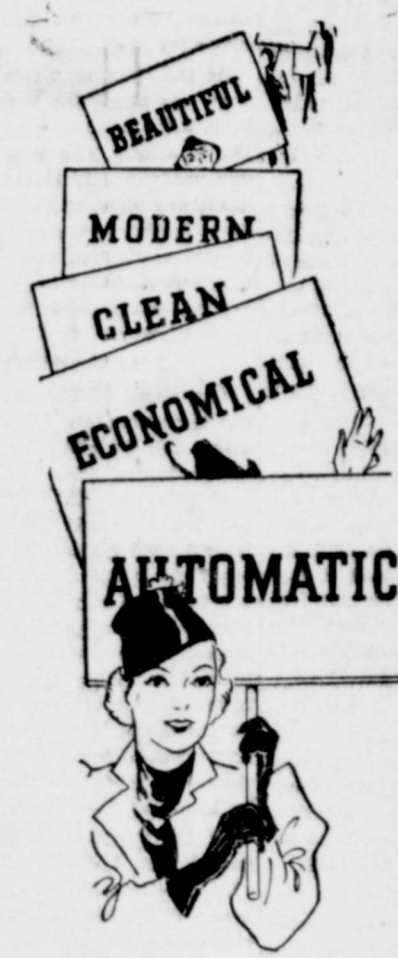
R. B. Bagley and family of Early High and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Nabors of Blanket spent Sunday with Mrs. L. A. Bagley and sons.

Mrs. Ben Vinson and small son of Santa Anna visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stacy two days last week.

Mrs. Leon Carr and small daughter left Thursday for Port Isabel. Mrs. Odell Mympher of La. and Mrs. Singleton of Mukewater were dinner guests of Mrs. L. A. Bagley last Friday.

We regret to announce the passing of one of our beloved citizens Mrs. M. A. Childress who passed away at her home October 3rd after being in ill health for several months.

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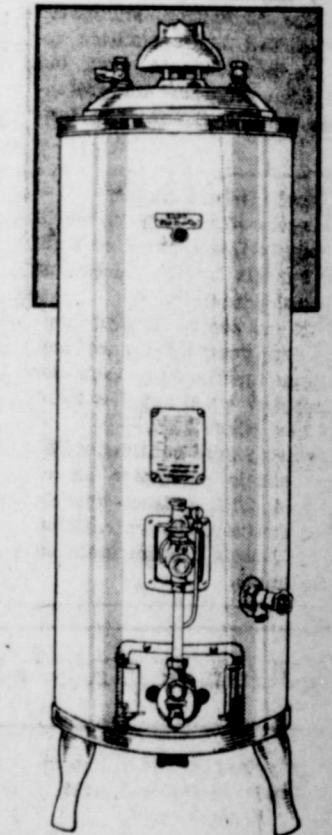
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"We know it is easier to walk on the level than up and down hill. It stands to reason that a team can pull a plow easier on the level, or that a tractor will do more work and use less fuel under level conditions. I imagine lots of farmers in Texas could have told us that."

The experiments quoted by Hohn were conducted by the Kansas State College, and revealed that when wheat stubble land with an 8 percent slope was plowed on the contour, 1.62 acres were turned in an hour as compared with 1.44 when the plowing was done up and down the slope. The actual fuel consumed was 11.6 pounds per acre when plowing up and down the hill and only 10.6 pounds per acre when the work was done on the

Contour

contour. Contour listing on a 6.5 percent slope resulted in covering 3.58 acres an hour as compared with 3.04 acres up and down the slope. Similar results were obtained with various implements and different degrees of slope.

"These tests showed that a man can farm on the contour and do about 15 percent more work with about 9 percent less fuel," Hohn pointed out. "It looks like it would pay us to work on the contour just from that angle, let alone the advantages of holding our rainfall and our soil."

Quality Cotton

Three of the 213 one-variety cotton community associations in Texas Lone Tree in Victoria county, Manday in Knox county, and Seymour in Baylor county, have been selected as the source of the state's source of cotton in the AAA's 20,000 bale experiment. All produce Acala cotton.

The program is designed to improve marketing practices and to demonstrate to foreign spinners the high quality of American cotton being produced in one-variety communities.

The 20,000 bales of uniform, carefully picked and properly ginned cotton will be selected by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics according to F. E. Lichte, ginning specialist of the Texas A. & M.

College Extension Service. The bales will be covered with cotton bagging and samples will be taken at the gin press box and information as to the variety, grade, staple and point of production will be made available to foreign purchasers.

