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## Spearman to Have Free Employment Agency

MARY BOB TAYLOR, Spearman Chamber of Commerce, announces that organization has made arrangements to conduct a free employment agency during the rush of season. The officials and of the chamber of commerce are of every service to the farmers of this section and particularly wheat-sowing period. The office is at the office of Commerce, phone

No. 84, at any time, in regard to help, and Mr. Taylor and the other employees will do their best to fill the order. Also, they will take pleasure in attending to any other matters the farmers of this territory wish looked after, and haven't the time to come to town to see about. The farmers are invited to make use of the force and facilities of the chamber of commerce at any time, and in any way. It is an organization of business and professional men and farmers, the purpose of which is to promote the business, educational and religious

life of this town, community and county. Its usefulness is gauged by the extent of the services which it renders to the community. Secretary Taylor also states that he will assist farm laborers in landing a job. Harvest hands is the big proposition just now, but there is also calls for general farm help, hay hands and occasionally a cow-puncher is needed. The public is invited, states Mr. Taylor, to call on the chamber of commerce for anything or everything. That is what they are there for.

**EXECUTIVE COMING**  
from C. L. Mathewson, that along about the community will be Meyers of Rosebud, Meyers is coming for the night over a real boy. These are busy days nights—but this work neglected, it is hoped, could be much more done these most deeply com- work, for Mr. Meyers his visit until after har-

**BINDING BARLEY AND OATS**  
R. L. Porter, who farms two miles down the track, is taking no risk of loss by hail and storm on his barley and oats. Just as quickly as it was ripe enough, he went into the field with a 12-foot binder, drawn by a big tractor, and cut, bound and shocked 150 of his 700 acres of barley, and 100 acres of oats. He will combine the remainder of his crop of barley. Mr. Porter has 400 acres of wheat that looks mighty good. It is a little late, but coming along nicely and promises a yield of more than 30 bushels per acre.

**YOUR LAST CHANCE ON SUBSCRIPTION OFFER**  
The Reporter's offer of \$1.50 for a year's subscription will be in effect only a few more days. Send in your subscription this week, and get the advantage of this offer. Also, notice carefully the date of expiration on your subscription. It is printed on the yellow slip on which your name is printed. If the date has passed, your paper will be stopped. We will give everyone a chance to renew at the lower rate. If the renewal is not received at this office within a week, the name will be removed from the list. We will take it for granted that you do not want the paper if the renewal is not received within a month after expiration of time paid for.

## ing New in the Way of Scales Installed at the McClellan Grain Co.

McClellan Grain Co. week proudly calling the visitors to their place to their new scales, something out of the full scales are of the full reading auto-truck manufactured by the Fairbanks, which is pretty that they are a mighty Mr. McClellan says word in the way of big loads quickly weighs accurately able of balancing by weighing capacity is 30,000 pounds, meter correctly down pounds. It is a neat of equipment of llan Grain Company

raw land to a Mississippi party. These were not bought to farm but as an investment.—Dahlhart Texas.

**SPEARMAN YOUNG LADY RETURNS FROM CUBA**  
Miss Bernie Addison, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. O. M. Addison, returned last Saturday from Cuba, where she spent the past year as a teacher of higher English in a Spanish college in Havana. Miss Addison will spend the summer with her parents in Spearman.

**HERE FROM IOWA**  
T. C. Jansen, who owns a fine farm out west of town a few miles, arrived from Farmington, Iowa, last week and will remain here until after harvest. Mr. Jansen has owned this farm land for many years and is justly proud of it. The Martin boys are farming this place and have a fine wheat crop.

Miss Mildred and Muri Garst came Sunday from their home at Stratford and visited with relatives and friends here. Mrs. Lynch and the little Misses Glenell and Syvilla Garst, who have been visiting at the Paul Westerfield home here, returned to Stratford with them. Oran Ross Kelly went along also, for a few days visit at the Garst home.

Mrs. G. P. Gibner and son Woodrow, returned on Saturday of last week from a several week's visit with relatives and friends at Groesbeck and other central Texas points. Miss Beatrice Gibner came over from Amarillo with them, returning to her work there on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lyon and Perren Jr., Mrs. A. F. Barkley and Gertrude left Thursday of last week for Denton, where they will visit in the home of Mr. Lyon's and Mrs. Barkley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Lyon.

R. M. Clogston came from Wichita last week, and has accepted employment in the First National bank of Spearman.

## man to Have Lions Club Seven Charter Members

who seemed to be a came from Wichita and, with very little in securing a sufficient number on the dotted Lions Club at this man did not canvass, securing only number of members to Owing to the great here at the present, possible to hold a L. McClellan has temporary president, Richards, temporary Lions. The secre- the following letter national, in Chicago: ary Lions Club, Richards:—We are that Spearman now and that you have to serve as its tem- about you already have our duties, as they are in other organiza- in other organiza- tional will assist you, on as we receive a re-

port showing the officers of your Club, the names, addresses and classifications of the charter members, and their charter fees. With kind regards and best wishes, we are,

Sincerely yours,  
Assistant Secretary Lions International, Department of Extension. The name signed to the above letter is absolutely unreadable, proving that the assistant secretary, whoever he may be, is a regular fellow. Those who signed as charter members of the Spearman Lions Club are: R. W. Morton, D. S. Rawlings, Oran Kelly, W. L. Russell, M. L. McLain, Lester S. McLain, Dr. J. E. Gower, D. W. Holland, S. E. Harbison, E. C. Womble, C. A. Gibner, A. F. Barkley, Harry Campfield, R. L. McClellan, A. H. Word, W. E. McClellan, Fred J. Hoskins, J. R. Collard, Walter Beck, P. A. Lyon, S. B. Hale, P. H. Westerfield, A. J. Mayfield, J. B. Perry, H. G. Hastings, Dr. F. J. Daily, Rev. J. H. Richards. The above named gentlemen have paid the amount necessary to secure a charter. At present it is not known when a meeting can be held, but it is not likely until after the harvest rush is over.

## PRESBYTERIAN PASTORATE POSSIBILITY HERE

Herbert S. Springhall director of the Home Mission department of Dallas Presbytery, will visit this city in July with the plan and purpose of perfection of a definite pastorate for the Presbyterian Church. It was stated here today by the Rev. O. Chauncey Acree, local pastor of the church. Possibilities of locating a manse here and bringing a pastor here to give his service part time preaching and full time for the work on this field, will be the business of the Presbyterian official it was stated.

At the present time the Presbyterians have Rev. Acree to serve their three Sundays each month and on the fourth Sunday, he visits the McFayden Church at Allanreed, Texas. Mr. Acree has returned from Allanreed, and announces that he will be in Spearman for the next four consecutive Sundays. Sunday school and church will be held every Sunday morning and regular preaching services at night.

Several of the Spearman church goers spoke very highly of Rev. Springhall, when they heard him preach here a few months ago. If the Dallas pastor will be here over Sunday while he is here, he will preach again, stated Rev. Acree. There will be held regular church services next Sunday both morning and evening.

## AUXILIARY AMERICAN LEGION MAKES MEMBERSHIP DRIVE

The Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion held a meeting last Saturday night in regard to making a membership drive to obtain their quota of 25 members. Mrs. Wm. Benton was here from Amarillo at the Saturday night meeting and gave the ladies many ideas and plans by which they expect to accomplish much in the future. The membership drive took place this week and they went over the top with a membership of 27. At a meeting held Wednesday night further plans of activity were discussed.

## BANKS WILL CLOSE JULY 4

Spearman banks will be closed on Wednesday, July 4. Owing to the rush of the harvest season, it is doubtful if any other place of business in the town will close, with the possible exception of the postoffice, which will likely be run on Sunday hours. A bank employee, however, does his work while the doors of the bank are closed, and this holiday affords the boys a chance to catch up and make ready for harvest.

Phoebie Fox motored to Amarillo Sunday to meet Mrs. Fox, who was returning from Temple, Texas, with their little daughter, Madelon, who has been in a sanitarium there the past month, recovering from an operation. Miss Madelon is recovering nicely and is now able to be up and run about. Mrs. Fox also visited with relatives in Waco before returning home.

Mrs. John L. Hays and Miss Alta, Miss Opal Cline and Miss Ruth Prutsmann were Sunday visitors to Borger.

Bob Leitner and S. E. Harbison made a business trip to Amarillo Monday of this week.

## SPEARMAN WINS FROM LIEB AND McBRIDE

The Spearman baseball team has been forging to the front the last few games they have played, after a long string of losses. Sunday, June 17, the home boys defeated the McBride nine on the local grounds with a score of 12 to 4 and last Sunday, June 24, they defeated the Lieb team 20 to 5.

## W. T. C. OF C. MAN HERE

J. E. Biggs, field representative of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was in Spearman Monday looking after business matters. Mr. Biggs states that he is now working on the grain car proposition, and that the W. T. C. of C. intends to keep right after the railroads on this matter, in order that the big wheat crop may be moved out as speedily as the farmers wish it to move.

A letter from Prof. A. H. Wilcox, who, with Mrs. Wilcox and the children, is enjoying a fine vacation at Fort Collins, Colorado, states that the trout are waiting anxiously for him but that he is real busy with his summer school work, and has let several big ones get away without a trial. Miss Ann Beck and Miss Ethel Deakin are enrolled as students in the University of Colorado, at Boulder, and report that they are very pleasantly located and are enjoying their work.

## Church and Society

### By RUTH PRUTSMAN CHURCH OF CHRIST

The Church of Christ is located two blocks south of the Ford garage. Minister, Rev. R. L. Hazlet. Services each Sunday morning and evening, at 11:00 and 8:30.

### BAPTIST

A good record was made at the Baptist church last Sunday. Large attendance at all services. The secretary reported an attendance of 125 at Sunday school with a collection of \$19.39. Pastor Richards preached at 11:00 o'clock and at 8:30. He will be present at all services next Sunday, July 1.

A revival meeting will begin at the Baptist church on August 19. Further announcements in regard to this will be made in the Reporter next week.

### PRESBYTERIAN SERVICES

Sunday school program begins at 10 o'clock with Superintendent Howard Neilson in charge. At eleven o'clock the pastor, Rev. O. Chauncey Acree will preach on "The Mind of Christ." At the evening services the subject will be "What does the Kingdom of Heaven Consist of?" The Presbyterians extend a cordial invitation to the Spearman people to attend these services. A welcome awaits you at our doors.

### METHODIST

The Bible and mission school conducted at the Methodist church closed Thursday with a social for the mothers and others. The children's jubilee books showed much labor, covering maps and pictures of eight foreign countries and the United States. The judges selected Rose

## Elevator Row Reports "Ready" First Wheat Expected Saturday

### STOCKHOLDERS OF THREE WAY OIL CO. HOLD MEETING

Quite a number of the stockholders of the Three Way Oil company gathered at the location two miles northwest of Range last Sunday afternoon when it was understood that C. L. Price, the manager would turn the books over to the officers of the company, and plans would be discussed for carrying the drilling to a deeper depth, but the books were not produced, and there was no certainty where Mr. Price was, or what disposition he had made of the books and accounts of the company. A letter from Mr. Price to a member of the company indicated that he had not completed his work on the books, and that they would be forthcoming in a few days.

