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We are here to serve the interests of our customers-to help you to make money, and to help you to save money.

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of SPEARMAN

TO THE FARMERS OF HANSFORD COUNTY PRESIDENT HARDING DEAD

If you have any of the following growing on your place please or phone Lyman J. Hillhouse, tary of the Hansford County rife or phone Lyman server of the Hansford County fair Association. They are needed a make out the score cards for the Inistate and State Fairs. Sweet Lover, Velvet Beans, Peanuts, Cow Peas, Darso, Bermuda, Speltz, Emmer, Castor Beans and Pop Corn.

Mrs. Murl Jackson returned Satur-ay from a several week's visit with elatives in St. Louis and eastern

Smico Smithing Coal. We still ave a good supply, better get some WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

Prof. and Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr. were here Monday and Tuesday from Austin, where they spent the past in weeks, making arrangements to move their household goods to their new home at White Deer.

GRAIN GRAIN

You have the GRAIN. You expect to sell the grain and pay your debts or make investments which you have planned beforehand.

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GRAIN

Suppose that grain should burn either in the field or after it is placed in the granary?

Your year's work is all gone within the space of a few min-

We write short term insurance on grain standing in the field, in shocks and stacks, and in the granary.
Ask us about it.

HANSFORD ABSTRACT

Good to the

Fruit Flavors.

Last Drop

This Friday morning, August 3, 1923, the nation mourns the death of its president. Warren G. Harding died at the Palace Hotel, San Francisco at 7:30 o'clock this morning of broncho-pneumonia and other complications. The news was flashed over the nation by radio and was received here by the Spearman Equity Exchange at 8:00 o'clock. The President was returning form a trip to returning form a trip to Alaska and his first illness was caused by a slight attack of ptomain poisoning. The Equity reports that there will be no market reports today on account of the death of the president.

Oscar Dahl, Oscar Berg and Henry Moen were in from the Oslo com-munity Monday.

Elmo McClellan was in from the Grand Plains community Tuesday, attending to business matters.

Our groceries please. Fresh fruits and vegetables. The best to be had for the money. Burran Brothers.

H. E. Campfield is the new Santa Fe depot agent at Spearman, coming here from Follett to take the place of A. R. Bumpus, who recently re-signed. Mr. Campfield is a single man but he is plenty large enough to get married.

Her many friends will be glad to know that since her return to Spearman, Mrs. J. M. Glover is rapidly regaining her health. Mrs. Glover was in a hospital at Oklahoma City for several weeks, where she under-

William Nabers, a painter, has been doing some nice work about town the past few days. Mr. Nabers is a sign writer and has done some very attractive work for the Hale Drug Company and the Panhandle Lumber Company. He seems to thorough; understand his business and is receiving quite a bit of encouragement to locate permanently here.

THE SPEARMAN SCHOOL OUR PEACE OFFICERS WILL RUN NINE MONTHS

Board of Trustees of Spearman In-dependent School District Wishes to Assure the Public of This Fact.

Mrs. A. H. Storrs is visiting with her daughters, Mesdames Bob and Jack Johnson, in Texhoma.

Mrs. Albert Burran and son Albert Jr., are the guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Burran, in Spear-

Mrs. John L. Hays and daughter Miss Alta, and her sister, Mrs. Erwin and children, left Wednesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Seward, north of Dalhart.

Mrs. Floyd Sumrall is visiting relatives at Comanche, Oklahoma, and Mrs. M. C. Head is visiting relatives, at Granite, Oklahoma. Floyd and Marwellus are making first class members of the Bachelors club.

The Ladies Missionary Society reports a quite successful sale of ice cream and cake at the social given on the lawn at the A. F. Barkley home on Tuesday night of this week. A good size crowd was in attendance and everyone enjoyed the evening.

