

# Community Booster

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## Tyler County Man In Hospital Wife Dead in Car Wreck

The townspeople were horrified at the news on Wednesday morning of the death of Mrs. Clyde Woodward and Mrs. Leon Brown, and two of the Woodward children. Both of these young women belong to this county, daughters of C. C. Taylor. Mrs. Brown's husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Brown of the Grand Central Community, Mrs. Woodward and other relatives left last night for Port Arthur upon receiving the terrible news.

The Beaumont Enterprise had this report in Wednesday's early morning edition.

Five persons were killed and four injured, two critically, when the "Flying Crow," crack Kansas City Southern passenger train, bound for Port Arthur, struck an automobile at a crossing near Nederland at 5:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon as the automobile apparently stopped on the railroad tracks.

The dead were Clyde Woodward of Port Neches, 34; Mrs. Pauline Woodward of Port Neches, 25; Jauitha Woodward, their three-year-old daughter; Clyde Woodward, Jr., aged seven; Mrs. Leon Brown of Kountze, 29.

Miss Mattie Lee Freeman of Woodville, age 18, unconscious and not expected to live.

Elizabeth Brown, 7-year-old daughter of Mrs. Leon Brown, cuts and bruises about the body.

Evie Jewel Brown, 9-year-old daughter, internal injuries, in a critical condition.

Addie Mae Brown, 5-year-old daughter, lacerations about the head and body.

All are in St. Mary's hospital, Port Arthur.

According to witnesses to the tragedy, the Woodward car approached the crossing at a moderate rate of speed, and although an attempt apparently was made to come to a stop, the vehicle did not come to a standstill until a second before being struck by the train.

The car was dragged a full quarter of a mile down the tracks, Mrs. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Woodward being thrown from the car. The automobile a Pontiac sedan, never turned over, but was demolished.

The four injured were taken to Port Arthur in private cars driven by James W. Purdon of Port Neches, and E. S. James, E. Shearer and A. H. Hickman of Nederland. E. F. Williams of Nederland, upon arrival, and her parents from Beaumont, and from Port Arthur.

Pupkin and Brull ambulances answered the call from Beaumont, bringing in the bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Woodward and Mrs. Brown. The bodies of the two children were taken to Port Arthur in a private car, but were returned later.

The party of nine left the Woodward home in Port Neches for Beaumont to visit Leon Brown, who is in Beaumont General Hospital recovering from an operation.

William Weigmann of Peterson's addition, Nederland, saw the accident from the Fort Arthur road, and said the car approached crossing at a moderate rate of speed, and it appeared the driver was trying to stop the car but the brakes failed to hold. The train whistled several times at the approaching car which did not stop, it was hit broadside and carried down the track for a quarter of a mile on the west side of the main, then the car came to a stop on the west side of the main.

Witnesses said the wheels of the car were locked for the entire distance, but the brakes held the track.

## Tomato Crop Looks Like June 1 Shipping

County Agricultural Agent, B. B. Martin, states the tomato crop is looking fine at this time and that several fields are putting on fruit rapidly. The way things look now the shipping season should open up about June 1. In this connection the work has been given to Mr. Martin from the S. P. Ry. Co. to the effect that the enlarged packing sheds at this point will be ready for the 1932 crop.

Nearly 300 acres of tomatoes are in sight at this time, and if present plans go through to a successful conclusion Woodville will be the only shipping point for Tyler County.

By making Woodville the only shipping point, the farmers will have complete buyers and growers can expect to obtain at least the same price as prevails in Jacksonville, Alto, Palestine, Frankston and Troup.

It is a known fact these markets topped the Woodville market in price last year and no one seems to know just why Woodville and other Tyler County shipping points were discriminated against to the extent of one-half to two cents.

Those perched upon the side lines imagine that this market got the little end of the Texas prevailing prices because of no competitive buying.

The Booster is going to attempt to publish each week during the season the prices paid in Jacksonville, and if local producers are discriminated against may be this community will get busy and start something.

Apparently there is no other reason other than non-competitive buying, because competent judges of tomatoes stated last year that Woodville and one other market raised the best tomatoes in East Texas.