Under this condition, the future of the well is very uncertain. Most of the stockholders want to get its affairs straightened out and quite a number of them agreed to subscribe 25 and 50 cents a foot to a fund to carry the well on down, but it was deemed this would be inexpedient until it was possible to determine what the financial condition of the company is.

In order to keep the guards at the well until some plan of action was raised to pay the expenses of the men on the job. A part of the crew who assert their faith in the well being a producer have offered to work the well down to 4000 feet with the understanding that if they don't strike oil, they will not ask for pay, but that if they do, they are to be remunerated.—Guymon Herald.

Elevator Row is all set for the big harvest. The big wheat repositories have been given their annual overhauling, scales have been cleaned, oiled and tested, the "street" is being put in shape to carry the tremendous traffic, quick-meal eating houses are open and ready for business—in fact, the row has its workin' clothes on and is rearin' to go. Wheat-buyers, trying to look cool and collected, are anxiously waiting for the first load to boom around the corner, and are keeping in close touch with the market. The grain men expect the first wheat in Saturday. A load or so may come in Friday, but this is hardly probable. The big harvest will not be on until the middle of next week, but will break with a mighty crash when it does come. More combines than ever before will be used this season, and this will tax the elevators to beyond capacity, but the boys on the row are better equipped, more experienced, and have the assurance of plenty of grain cars from the Santa Fe this year. All these things will help.

Among the noticeable improvements on Elevator Row is the ten-thousand bushel addition to the Equity elevator. This increases the capacity of this elevator to 35,000 bushels. Work on the Porter elevator is progressing at a satisfactory pace, and all the other five have been overhauled and put in shape for a big rush of business. Elevator Row is "settin' jake."

Mr. and Mrs. Cap Richardson came from Amarillo the latter part of last week and visited several days with friends and relatives.

## Lyric Theatre to Have Modern Home New Building Under Construction

### "DOUG" AS A SOUTH AMERICAN ROBIN HOOD

The torrid breath of the pampas, dusky riders of the South American border, gold, combat, love and daring! Douglas Fairbanks as The Gaucho carries the spectator of this gripping United Artists production far from the highways of ordinary film fare. The picture opens at the Rex theater, this city, Friday night of this week, and bids fair to establish itself as one of the best Fairbanks plays.

Doug appears as an outlaw Gaucho leader, head of a band of hard-riding bandits who occupy the mysterious shrine city under the very nose of the usurper of the country. The fortunes of the bold adventurer are affected for good and ill by the lure of fair maidens: one a wild mountain girl, the other a saintly girl of the shrine. By the jealousy of the former, the outlaw is betrayed into the clutches of the usurper and his ruthless commandant.

Contaminated by the touch of a victim of "the black doom," the Gaucho leader is saved and healed by the shrine girl. But his band has been dismissed through the treachery of a lieutenant, an he is imprisoned, likewise the girl of the shrine and her padre protector.

Understanding the simple devotion of the shrine girl, the madcap repents and rides to bring the Gauchos to the rescue of their captain. The latter digs his way out of his cell, and, joining the oncoming horde, rescues the padre and the shrine girl from the scaffold, stampeding a vast herd of steers which rout the forces of the usurper.

P. C. Bennett, manager of the agricultural department of the Amarillo Board of City Development, and Mr. Brown, who is connected with "Panhandle-Plains, Inc." were here the first of the week, looking over Hansford county's fine crop. Mr. Bennett, being an old time resident of Hansford, enjoyed the visit with friends and neighbors of days gone by. He spent a night at the Winder home near Gruver.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Oldham and the children Sundayed in Tyrone. Miss Chloé Oldham, who has been visiting with friends there returned home with the family.

Excavation begun last week for the basement and foundation of a new and strictly modern home for the Lyric Theater, this city. S. B. Hale, who will own the building, states that it will be modern in every particular and that he intends to make it one of the finest show houses in this section of the country, in every way in keeping with the rapidly growing and developing town and country which it will serve.

The basement will be about 50 by 25 feet and will serve as dressing rooms, furnace rooms, etc., with all modern fixtures and appurtenances thereunto belonging. The show building proper will be 25 by 150 feet, equipped to seat about 500 people. A new front will be put in the building, a new stage, curtains, properties of all kinds, and all will be of the latest, most modern type. Spearman will have a real show house of which she will be proud, when the new home of the Lyric is completed, says Mr. Hale.

Miss Marjorie McCloy returned last week from Sterling, Kan., where she has been attending college and will spend the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. McCloy of the Lieb community. Miss Virginia Divine of St. Jo, Missouri, accompanied her home to spend the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Jones came from Lawrence, Kansas, last week and are guests in the home of her brother, Harry Dumas of the Pickering Lumber Company. Mr. and Mrs. Dumas are also enjoying a visit from his father, W. F. Dumas, of St. Joe, Missouri.

Mrs. Earl Printz and her two fine sons, Earl Jr. and Chas., came from their home in Trinidad last week and are guests in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Ooley, at the Ooley Rooms, in Spearman.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry and little son Howard, left the latter part of last week for Colorado Springs, where Mrs. Perry and Howard will spend a goodly portion of the summer.

Miss Ida Sue Merriman and Miss Jeanita Bradstreet of Wheeler, Texas, are guests of Miss Roberta Addison this week.

## Bargain Subscription Rates

Bargain subscription rates are being featured by the Spearman Reporter. All subscriptions received by Saturday night, June 30 will be taken at the reduced rate of \$1.50 a year instead of \$2.00 per year.

Look up your subscription and if it expires within the next few months, it will mean money to you to take advantage of this reduced rate. The new owners of the Reporter want to extend the subscription list and also to get all old subscribers to renew their subscriptions.

Tell your friends about the bargain rates. Some of your friends should be taking The Reporter, and the reduced rate may induce them to subscribe.

The Reporter makes an ideal gift at any time of the year. Possibly you have relatives who would like to read the news of Spearman and Hansford county. A weekly letter cannot begin to tell of the happenings. Let The Reporter tell the general news, and write only the personal items concerning your family.

Remember that you must take advantage of the bargain rates by Saturday night, June 30. Mail or bring your subscription to The Reporter.

## MRS. J. T. ROBBETT HONORED WITH BUNCO PARTY

Last Friday evening, June 22, Mrs. J. T. Robbett, mother of Mrs. John D. Duncan, who is visiting here from Columbia, Missouri, was the guest of honor at a Bunco party given by Mrs. W. S. McNabb at her home in Spearman. After several hours spent in the interesting game, the scores were counted. Mrs. Robbett (Please turn to page ten.)



## Two Women Captured by Indians Guests of Hobart

District Judge W. R. Ewing, Commissioner J. A. Mead, and Mrs. Olive K. Dixon were guests of T. D. Hobart Sunday at his ranch in the Washita river, when several pioneers of the Panhandle visited the historical spot of Camp Miles.

The Honor guests of the occasion were Mrs. Sophia Feldman of Humboldt, Nebraska, and Mrs. Adelaide German Andrews of Bern, Kansas, who as little girls were captured by the Indians on September 11, 1874. Mrs. Andrews, then 5 years old, and another sister, Julia, were the first left behind by an Indian band which murdered their parents. The girls, 5 and 7 years old, lived on the plains of Kansas for six weeks, eating roots, hackberries, and grains of corn found at places where soldiers had camped. After being carried off by the Cheyennes to the Panhandle, they were rescued November 8, 1874. Pursued, the Indians abandoned the girls, who were taken by Lieut. Frank Baldwin and his command to General Miles' camp on the Washita, in Hemphill county.

Mrs. Feldman and an older sister Catherine, had been carried off by a band which soldiers were not able to catch. They were rescued the following March, when the Indians grew tired of being pursued and were near starvation.

Mr. Hobart arranged his party composed of Mrs. Feldman and Mr. Clarence Andrews of Borger (son of Mrs. Andrews) Miss Hattie M. Anderson and J. Evetts Haley of the West Texas Teachers College, Olin Hinkle, of the Pampa Daily News, Clinton Henry of the J. A. ranch, J. S. Wayne, and himself, left Pampa for Miami.

After reaching this city the group saw with interest the relic collection belonging to J. A. Mead and the Boy Scouts, Mr. Mead a Panhandle resident since '84, and Mrs. Olive K. Dixon, wife of the famous scout, Billy Dixon, joined the party as it left for the Hobart ranch south of Canadian.

There Mrs. Andrews saw with interest the site of Gen. Nelson A. Miles' camp, to which she was taken after being rescued by the soldiers. She was 5 years old at the time, and now can remember little of the experience. Mrs. Feldman was carried away to the Panhandle into New Mexico when the Indians were pursued, recalled the general lay of the country. The Miles' camp was within a stone's throw of the elegant Hobart ranch home, now occupied by Fred Hobart. A 50-foot bluff below the camp afforded excellent protection for the horses and under its brow the guard house was located. Still visible are depressions believed to be the cellars over which the soldiers placed their tents to escape the bitter northers which swept over the hillside. A plum thicket now covers part of the site, but by digging in the soft earth bits of glass and tinware may be found.

Before lunch time the party was joined by Sheriff "Skillity" Bill Johnson of Hemphill county and County Judge O. R. McMordie of the same county, both of Canadian, and Judge W. R. Ewing, of Miami, who presides over the 31st district court. Mr. Hobart, assisted by Walter McLaren of the ranch, who himself has been a resident of the Plains since '87, spread a delicious lunch upon the lawn. Tales of frontier days, told in the typically humorous manner of the plainsman, enlivened the meal.

Southwest of the Hobart ranch is the site of the famous Buffalo Wallow battle with the Indians. The entire party motored to this place, which is in the corner of a corn field. An acre of ground including the site was donated to the Historical Society of the Panhandle-Plains, of which Mr. Hobart is president. A heavy monument is erected on the site by the society, where theembattled white men fought for their lives. The

monument bears this inscription:

**Defeated 125 Indians**  
Here, on September 12, 1874, two scouts and four soldiers defeated 125 Kiowa and Comanche Indians. Scouts: William Dixon, Amas Chapman. Soldiers: Ser. Z. T. Woodall, Co. I; Peter Rath, Co. A; John Harring, Co. H; Geo. W. Smith, Co. M., 6th Cavalry.  
"Stand silent; heroes here have been, who cleared the way for other men."

'Erected by the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, September 12, 1925. This site marked under direction of J. J. Long, Mobeetie, Texas, Mrs. William Dixon, Miami, Texas.'

Enroute back to Miami, the party stopped at the home place of "Cap" Arrington, where all enjoyed a visit with Mrs. Arrington and daughters. At Miami, the group stopped for refreshments and its members divided, to go to their homes.—Olin E. Hinkle, in Pampa Daily News.

### WOULD DRAFT VOTER WHO IGNORED BALLOT

Drafting voters on election days in the United States is suggested as of equal importance with drafting soldiers in national emergencies, in an interview given The American Magazine by General John J. Pershing.

The commanding general of the American forces in France is doing the following things, and advocating the following policies by the people of the United States, as his part toward making the 1928 elections a really white step ahead for this country:

1. Attempting to arouse all the thousands of people he can reach with the importance of taking part in the government of their country, state, city or town.
2. Urging attendance of caucuses, registration and voting in all elections.
3. Impressing people with importance of election interest in promoting national defense.
4. Stimulation of interest in improved understanding of foreign peoples and countries and preparedness without militaristic policy.