We asked a young lady recently if she knew any news for the paper and she replied "Yes. Just tell the world that I've been chopping cot-ton." That's news in this country now, but cotton raising may event-ually become one of the popular out-door sports of this section.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blake left Tues-Mr. and Mrs. Bert Blake left Tuesday morning for Quanah, where Mrs Blake will visit with relatives, while Bert goes to the eastern markets to purchase a fall line of goods for his store here. Bert expects to be away about ten days and during his absence his brother Dick is helping out with the work at the store.

Miss Francis Roland delightfully entertained a large party of friends at her home five miles south of town on last Saturday night, with a lawn party. The weather was rather on last Saturday night, with a lawn party. The weather was rather rough for a while, but the guests re-ported a delightful evening after all. Many of them remained at the Ro-land home over Sunday and greatly enjoyed the outing.

ENDORSED AMARILLO FOR TEXAS TECH.

Farmers and Citizens Commercial Club of Spearman Throws Its Club of Spearman Th Support to Nearby City.

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O. V. Vernon, secretary of the Board of City Development of Amarillo, and John B. Gilvin, secretary manager of the Tri-State Fair and Exposition, were here Tuesday. The Former was looking after Amarillo's interest in her efforts to land the Texas Technological College and the latter was distributing advertising matter, catalouges, etc., of the Amarillo Fair to be held on September 25 to 29. The Farmers and Citizens Commercial Club of Spearman, through their president, C. W. Carson, and secretary, F. C. Sumrall, readily endorsed Amarillo as the logical location for the Texas Techand, by the way that city has a splendid chance to pull the plum, although about thirty good west Texas towns and cities are pulling for it. The locating board is in Amarillo today and a big banquet and interesting program will be given by the city at the Amarillo hotel the evening. Sam B. Archer is there to represent Spearman and we are satisfied he will do a good job of it. Mr. Gilvin says he will expect Hansford county to be well represented at the Tri-State Fair, with both people and exhibits.

Modern Brick Building With all Conveniences—Work Has Begun R. W. Morton, the Ford sales and service man of the Spearman country, fam let the contract for the erection of a modern garage building and drive-in filling station to be erected on his lots on the lower end of Main street, Spearman. C. R. Farra is the contractor and he arrived Wednesday and began the work of excavating for the foundation on Thursday morning. With him are Chas. Fuller, insiforment, and bear Fuller, his fore-man. The building is to be 50x70 frontage. The foundation on Thursday worning. With him are Chas. Fuller, insiforment, and bear fuller, his fore-man. The building is to be 50x70 frontage. This will make one of the best garage buildings in the country and Mr. Morton intends to equip the shop with the very best of tools and air may be had on short notice. This building will be quite an asset to the town. It is good

ARE ON THE JOB

dependent School District Wishes to Assure the Public of This Fact.

Spearman will have a full nine months term of school for 1923-24. C. W. King, secretary of the board of trustees of the Spearman Independent school district, wishes to emphasize the fact that the term will begin on time and will continue the full nine months. Ample rooms will be provided in which to begin the spiendid new building. Such are the spiendid new for the spiendid new of the board of trustees and they believe they have everything shaped in such a way that there can possibly be no loss of time or unaccessary delay. Superintendentered A. H. Whicox will arrive in Spearman next week and will take up the work of preparation for the eaxt term of school and by spetember will have everything in readiness. Parents and guaruans should not notice or pay any attention whatever to the reports that Spearman cannot have a school until the new building is completed. The rooms have been arranged for and the school will begin on time.

ROYALLY ENTERTAINED

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Hazelwood, assisted by her sister, Miss Bernica Miller, entertained a number of their friends with a party on last Saturday night at the Hazelwood, assisted by her sister, Miss Bernica Miller, entertained a number of their friends with a party on last Saturday night at the Hazelwood, assisted by her sister, Miss Bernica Miller, entertained a number of their friends with a party on last Saturday night at the Hazelwood, assisted by her sister, Miss Bernica Miller, entertained a number of their friends with a party on last Saturday night at the Hazelwood, assisted by her sister, Miss Bernica Miller, entertained a number of their f

BUILDING NEW RESIDENCE

Excavating for the basement of the fine new residence of Sam B. the fine new residence of Sam B. Archer in south Spearman is progressing nicely and actual work of construction will begin within a few days. Mr. Archer intends to build a nice home here, where the children may have the benefit of our splendid school. The location is just south of the C. W. Carson home.