The bales will be handled in accordance with the best accepted practices at the gin, at the compress and in transit. "In recent years, foreign spinners have complained on occasion that some American cotton was carelessly packaged and handled and that grade and staple in some bales was not uniform," Lichte said. "There has been persistent complaint of course over the general deterioration of grade and staple. This experiment is an attempt to show that America is making an effort to produce and handle correctly a quality cotton."

The program was recommended by a special committee representing several bureaus in the U. S. Department of Agriculture and the Farm Credit Administration, and these agencies, together with various commercial marketing, compressing and exporting firms, will cooperate in carrying out the plan. The AAA will provide a payment of \$3 a bale to cooperating marketing agencies in compensation for the additional expenses involved.

Turkeys

The cheapest way to fatten mature turkeys is to allow them to range on green pasture and to feed them a scratch grain mixture made up of equal parts of corn, barley wheat and oats, according to Geo. P. McCarthy, poultryman of the Texas A. & M. College Extension Service.

Tests made by the United States Department of Agriculture, and proven under field conditions by Texas poultry demonstrators show this combination of pasture and mixture of whole grain will add weight and finish in plenty of time for the Thanksgiving market, provided the birds are mature and in good condition in late September.

Either white or yellow corn may be used in the grain mixture. Excess yellow corn gives a yellow tinge to the turkey skin. While the skin will remain whiter when white corn is fed, birds on white corn must have plenty of green pasture to supply the vitamin A otherwise received from yellow corn.

Grain should be hopper fed and be in front of the birds all of the time. For the last three weeks before marketing, two feedings a day of oats soaked in water or skimmed milk may be given to increase consumption. This should be fed in hoppers. Never feed more than the birds will clean up in an hour McCarthy says.

LIBRARY RECORDS SHOW HISTORIC TEXAS BUILDINGS

Washington, Oct. 1.—Historic Texas buildings are being recorded in the Congressional Library for the benefit of future generations and for those who use architectural data now.

Among those represented is the Mission San Juan de Capistrano at San Antonio, with two pages of drawings, 17 photographs and two pages of description. The Mission Nuestra Senora de la Purisima Concepcion de Acuna in San Antonio is covered by five sets of drawings, 14 pictures and three pages of written data. The Mission San Francisco de la Espada is represented by four drawings, 20 photographs and three pages of description.

Also included is the Mission San Jose y San Miguel de Aguayo in San Antonio, with six drawings, 33 photographs and four descriptive pages, and the Mission Nuestra Senora in El Paso County, represented by seven sheets of drawings, nine pictures and four pages of description.

The Alamo, of course, is among those present, but is represented only by 15 pictures and three pages of written descriptive data.

A large number of houses and hotels are likewise included. Among them are the Fulton mansion at Fulton, Aransas County; the Tom Ireland house in Bastrop County, 21 miles south of Austin; J. Lee Wilbarger house in Bastrop; the Wiley Hill home, 10 miles from Bastrop; the Sterling C. Robertson house at Salado, Bell County; the James Vance house at San Antonio; the Argyle mansion, San Antonio; the O. Henry house, San Antonio, in which the famed author once lived; the Turner Hall (Albert house), Menard house and the Powattan house in Galveston; the old Clark home and the Ephram Fugua home at Anderson; the A. D. Kennard home at Roans Prairie (Grimes County).

There are other such structures represented in the collection, including Manuel Flores house at Seguin in Guadalupe County; the D. B. Cherry house and the Shel-

Regional News

Rising Star people are still rejoicing over the big success of their fair, which drew the largest crowds that ever attended a fair there.

M. L. Shook, 81, for thirty years a prominent citizen of the Hillburn community, died at his home eight miles northwest of Rising Star Wednesday, September 28.

Rising Star is putting on a big fall merchandising campaign to open October 8 and continue probably until Christmas.

Judge E. J. Miller is holding court at Brady this week. There is a comparatively light docket for the term.

Observers have estimated the McCulloch county crop this year at 5,500 bales, the shortest in years. There had been 1,549 bales ginned to the middle of September, as compared with 6,939 bales for the same period last year.

W. K. Gay, 75, long time hotel man and merchant of Brady, died last Tuesday, September 27.

Several papers and magazines have reviewed, with commendations, "Songs of Living," first book of poems published by Mrs. Rose Davidson of Brady.

Vernon Powell, well known Menard county ranch man, recently sold an 18,000 acre ranch in Sutton county to Robert A. Halbert and P. K. McIntosh for approximately \$300,000.