Scratch pads at Reporter office.

### PURE CARELESSNESS CAUSES MOST ACCIDENTS

Ninety per cent of all industrial, home, streets and highway accidents are from trivial causes.

"Major violations of the law and spectacular acts of criminal negligence produce but a small fraction of the total number and injuries that occur annually," declared Marcus A. Dow, eminent safety engineer.

"Boards left lying on factory floors with nails sticking up in them have caused more serious injuries than boiler explosions. In private homes, more people are killed and seriously hurt by falling down stairs than are killed and injured in fires.

"The majority of street accidents are caused by little acts of thoughtlessness rather than by drunkenness or other violations of the law in driving automobiles."

A careful analysis of street and highway accidents shows that about 15 per cent are caused by backing up carelessly to get out of parking places. Failure to get under proper control when approaching street intersections causes another 15 per cent. Following too closely behind a vehicle to allow braking distance accounts for 12 per cent of accidents. Improper signaling causes 10 per cent, and skidding eight per cent. Miscellaneous small acts of neglect cause 30 per cent, while drunkenness and other violations of the law cause only 10 per cent of accidents.

### KNOW TEXAS

Col. Oscar Fogg of New York, president of the American Gas Association, says: "The cities of Texas are a living example of the day when all American cities will be smokeless because they can do it better with gas." Colonel Fogg was struck by the clear atmosphere of Dallas when he attended the recent gas convention.

The Texas spinach crop amounts to almost \$4,000,000 a year.

About 52,000,000 acres of public lands of Texas have been appropriated for public school purposes in this state.

The permanent school fund of Texas amounts to about \$76,000,000.

Another thing the ultimate consumer pays without realizing it is the salary of the bill collector.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Scratch pads at Reporter office.

### TURNING TO THE FARM

Criminologists seem to be turning to the use of the farm in their efforts to solve the crime question. It is beginning to be generally recognized that the wholesale farm atmosphere is not a breeding place of criminals. There are 15 boys at Berkshire Industrial Farm who have been salvaged from the slums of New York or from disrupted homes. These boys, who defied authority, committed lawless acts and gave indications that they would grow up to be thieves and thugs, have been sent to the farm to get their bearings in life. After several years at the farm, these "hopeless" boys have learned a trade and are equipped for life. They are kept from landing in the reform schools and are made good citizens.

It seems to us that this is about the best plan yet devised for dealing with the "problem boy," and that it should be universally adopted. It seems to present a modern and intelligent attack on crime.

This method of handling juvenile delinquency is more frequent in the big city than in the smaller towns.

### HIS SIMPLE QUERY

A certain gentleman who bought a house as close to the railroad station as he could possibly get it soon repented of his choice.

The following is a letter he wrote to the railway company complaining about the noise made by shunting operations throughout the night:

"Gentlemen, why must your engines ding and dong and fizz and spit and pant and grate and grind and puff and bump and chug and hoot and toot and whistle and wheeze and jar and jerk and snarl and slam and throb and roar and rattle and yell and smoke and smell and shriek all the night long?"

### UNCLE EBEN

"A man kin be good on Sunday," said Uncle Eben, "cause most folks is stayin' home. De other six days is de ones dat tests his regular righteousness."—Washington Star.

Give war enough gas and it may asphyxiate itself.—Brooklyn Eagle.

### T. O. JAMES

Surveyor and Engineer

Licensed State Land Surveyor

Office with McNabb Land Co.

Spearman, Texas

### DOWN THROUGH THE AGES

Although the death rate from automobile accidents shows an increase each month from government reports, yet there is another form of accident that takes an even heavier toll due largely to carelessness.

This form of accident has been handed down from the ages, and is just the ordinary every-day tumble or fall. Statistics show that the commonplace fall kills 3,000 more people every year than does the automobile.

It has been discovered that nearly 15,000 persons are killed annually in the United States by falls of various sorts and that most of them are the result of slipping on floors and stumbling on stairs of buildings.

Falling out of the cherry tree has always been regarded as the prerogative of every healthful boy. None of us ever looked upon a fall as anything serious—just an every-day occurrence.

But one-fifth of the total number of accidental deaths from all causes is due to falls.

Of course, that refers to falls which gravity figures.

There are all sorts of falls. Men fall down from their high estates, sometimes. It is not necessarily fatal, but frequently is.

Many fall in their own estimation and often try self-destruction. Men fall in the estimation of others and it is not always due to an accident.

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### SAND AND GRAVEL

I have sand and gravel for sale good building material, new price \$2.20 per yard delivered. See JOE SOLLERS 2814.

## Pre-Fourth of July Sale of SILK DRESSES

—in the latest styles and newest materials.

BEGINNING JUNE 29;  
ENDING JULY 3, INCLUSIVE

\$24.75 dresses, sale price . \$21.75

\$18.75 Janet Walker, sale price

..... \$15.75

\$16.50 Dresses, sale price

\$12.75 and 10.75

\$10.75 Dresses, sale price . . \$9.75

\$6.75 Dresses, sale price . . . \$5.65

Misses Pongee and Crepe de Chine

Dresses, \$3.75 and . . . . . \$2.75

Hats, up to \$7.50, sale price, \$3.95

Hats up to \$4.95 . . . . . \$2.95

CHICKEN HATS and NOVELTY

FOOTWEAR for this Sale



Spearman Dry Goods Co.

"The Store of Better Values"

DO YOU WANT TO—

## Sell Your Farm?

IF SO, FOR QUICK RESULTS, LIST WITH US

WE SELL 'EM!

Buyers coming in every day. We have a force of salesmen working in all parts of the country. List with us to-day.

## McNabb Land Company

SPEARMAN AND GRUVER, TEXAS

Whitney

## "Point Setter"

## SHIRTS

—Collar Patented—the points do not curl up.

—Perfect fitting—seven button front—Quality material—cuffs custom cut.

The chance to buy shirts of quality and tailoring equal to these at the prices we are quoting, is far from an every-day opportunity. Ties are equally good bargains.

TIES 75c to \$1.50  
SHIRTS \$1.25 to \$3.50

## C. & L. Clothiers

Everything Men Wear

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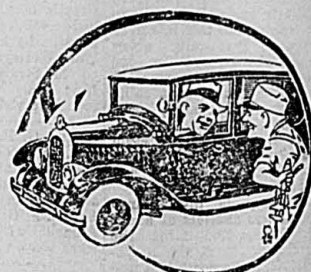
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## Candidate for District Attorney 31st Judicial District

In this issue of the Reporter appears the announcement of District Attorney Clifford Braly, as a candidate for the office, subject to the Democratic primary, July 28, 1928.

Mr. Braly was appointed to the office of District Attorney of the 31st judicial district by Governor Moody, upon the resignation of J. A. Holmes of Miami, and the creation of the new 84th judicial district, which blankets the 31st judicial district.

Judge Braly was born on the farm in Milam county, Texas, and remained on the farm until 17 year of age, attending the country schools. He attended Commercial Department of Patterson's Institute at Hillsboro, Texas, in the fall of 1898; studied law at the University of Virginia and the University of Texas, paying all of his own expenses from savings while working as a clerk in both the Attorney General's Dept. and Treasury Department of Texas at Austin.

District attorney Braly represented Milam and Robertson counties, Texas in the 30th Legislature of Texas, where he was author of the "Braly Substitute Elementary Agriculture Bill," which became a law.

In September, 1907, he moved to Amarillo, Texas, and there resided and practiced law until July, 1909, when he removed to Dalhart, Texas, continuing to engage in the general practice of law.

Judge Braly served the people as District Attorney of the 69th judicial district of Texas composed of the counties of Dallam, Sherman, Moore, Hartley, Oldham, Deaf Smith, and Parmer for several consecutive terms voluntarily retiring as District Attorney of said 69th district on December, 1926, to again enter the general practice of law.

He removed to Panhandle, Texas, in April, 1927.

Without being an applicant and without solicitation upon his part, Mr. Braly was appointed by Governor Dan Moody as District Attorney of the 31st Judicial District, (Judge W. R. Ewing's court), about the first of May, 1927, and has since been actively engaged and vigorously performing the duties of the office. He has filled the office of district attorney in the 31st judicial district to the entire satisfaction of all concerned and his many friends over

the 31st and 84th districts are desirous that he be duly elected for his first term by the voters in the July primaries. His official record he speaks for him the honor of being elected to the office which he seeks. Mr. Braly believes in no favoritism, but a fair and vigorous prosecution of violations of all laws. If elected, he promises fairness and diligence in the performance of his official duties in the future as in the past.

The Reporter asks the men and women voters of Hansford county to consider well the candidacy of this public official who is seeking election for first term, when you cast your ballot in the July Primary.

Mr. Braly will appreciate your influence and support in his behalf as a candidate for the above office.

### CO-OPERATION

Said a wise old bee at the close of the day, "This colony business does not pay."

"I put my honey in that old hive that others there may eat and thive. I do more work in a day by gee, than some of the other fellows do in three."

"I toil and worry and save and hoard, and all I get is my room and board."

"It's me for a hive I can run myself, and me for the sweets of my hard-earned self."

So the old bee flew to a meadow lone and started a business of his own. He gave no thought to the buzzing clan, but all intent, on his selfish plan, he lived the life of a hermit free. "Ah, this is great," said the wise old bee.

But the summer waned and the days grew drear, and the old bee, wailed as he dropped a tear; for the varmints boggled his little store, and his wax played out and his heart was sore. So he winged his way to the old home band, and took his meals at the Helping Hand.

Alone our work is of little worth; together we are lords of earth, so its all for each and its each for all, united we stand, and divided we fall. —The Journal of Commerce.

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## PEDDLER GETS CASH THEN SKIPS OUT COLLECTS MONEY FOR ORDERS BUT FAILS TO DELIVER GOODS

Several Dalhart people are convinced that a stranger's word is not always good. A picture peddler took orders from some women, and Tuesday evening called upon them and collected for the pictures, promising to deliver them early Wednesday morning.

Tuesday night L. O. Carr saw the peddler at the De Soto hotel, getting ready to leave town, so he notified the officers, but before Mr. Carr and Mr. Alexander got back to the hotel, the peddler had driven away. He was reported seen on the highway to Amarillo about 11 o'clock Tuesday night, and Amarillo officers were notified to watch for him. It is thought he likely turned off the highway before reaching Amarillo and it is doubtful if peddler, pictures or money are ever heard of again. — Dalhart, Texan.

### REAL GOOD ADVICE

The hail storm may check the agons who are selling every thing from socket sets to oil stock. They have been about as thick as blister bugs in a potato patch and about as destructive to the prosperity of a community. If a home merchant should pull off some of the raw deals that they do he would be run out of the country. Beware of this high-powered salesmanship. You buy today and repent tomorrow. They have your note (which you thought was just a friendly contract) and some other fellow will come along and collect it.—Booker News.

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## CHILD PSYCHOLOGY SEEN AS MEANS TO MATURITY

Moods, temper and misfortunes of grownups may one day be greatly reduced by means of closer study of child psychology.

Believing that thousands of persons who to all outward appearances are well past the legal age are, in many respects, far from the age of maturity. Anne Bryan McCall who for many years has advised with writers to the Woman's Home Companion, urges greater attention to child psychology in her article in the June issue of that magazine. Seldom, says the writer, is a man or a woman today possessed of full rounded maturity, and when this quality appears in its most complete form it is a sign of greatness. She cites Lincoln, Keats and Lindberg as among outstanding world characters who has displayed this maturity.