A NEW BUSINESS HOUSE

Burk Boland has about completed Burk Boland has about completed his pice carpenter shop, located on Davis street next to the I. O. O. P. hall. It is a splendid building and will make Mr. Boland a dandy place to work at his trade. The building will also serve as a home for Doc Hass, the shoe man, who has moved his equipment from the little building back of the Jno. L. Hays old stand to the new location. Mr. Boland and Mr. Hass have fitted up rooms in the new building and are making their home there. The new building adds considerably to the appearance of the street.

COMING TO SPEARMAN SCHOOL

Mr. and Mrs. James O'Donnell from near Elkhart, Kansas were in the city last Saturday, looking over the town with a view of moving here for the benefit of our splendid school. Mr. and Mrs. O'Donnell have two fine boys of the school age, and must find a good school for them. They have been reading the Reporter for the past two years and have arrived at the conclusion that Spearman is the place. Mr. O'Donnell, a prominent farmer of the north flats. Jim was clerk at the Willoughby hotel in Guymon for many years and is well known throughout this section.

Fifteen White Plymoth Rock cockerels for sale at \$2.00 each. These are well grown, fine chickens.

JAMES REED,
Spearman.

NEW GARAGE BUILDING AND FILLING STATION

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SPEARMAN, TEXAS

WHEN A MAN IS POOR

A man is poor when he has lost the confidence of his friends, people who are nearest to him do not believe in him; when his character is honey-combed by deceit and punctured by dishonesty. He is poor when he makes money at the expense of his character, when he does not stand clear out, supreme in his idea. To be in the poor-house is not necessary to be poor. If you have maintained your integrity, if your character stands out square to the world, if you have never bent the knee of principle to avarice, you are not poor, though you may be compelled to beg for bread.—Queensland Freemason.

INSURE that grain in the field, shock, stack or bin. Ask us about our short form insurance. Too cheap to be without. McLAIN & McLAIN, Spearman.

The Germans are accusing the French of counterfeiting the mark. War and reconstruction have failed to dull their sense of humor.—Jacksonville Florida Times-Union.

The high wind last Saturday night did a little damage to a threshing outfit belonging to Johnny Close, out South of town but Johnny patched it up a bit and was ready to hit the ball early Monday morning.

George Thompson, territory me-chanic for the Fancher-Fisher Motor Company of Spearman and Amarillo, is looking over the Star and Durant cars in the Spearman territory this

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Hollis and the children and Mrs. W. E. Crismon came from Texhoma Sunday and have spent the week at the D. W. Hazelwood home in Spearman. Mrs. Hollis is a sister of Mrs. Hazelwood and Mrs. Crismon is their mother. Mr. Hollis is a blacksmith at Texhoma and is well acquainted among the old timers of this section. He returned to Texhoma Monday and will return next Sunday for the women and children.

WHEAT DESTROYED BY FIRE

On Tuesday afternoon about 5:00 o'clock ten steaks of what belonging to Rex Sanders, twelve miles south of Spearman, were destroyed by fire. The fire originated, supposedly from a lighted cigarette. This wheat was located on what is known as the McGarvey-section. These ten stacks destroyed by the fire were all located in one yard and the fire did not get beyond this yard owing to the fact that J. J. Haun, a farmer from Oklahoma who believes in early plowing, had broken out a strip of land next to the stacks, which the fire could not cross. This early plowing probably saved about 500 acres more grain in the same field and it might have spread to an adjoining field. This means a big loss for Mr. Sanders and should serve as a warning to everyone to be careful of fire. After paying the expense of producing and harvesting a wheat crop, it is indeed hard luck to lose it before it.

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body or the man criticised sacrosant; and, as the old woman said as she looked at the giraffe, "there ain't no such animal."