A nitro-glycerin factory two miles east of De Leon, built in the oil boom times following 1918, was dismantled last week.

A "spudding in" ceremony was held for a wildcat oil test on the W. L. Payton farm two and a half miles west of Stephenville, on Thursday last week. The program included music by the Stephenville band and short talks by business men.

Stephenville is contemplating the erection of a National Guard Armory to cost \$55,000.

In an election in Comanche to determine whether or not \$179,252 in revenue bonds should be issued for the erection of a municipal light and power plant the proposition was defeated by a vote of 352 to 84.

Golden Jubilee Fair Gates to Be Opened At Dallas Saturday

Dallas—Saturday morning, Oct. 8, the gates will swing open on the largest and most attractive State Fair in all the half century of progressive effort, each year to outstrip the one preceding.

Early in the week but four small spaces had not been contracted for the 16-day event, with all indications these would be taken prior to opening day.

Approximately 175 towns, cities and organizations have reserved special days. Colorful bands will be on the grounds at all times.

In agriculture, livestock and poultry the State Fair has assembled the greatest showing in all its history. Sixty-seven counties, in all sections of Texas will display agriculture. In addition there will be individual exhibits. Negro farm exhibits, agricultural displays and showings by individual farmers.

Approximately 500 head of livestock have been entered, which includes every breed of livestock in the Southwest, and some of its leading herds.

The poultry show will present every variety, in new housing conditions, with the close confinement eliminated.

Amusement features of the State Fair are the greatest in its history. In the auditorium first will be presented the Jubilee Follies with the Hollywood Revue closing. On the Midway is the famous Hennies Brothers Show, the largest Midway in America. Numerous free acts daily include Ainsley's Aerial Ballet, Bozo, the mind-reading dog and Kurtzo & Kurt, daredevil fish pole artists.

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Dance to music by Rhythm Swingsters Memorial Hall Saturday night.

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Decline in Texas Farm Cash Income In Month of August

Austin—Farm cash income in Texas dropped sharply during August in comparison with the corresponding month last year, according to Dr. F. A. Buechel, assistant director of the Bureau of Business Research, University of Texas. The total farm cash income for the month exclusive of government payments, as computed by the Bureau, was about \$40,000,000 compared with \$77,000,000 during August, 1937. The computed figure is an understatement of approximately 10 per cent in each case. Aggregate farm cash income during the first eight months of the year was about \$260,000,000, compared with \$267,000,000 during the corresponding period last year, a decline of about 25 per cent.

The main cause of the decline of Texas farm cash income during August was the sharp decline in marketings of cotton combined with a decline in the price of this commodity in comparison with August last year.

Since income from cotton normally constitutes such a large proportion of farm cash income in Texas, coupled with the fact that most of the crop is marketed during the months of August, September, October and November, unfavorable comparisons in farm cash income with a year ago will doubtless continue at least during these months.

The government estimate of cotton production in Texas as of September 1 indicated an output nearly two million bales less than the actual production in 1937. This decline in production alone, on the basis of present prices, will result in a decline in farm cash income of about \$100,000,000 during the coming cotton year. Income from grain also is currently far below a year ago. The decline in income from livestock and livestock products is moderately under a year ago, but year-to-year comparisons in income from these products could readily become more and more favorable if the expected improvement in general business materializes.

Mrs. Johnson of San Angelo Dies; Niece Of Mrs. J. R. Lewis

Mrs. J. Willis Johnson, who died at her home in San Angelo last Sunday morning after a residence of 51 years in that city, was a member of one early Comanche county family and had a number of relatives both in Comanche and Brownwood. She was a niece of Mrs. J. R. Lewis, 1014 Coggin Ave.

Mrs. Johnson was 72 years old and had lived in San Angelo since her marriage in 1887. She was before her marriage Miss Lucinda Elizabeth Holmsley, of Comanche, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham, were of the group of first pioneers who settled in Comanche county in 1856, before the organization of the county. A brother and a sister of Mrs. Johnson, T. R. Holmsley and Mrs. R. H. Moore, live in Comanche now.

Mrs. Johnson's husband, J. W. Willis Johnson, one of the best known citizens of San Angelo for many years, died in 1923. He was an early day sheriff, rancher and banker there. He went to San Angelo in 1870, working for a time as a buffalo hunter. Later he was a clerk in stores in San Angelo and Ben Ficklin. He invested his savings in sheep and later in cattle and his ventures prospered.