"Those people whom we feel like protecting," says the writer, "are usually not full mature men and women. A study and understanding of child psychology is needed today, not only as a means of dealing with children but because it is of such a tremendous help in understanding our older selves. Most people who remain immature do so because they have not the slightest idea of what a marvelous and enriching and beautiful a thing maturity really is."

Moodiness, displays of temper and other childish traits are exhibited by the individual today to the extent that that individual lacks maturity, says the writer.

### MORE MILK FROM SMALLER DAIRY HERDS

A decrease in number of cattle in Texas dairy herds, yet an increase of milk and butter-fat to the extent of 2 per cent in the past five years is the result of concentrated effort on the part of dairy owners to improve the quality of their stock and thereby increase production, and at

the same time cut feed bills almost in half.

West Texas today is taking a greater interest than ever before in stock breeding, and it is well. The sooner every owner of any number of cattle realizes the importance of raising only purebred stock from a milk-producing strain, the sooner will they begin cashing in on profits that have been only in their dreams in the past.

Many communities have organized bull circles, one of the most economical ways of improving the quality of herds that are purebred yet have much room for improvement in the matter of production. At Tullia, a bull circle was organized, a registered bull purchased for \$300 with money pooled by the twelve members of the circle. When a member moved away or for any reason wanted to drop out, it was an easy matter for him to sell his interest, as soon there were many wanting to get into the organization. Today but four of the

original members are in the circle, but others have taken their place and they are well pleased with the result of their experiment. Now, bull circles are no longer experiments, but are to be found in many well-to-do, prosperous communities.

In a few minutes time the entire home can be freed of mosquitoes. With an improved FLY-TOX Hand Sprayer, spray FLY-TOX directly toward the ceiling, also on the draperies, in the closets and on the screens. It will not leave a stain on the most delicate of wallpapers, hangings or fabrics. Spray upwards until all parts of the room are filled with the finely atomized spray. Within a few minutes all the mosquitoes in the room are dead, whether the windows are opened or closed. In addition to being stainless, FLY-TOX is fragrant, is absolutely harmless to people but sure death to all household insects. Every bottle guaranteed.—Adv.

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Take care of your cows these few weeks through harvest, and they will care for you the year or years till the next harvest.

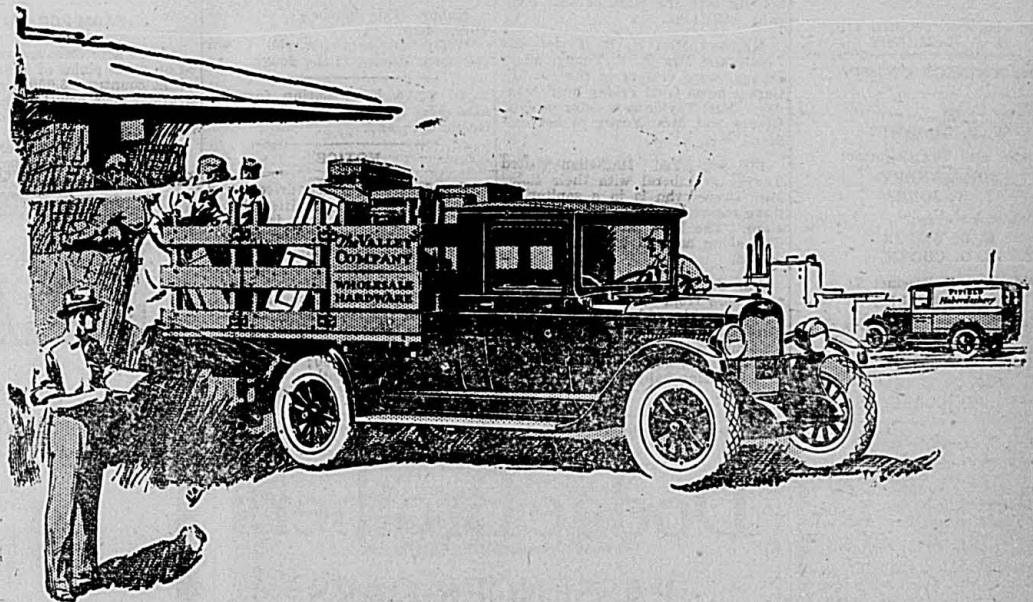
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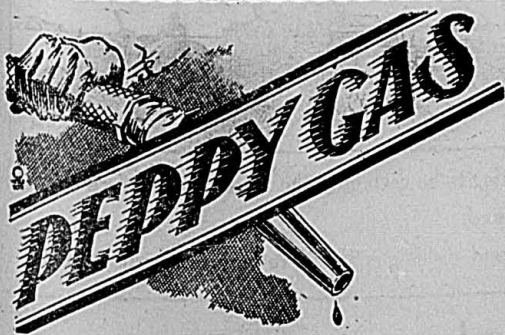
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JOE CLOSE

Service on incoming freight on the Santa Fe is nothing to write home about these days. The Reporter had a shipment of paper billed out of Topeka on Saturday of last week. It had not been received at this writing, Wednesday night. We know a Spearman merchant who had a shipment of goods billed out of St. Louis on the 15th inst., which was received on the 25th inst. If the Santa Fe does not move the wheat out faster than they move freight in, it will take this big concern five years to move the present wheat crop.

Again we call our readers attention to the danger of buying from transient salesmen, peddlers, house to house canvassers, and what-not. You can not expect a square deal from these people, and the best method is to deal with your home merchant. The town and country are overrun with grafters. They know their game; you are to busy to give the matter of buying the attention you should give it. You will be "skinned" every time you make a deal with one of them. You may think you are doing better than you possibly could do with your home merchant, but you are not. The result is certain and inevitable—you will be "skinned." That's a fact.

#### THE IMMORALITY OF WASTE

We certainly need to consider more carefully the sheer immorality of waste. And a good text for a sure-enough sermon on that subject might be found in that passage in the New Testament in which Christ, after feeding the five thousand, commanded His disciples:

"Gather up the fragments that remain, that nothing be lost."

What a stupendous lesson that picture presents! The Master of Life, with the power of creation and multiplication at His bidding, having just multiplied the loaves and fishes in an apparently limitless way, was yet careful "that nothing be lost." The necessity for economy, the immorality of waste were never better illustrated. The fragments that were taken up could possibly have been used only for feeding the farm animals and fowls and yet the Master took pains to direct that all be saved, "that nothing be lost."

Here in America we need to develop more fully the Japanese feeling as to the immortality of waste,

"the regard that is due every product of human labor as being in itself in some sense human or atrob with the blood of the toiler who has wrought it and moist with the sweat of his brow." For example, the Japanese Emperor Iyeyasu was found one day smoothing out an old silk kakama. "I am doing this," he said, "not because of the worth of the garment itself but because of what it needed to produce it. It is the result of the toil of some poor woman, and that is why I value it. If we do not think while using these things of the toil and effort required to produce them, then our want of consideration puts us on a level with the beasts."

Here in the United States we have not yet gotten this conception of things. We are a wasteful people. Except for our New Englanders and our generally thrifty foreign-born population, we are probably the most wasteful people on earth.

We need more thrift in matters of money—need to remember James J. Hill's declaration that unless you can save money, "the seed of success is not in you," but we also need to remember that it is just as important to save things as it is to save money, for unless we save things we shall not have money to save.—The Progressive Farmer.

Miss Mildred Ward was shopping and visiting in town Wednesday.

W. G. Spivey was in from Lakeside Tuesday and was a pleasant caller at this office.

Mrs. J. P. Gossit and son Hollis were up from the Turkey Track ranch Tuesday attending to business matters and trading.

Mrs. O. C. Rancey and daughter Miss Bernice and Miss Lena Black visited in Amarillo and Lockney from Monday until Thursday of this week.

Frank Stone, who has been working for the Panhandle Lumber company, became ill with the flu and returned to his home at Canadian Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Herrod have arrived in Spearman recently and will make their home here for the time being. Mr. Herrod is working at the Inland Utility Company. Mrs. Herrod is a sister of Mrs. Edd Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trower returned to Oil City Tuesday where Mr. Trower is connected with the Panhandle Lumber company. He was helping with the work of that company while here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Taylor and family and Mrs. E. F. Young, all of Pampa, were visitors in the J. E. Gerber home from Friday until Monday. Mrs. Taylor is a sister of Mrs. Gerber and Mrs. Young is her mother.

Bill and Ted McClellan visited Sunday in Liberal with their sister Miss Orene who is in a sanitarium there recovering from a recent operation. The boys said she was getting along as well as could be expected.

Jim Goad and Brigham Young were here from Wheeler Tuesday, visiting with old friends. Both gentlemen are barbers and former residents of this town. Mr. Goad informs us that he is the proud father of a bouncing baby girl, born on the 17th inst.

Mrs. Viola Davidson and Wm. J. Whitson spent Sunday visiting in Guymon.

Mrs. J. E. Gerber and Mrs. C. H. Ging were Perryton visitors last Wednesday.

Mrs. Jimmie Davis and children spent the week end visiting with Mrs. A. M. Black of Booker.

Mrs. Albert Burran and son Jimmie are here from Chickasha, Oklahoma, this week visiting in the R. E. Burran home.

Miss Marjorie McCloy and Miss Virginia Divine were in town Monday from the Lieb community shopping and visiting.

Mrs. W. S. McNabb and Mrs. Viola Davidson and daughter Miss Anna Carol and son Craig, were visitors to Borger last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Board and little daughter Billie, were in from their home west and south of town Wednesday, attending to business and visiting.

Mrs. W. H. McGreevy arrived from Carmen, Oklahoma, this week for a several weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. R. V. Converse, and with friends in this community.

Arnold Cheelsman of the Norfolk and Western Railroad, Roanoke, Virginia, with his wife, mother and daughter, arrived Wednesday of this week for a few days visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Converse. Mr. Cheelsman purchased a quarter section of land five miles south of Perryton, Texas in 1921 through his cousin, Mrs. W. H. McGreevy. This is the first visit Mr. Cheelsman has made to his farm, which greets him dressed in golden wheat estimated at 28 bushels per acre. The party will take the stage through Borger to Amarillo Friday.

#### KEEPING AHEAD

"Great improvements are constantly being made in machinery and equipment. The most efficient concerns are those which are quick to adopt proved labor-saving devices, so that they may profit from even slight reductions in cost. Unless the buyer keeps on the watch for all inventions and developments which might conceivably improve the efficiency of his concern, he is not performing one of the important functions of his job."—E. A. Filene in the Magazine of Business.

Hubby—This blueberry pie looks queer, dear.  
Wifey—Oh honey, maybe I put too much blueing in the dough.

All \$2.75 hose, during four-day sale only, at \$2.25. Spearman Dry Goods Company.

#### NOTICE

Threshermen, truck drivers and all others, are hereby notified that a standing reward of \$200 is offered for the arrest and conviction of anyone guilty of doing damage to the H. & H. Telephone Company lines in Hansford and Hutchinson counties. Damaging this phone line is a violation of the law, and guilty parties will be severely prosecuted. The penalty is a fine of not less than \$100 nor more than \$1,000; one to five years in prison, or both. 29t1p.  
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#### A. A. WILL MEET

The Alumni Association will hold its regular meet Friday night, June 29, at the high school study hall at 8:00 o'clock. Some important business is to be taken care of and it is necessary that all members, both old and new, be present.