All honor to Governor Hinkle, whose Americanism includes not only clear thinking, but honest courage.

—Quanah Tribune Chief.

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TRUTH WILL RISE

Man has ever tried to bury and destroy truth, and never yet succeeded. Roman emperors attempted to destroy truth, but truth destroyed them, and with them the civilization they had debauched. Men tried to destroy truth during the Dark Ages, but somewhere, somehow, the torch maintained its fire, and the civilization of today grew out of the tignorance and superstition of the truth when they burned God in effigy, and made religion a crime; now it is truth which is destroying Bolshevism. Men gone mad with self-esteem and the "dignity" of their position often attempt to destroy truth when it is in the form of criticism, but inevitably that which is mighty prevails.

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In New Mexico an interpid editor criticized a court. The court sent him to jail for a long sentence on charge of criminal libel and contempt of court. Whereupon Governor Hinkle comes to the rescue with a complete pardon in both cases, holding that the liberty of free speech and a free press had been infringed and that the editor was only exercising his rights as a free American citizen in saying what he thought. The American people had a taste of what suppression of free speech meant during the war. For political and military reasons it was then necessary; now it is no longer necessary. Free criticism can't hurt an honest government, an honest official, an honest court. To deny any man the right to criticize is to make the

That fellow who has invented a collapsible platform for trucks is a little late. Political parties have been using something like that.—Buffalo



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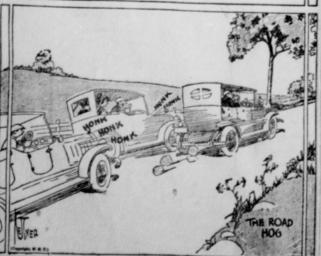
We have again taken charge of the Ochiltree Mill, which has been rebuilt and an entirely new and larger line of machinery added throughout. We will be pleased to meet our old and new cus-

We will give thirty-five pounds of flour for a bushel

If the flour you get of us is not good we will pay you for returning it.

> S. H. COX, Miller, Perryton, Texas.

On the Concrete



SAYER HAS 5,000 BARREL WELL

Sayer has a real honest-to-goodness oil well and one which will put all doubting Thomases to route, and place the Sayer field among the big fields of Oklahoma. The Carter Oil Company brought in their oil well on Tuesday, and it has proven itself a real gusher, and today the best estimates possible show that it is producing in excess of 5,000 barrels of very high grade oil each day.

This well is located on the Gray farm, in 15-9-23, and is a direct north offset to the discovery well. At an early hour Saturday morning they struck the gas sand, and the same afternoon, picked up the oil sand and drilling at once suspended.

Sunday the work of running a sixinch casing began, and was completed Monday afternoon, as the tools were removed from the well, she spouted oil over the derrick, and Monday night about half the people of Sayer, together with many people from the surrounding country spent the larger portion of the night hoping to see it come in.

However it was not fully cleaned out until Tuesday morning and then the work of drilling in began, and finally when the bit had penetrated the sand to a depth of 28 feet, the tools were removed and the well shut in until connection with storage tank could be made.

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first oil men viewed it as a good well estimating it at somewh re aroun. 5,000 barrels a day. A little later it was seen that the flow was constantly increasing, and beginning at 2 o'clock that afternoon it was guaged each hour, and before the majority of the citizens of Sayer retired that night they knew we had a real gusher, pouring out the liquid gold to the tune of fully 5,000 barrels per day.

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While the Carter people had shown their confidence in the well by eresting four 500 barrel tanks in advance, it did not take them long to see that greater storage would be needed badly, and Tuesday afternoon arrangements were made for connection with the pipe line of the Atlantic Producing Company. Tuesday night men and teams hustled casing all night, and yesterday a large gang of men were at work laying this line which is hoped to be connected to the Atlantic line sometime late to-day.

AN UNUSUAL RECORD

Announcement is being made in this issue of the Reporter that Green Bros. Co., the large furniture store of Amarillo, will begin a Removal Sale of their entire stock of furniture, stoves, etc., on Monday August 6th.