## Another County Pioneer Gone

Susan B. Parks daughter of W. S. and Elizabeth Parks was born in Tennessee June 26, 1849, and with her parents came to Woodville in December of the same year, just a babe in her mother's arms. When she was ten years old the family moved to the home near Chester, where she spent the rest of her life as a girl, young woman and wife. On August 28, 1911, she married J. B. Lowe, taking the place of a beloved sister who had passed on, so that she was not only aunt of her sister's children, but mother as well.

Three weeks ago she suffered with a stroke of paralysis and up until the time of her death at 7:30 Monday morning, has had every care, that love knew how to show, and with others, Mrs. G. C. Lowe has been constantly by her bedside. The funeral was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock, with Rev. Jeff Rhodes officiating. A message to the bereaved family and friends, memorial was made in the Mt. Zion cemetery.

Besides the immediate family two brothers survive, M. L. Parks of Chester, and J. H. Parks of Lake Charles. The one sister, a brother and her parents have preceded her.

Mr. Lowe returned home with his son, Attorney Lowe and family and expects to make his home here with them.

Those from here attending the funeral were Attorney and Mrs. Lowe, Mrs. Frances Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Young, Mesdames J. R. McCombs, Jesse Fesgin and J. F. Barclay, Rev. Rhodes and son Allen, Mrs. W. C. Morris of Rockland, mother of Mrs. G. C. Lowe was also there.

## THE GLOVER TRIAL UP AT KOUNTZE TUESDAY

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## CANT DRIVE A CAR TWO LONG YEARS

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## John Farmer Is Obtaining Candidates

John Farmer is now obtaining candidates for the coming election in the Democratic primary. He is now in the hands of the political party.

## State Board of Health to the Rescue

It will finally be the State Board of Education that is going to make school boards be good, and inside of three or four years at the most, high schools and successful independent school districts will find it necessary to build gymnasiums as a part of the school plant.

How come? Just this: The Texas Board of Education is going to add to the curriculum courses of physical training. The State Board recognizes the fact that it is sometimes difficult for teachers and local school board directors to tell parents, in this day and age, their children are not in any kind of physical condition. The Board knows as does any athletic director, that in these days of school buses and automobiles, the nether extremities are not being properly trained, and that goes for all other parts of the human anatomy.

Young folks growing up half humped over, hollow chested and with soft, flabby muscles are the easiest kind of prey for all of the imaginable and real ailments from mumps to pneumonia, T. B. and yellow jaundice.

Why? Because they have not strong, sturdy, well trained bodies and a world of resistance.

Oh, no! The Booster is not telling parents anywhere their individual children are not in good physical condition.

Coach D. M. Telford gave this information to the reporter one day this week: "I had a bunch of young boys and girls up not long ago. I attempted to put them through a few simple calisthenics. I got by for about three half minutes—just thrusting out their chests and stretching both arms out straight to the right and left. About the fourth time there wasn't a bit of stretch."

Now, isn't that a pitiful condition? The parents who think their boys and girls are in good shape, stop a moment and try and discover any one reason why they should be. As an illustration go back to your own childhood school days and see the way you worked, the miles you walked, and the miles you were willing to walk to attend a party or a dance. And can you visualize your sons and daughters doing likewise in these late and modern times of school buses and the automobile?

Wonder how many of the boys in the Woodville high school could cut and pile a cord of wood in a day and dance three-quarters of the night and walk both ways to the dance from the home, and then go out the next day and chop or saw, split and pile another cord of wood?

No, Isaac, it's not done that way these days.

The State Board of Education is going to add and include physical training to the MIST courses in both grade and high schools, and there will be a physical director who knows his onions.

It is because of this that this little story is being printed in this week's issue of The Booster.

To come up to the States requirements of this work which is to be held from two to three times a week, walk both ways to the dance from the home to have a gymnasium.

A school plant equipped with a gym is indeed fortunate. The building can be used as a community hall, convention hall, or merely for the several

## Local Girl in College Recital

On May 6th the third recital of the department of speech of Baylor College at Belton, presented Miss Julia Belle Cruse, Baylor College. Belle has this to say of her work as a reader:

"Julia Belle portrayed the character of Patricia, better known as Patsy, in such an unusual manner that the audience sympathized with the younger daughter who has always had to give up to her elder sister.