#### LAND WANTED

Three to five sections of smooth land. Will pay cash. Give price, location and description.  
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#### LOST

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#### NOTICE A. F. A. M.

Regular meeting Hansford Lodge No. 1040 A. F. & A. M. on Saturday June 30, 8:30 p. m.  
L. M. BUCHNER, W. M.

#### NO FISHING OR HUNTING

Fishermen and hunters especially, and all trespassers in general, are hereby warned that fishing and hunting will not be allowed in the J. I. Steele pastures, on the Palo Duro north of Spearman. These lands will be posted and trespassers will be prosecuted. Do not fish or hunt on these lands.  
J. A. WHITTENBERG JR., Lessee.  
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#### NOTICE TO TRESPASSERS

Positively no hunting, fishing or camping will be allowed on any of the Jos. W. Jones pastures on the Palo Duro west of town. These lands will be posted and no trespassing of any kind will be allowed. So, trespassers will please take notice and avoid trouble, as all offenders will be prosecuted.

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**TIRES OF TODAY BADLY PUNISHED**

Few motorists appreciate how much "punishment" the automobile of today is called upon to take, says N. L. Beck of the Beck Motor Company, local Firestone Service Dealer.

When considering the service of tires today it must be remembered that changes have taken place that greatly affect tread wear.

Congested traffic has necessitated stop signals, traffic lights and other methods of traffic control. High compression motors with rapid acceleration enable the car driver to make quick starts. Powerful 4-wheel brakes enable him to make sudden stops. In the country, improved roads are responsible for higher speeds. Speed, quick starts and sudden stops all cause faster tread wear.

These changed conditions in car operation throw a burden on tires that manifests itself in forms of tread wear unknown in the past.

During periods of rain, snow or ice, uncertain traction changes the driving habits of many car owners. They reduce their speed, start slowly and come to a stop gradually. The result is slower tread wear. This explains why, in northern latitudes, tire wear is more rapid in summer than in winter.

The manufacturer can control, with scientific accuracy, the compounding, curing and construction of tires but he cannot control the conditions under which these tires are used.

**MILLING VALUE OF WHEAT**

Preventable factors that lower the milling value of wheat cost American wheat growers millions of dollars a year. Four of these factors—smut, dockage, foreign materials other than dockage, and garlic—have been increasingly prevalent in the last eight years. Grain inspection statistics, says the United States department of agriculture, show that a large proportion of the wheat shipped from country points to terminal markets and inspected and graded under the United States grain standards act fails to meet the requirements for the best grade. In 1928, for example, 59.8 per cent of the wheat inspected did not meet the grade requirements of No. 1 wheat. Many of the shipments, besides being graded below No. 1, were designated as weevily, smutty, garlicky, and treated, carried dockage notation.

Conditions that lower the milling value of wheat are often controllable. This is particularly true of garlic, smut, dockage, and foreign material other than dockage. Garlic can be eradicated by the planting of clean seed and the use of proper methods of crop rotation and cultivation. Smut can be prevented by treating the seed with chemicals; yet it is apparently increasing. It lowers the market value of wheat considerably owing to the difficulty of removing it and because it has a possibly harmful effect on the flour. Market discounts for smutty wheat usually range from a few cents to 20 cents or more a bushel.

Dockage likewise has in general been increasing in recent years, although the remedy for the trouble is largely in the hands of the farmer. In wheat grading the term dockage is applied to weed seeds and other foreign material that can be readily removed by sieving and screening. As it is taken out before the wheat is milled, it does not affect the baking quality of flour. Its chief effect is on the producer's pocket book. Dockage adds to the cost of harvesting, threshing and handling and transporting wheat without increasing its commercial value. Its removal on the farm would add millions a year to the wheat growers' income. As dockage may be fed to livestock, the farmer has an additional inducement to remove it before shipping his wheat to market. It is particularly costly item in the spring wheat area, and the most effective preventive means of dealing with this problem is to sow clean seed wheat and to retard or prevent the production of weeds by appropriate cultural methods.

High moisture content, an important grading factor, can often be prevented by care in harvesting and threshing. The moisture content of wheat at as marketed depends usually on the maturity of the wheat, the weather conditions under which it was harvested and in the period between harvesting and threshing, and on the extent and manner in which it was exposed to these conditions. Its importance as a grading factor results primarily from the influence of moisture on the keeping quality of grain. It also has a direct relation to the food value of wheat which is directly proportioned to its content of dry matter.

Various forms of damage to wheat which seriously affect its milling and baking quality can be lessened by careful harvesting and storing. Appreciable quantities of damage, in fact, are nearly always the direct result of careless or improper handling. Three degrees of damage are recog-

nized in the United States standards for wheat—heat damage, damage other than heat, and distinctly low quality. Damaged kernels include sprouted, frosted, scabby, blighted, bleached, weathered, fungus infected, moldy weevil cut, and heat damaged kernels. These defects, says the department are in a high degree preventable.

**WHAT IS MONEY FOR?**

A certain manufacturer visited Los Angeles last week, seeking financial assistance for his corporation. To assure investors that their money would be safe and yield dividends, he made the following statement: "We have to fix our profits in advance, or we should not be able to pay our charges. Unless we can calculate on the basis of a certain output and certain profit, we should have to go out of business." His statement was perfectly frank and sincere, but he was trying to drive the cart in front of the horse. He is setting out to gain, whether or not, a certain profit, instead of setting out to render a certain service—and let the profit take care of itself. Profit is the inevitable conclusion of work well done. Money is simply a commodity which we need just as bread and water. If money be otherwise regarded, great difficulties are inevitable, for then money gets itself ahead of service and a business that does not serve has no place in our community. The Milington (Calif.) Press.

During the leisurely progress of one of the recent wars in China one had a general captured. The army which had lost the general volunteered to exchange four majors for him. The suggestion was declined. "Well," offered the negotiating officer, "we'll exchange four majors and four captains for him." "No," replied the representative of the other side; "my instructions are that we cannot return your general for anything less than a dozen cans of condensed milk."

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Dick and Garland Derrick were visitors to Perryton and Jines Springs Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rodgers and daughter Miss Mable and son Tiny, were in from the Holt community Monday afternoon attending to business matters and shopping.

R. L. Richardson came from Kansas City the latter part of last week and will visit indefinitely in the home of his daughter, Mrs. E. B. Dodson.

J. E. Tandy, housemover is in Perryton this week on a housemoving job. He will be back to Spearman next week ready for any business in this line.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Thompson arrived from Lockney the latter part of last week and are guests in the home of their son, Walter Thompson, near Spearman.

J. C., the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller, who live 16 miles northwest of town, had his tonsils and adenoids removed by Dr. Powell, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist, last Wednesday.

Mrs. J. R. Collard and children, Miss Harriet Ann and George, came the latter part of last week from Amarillo and will spend the summer here with Mr. Collard. John R. Jr., came over several weeks ago.

A tramp printer, (wandering Willie), hit town and the office of the Chief yesterday, seeking work or the price of a "feed." This is rather an unusual occurrence in this day and time, as the old time printer is rapidly fading out with modern machinery and expert craftsmen. However, we never turn one of the "boys" down in the way of a little loose change, sending them on their way to greener fields.—Miami Chief.

But there are no "greener fields" for those old boys of the stick and rule. There is only one or two hand-set papers in all north Texas and the entire southwest. It is the same over the entire United States. Their's is a trade made obsolete by modern machinery and expert craftsmen, as you say. And when us old timers who have served our term on the case are gone, the bum-print will disappear entirely. The new generation won't feed him. But as long as there remains one of the old boys who "set" ten-point 10 to 15 hours a day for \$18 per week, this peculiar genus will show up occasionally. Some of the best printers this writer ever worked with, just wouldn't "sit in there a pitch." They would hang on for a few days then wander on to another town; always looking for something, but they couldn't tell you what.

Scratch pads at Reporter office.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hays and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fuller were Berger visitors Sunday.

Mrs. W. A. Jordan of the Turkey Track ranch is a guest of Mrs. J. D. Hester this week.

Sam Herrod came from Crosbyton this week and is visiting in the home of his friend, J. P. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carson of Amarillo were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Gibner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Grundy came from their home in Estelina the latter part of last week and visited a couple of days with their old friends, Rev. and Mrs. O. M. Addison.

Mrs. L. O. Thompson returned to her home at Amarillo Saturday after visiting the week here with her daughter, Mrs. H. G. Hastings. Mrs. Hastings accompanied her home and visited over Sunday in Amarillo.

Miss Virginia Barkley, Charles Darnell and R. M. Clogston were visitors to Berger Sunday.

Grady Pearson was in from the Black community Monday morning attending to business matters.

Rev. O. M. Addison and daughter Miss Bernie, visited in Amarillo the first of the week.

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## Rock Island Will Be Ready to Handle This Year's Bumper Wheat Crop

Amarillo, Texas  
June 21st, 1928

The Spearman Reporter,  
Spearman, Texas.  
My dear Mr. Editor:

The rumor has reached me that propaganda is being spread over the north plains to the effect that the Rock Island Lines will not be able to handle wheat from Stinnett during the current grain harvest. I do not know who is responsible for such a report, but I do know that it is absolutely false.

One elevator is already completed at Stinnett and arrangements have been made to put in a number of portable elevators to take care of this year's grain crop. The Rock Island has stored at this time 25 per cent more grain cars than were available for the bumper crop of 1926 and such additional freight service as is necessary to take care of all shipments tendered, both grain and other classes of freight, will be inaugurated as the occasion demands.

We are anxious to co-operate with the farmers living in our territory on the north plains, as well as the farmers at other points on this railroad, and the past performance of the Rock Island in taking care of its shippers speaks for itself.

Thanking you very cordially for your co-operation and assuring you that I will appreciate any publicity you will give this matter, I beg to remain

Yours very truly,  
C. B. DAVIS,  
Division Freight Agent

The above letter from Mr. Davis speaks for itself. Incidentally, he failed to state that a 32,000 bushel elevator is under construction at Gruver, and that Morse is to have an elevator soon. These new Rock Island towns are developing along substantial lines and a little rumor will not hinder their growth. By the way, there will be another mighty good town between Gruver and the north state line. All of these towns are surrounded by the finest wheat land in the world and are bound to grow into important places. As the Reporter has often said, don't sell Hansford county short.

### PLOWS UP HUMAN SKELETON

Emmett Orcutt, son of L. E. Orcutt of near Wellmon, while plowing rather deep on a knoll in their field last week plowed up the skeleton of a human, presumably a man, from its size, one day last week, and brought the skull of it to town and it is now on exhibition at the court house. One side of the skull was either torn away by the lister, or it had rotted. He was only plowing 8 inches deep when the skeleton was found.

The location of the find was about four miles north of the old Dumas place, and about three hundred yards from the Orcutt place, on a small hill of hard land. This is in the south-east corner of section 20, block D.D.