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Altho these people have been in the furniture business in Amarillo for more than sixteen years they have never held a sale. This rather an unusual record for a big concern like Green Bros. Co., as most furniture stores have sales very often. These people say they do not believe in sales, and would not put on this one except for the fact that they are building a new four story building at corner of Sixth and Taylor streets, and expect to occupy it about September 25th., and do not want to move their stock.

The people of Spearman and surrounding territory can depend on Green Bros. Co. offering real values during this sale.

Read their ad in this issue of the Reporter.

Editor Oran Kelly, of the Reporter, was up from Spearman over Saturday night on business and while here dropped in on the Tribune editor for a few moments. The Reporter now ranks as the best Texas Panhandle paper north of the Canadian river.

paper north of the Canadian river.

Guymon Tribune.

We are not yet satisfied with the Reporter, still we believe we have made a wonderful improvement in it during the past year. The linotype is making this improvement possible. It seems that we work harder—do more and better printing—and have less money every year. But it is very nice of the Tribune to note the improvement in the Reporter, and we want to thank Mr. Quinn for the above boquet.

A man may live long in Bulgaria if he drinks buttermilk and stays out of politics.—San Antonio Express.

A twelve mile limit would only give the rum fleet more sea room to dodge the revenue ships.—New York Tribune.

The man who has discovered a ray that will annihilate gravity must be a comedian.—Spokane Press

A third party gets its name from the way it usually finishes when an election is held.—Southern Lumber-

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SPEARMAN TEXAS

PROMINENT CITIZEN HAS NARROW ESCAPE

While Fishing on Canadian River Was Pulled Into 150 Feet of Water by Monster Blue Cat Fish

Tuesday noon, a stream of oil spouted over the derrick more than 20 feet.

The work of connecting the well with the storage tanks took comparatively little time, and when completed it was allowed to flow. At one and control of what proved to be an almost disastrious fishing experience recently indulged in by first oil men viewed it as a good well estimating it at somewhere arount that the latter was driving along the very in a wargen and compine to an every in a wargen and compine to a strength of the canadian Valley, while in the canadian Valley that the latter was driving along the ver in a wagon and coming to an axtra large and beautiful water hole, decided to try his hand at fishing for the famous blue cat-fish, of which so much is heard and very little seen. Having no suitable fishing tackle at hand Mr. Powers took the rod from the end-gate of his wagon, twisted one end into the shape of a horse-shoe and tied a one-half inch rope into the other. Then he shot a

into the other. Then he shot a Jack rabbit and "baited" his improvised hook. Using a fence-rail for a pole, he cast in his hook and sat down to await results. The afterit did not take them long to see that greater storage would be needed badly, and Tuesday afternoon arrangements were made for connection with the pipe line of the Atlantic Producing Company. Tuesday night, men and teams hustled casing all night, and yesterday a large gang of men were at work laying this line which is hoped to be connected to the Atlantic line sometime late to day.

With tanks full and oil being wasted, the well has been 'pinched' all that they feel would be consistent, and no test has been made since ten o'clock yesterday. The first hour the well guaged Tuesday it ran 135 barrels, and from that until yesterday afternoon it showed a constant increase, the final test showing 232 barrels per hour which, if continuous, would be 5,568 barrels per day.

There are differences of opinion as to what the well will settle down to await results. The afternoon's ast down to await results. The afternoon was warm and sultry and Mr. Powers tied the pole to his waist and rell asleep. But his afternoon's siesta was abruptly broken when, without a warning, he was jerked not the water. About that time Mr. Aing came along that way and found Mr. Powers struggling in 150 feet of water, trying to land the fish, the fish was getting the best of the argument and would keep Mr. Powers under the water for as long as three minutes at a time, but Mr. Powers struggling in 150 feet of water, trying to land the fish, the fish was getting the best of the argument and would keep Mr. Powers under the water for as long as three minutes at a time, but Mr. Powers struggling in 150 feet of water, trying to land the fish, the fish was getting the best of the argument and would keep Mr. Powers under the water for as long as three minutes at a time, but Mr. Powers tied the pole to his waista mad fell asleep. But his afternoon's disease was abruptly browers tied the pole to his waistand fell asleep. But his afternoon's disease was abruptly browers tied the pole to his waistand fell asleep. But his afternoon's disease was abruptly browers

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The Commoner prospered on 16 The trouble with the Volstead Law to 1, but suspended publication on isn't defective teeth but itching palms.—Austin American.