"The entire plot of the comedy dealt with an average family in a modern town. The story took place in the living room of the Harringtons, home Julia Belle depicted Grace, the elder sister, as one who is always used to having what she desires. Mrs. Harrington was the small town matron who wishes to see her elder daughter happy.

"Mr. Harrington, a traveling salesman, who sympathized with his daughter, Patsy, and did all he could for her happiness, won the admiration from the audience in the concluding act when he showed his authority.

"Tony, the lover, who loved Grace, but who was an ideal for Patsy, and held all of her admiration, was the usual hero who discovers at the last minute that he really loves Patsy.

"Julia Belle gave each character a distinguishing note."

## Good News For 4-H Club Boys and Girls

Chicago—Here's some good news for 4-H club boys and girls engaged in junior animal husbandry projects: another \$5000 in county, state, sectional and national prizes will be awarded in connection with the Eleventh National Boys and Girls 4-H Club Congress here next fall.

The congress is held annually in conjunction with the International Live Stock Exposition and this is the third year of the prize awards. Any club member regularly enrolled in an animal husbandry project, sponsored by the 4-H Clubs is eligible for the prizes.

## Foot Ball Banquet

Last week The Booster gave out the information there was to be a football game, a banquet and party, and on Saturday all of those things happened.

The foot ball game resulted more in practice, scrimmage, etc., and a score would not be proper, even had the official scorers attempted to tell all of the details.

The following boys showed up well and will be the nucleus of the 1932 foot ball game:

McAllister, Bankston, Shivers, Brandin, Edgar, Lezenby and Foxworth.

Aubrey Grimes, a new comer showed up exceptionally well at tackle; he promises to be one of the outstanding tackles in the district.

A large number of boys from out over the county attended, some of which promise to be very good athletic material.

In the evening a banquet was given at Grammar school auditorium. Talks were made by D. M. Telford, Rev. Lee Emory, Judge Eaves, J. R. McCombs, J. E. Wheat, Prof. F. I. Hunter and Jay Kelley.

After the banquet a party was given at the Britton Best home. Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves and are sure that Woodville will be represented by a winning football team next season.

## Co. Court Has Done Everything Possible To Aid Local Labor

Right now there seems to be a very considerable amount of controversy at Rockland in connection with the labor situation as regards the men who are employed on the recently constructed portion of the Highway No. 40 federal project, Rockland to Comlesnell.

The contract was let by the State Highway Department to F. G. Powell, Jacksonville. On the bottom of the specifications upon this piece of road is the following paragraph, which evidently speaks for itself:

"In order to alleviate the present economic conditions, the undersigned proposes to employ local labor, insofar as practicable, in the execution of the work covered by this proposal."

The good people around Rockland claim that this agreement has not been lived up to, and, further, there are a plenty of people in that section of the country, who will tell anyone that the labor now employed on this project were transported from some place outside of Tyler county.

Tuesday something happened. No one seems to know what started the festivities, but anyway when things has settled down it was found that armed guards were patrolling the work.

Judge J. E. Starrock left here Wednesday morning to see what was the difficulty. After stumbling over the rough and rocky hills he finally located the gang and also got an eye full of the armed guards.

After maneuvering about for a while he located the foreman in charge for Mr. Powell. The Judge took him to task as to intentions as regards the local labor situation, and the foreman, Mr. Hardy, by name, stated that it was the intention to hire all the local labor that would apply for work that he could use on the job.

There was nothing else for the Judge to do, except to agree with Mr. Hardy that local men needed the work, especially when the National Red Cross Association has sent many sacks of flour to the needy in and around Rockland.

It seems there are several angles to this particular piece of road work. This happens to be a Federal Project, and if the natives should rise up in

## Closing Exercises of Commencement Week

Three exercises next week bring to a close the activities of the Senior Class of the Kirby High School. Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock at the Grammar school auditorium Rev. E. C. Emory, pastor of the Christian church, will deliver the Baccalaureate sermon.

A special choir composed of friends of the school will sing, Miss Triley being in charge of the music, and Miss Pettit has charge of the morning's program.