Mrs. Johnson at the time of her death was rated as the largest stockholder of the Central National Bank of San Angelo. It was at her instigation after the death of her husband that a trust fund of \$100,000 known as the Johnson Memorial Foundation was set apart, the proceeds to be used always for the benefit of San Angelo and the citizens there. Each year that fund means a Christmas present to the citizens and it has been utilized for various beneficent purposes. Trustees always consulted her as to her desires about the expenditures.

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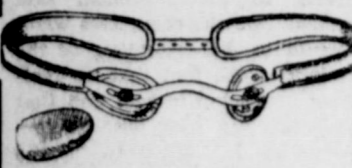
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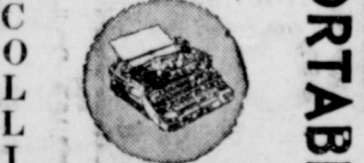
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Legal Notices

THE STATE OF TEXAS

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

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 R. 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, B. F. Sumner and wife, Mary Mont Sumner, B. F. Cass and wife, Robbie L. Cass, Randolph Carter, Pattie Carter, Jennie Carter, G. W. McElysee, 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 R. 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, B. F. Sumner and wife, Mary Mont Sumner, B. F. Cass and wife, Robbie L. Cass, Randolph Carter, Pattie Carter, Jennie Carter, G. W. McElysee, 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 771.83 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 203, 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 Fall 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 executor 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.

38-39-40-41

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. Jimma 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-

ceding the filing of this suit. 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, 1935, 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.

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

39-40-41-42

SCHOOL NEWS

ZEPHYR SCHOOLS

The Zephyr public schools opened September 12, under the supervision of the following teachers and assistants: Superintendent, Leslie Griffin; principal, J. Paul Gullion; athletic director, Edmund Gaines; high school English, Mrs. George Ehinger Jr.; grammar school teachers, Misses Ora Strickland and Katie Jule Crockett; primary teacher, Mrs. Leslie Griffin; superintendent of the grounds, M. P. Braddock; student librarians and assistants, Curley Cobb, Julia Stovall, Cordelia Kesler and Mary Jo Coffey.

Class Officers

High school classes were organized with class officers for the year as follows: Seniors: President, Curley Cobb; vice president, Gigsby Mills; secretary, Molly Lee Sears; reporter, Cordelia Kesler; sponsor, Mr. Gullion.

Juniors: President, Mary Jo Coffey; vice president, Mary Louise Smith; secretary, Gertrude Fry; reporter, Ivy Counts; sponsor, Miss Crockett.

Sophomores: President, Ford Glass; vice president, Gatha Lee Perry; secretary, Imogene Powell; reporter, Mary Ella Cobb; sponsor, Mr. Gaines.

Freshmen: President, Anita Couch; vice president, Doyle Murphy; secretary, J. F. McKenzie; reporter, LaVerne Keeler; sponsor, Mrs. Leslie Griffin.

School News Briefs

The school was visited by Deputy State Superintendent Holbrook, County Superintendent F. D. Pierce and Alvin Richmond Wednesday afternoon.

The senior and junior classes were entertained with a party Saturday night at the home of Cordelia Kesler.

Earl Greer, a former student who is now in Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, was a campus visitor last week.

Among the 38 graduates who are attending colleges the fall semester are: Adalene and Madeline Coffey and June Baker, Daniel Baker College, Brownwood; Lucille Baker College, Brownwood; Arvel Locke, Howard Payne College, Brownwood; Mildred Mills and Ruth McBurney, TSCW, Denton, and Arel Van Zandt, A. & M. College Station.

Miss Nell Page and Mr. Gerald Bowden were united in marriage Saturday, September 25, at the Moore home near Pompey. Mrs. Bowden was a member of the '33 graduating class.

The assembly program October 3 was under the supervision of Mr. Gullion and the tenth and eleventh grades. The following program was given: Discussion and Reading, "The House by the Side of the Road" with chalk illustration, Mary Jo Coffey and Mrs. Edmund Gaines; reading, Baby Ann Keeler; comedy skit, Dorothy Glass and Grishy Mills.