Judge Gray hopes for the ultimate abolution of the twelve-hour day. But faith without works is dead.—
Philadelphia Bulletin.

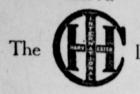
Barbers predict dollar haircuts, but when they reach that level many of us will refuse to be trimmed.—
New Orleans Times-Picayune.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

From plaintiffs are known and described as follows:

First tract: All of Section No. 78, Block "R", Certificate No. 73, GB & C N G Ry. Co. original grantee, containing 640 acres of land, more or less; and

Section No. 76, Block "R" Certificate No. 72, GB & C N G Ry. Co., original grantee, containing 480 acres of land, more or less;

Plaintiffs claim title to the above described tracts of land under a regular chain of title by deeds of conveyance executed to Clarence Gatlin, dated on the 29th day of July, 1916, by Luther E. Cannon, whinam A. Cannon, Louisa Sudivan, a widow. Sarab Curry, C. N. Care

Plantins further show that the de-fendants herein claim title to said land, if at all, as the heirs at law of the said M. E. Cannon, Deceased. Plaintiffs say that this suit is brought not only to establish the legal heirs at law of the said M. E. Cannon, Deceased, but also to estab-lish the fact that the grantons in said Cannon, Deceased, but also to establish the fact that the grantors in said deed of conveyance to the said Clarence Gatlin, at the time they executed said deed, were the heirs at law and the only heirs at law of the said M. E. Cannon, Deceased; that upon the death of the said M. E. Cannon, title to said real estate.

at law and the only heirs at law of the said M. E. Cannon, Deceased; that upon the death of the said M. E. Cannon, title to said real estate became legally vested in the said grantors in said deed of conveyance to the said Clarence Gatlin, and that the title so held by the grantors, by reason of said deed of conveyance. Where the said M. E. Cannon, beceased, if any other than the grantors in said deed of conveyance. Where Fork, plaintiffs pray that the defendants be cited as the law directs to answer this petition, and that plaintiffs have judgment for the restitution of the above described premises; that the cloud upon their title, if any, be removed; that the curt find and establish herein that the grantors in said deed of conveyance, and that plaintiffs are now the owner of suitile. Plaintiffs further pray that they deep granted such other and further relief as they may show them selves entitled to in either law or equity.

Said petition is also endorsed: "Said petition is also endorsed: "The most effective medium of equity."

You are further commanded to sommon the defendants and to serve this citation by publishing the same once in each week for four successive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in a newspaper published in your county; but if no newspaper is published.

Herein fail not but have you before said court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writh your return thereof, this writh your return thereof, the writh your return thereof, the writh your return thereof, the writh your return there

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hutchinson County—Greeting: mon the heavy commanded to summon. Deceased, who of M. E. Cancon, Deceased, but the next regular term of the List trict Court of Hutchinson County, Texas, (nanney-Davis Mericular), and the next regular term of the List trict Court of Hutchinson County, Texas, (nanney-Davis Mericular), and the court has been decided the first day of October, A. Dugar, and the court of the District Court on the State of Texas, on a judge of the politic Court of Hutchinson and the court has deceased here of M. E. Cannon, Deceased here of M. A. Service of M. A. Service

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During the Great War, costs of production and manufacture increased rapidly and still remain far above pre-war figures. Farmers, manufacturers and producers covered their increased costs through increased prices to the public.