Thursday night at 7:45 the Class Night exercises will be held at the auditorium. The theme of the program will be "Through the Years." The program, which is being directed by Miss Pettit, is about as follows:

1. Basic poem, "That Old School Gang Ora Swearingin"
2. Class Prophecy, "Through the Years"
3. Class Poem, "Through the Years" Verna Jack Pedigo
4. Piano Solo, "A Perfect Day" Ingles Pettit
5. Class History, "Allota Dismukes"
6. Class Grammatics, Carroll Swearingin
7. Saxophone Solo, Robert McCombs
8. Giftoirion, "Eddie Lee Nash"
9. Class Will, "Grover Die"
10. Class song, "Song of Kirby High"

By the Class

The graduation exercises will be held Friday night, R. B. Cousins, president of the Life Insurance Company, will deliver the graduating address. Wilson Harrison will deliver the valedictory and Mudge Dean will deliver the salutatory.

Those who will receive diplomas are: Wilson Harrison, Lewis Harrison, Carroll Swearingin, Ora Swearingin, Grover Die, W. B. Triplett, Robert McCombs, Lucile Bostick, Mudge Dean, Allota Dismukes, Eddie Lee Nash, Marguerite Russell, Lucille Bostick, Verna Jack Pedigo, Katie Bonty.

## HONOR STUDENTS OF SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL SELECTED

The three places of honor for members of the Senior class were awarded this week. The honor awarded for the highest scholastic record for the senior year, the valedictory went to Wilson Harrison.

## McAllister-Broom Grade Penmanship Win Honors

This is the first year penmanship has been taught in the Woodville school as a special study, and Miss Lola Brown, as teacher of this art, has sent in fifteen samples to the State board and received special recognition for eight of the youngsters, and a small gold pin for each. In fifth grade Frances Rook and Mary Frances Holton, sixth grade, Ora Marie Barclay and Willie Bell Sheffield, seventh grade, Lola Mounce, Grace Wilson, Marguerite Williams and Gladie Brown.

## R. A. Cruse in One, Two, Three Race

Last Friday the following men from the Texas Extension Department, College Station, were in town for the second time this month, the first visit having been May 8.

The occasion was the judging of the R. A. Cruse race. Last year this pasture won fifth place in the state. This year Mr. Cruse stands 1-3-3 or 3-3-3, in any other old way you want to put up the figure, this pasture won out of the competition.

These winners this time included E. H. McAllister, A. Miller, C. W. Smith, and a number of the best Texas pasture owners. The pasture was owned by Mr. Cruse.

## DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY NOW

Washington, May 19.—The election of the president of the United States by the people of the United States is now being held in the form of a primary election. The political parties are now being organized for the purpose of electing their candidates.

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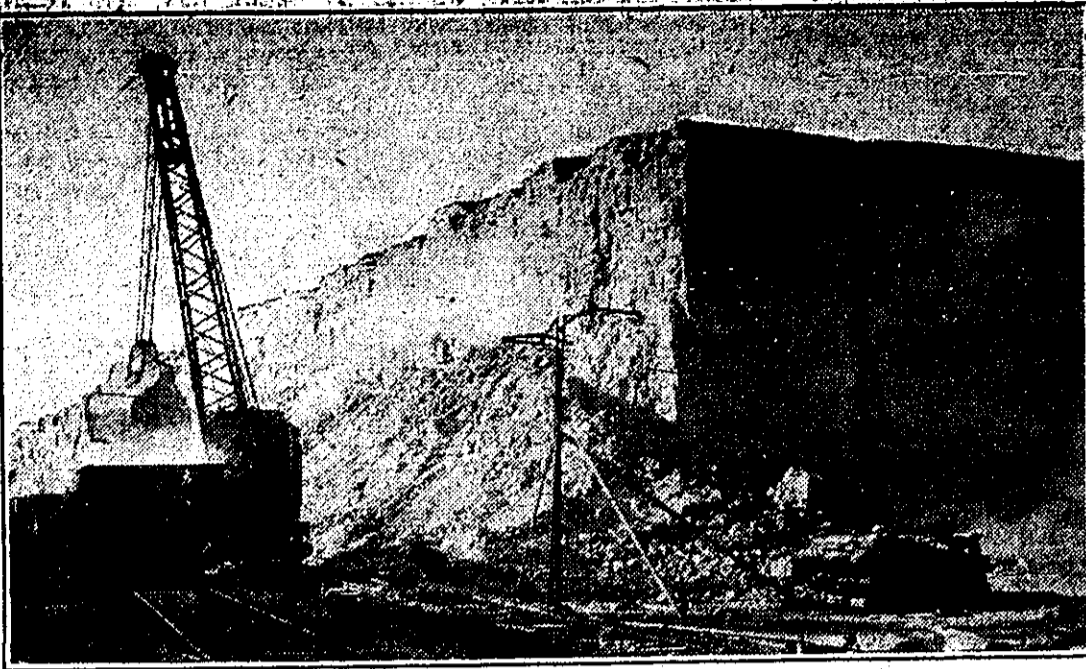
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## South Texas Home of Greatest Supply of Sulphur