GROWING OLDER

New York Times: The opening of the schools in the United States means the mobilization of a peaceful—or relatively peaceful—army of about 30,000,000. This number is nearly equal to the entire population of the country at the beginning of the Civil War. Year by year a greater percentage of our children and young people has been going into the higher grades. As late as 1890 only 2 per cent went to high school, as late as 1900 only 3.3 per cent. This year it is estimated that about one in four of all those in school will be in high school. Yet our total elementary school population is dropping. In 1930 it was 21,279,000. This year it will probably be a little less than 20,000,000. In 1870 about 31.3 per cent of the population went to school. This year about 22.5 per cent will go. The explanation is simple. Fewer children are being born. Our population is increasing but fewer of us are of school age. The truth is that as a nation we are growing older. In 1900, for example, 17.7 per cent of us were over 45. At present at least 25 per cent of us have passed that age. Presumably we should be wiser and more sedate, with our school days so far behind us. We ought to be serious in our department and sit a good deal by the fireside. We ought to be growing more rather than less conservative. One might expect to find us quite settled in our ways. These generalizations may be true, in time. They scarcely fit the restless, experimental age in which we live.

The time may never again come when nearly a third of us will be of the present school age. That stage was an incident in the settling of a continent, the adjustment of man to the machine. Yet a third or more of us may again be going to school in years to come. The spread of adult education and increasing college registrations suggest what may happen. Youth as well as maturity may be prolonged. We may be older, yet not feel our years.

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Brownwood Milk Grades Determined

The grades of all milk supplies of Brownwood have been determined by the City Milk Inspector in conjunction with the State Department of Health. This is in accordance with the grade specifications of the United States Public Health Service Milk Ordinance and Code. All consumers are urged to purchase milk on the basis of grade. Grade "A" Pasteurized Milk is the safest pasteurized grade and Grade "A" Raw Milk is the safest raw grade, the inspector states.

Mortuary

CHILDREN — Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the First Baptist church in Bangs for Mrs. Mary Ann Childress, 82 years of age, pioneer and honored citizen of that community, who died Monday, October 3.

Services were conducted by Rev. Neal Greer, pastor of the Bangs First Baptist church, assisted by Rev. Wallace Dunson, pastor of First Methodist church there. Interment was in Clear Creek cemetery. The Eastern Star Chapter was in charge of services at the grave.

Mrs. Childress was born in Tennessee, May 31, 1856. She came to Texas when a child and had lived in the Clear Creek community and at Bangs for the last 60 years. Her husband died in May, 1930.

Mrs. Childress was a charter member of the Bangs Baptist church. She was a member of the Eastern Star Chapter at Bangs and also of the Woodman Lodge Circle.

One brother, Harvey Allen of Blanket, and a sister, Mrs. Sallie Robinson of Norman, Oklahoma, survive Mrs. Childress, and also the following children: Mrs. Emma Calhoun, San Antonio; Mrs. Ida Collins, Tinnie, New Mexico; Mrs. Myrtle Rildan, Brownwood, and Mrs. Lucille Schulze, Bangs. A step-daughter, Mrs. Stoll Hall, Bangs, and two step-sons, Bob Childress, Bangs, and John Childress, Olive, Montana, seventeen grandchildren, fifteen great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild also survive.

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Entraining of Rodeo Aggregation a Sight Rivaling Stock Show

That he had just seen a show equal to any of the fairs or fat stock shows was the statement of Rube Dudley, who lives at the Southern Hotel, when he came back the other evening after a day out of the city.

He had gone over to Comanche to visit his son, Sutton Dudley, and learning that World's Champion Rodeo Corporation was entraining at Dublin for Madison Square Garden, New York, they drove over to Dublin to take a look at the ag-

gregation. There were about 550 head of stock ready to be loaded on the special train at Dublin, Dudley stated, and the 100 head of parade horses, along with the other stock were something worth driving several miles to see.

The stock included Brahma riding bulls, Mexican bull-dogging cows, bucking horses, Brahma roping calves, Brahma cows, wild cows for the wild cow milking contests, wild horses for wild horse racing and also about 100 head of parade

V. F. W. Dance at Memorial Hall Saturday night, 8th.

horses. The entire unit traveled by a special train, the stock in horse baggage cars fifteen cars in all, including a bunk car, a dining car and a pullman.

New Crater Theory Is Held by Brother Of Brownwood Man

Many craters in Texas which long have been considered of volcanic origin were really made by meteors striking the earth at terrific speed and exploding, according to a theory advanced by Dr. John D. Boon and Dr. Claude C. Albritton Jr. of the Southern Methodist University faculty, as explained in a pamphlet by them, a copy of which has been received by Dr. Boon's brother, E. M. Boon, of Brownwood. The theory of Dr. Boon and associate were explained briefly in some of the Texas papers last Sunday.