Physicians who have examined the skull are of the opinion that it has been buried anywhere from 50 to 150 years, and that it belonged to a Mexican, from the fact that its feet were to the west and the head to the east. We understand that this is the way Catholics bury their dead. It also appears that it was an unusually large man, as the teeth seemed to not be badly worn or decayed and all seemed to be in place when buried. In measurement the bone from the elbow to the shoulder was some three inches longer than the ordinary man of the present day. Mr. Emmett Orcutt is an ordinary-

sized man, and he said it measured full three inches longer than the bone in his arm.  
Now this skull is still at the court house and all you "ologists" can now freely examine same and as freely make a "guess" about the matter.—Brownfield Herald.

### THOSE YOUNG PEOPLE

If the young men and women of Texas are an example of their age the country over, there is no reason for alarm about modern youth. That they have other thoughts than "wild parties" joy rides and pocket flasks has been made clear in Amarillo during the past week.

Six hundred young men and women, the most of them still in their teens, came from all parts of Texas to attend the annual convention of the Christian Endeavor union. Some of them drove from the Gulf region, 700 miles away. This in itself shows they are serious minded, have not shoved the church out of their lives; and they came here not for a lark, but to hear inspirational lectures and to learn more about the principles of right-living, right-thinking, and right-citizenship.

The alarmists are mistaken. As Congressman Marvin Jones so aptly remarked in his address to the delegates, the future of any nation is safe when it is in the hands of such splendid young men and women as those who have been Amarillo's guests the past five days.

If the impressions Amarillo leaves with the delegates are as favorable as Amerillo's memory of the upright, clean and vigorous thinking young people who have been here, this city has made many lasting friends throughout the entire state.—Amarillo Daily News.

The office Cynic's daily view on agriculture is that just as long as there are \$7,000,000 appropriations to fight cornborers, there will be cornborers.—Detroit News.

### NO HUNTING OR FISHING

Hunting and fishing are positively forbidden on my lands on the Palo Duro west of Spearman. Trespassing of any kind will not be allowed. These lands are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.  
24t12p. C. E. DEANER,  
Spearman, Texas.

### FIREPROOF BARN MAY CUT HUGE FIRE LOSSES

Savings of thousands of dollars in buildings and valuable cattle herds destroyed every year in the United States by disastrous fires may be accomplished in a few years by means of the fire proof barn, described in the June Farm and Fireside Magazine.

"Ancestral barns that can be passed on from father to son and on to the next generation are likely as a result of successful construction of such a fireproof barn at the Iowa State College Experiment Station," says the magazine.

"If this new type of barn proves as successful as it now appears to be, it will be possible to do this thing at an expense not exceeding the cost of frame construction by more than 25 to 50 percent." It continues.

"The new type barn is called a masonry arch barn, which is made entirely of masonry and with the upper story in the form of an arch. It is built with tile with reinforced concrete ribs in the roof. Since it is made entirely of masonry, there will be no expense in keeping it painted with the exception of the windows and door frames. Made of construction material that is non-combustible this building would retard a fire to such an extent as to prevent destruction and it would also enable livestock in it to be removed safely."

### SHALL WE MAKE THE MANY PAY FOR THE FEW

"It has been well said that compulsory automobile liability insurance is a misconceived effort to produce a worthy result," said Edson S. Lott, President of the United States Casualty Company, recently. "It is the conservation of life that is important, not the conservation of the dollar. Even if all we have in mind is the popular but erroneous thought that every time there is an automobile accident some person is solely at fault and should be compelled to pay the damage, we are far astray."

"According to the report of the committee on statistics of the recent National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, there were in the United States, in 1923 approximately 15,000,000 registered automobiles, and 600,000 fatal or more or less serious personal injuries due to automobile traffic.

But according to the best estimates available, roughly about 66 2-3 per cent of those automobile accidents are in some material degree the victims of their own folly, leaving only about 33 1-3 per cent (or 200,000)

in round numbers legally entitled to damages.

"And the number of motorists causing such injuries is still less. There is an average of about two injured persons per automobile accident. Consequently it appears that there were only some 100,000 motorists liable for these injuries to others, or only a little over six-tenths of one per cent of the total number of motorists."

"It is for the faults of this insignificant percentage of wrong-doers that compulsory security would penalize the remaining 14,900,000 motorists."

### UNPLEASANT FOR CRIMINALS

New York State leads the day in taking definite action to reduce crime. Instead of passing new laws and regulations to encroach upon the rights and privileges of law-abiding citizens, it passed the Baumes law in 1926, which automatically sentences a man convicted for the fourth time on committing a felony, to life imprisonment.

Naturally, there have been objections to this law because it has "teeth" in it, but if crime is to be reduced the number of criminals and potential criminals must also be reduced. There is no excuse for a man committing four crimes of a character to involve a penitentiary sentence. Why should the public be

subjected to the danger of meeting habitual criminals?

New York has taken a step in the right direction. It should be upheld in its program to catch the crook, keep him caught, hand him a fitting sentence, and see that he serves it.

Sentimental individuals claim that the criminal, but makes him hate society. This apparently has not been the case in New York. The certainty of life imprisonment for a fourth felony has stayed the hand of the hardened criminal. He thinks twice before sentencing himself under such a law.

What New York has done the rest of the country must do if it actually desires to overcome the criminal elements: make crime not only unprofitable but highly inconvenient and dangerous for the perpetrator.

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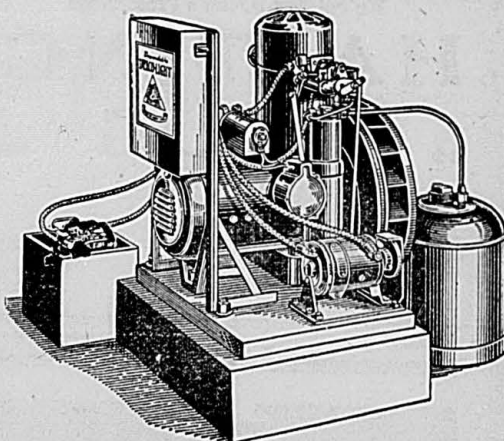
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# Should Be a Good American Every Day In the Year

On July 4th, 1776, just 152 years ago, the Declaration of Independence was signed. A small group of colonists, lovers of liberty, of democracy, of human rights, determined to wrest these rights from England or give their all in the attempt. It required the selfless courage to arrive at that determination, sacrifices freely given to carry it through. All are familiar with the manner in which these were made and the victory that was won. Yet this was but the beginning. Many problems confronted the young nation, countless difficulties had to be surmounted. Fortunately, the men who assumed leadership adhered closely to those broad principles laid down in the Declaration of Independence and guided the nation towards its destiny of power, prosperity and riches. From that small group of colonies there sprung one of the most prosperous and powerful countries of the world.

It is with pride and satisfaction that one is known as a citizen of the United States of America—a country that is known throughout the world as a land of freedom, equality and democracy. And in return for the many privileges afforded by such a citizenship everyone should undertake to perform efficiently and conscientiously the duties and responsibilities involved and take an interest in public and national affairs.

There are still many questions of vital importance to be decided and it is up to the people as a whole to see that these are handled wisely. For instance, it must be decided to what extent the policy of restrictive immigration will be carried, the best method of education, the administration of justice, the election of public officials, and others of like nature.

During the first year of the country's existence many were needed to till the soil and develop the resources. There were practically no restrictions upon immigration and they came from every land in large numbers. Naturally, the population increased swiftly. The people became amalgamated and there originated a distinctive American race. In the last two decades it has become apparent that unless measures were taken the country would be quickly overpopulated and the basic stock of America obliterated by aliens. Measures were taken to reduce the incoming number resulting at last in the passage of the restrictive immigration act of 1924. This limited the number to be admitted each year to about 160,000 and included also a national origin clause the purpose of which was to apportion the quota of each country according to the basic stock in the United States. It has been decided a practical feasible plan by these appointed to make investigation but yet its enactment has been delayed from year to year.

With millions of youth to educate the public schools have become one of the country's largest and most important industries—an industry the product of which is men; their qualities dependent to a large extent upon the efficiency with which the industry functions. The construction of the buildings, the right type of teacher and many questions relative to the schools are of vast importance to the nation. Yet there is no Department of Education, no direct representative of these millions of prospective citizens in the President's Cabinet.



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## THE REVOLT OF YOUTH

We must remember that evidences of unrest do not mean that youth in general is off the track in its inner purposes. Youth in its revolt is very much on the track. It is the adult, not youth, who is in the wrong. Dean Clarence W. Mendell, of Yale in an address in Sparague Memorial Hall remarked recently: "Disabuse your minds of the idea that the undergraduate of today is an unworthy son or grandson of your generation. He does better work. He is more intellectually and more brutally frank. He is more wise in the ways of the world. Along with most of us, he has changed his creed, and his religion, but he believes in justice, mercy and truth. It is time for us to realize that the post-war period of flagrant bad manners and despicable taste was a short-lived abnormality, and that we are today beginning to see the finer results of these years of painful stress and change."

To these words of understanding from an educator, we should add that it is time for us to put by our criticism of youth and our contention against its new spirit, and seek to help it. Whether we like it or not, youth is demanding a new order and will achieve it. If we do not assist it toward finer ways or release it may choose unworthy ones. The answer to the modern revolt is adult cooperation.—David Seabury in "Growing Into Life."

## KEEPING CUT FLOWERS

There is no great secret in the fact that some folks are able to keep cut flowers so much longer than others. It's simply in knowing how and any of you can do as well if you will just pay attention to a few little details.

In the first place most flowers seem to keep better if they are cut early in the morning before the dew is off

their petals. They absorb moisture and vitality all night and when you cut them early they are full of it and will last much better. Then the sooner you get them into water the better they will be.

Another thing, plunge the stems deep in the water as they will absorb that much better. If you are cutting such hardstemmed things as the Roses, Peonies, Chrysanthemums and similar things split the stems with a knife and inch or so up from the cut end. This will allow water to be absorbed much easier. After cutting flowers and placing them in water set them in a cool and preferably darkened place for a few hours. This may not always be possible, but it will help if you will do it. In cutting always cut on an angle and cutting with a knife is considered better than with snips unless the snips are very sharp. Dull snips crush the stems and so prevent them from taking water freely.

Cut flowers should never stand in a draught. This will make them wilt much faster than where there is no draught. Neither should they stand in the sun.

Sometimes when you are given some flowers and are not able to get them into the water till they have become apparently hopelessly wilted if you will try this it may help. Fill the vessel you are going to put them into with hot water, about as hot as you can stand having your hand in, and put your bouquet in this water. It will, many times revive when nothing else will bring it to. And don't forget to cut the stems every time when you bring flowers in from the garden.

## THE PASSING OF TRAINS

The president of one of the largest railroad systems in the country said the other day in a statement, that he would predict that no railroad would operate passenger trains five years from now. This line of business, he

predicts will be carried on by airplane.

The Pennsylvania system, it is announced, has already under contract a fleet of airplanes which they intend to begin using soon to replace trains on important points.

It has been predicted that the time is not far distant when planes will take the place of our transcontinental trains, with the flying time being sunrise to sunset of the same day,

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Last year there were 2,000 airplanes built at a cost of fourteen million dollars in this country, and figures for this year indicate a growth of large proportions that will break all expectations.