Deposits in Three Counties, Drawn From the Earth Like Petroleum, Furnish More Than 90 Per Cent of Total Production of the Globe.

Courtesy of the Christian Science Monitor, Boston, Mass.

Houston, Tex.—More than 90 per cent of the world's sulphur supply is produced from mines in the coast section of south Texas. This province, which represents about 99 per cent of the United States supply.

Sulphur is extensively used to enrich the soil and the development of chemical manufacturing, both here and abroad, is dependent to a large degree upon a continuous and generous supply.

It will be a bit of news to most individuals to learn that this mineral is drawn out of the ground at the south Texas deposits with drilling and pumping machinery, just like the oil drillers produce crude petroleum.

In Three Counties

The great sulphur deposits of south Texas are concentrated in the three counties of Brazoria, Matagorda and Wharton. Three companies have collaborated in playing the leading role in the development and exploitation of Texas sulphur. They are the Texas Gulf Sulphur Company with mines at Gulf, Newburg and Long Point; the Freeport Sulphur Company with deposits at Bryan Mound and Moskins Mound; and the Duval Texas Sulphur Company at Benavides.

The deposits of sulphur, however, in the Texas coast section probably would have been undiscovered and unclaimed—at least until a much later time—but for the genius of Herman Frasch, German mining engineer, who devised the present intricate and remarkably efficient method of drawing the sulphur from the ledges of solid limestone in which it has impregnated. The old method of extracting sul-

phur resembled zinc mining, in which huge underground caverns were excavated from the virgin rock and both the ore and waste rock carried to the surface for refining.

By Frasch's process the sulphur is refined under the surface—without excavating—and the mineral brought to the surface in the form of liquid, 100 per cent pure. First, deep wells to sulphur deposits are drilled and a large casing pipe which incloses a smaller pipe is thrust down the holes to the mineral beds. Water heated from evaporating by high air pressure is forced into the well through the smaller pipe.

The excessively hot water which will not mix with sulphur, permeates the porous limestone ledges which contain the scattered deposits of sulphur. The heat of the water melts the sulphur which, in liquid form, is forced into a drainage basin at the foot of the well where a circuit of compressed air sucks it to the surface.

Piped Into Vats

The liquid sulphur is piped into giant vats and left to solidify. Then the sides of the vats are removed and a veritable mountain of the most brilliant hue is disclosed to the gaze of those both far and near. A cluster of these "sulphur mountains" aglow with the rays of a setting sun is a sight not soon to be forgotten.

After solidification the sulphur is blasted into pieces and loaded by a steam shovel into freight cars on temporary rail sidings which follow the building of the sulphur mountains. All of this sulphur is 99.5 per cent pure. Some of it goes direct by rail to domestic plants and factories of the United States and Canada, but the much larger portion of the year's production is loaded on ships at Texas

ports for coastwise and export shipments.

Prior to 1865 the situation was almost exactly reversed as to the location of the world's sulphur supply. At that time approximately 90 per cent of the world's sulphur came from the island of Sicily. In 1863 there were 757 sulphur mines in that area employing some 40,000 workers. With Texas stepping to the fore with more expert methods of production and, it is claimed, with a superior quality of product, the balance of power in the industry rapidly switched to this side of the globe and the number of Sicilian mines has dropped to less than half.