For two years they have been conducting geological research regarding craters believed to be of volcanic origin. They found that many scars thought to be of volcanic origin closely resembled the crater near Odessa, which is accepted as being of meteorite origin.

The S. M. U. professors have concluded the meteor crater located in Arizona was caused by a 109,999,999-ton meteorite traveling through space at a speed of 20 miles a second striking the earth and exploding, in the geologic past. Their theory is that a meteor penetrating the earth's surface sets up explosive effects on impact by converting part of its own substance and part of the earth into white-hot vapor. They contend that the heat generated from the impact on the nose of the meteor would raise any known substance to a high temperature and bring about an explosion that would backfire and shatter the meteor, digging a crater much deeper and larger than that produced by the penetration of the falling body, and that the explosion would cause the rock strata to wave and bulge.

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Joe Woodward Is Baylor Class Chief

Waco.—Joe Woodward of Brownwood, was re-elected vice president of the senior class of Baylor University at a meeting of the fourth-year students Monday night. This is Mr. Woodward's second term in that office.

McDONALD PLANNING PINK BOLL WORM CONFERENCE

Plans for a conference of congressmen and possibly Mexican officials to discuss what steps can be taken to control the pink boll worm are being made by Commissioner of Agriculture J. E. McDonald, says the State Observer, of Austin.

The conference would discuss principally the fact that the worm has been found in the Corpus Christi cotton growing area which is contiguous to most of Texas' richest cotton producing section and thus has become a definite threat to the entire state.

One suggestion made, which likely will be discussed when the conference is called, is that a non-contiguous growing zone be established as a barrier to the worm, and cotton farmers in the area be compensated by the cotton which the government now owns.

It is also believed, according to agricultural officials, that federal funds must be provided to aid in the cleanup campaign as farmers already receiving a low price for their product, cannot stand the expense of a continuous cleanup campaign.

Date for the conference has not been determined.

List of Jurors for Oct. Term District Court Announced

The grand jury and petit jury lists for the October term of district court, which will convene October 21, have been announced by District Clerk Luther Wilson as follows:

Grand jurors: Smith Bell, Brownwood; C. E. Boyett, Brownwood; R. D. Hise, Bangs; Thegon Huggins, Bangs; C. A. Cavell, Brownwood Rt. 1; W. W. Bourn, Dullin; L. F. Bird, Blanket; Silas Byrd, Blanket; W. K. Cabler, Zephyr; M. E. Fry, Zephyr; A. O. Angell, May; C. W. Moore, Cross Cut; Oscar Starnes, Grosvenor; B. P. Bludworth, Brownwood; R. C. Brooks, Brownwood; F. W. Miller, Bangs, Rt. 1. Twelve men will be selected from this list.

Petit Jurors

First of the petit jurors are called for the second week of court, as follows: Turner Garner, Brownwood; J. H. Fry, Brownwood; Emmett Evans, Brownwood; L. E. Dublin, Brownwood; J. H. Simmons, I. C. route; Lee Sherrod, Rt. 5; L. J. McCoy, Indian Creek; C. B. McBride, Indian Creek; T. O. Hurst, Winchell; G. L. Eaton, Brownwood Rt. 4; R. A. Sulder, Brownwood Rt. 5; H. L. Moore, Brownwood Rt. 5; Calvin McKinley, Zephyr; R. D. Kirkpatrick, Zephyr; C. M. Kilgore, Zephyr; A. O. McHorse, Brownwood Rt. 4; G. W. Griggs, Brownwood Rt. 4; W. L. Reagan, Blanket Rt. 1; Amos Porter, Blanket; Jack Earley, Bangs; Will McGaughey, Bangs; A. M. Talley, Bangs; Rufus Pierce, Bangs; A. F. Stewart, Bangs; O. C. Tervooren, Brownwood Rt. 1; L. A. Sanderson, Rt. 1, Brownwood; John T. Cason, Brownwood Rt. 2; W. R. Means, Winchell; J. W. Coffman, Bangs Rt. 1; Gladney Smith, Grosvenor; L. E. Jennings, Cross Cut; C. J. Newton, Cross Cut; C. W. Duffee, Grosvenor; J. O. Daniel, Grosvenor; N. L. Tompkins, Thrifty; I. C. Mullins Jr., Thrifty.