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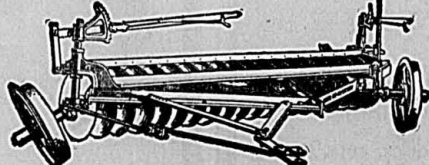


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BY WILL H. MAYES

## Seeing the Convention

A novel feature of the Democratic convention building in Houston is the walkway through the back of the hall elevated so that it affords a view of the hall, and through which those without convention seats are allowed to parade leisurely to obtain a view of a great convention in action.

This considerate arrangement is much appreciated by thousands of Texans who went to the convention as visitors, but in the hope of being privileged to look in on the delegates while at their work.

## "Looking For Losses"

The State Highway Department has called in the help of the Attorney General's Department, it is said in an effort to catch minor employees suspected of having cheated the State in the laying of road topping. The State pays contractors so much a square yard for laying topping a given thickness, and an inquiry is being conducted around the possibility that less than the agreed amount of composition has been laid.

Wherever there is a large expenditure of public funds, constant vigilance is necessary to secure a fair compliance with contracts. Many people seem to think there is little wrong in defrauding the Government if it can be done without too much danger of being caught.

## Fighting Orient Sale

This is a selfish old world—a greedy old world. Officials of the paper railroad from San Angelo are planning to oppose the purchase of the Orient by the Santa Fe on the ground that such purchase would decrease the revenue of the proposed road should it be built.

The claim is that the Orient, as an independent road, would be a feeder of the proposed new line, but that if acquired by the Santa Fe the business would go to that road.

## Citrus Industry Grows

That the citrus industry in the lower Rio Grande Valley is growing rapidly is shown in the estimates made by Federal officials that 2,500 cars will be required to handle next year's crops.

Statistics gathered show that the Southern Pacific and Missouri Pacific roads moved 1154 cars by freight in the last season and that 190 cars were shipped by express. In addition to this, the equivalent of 200 carloads, it is estimated, moved out of the Valley in trucks, mostly to points in Texas.

The expected increase for next season will come mostly from new orchards coming into bearing and from the complete recovery of the trees from the damaging freeze of two years ago.

## Volunteer Cotton

The first bale of cotton for the year in Texas was from San Juan, but was said to be "volunteer cotton" grown from the stubble of old cotton left in the field from the previous year. Even so it was only a day ahead of that which was produced from this year's planting in the Brownsville section.

However produced, first bales are merely announcements to the world that the Texas cotton crop for the year is on the way to market, and

that as a consequence an era of business activity and prosperity may be expected.

## Profitable Touring

Farmers of the Winter Garden District, finding a little leisure time, propose a huge caravan to visit the irrigated sections of West Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and California, to study irrigation and diversified farming as practiced in the localities to be visited.

In California they will make a special study of the citrus industry and grape culture, and dairing and poultry raising as well.

In this, there is a suggestion to farmers in other parts of the state. Instead of spending vacation periods following the laying by of crops in doing nothing or in purposeless tours why not organize parties having similar interests and make a study of these interests as handled in other sections of this and other states.

## That "Etex" Label

East Texas makers and growers of worthwhile products are beginning to see the value of the "Etex" label that is used to indicate that the products are up to the high standard required by the East Texas Chamber of Commerce on products put out by those licensed to use the label. Numerous letters of inquiry are being received from all over the country in regard to the label, and there is an increased demand for goods bearing it.

## Chain Stores Increase

Chain stores are increasing in numbers and in the amount of business done. They are spreading from the cities and towns to the smallest villages and are handling almost all kinds of merchandise. It is a trend in modern business that must be met by merchants everywhere. A new chain of grocery and meat stores to operate in the Southwest and to be known as the Southwest Stores has been announced. Its plans are to do a \$6,000,000 business the first year.

## Truck Growers Co-operate

Starting with a small local organization formed by a local teacher of vocational agriculture last year, Denison truck growers have found organized marketing so helpful that the membership has grown to over 100, and these have co-operated in planting large acreage in melons, tomatoes, potatoes, cucumbers and other crops to their mutual advantage in both buying and selling.

## American Legion Fund

San Antonio is raising a \$100,000 fund with which to entertain the American Legion meeting in September. Nearly 135,000 letters have been sent out to all parts of the United States and foreign countries setting forth the attractions of San Antonio as a convention city. Thousands of posters and folders advertising the convention have been mailed. Fully 50,000 Legionnaires are expected to attend the convention, thousands of whom will come to Texas by automobile, many of them to look for new homes in the State that offers so many opportunities for the homeseeker.

Every Texas community should co-

operate with San Antonio in making this convention a real Texas event.

## Pecan Crop Good

Although the pecan crop will again be short in some parts of Texas, taking the State as a whole it will be above the average unless the pecan borer or other pests do unexpected damage.

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of us within the time prescribed by law at our places of residence in Spearman, Hansford County, Texas, where we receive mail, this the 18th day of June A. D. 1928.

S. F. POWERS  
A. E. POWERS JR.  
CLAUDE C. POWERS  
Executors of the Estate of A. E. Powers, deceased.

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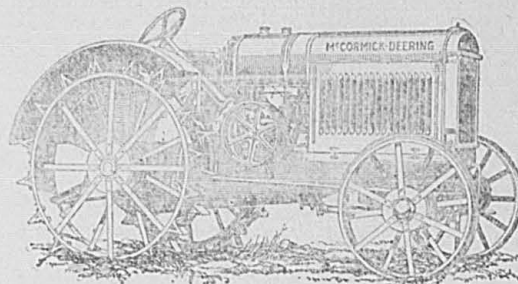
submitted. Bids will be accepted until July 2, 1928. The store will be kept open for stock examination to those who care to make a bid.

The stock consists of good and clean, nationally advertised men's wearing apparel of all kinds with hats and luggage, worth approximately \$15,700. A list follows: store fixtures, \$2,800; bills receivable, \$5,000; one store building, brick construction, \$10,000; 1 business lot at Stinnett, \$1,000.

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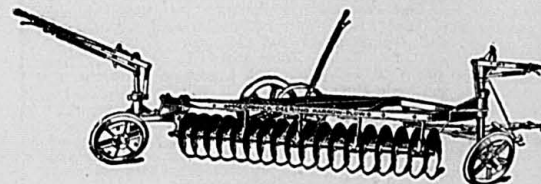
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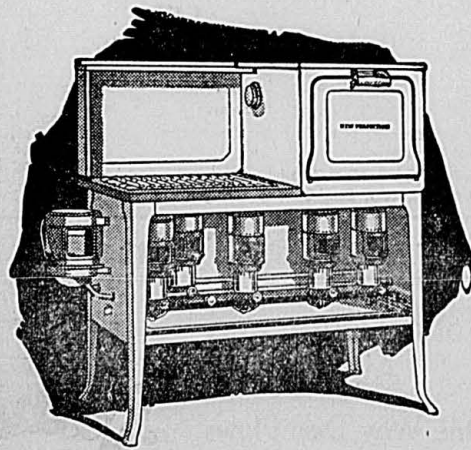
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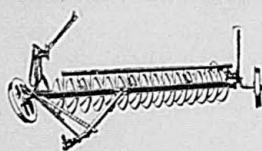
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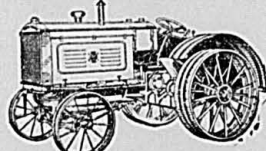
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The Early Life of Saul  
Scripture Lesson:  
Deut. 6:4-9; Phil. 3:4-6;  
Acts 22:3, 27, 28.

6:4. Hear, O Israel; Jehovah our God is one Jehovah:

And thou shalt love Jehovah with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy might.

And these words, which I command thee this day, shall be upon thee.

And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children, and shalt sit with them when thou sittest in thy house, and when thou walkest by the way, and when thou liest down, and when thou risest up.

And thou shalt bind them for thyself, and for thy children, and shall be for frontlets between thine eyes.

And thou shalt write them upon the door-posts of thy house, and thy gates.

3:4. Though I myself might have confidence even in the flesh; yet other men thinketh to have confidence in the flesh, I yet more:

Circumcised of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews; as touching the law, a Pharisee;

As touching zeal, persecuting the church; as touching the righteousness which is in the law, found blameless.

22:3. I am a Jew, born in Cilicia, but brought up in Tarsus, at the feet of Gamaliel, instructed according to the strict manner of the law of our fathers, being zealous for God, even as ye all are.

And the chief captain came and said unto him, Tell me, Art thou a Jew? And he said, Yea.

And the chief captain answered, With a great sum obtained I citizenship. And Paul said, But I am a Roman born.

me—Saul (Paul) was born in Tarsus, Cilicia, the Roman Province at the east corner of the Mediterranean Sea.

When Text.—Remember also thy duty in the days of thy youth.—12:1.

Introduction  
In the days of Christ the pious had no other knowledge, neither was any cared for any other, than of the law of God.—Edersheim.

turned to the side of Saul's father's house door was a bright metal a few inches long, and everyone went out or in raised his hand to touch it, and kissed his finger, as he did a few words to himself; for there were some verses of the Bible written upon parchment, and beginning with the familiar words, "Hear, O Israel: Jehovah our God is one Jehovah." The child's first lesson was a verse from Deuteronomy, which his mother or father said to him in Greek, and he repeated over and over again until he had learned it. He had another verse told to learn in the same slow way.

His first school lessons would be from Genesis, Exodus, Leviti-

cus, Numbers, and Deuteronomy, called the Pentateuch, or five books. They were written on broad rolls, not unlike our yellow wall-papers, and were kept rolled upon two sticks, and were unrolled only a little bit at a time, at the part which was to be read.

Family Religion, V. 7.  
"And thou shalt teach them diligently unto thy children." Truth, especially religious truth, is no slight matter; receiving or rejecting it is a matter of spiritual life or death.

Religious education is the most important interest of our civilization. Family religion is the basis of the church. If we do not make the Bible and the things of the Bible central in our home life and in our friendships and conversations, we need not attempt to make them central anywhere else.

The Bible in Saul's Life and Writings  
"From a child thou hast the Holy Scriptures." 2 Tim. 3:15. "At the age of six or seven Saul would be sent to the elementary school. This was connected with the local synagogue, and since the manual of instruction was the Book of the Law, it was known as 'the House of the Book.' It was the Septuagint version of the Scriptures that the Jews of Tarsus employed. It was the child's lesson book, and his life-long familiarity with it is evidenced by his practice of quoting from it in after years. The teacher read out each sentence, and the pupils recited it in chorus until they had committed it to memory. It was an effective method. Our inestimable advantage of it was that every Jew's mind was stored with Holy Writ.

Saul's Home Training, Phil. 3:4-6.  
"Saul, or Paul, in his studies that were to fit him to become a teacher of others, had to commit to memory not only thousands of verses of Scripture, but much that wise men had said in explanation of them.

blameless." Paul had observed all the Jewish legalities, he was blameless before the true law of God and man.

Saul's Boyhood Surroundings  
Acts 21:30  
"Saul was a town boy. The spreading flower, the tinted cloud, the purple hill, the bird in flight, had no special word for him. Soldiers arming and disarming, the sign of force; trained athletes running, wrestling, boxing with mailed fists, the sign of skill; idols of wood and stone, the sign of darkness, early impressed him, and held sway to the end.

"The little river, the Cydnus, was navigable in the days of Saul, making Tarsus the port of Cilicia, and attracting ships from all parts of the then-known world. The Cydnus was a mountain stream, bearing down the melted snows from the Taurus range. The great Alexander almost met his death by bathing in its icy waters, some three hundred years before Saul's time. The Cilician plain yielded fruits of many sorts.