With the opening and increasing development of the Texas sulphur fields, the market price of the mineral has steadily decreased and a better quality of product made available. The world at large has gained by this turn of events because a greater production has made possible a more varied and more utilitarian use of the product.

Thanks to sulphur, Texas has built up a permanent and lasting industry which is not only giving profitable employment to thousands of Lone Star inhabitants but one that is contributing in a vital way to the necessities of life of the people of the world.

It was in April, 1932 that the Boston Christian Science Monitor printed this boost on Texas. That paper foreign as well as America-wide circulation of any daily paper on the continent. We wrote to the Monitor asking permission to use this story and asked for the accompanying illustration of the sulphur as it is being broken up for shipment after having been extracted from the great ledges of deposit far under the ground. This is just another way The Booster is serving its readers.

Friday of this week Uncle Neal Ogden will pass his 81st milestone of this life, and on last Sunday the family from east, west, north and south, arrived with well filled hearts and gathered at the fair grounds for a reunion and big dinner. The birthday cake was brought by Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Ogden of Jasper, and it is still intact in all its glory of snow white frosting with his initials and age in red. Those enjoying this happy occasion were Dr. and Mrs. Ogden and granddaughter, Miss Mildred Mallett, Mr. and Mrs. Webb Pedigo of Jasper, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Ogden, and niece, Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence Ogden and son, Carl of Kirbyville, Henry Shepherd, Newton, J. H. and H. C. Pedigo families of Pedigo, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Ogden, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ogden, Town Bluff, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Ogden and family of Fortia, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Freeman, Houston, Mr. and Mrs. John Ogden and daughter, Mrs. Osborn Ferguson of Barbers Hill, Mrs. O. A. Dean, Port Neches, Mrs. M. M. Woodcock of Dallas, Mrs. A. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hanks and daughter of Emilee, Mrs. Texas Shepherd, son Montez, wife and son, H. B. Ogden family, Abner Sheffield and family, Tom Ogden and daughter, the Ernest Pedigo family, Hal Barclay family, and Uncle Abe Bean, who claims the Ogden family as his own as his parents were slaves, and he as a small black boy played with the Ogden children. It was a wonderful day and the family resolved to make it an annual happening from now on.

### NIGHT SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY

At the Methodist Episcopal South church next Sunday only night services will be held. The morning meeting will give way to the Baccalaureate commencement exercises at the Grammer school auditorium, 11 o'clock, May 22.

### Lightner & Butterworth Honored in 'Side Show'

Lightner and Butterworth Share Honors in "Side Show," Gorgeous Romance of a Travelling Circus.

Evalyn Knapp, Don Cook, Guy Kibbee and other screen favorites appear in "Wanted," production, opening at the Crescent Theatre for Sunday, Monday, Tuesday.

There have been circus pictures galore in the history of motion pictures, some of them devoted to a dramatic theme, others to comedy, but this latest picture, "Wanted," is a unique production. It is a story of a traveling circus and the adventures of a young girl who is kidnapped and then rescued by a circus performer.

## For Great State Democratic Meet

The Democratic hosts of Texas will descend on Houston Tuesday, May 24 to attend what promises to be one of the most interesting and important conventions of the state Democratic party.

The state and city executive party committees, the city government and the Chamber of Commerce have joined forces to provide sidights for the convention in the way of comfort and entertainment facilities that will insure the well being and pleasure of all who attend, it is announced.

On account of the unusual political significance to confront the convention it is anticipated that all attendance records will be broken at the Houston pow-wow.

"This is the first time in many years Houston has had the opportunity to entertain the State Democratic party and we are going to do our best to make the delegates and visitors happy the same and anxious to come again," said Judge W. O. Higgins, chairman of the State Democratic committee.

### WELL, IT HAPPENED AT LAST

The Booster has always been printed on Wednesday and mailed either Wednesday afternoon, or at 8 o'clock Thursday morning.