Third Week

J. O. Howell, Grosvenor; A. J. Palmore, Cross Cut; F. W. Lewis, Grosvenor; W. L. Early, Grosvenor; L. A. Brooks, Thrifty; L. E. Keeler, Brownwood Rt. 2; O. A. Welch, Bangs; W. E. Weems, Bangs; Fred Barnes, Bangs; Ray Bain, Bangs; J. A. Bell, Bangs; R. C. McCoy, Brownwood Rt. 5; Lee R. Jones, Brownwood Rt. 5; A. A. Grayson, Brownwood Rt. 5; Marion T. Bailey, Brownwood Rt. 5; R. L. Miller, Owens; J. M. Kerley, Owens; C. B. Cox, Brownwood IC Rt.; G. M. Allen, Brownwood IC Rt.; D. W. Kysar, Brownwood Rt. 6; O. J. Huggins, Zephyr; C. W. Hollingsworth, Zephyr; R. N. Green, Zephyr; Fred Cason, Brownwood Rt. 3; Alvin Richmond, Blanket; J. A. Bettis, Blanket; B. A. Fain, Brownwood; Myron Embry, Brownwood; A. C. Elliott, Brownwood; Innis Wood, Brownwood; Chas. P. Whaley, Brownwood; W. Lee Watson, Brownwood; Chas. Switzer, Brownwood.

Fifth Week

J. K. Tackett, Bangs; Olin Strange, Bangs; John Stephens, Bangs; J. L. Starkey, Bangs; Jack Schulze, Bangs; A. J. Ragsdale, Bangs; C. N. Bruton, Bangs; T. C. Dickey, Brownwood Star Route; N. Lee Yarbrough, Bangs; L. F. Houshell, Burkett; W. F. Talley, Grosvenor; Henry Anderson, Thrifty; W. S. Jones, Brownwood IC Route; Carl Grelle, Brownwood IC Rt.; J. Carey Galey, Brownwood IC Rt.; M. L. Harris, Blanket Rt. 2; Geo. P. Burns, Owens; D. Belvin, Brownwood Rt. 3; M. J. Green, Brownwood Rt. 2; Henry Fry, Brownwood Rt. 3; G. G. Douglass, Zephyr; L. L. Thomas, Blanket; Carl Petros, Blanket; P. J. Bush,

Blanket; J. S. Funderburk, Brownwood Rt. 4; W. H. Payne, Thrifty; R. M. Craig, Brownwood; R. W. Cozart, Brownwood; T. Carlson, Brownwood; Chas. S. Bynum, Brownwood; P. C. Barnes, Brownwood; Joe Lewis, Brownwood; W. L. Johnson, Brownwood; Frank Howard, Brownwood; J. E. Hill, Brownwood; Vernon Holleman, Brownwood.

Sixth Week

Clyde McIntosh, Brownwood; Z. R. Mills, Brownwood; N. A. Pinson, Brownwood; O. L. Guthrie, Grosvenor; D. L. Goss, Grosvenor; E. L. Davis, Grosvenor; E. H. McCreery, Brownwood, Star; Elbert Davenport, Bangs; J. K. Davis, Bangs; Filbert Davenport, Bangs; J. A. Kennedy, Bangs; W. John Guyer, Bangs; L. L. Langford, Blanket; T. M. Burleson, Brownwood Rt. 5; Ray Morgan, Brownwood; R. L. Parker, Brownwood; E. J. Robertson, Brownwood; O. C. Potts, Brownwood; W. A. Stanley, Brownwood; Oliver Steel, Brownwood; Bob Low, Brownwood; A. J. Newton, Thrifty; A. L. Teague, Thrifty; R. L. Baugh, Brownwood Star Route; W. R. Brooks, Bangs Rt. 1; Ancel Forbes, Brownwood Rt. 1; R. A. Byrd, Brownwood; S. S. Thomas, Brownwood; J. H. Sheppard, Brownwood; T. F. Ray, Brownwood Rt. 1; S. W. Luman, Brownwood Rt. 1; W. R. Strawn, Grosvenor Rt. 2; Chas. Nichols, Byrds; C. W. Trigg, Brownwood; G. D. Crabtree, Brownwood; O. L. Hart, Brownwood.

2 Local Men Sales Campaign Winners

In a campaign in which several thousand sales people competed two of the salesmen of Cravens Co., Inc., of Brownwood, Rio Cox and Donald Dyer, have been named among the winners.

This was the nationwide "shirt sleeve" selling campaign for the distribution of gas and kerosene refrigerators. Awards were given those who made record sales during the campaign in August. Each top salesman received a gold finished "shirt accessory set" for his achievement.