Paul's Brief Life-Story, Acts. 22:3.  
"I am a Jew." Though born in a Greek city, Tarsus, Saul was a Jew by descent. The name of his father is not known. Saul's mother was a pious woman who dedicated her baby to God, and who probably died when her son was a mere infant. The family belonged to the tribe of Benjamin, small but warlike, and Saul was named from that distinguished Benjamite who became the first king of the Israelites. After the fashion of the day, he seemed to have received a Gentile name Paulus (Paul), a Latin word meaning "little." Saul

was about five years younger than Christ.

"At the Feet of Gamaliel"  
"But brought up in this city, at the feet of Gamaliel." "This city" is Jerusalem, in which Paul was speaking. He was educated "at the feet of" Gamaliel, as Jewish teachers sat on raised platforms, their pupils literally at their feet. This teacher was "the famous Rabban Gamaliel, a son of Rabban Simeon, and a grandson of Hillel, a doctor of the law held in reputation among all the people. Gamaliel I, like his grandfather Hillel, held the somewhat anomalous position of a liberal Pharisee."—F. W. Farrar.

Paul a Roman Citizen, Acts. 22:27  
"And the chief captain came and

said unto him, Tell me, art thou a Roman? And he said, Yea." The chief captain (tribune), corresponding to our colonel, was in charge of a cohort or regiment of a thousand men. When the Jews mobbed Paul, he at once came to his rescue with soldiers and carried him off to the Roman military headquarter, Castle Antonia, next to the temple, from the stairway of which Paul had just addressed the mob. When the mob responded so violently to Paul's claims the chief captain thought he must be a dangerous man, and ordered a confession to be extorted from him by scourging; but Paul protested, claiming to be a Roman citizen, whom it was unlawful to scourge.

Also there was something else he had to master. The Jews believed it was right and proper for every boy to work with his hands. They believed this partly because they knew it was good for boys to do some really hard work, and partly because boys who have learned a trade always have a chance to use it to make their living. So Saul was put to a trade that was much followed in Tarsus, tent making. But it was good that Saul became a tent-maker; for later, when he was preaching Christ in many cities, he earned money to keep himself by working at his trade."

A Hebrew of Hebrews, v. 5.  
"Though I myself might have confidence even in the flesh; if any other man thinketh to have confidence in the flesh, I yet more." Writing from his first Roman imprisonment to the beloved church in Philippi which he had founded, Paul warned them to beware of the leaders who would bind the young Christian church by the formalistic bonds of Judaism, including circumcision and other ordinances from which Christ had set them free. And Paul went on to say that he himself, who was giving the advice, knew well what these formal requirements were, for he had observed them all and that with the utmost strictness.

"Circumcised the eighth day, of the stock of Israel, of the tribe of Benjamin, a Hebrew of Hebrews." Paul was not a proselyte from heathenism, circumcised as an adult, or an Ishmaelite, circumcised at the age of thirteen, but had been admitted to the covenant of Israel eight days after birth, and was a member of the royal tribe of Benjamin. "As touching the law, a Pharisee." The Pharisees were very strict in their religious views, being extreme formalists and intensely bigoted.

"A Pharisee of the Pharisees."  
"As touching zeal, persecuting the church." Paul was not only a Pharisee, but a bitter, violent persecuting Pharisee, a Pharisee of the Pharisees. His zeal was conscientious, but he was ashamed of it afterwards, for he was "kicking against the pricks," and on account of it he called himself "the least of the apostles" (1 Cor. 15:9). "As touching the righteousness which is in the law, found

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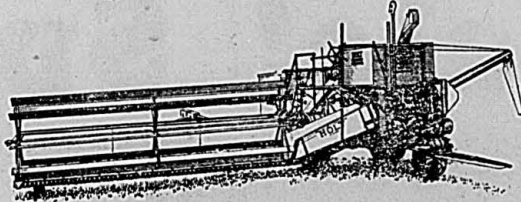
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## SOCIETY

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net won the prize for high score and Miss Peacock consolation. At a late hour a delicious two course plate lunch was served by the hostess. Those present besides the hostess and guest of honor were:

Mrs. M. B. Wright, Miss Eliza Peacock, Mrs. Geo. M. Whitson, Mrs. Floyd Wilbanks, Mrs. Ike Klutz, Mrs. D. W. Holland, Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mrs. John D. Duncan, Mrs. Lloyd Miller, Mrs. Walter Jackson, Mrs. Viola Davidson.

### MRS. DAVIDSON CELEBRATES SIXTH BIRTHDAY WITH PARTY

Little Miss Anna Carol, daughter of Mrs. Viola Davidson, celebrated her sixth birthday Monday afternoon with a party, entertaining a number of her little friends. The guests enjoyed several games and other amusement and then were called in for refreshments. The beautiful birthday cake with its six glowing candles was the main feature of the party, so the little folks thought. A dainty lunch was served to the little hostess and following guests: Doris Jean and Marjory Ellen Russell, Betty Morton, Patricia and Marjory May Snider, Billie Lee Chamberlain, Roberta Towe, Phyllis Towe, Bill Jr. Russell, Glenn Ray Bradford, Verlin Towe, Phillip Snider and Craig Davidson.

### MRS. W. L. RUSSELL HOSTESS AT BUNCO PARTY

Mrs. W. L. Russell was hostess Wednesday evening at a Bunco party honoring Mrs. J. T. Robnett of Columbia, Mo. The ladies spent a most enjoyable evening at this entertaining game, playing for the prizes which were won by Mrs. Rawlings, high, and Mrs. Webb, consolation. A lovely refreshment course was served by the hostess to the honor guest and Mrs. Lloyd Miller, Mrs. S. B. Hale, Mrs. Delon Kirk, Mrs. R. W. Morton, Mrs. Don S. Rawlings, Mrs. W. S. McNabb, Mrs. Viola Davidson, Mrs. John D. Duncan, Mrs. Edd Webb, Mrs. D. W. Holland, Mrs. Paul Westerfield, Mrs. J. W. Herron.

### PRESBYTERIAN PASTOR WILL PREACH ON "WHEAT"

"Can a man live on wheat?" is the question that will be preached as a theme by the Rev. O. Chauncey

sell, Mrs. Ralph Trower, Mrs. Fred Hood, Mrs. Floyd Hays, Mrs. S. B. Hale and Mrs. J. D. Hester.

### MRS. HALE ENTERTAINS TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB

Mrs. S. B. Hale entertained the Twentieth Century Club Tuesday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. M. B. Wright in south Spearman. The ladies spent a very enjoyable afternoon chatting and visiting and partaking of the appetizing repast served by the hostess.

Guests were: Mrs. J. D. Hester, Mrs. Paul Morgan, Mrs. Hosea Jones, Mrs. Charlie Hitt, Mrs. Arthur Jordan, Mrs. C. B. Reeves, Mrs. M. B. Wright and Miss Eliza Peacock. Members who were present were: Mrs. Edgar Womble, Mrs. Delon Kirk, Mrs. E. K. Snider, Mrs. W. L. Russell, Mrs. J. H. Buchanan, Mrs. Oran Kelly and Mrs. R. W. Morton, and the hostess, Mrs. S. B. Hale.

### HOSTESS AT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Ida Mae McLeod was the charming hostess at a party June 23 celebrating her seventh birthday. The children had a very happy time playing numerous games, presenting the small hostess with presents and enjoying the birthday feast that had been prepared. Guests were: Lora Elizabeth Burgess, C. M. Douglass, Maxine Messer, Anita New, Ruby and Colleen Kelly, Alice Hazelwood, Juanita Beck, Merlene Jackson, Vernon Leitner, Lynn and Evelyn Burleson, Ruth Oldham, Geraldine Bristow, Thelma Joe Thompson, Evelyn and Vivian B. Wickerson, Billie Frizzell and Helen McLeod.

### URGES FARM AND FACTORY COMMUNITIES SIDE BY SIDE

Factory whistles, instead of the farm bell of another day, will call agricultural workers from their labors if the plan of T. R. Preston, president of the Tennessee State Bankers association, calling for communities side by side, are carried out.

Preston, as president of the Hamilton National Bank of Chattanooga, Tenn., has had abundant opportunity to observe the problems of farmers in regions surrounding that southern city. Commenting on the national farm problem, Preston defers toward remedying existing financial difficulties of the farmer. He calls attention once more to the fact that not only does the farmer receive a small share of the dollar his far away customer pays, but the price that he gets from his nearby customers is effected by the fact that the base price is decided at so great a distance.

"I know of nothing that can do more to correct this unsatisfactory situation," he says, "than mixing the farms and factories—the recentralization of industry, as it is often

called." In communities where such combinations of farm and factory groups have occurred, he continues, economic improvement has been immediate.

"The farm problem in the United States is so important," he concludes, "that we can afford to overlook no possible contribution to its solution. Few of the problem's careful students believe that it can be solved by legislative panaceas."

### THE REPUBLICAN NOMINEE

It would be idle talk to say of the Republican nominee for President that he was wholly unfit from a Democratic standpoint. He was chosen as a member of Woodrow Wilson's cabinet, where he performed a great wartime service to America, as well as for the world as a whole. After the war, he could have been the nominee of the Democratic

party were it possible to make him believe that he was a Democrat, rather than a Republican. In fact, Herbert Hoover did not belong to any political party until the law of necessity forced him to make the choice.

Herbert Hoover is an outstanding American—more American than he is Republican. He is a brainy engineer and business man—more brilliant in these lines than he is a politician. If he is weak, it is as a politician. He was forced upon the Republican leaders of the East against their will because he was popular in the West which is his home, and the fact that he is popular in the South, which the Republicans seek to bring into the Republican fold.

It is assured that if Al Smith is not chosen next week by the Democratic party at Houston, the nominee will be wholly acceptable to Smith. Smith goes to the convention with

practically a two-thirds majority pledged, and the band wagon may nominate him on an early ballot. We have heard hundreds of Texas, Alabama, and Arkansas voters that with Hoover and Smith the nominees they would support. Hoover will Hoover be able to carry any of the Southern States? That is because it is assured that Smith is going to break into the Republican line up, and get away with the electoral vote of some of the Northern states which opposed Hoover. He is not to be overlooked as a campaigner. He is not a weak politician. He is by no means an average in affairs of statehood. If he is a nominee, a warm campaign will see him fall.

Don't bet all your money on Hoover will be the next president. Just wait until you see Al Smith get into action.—Canyon News.

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# Sale! Spring Dresses



New Spring Shades:  
Gypsy Red, Navy,  
Rose Beige, Blue,  
Wood Shades and  
Green.

**\$10**

Sizes for  
Misses and Women—  
Trimmed with Pleatings,  
Appliques, Flares,  
Embroidery and Tiers.



### EVERY DRESS A SMART, NEW SPRING STYLE

The most marvelous dress values are offered in this extremely low priced selling! There are styles for street, afternoon, and sport, fashioned of high grade silks in the new shades that are so popular this spring. You will find the smartest styles in an inclusive assortment of sizes for Misses and Women. This extraordinary selling event should not be missed—you will want to purchase a supply of these stunning frocks for your new spring wardrobe at this phenomenally low price.

A Deposit Holds Any Dresses Selected Until Wanted!