This week it is different. Stationery from Chicago for the commencement of the Booster for the Chester school did not arrive until Wednesday and the finished product had been promised for Wednesday evening. We had the job completed when J. H. Slack arrived. Then, just to add variety, J. E. Shurlock had to have a bunch of candidate cards to take with him to Lufkin for the big political pow-wow held there on Wednesday evening, and we just had to accommodate the judge.

Sensing the fact that it was then impossible to print and mail Wednesday, why we quit trying. However, next week will be another week and if we don't break a leg The Booster will be in the postoffice on Wednesday afternoon.

Of course, if we had tried extra hard and had dumped our linotype matter into the forms with out proofreading and minus any kind of proof-reading and minus any kind of the usual time Wednesday mailing time.

### NUMBER TWO

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their might and manage to "run off" foreign labor. Mr. Powell could apply for federal protection on the ground that Federal work was being interfered with. It has been reported by those who know that the State under such conditions would be powerless to act. This is a situation that is not pleasant to contemplate and it is hoped that the contractor and his foreman will live up to the contract and sign with the State Highway Commission, and employ local help.

The Tyler County Court passed the following resolutions some time since in regard to labor on the nearly million dollars worth of road work to be completed through Tyler County. The Board takes pleasure in presenting these resolutions to readers all over the county that they may know the County Court was doing all it possibly could to relieve the unemployment situation in this county.

The resolutions adopted by the County Court, Tyler County, Texas, in Special session at Woodville, on July 25, 1931, follow:

WHEREAS, The tax payers of Tyler County, on June 14, 1930, voted a bond issue for the purpose of assisting the State Highway Department in constructing State Highways Nos. 45, 40, 106, in said County; and

WHEREAS, Owing to the general depression existing in Tyler County by reason of the shutting down of other sources of employment, the local people are in need of employment;

WHEREAS, The State Highway Commission requires that each and every contractor agree in writing to give preference to local labor in the construction and maintenance of State Highways;

WHEREAS, It is the sense of the Commissioners Court of Tyler County, that Tyler County citizens and tax payers should be given preference by the contractors in the construction and maintenance of the Highways in Tyler County; and

WHEREAS, It has been brought to the attention of the Commissioners Court that the contractors on the Neches River Bridge, on Highway No. 40, near Rockland, and Contractors on State Highway No. 106, from Woodville to Chester Road District, are not employing local labor, but are employing labor from other counties and in said instances from other States;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Commissioners Court of Tyler County, Texas, in special session, this 25th day of July, A. D. 1931, that said contractors be demanded to give preference to local labor and to demand of each and every applicant, proof that he is a citizen of Tyler County; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Commissioners Court, that copies of this resolution be forwarded to the State Highway Commission, Austin, Texas; Hon. Gibb Glazier, State Highway Engineer, Austin; Hon. Edward M. Maddox, Division Engineer, Lufkin; Hon. Chas. Kendall, Assistant Engineer, Woodville; Senator W. E. Thompson, Austin; Rep. John W. Laird, Austin; Messrs. Whittaker, Balthus, Rogers, Texas, 1931 to 1933; Messrs. Whittaker, Balthus, Rogers, Texas, 1931 to 1933; Messrs. Whittaker, Balthus, Rogers, Texas, 1931 to 1933.

## For Great State Democratic Meet

## LUNCH SPECIALS

Stock up now on these Lunch Specials, for hurried Lunches, Picnics, with extra guests, etc.

- 6 oz. Lunch Tongue..... 10c
- 2 Cans Vienna Sausage..... 19c
- 2 Cans Lunch Spread..... 19c
- 2 Cans Potted Meat..... 9c
- 12 oz. Can Corned Beef..... 20c
- 9 oz. Jar I. G. A. Mustard..... 10c
- Jello, Assorted Flavors..... 7c
- 2 Bottles I. G. A. Ginger Ale..... 32c
- I. G. A. Cake Flour..... 21c
- 1/4 lb. I. G. A. Tea..... 18c
- Campbells Tomato Soup..... 7c

## KELLEY'S I. G. A.

Woodville, Texas

PURINA CHOW CHOW

## Deaths

A message to the Citizens State Bank Tuesday brings the news of the death of another old settler of this county. Harry W. Bandy passed away Monday at the home of his grandson, Neyland Bandy at Brenham and the funeral will be held at Colmesneil today (Wednesday). Mrs. Bandy passed on some two years ago and since Mr. Bandy has made his home with his children and grandchildren. Colmesneil items will give the obituary next week.