The slogan for the campaign was: "Roll up your sleeves and roll up sales." The success met with in selling refrigerators during

the summer season is a proof of the growing public acceptance of gas and kerosene operated refrigerators in this vicinity, according to the winning salesmen.

Gain Last Quarter In Postal Receipts

Brownwood postal receipts showed a gain of \$1,186 for July, August and September—the first quarter of the present fiscal year—over the corresponding period of last year.

Receipts for the three month period this year were \$17,626.07. The corresponding quarter last year they amounted to \$16,439.81.

For the last three quarters there has been an increase each quarter over the corresponding period of the previous year. Totals for nine months of both years are \$52,715 for 1938 and \$49,725 for 1937.

Rules for Safe Driving

The "Rules for Living" are divided into two sections, the first dealing with daytime driving and the second with night driving. Following are the major points to keep in mind this week end.

"Remember to drive at reasonable speeds giving due regard to weather, road conditions and thickly settled areas."

"Remember to stay in the proper lane and not to pass unless there is a clear open highway ahead."

"Remember to use proper hand signals before stopping or making turns."

"Remember to keep a safe distance between you and the car ahead."

"Remember drinking should not mix with driving."

"Remember to slow down and look both ways at railroad crossings and road intersections."

"Remember to keep your attention fixed on your driving and not on the scenery."

All of these "hints" also apply at night with the addition of the following:

"Remember, if headlights bother you get an early start and avoid night driving."

"Remember! Be careful!"

Don't forget V. F. W. Dance Saturday night.

Singing at Concord Sunday Afternoon

Announcement is made by Rasm Rhodes of singing at Concord Sunday afternoon, October 9. Several visiting singers are expected. The public is cordially invited.

1,400 Jobs for Miners

Butte, Mont.—Anaconda Copper Mining company has opened its Belmont and Steward mines here, adding about 1,400 men since the first of the month.

The mines had been closed since late in May when the company ceased operations because of curtailed consumption and increased stocks of copper.

Kansas Allowable Lower

Wichita, Kan.—E. R. Sloan, chairman of the state corporation commission, announced Saturday that the Kansas oil allowable for October would be 2,100 barrels daily under the September quota.

Sloan said that the total allowable was 163,400 barrels, a figure which corresponded with an earlier estimate of the federal bureau of mines.

Ford Asks Steel Prices

CLEVELAND—The Cleveland News says the Ford Motor Company is asking for prices on 50,000 tons of steel bars, strip and plate for use in 1939 automobiles soon to roll from assembly lines.

It is the largest inquiry for automotive steel reaching the steel trades so far this season, the newspaper said.

Japan Congratulate Adolf

TOKIO—Japan's powerful war minister, Lieut. Gen. Seishiro Itagaki, Friday night telegraphed Chancellor Hitler "profound felicitations on the brilliant success achieved by Germany in the Czechoslovak issue."

The message was considered further evidence of Japan's desire for close relations with Germany, with which she is bound by the German-Italian-Japanese anti-Communist pact.

Bird Band to Play

The famous Bird Brand Cowboy Band will play at the Farmer & Rancher Supply House Friday at 1 p. m., Jack Lamkin, Farmer & Rancher manager, announces. He extends a cordial invitation to everyone to be present and enjoy the music.

SAVE MONEY AT THE Farmers & Ranchers Supply House

CRACKERS 2 Pound Box	MATCHES Regular 5c Box	Peanut Butter Full Quart [32 Ounces]
14c	2 1/2c	22c
COFFEE 2 Big Value Lb. Pkg.	23c	POTTED MEAT Regular 5c Can
14c	23c	2 1/2c
POWDERED SUGAR 2 Lbs. 15c	SYRUP Pure Ribbon Cane Gallon	SOAP Yellow Giant Size Bars for
10 Pounds	58c	8 Bars for 25c
FLOUR Smith's Best 48 lb. Bag	SUGAR Pure Cane	POTATOES 15 Pounds
\$1.44	43c	29c
CORN FLAKES 3 Large Size for	GINGER CAKES Pound	12c
25c	BOLOGNA Pound	7 1/2c
Grapefruit JUICE No. 2 can	LEMONS Doz.	LETTUCE
6c	11c	5c
1000 Cotton Bags 5c Each	Lub Oil Gallon 50c Bring your can	Corn No. 2 Can 3 for 25c
	Texas Girl Coffee 2 lbs. and Bowl 45c	Fleischmann's Yeast 2 for 5c
	Sliced Bacon Pound 19c	Rice Extra Fancy 2 lb. Box 15c

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