### Woodville Locals

Mrs. J. F. Barclay, Jesse Feagin and J. R. McCombs attended the funeral of Mrs. Lowe Tuesday at Chester.

Al Sweet of Kansas City, Mo., is here this week in the interests of the Long Bell Lumber Company. Attorney Marlin Sandlin and Judge J. E. Shurlock were in Colmesneil and Doucette Saturday.

We wish to thank Joe Wesley Dickerson of Rockland for a copy of September 17th Booster, which we needed for our files. We appreciate getting it at this time.

Miss Altu Brown of the Beech Creek school was in town Saturday and will again teach at Beech Creek next year. She was enroute to her home in Sour Lake for the vacation.

### NUMBER ONE

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By the appearance of the bodies it was evident that the wheels of the train passed over none of them. The bodies of Mr. and Mrs. Woodward and Mrs. Brown were found on the embankment 20 or 15 yards from the automobile, and the other occupants of the car, some still in the vehicle and others near it.

As nearly as can be determined, Mr. and Mrs. Woodward, Mrs. Brown and Miss Freeman were riding in the front seat of the sedan, and the five children in the rear. Mrs. Brown is survived by her husband, now in Beaumont General Hospital; her father, C. C. Davis, of Woodville, the three injured daughters; two brothers, Edward Davis, of Colmesneil and Robert Davis, of Houston, and two sisters, Mrs. C. C. Williams of Port Neches and Mrs. S. O. Fortenberry of Woodville. No address last night. Mrs. Brown and Miss Woodward were sisters.

Thursday morning at 10:30 Mr. Young, who left Port Arthur, about 2 o'clock this morning, brought the report that Miss Freeman could not possibly live but a few days. Personal survivors had been located last night.

## Society

Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. John Hunter invited some twenty of the younger set to their home in honor of Miss Mooney and the evening was spent enjoying bridge and dancing.

The Wedding Ring Club met with Mrs. Egan Walker Friday with 12 members present. The afternoon was spent in quilting, sewing and visiting. Delicious refreshments of strawberry short cake, pear salad and iced tea were served and the club adjourned to meet this week with Mrs. Forest Pace.

Mrs. W. O. Livingston entertained the Thursday Bridge Club last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. McBride. The Livingston family have moved to Lufkin from Doucette and Mrs. Livingston will be sincerely missed among her Tyler County friends. Mrs. Carl Lien won honors for high score and Mrs. Marlin Sandlin was awarded the consolation prize. A salad course and iced tea was served which brought to a close the afternoon's association.

Miss Mary Martin entertained the Junior Bridge Wednesday afternoon of last week at three tables. The color scheme in black and white was carried out in tables, score pads and table appointments. Miss Ninnie Belle Mooney was the out of town guest. Mrs. Marlin Sandlin carried off the honors for high score, Miss Eleanor Tilley cut and Miss Mooney received the guest prize. Delicious fresh strawberry tarts topped with whipped cream, a salad and iced tea were served and enjoyed.

The Misses Lois Benthall and Claytie Lee Shivers with other school friends of Mrs. Emory Pope, nee Miss Ann Necco, gave a miscellaneous shower in her honor last Thursday afternoon at the Benthall home. A happy time was enjoyed and the honoree received many lovely gifts. Ice cream and cake were served and thoroughly enjoyed. On Saturday afternoon the groom's mother, Mrs. H. S. Pope entertained in honor of her new daughter, and again the bride received many lovely and useful gifts. Refreshments of sandwiches and iced tea were served by the hostess, assisted by the Misses Evelyn Best and Lorena Richardson.

One of the outstanding affairs of the season was the recital given by Mrs. Irene Dale and her pupils at the T. A. Rock home on Saturday night. Between fifty and sixty pupils took part in this recital and the program was most impressive. It included a variety of piano and voice pieces and the recital was a most successful one.