Public utility companies were not so fortunate. Public sentiment was at first adverse to allowing increaded rates to meet increased cost of utility operation.

Public utility commissions were unjustly criticised for advancing rates as the public did not understand that the "value" upon which a public utility corporation should be permitted to earn a fair return is the "fair value" of properties of that utility devoted to public service, and that in ascertaining such "fair value" present high prices—at date of determination of "fair value"—in the guise of increased cost of construction of the utility's property, must be given proper consideration.

The United States Supreme Court now holds that unless the reproduction of cost of utility's property, as of the date of determination of "value" is given full and concentious, confiscation of that property will be the inevitable result. In plain English, the Court says that present day reproduction costs must be considered in detrmining the "value" of public utility for rate making purposes.

This was held in the case of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company vs. Missouri Public Service Commission made an order in December, 1919, by which it undertook—(1) to reduce rates for exchange service of the telephone company, and (2) to abolish installation and moving charges.

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The commission valued property of the company without according any enhanced cost of materials, labor and supplies over those prevailing in 19-13, 1914 and 1916. The Supreme Court decided that "present costs," that is, the cost of labor, supplies and etc., at time investigation is made, "must be given consideration in ascertaining "what will amount to a fair return upon properties devoted to public service;" otherwise, says the Court, the action of any regulatory body will be confiscatory and conflict with Fourteenth Amendment to the consideration. The Commission's order was annulled as it failed to give consideration to "present costs."

Reaffirming its decesion in Southwestern Bell Telephone case, the Court on June, 11, 1923, annuled an order of the public Service Commission of West Virginia which valued property without according "proper, if any, weight to the greatly enhanced cost of construction in 1920 over those prevailing about 1915 and before the war."

The Supreme Court of the United States has twice, within 30 days, announced the doctrine that present costs must be given fair and just consideration in arriving at the value of a public service corporation's property for rate making purposes. The commission valued property of

One Brown Horse, six years old, weight 1100 pounds. One bay mare, nine years old, weight 1100 pounds. One brown mare, eight years old, weight 950 pounds. One sorrel mare, eight years old, weight 1000 pounds.

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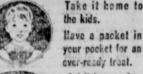
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A SELLER'S STRIKE

Wheat, although it is a burning question in the middle west, is a broader question than the five states represented at the Whicita conference, even though they are an empire in extent. It is even wider than the confines of the United States and Canada together. Prices may be under the producers' cost, at below \$1 a bushel, or they may be too high for the consumer, as they were in 1920, when they went to \$3.45 a bushel. But prices whether low or high are not made by any man or set of men But prices whether low or high are not made by any man or set of men of one locality. The entire world being interested in wheat it takes all facts into consideration, forming an opinion of the value of wheat from day to day. When wheat at Chicago sells for less than a dollar it is because a consensus of world opinion, which has weighed all the facts, is that it is worth that day less than a dollar.

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Last year the importing wogld would took about 700,000,000 bushels of wheat. The purchasing power of Europe, aside from one or two countries, is not so great now as then. It also has fairly good crops of its own and will not purchase more wheat than is necessary. There is, therefore, no prospect of a greater demand for wheat this year than there was last. But there will be large crops and more wheat in the exporting countries this year than the importing world will be able to purchase. On these facts our present price is made. No local conference can change them unless it has the power to change the facts on which the world opinion has been formed.

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Wheat production is being increasen in new countries like western Canada and the southern continents, and with lower costs they can undersell us. There seems nothing in future to indicate power in the producers of the United States to make the world pay more for wheat than, in the world's opinion it is worth. These are hard and cruel facts. Nevertheless, give the farmers the facts. Show them that even this government cannot make wheat worth more than it is really worth in the markets of the world. Give them the truth and they will adjust their affairs and recover more rapidly.

THE RIGHT TO WORK

We believe the greatest problem before the American people today is the problem of taxation, says the Shenadoah, Ia., Sentinal Post.

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HOW TO DEAL WITH THE RAILROADS

Recently a conference on railroads was held in Chicago. It was dominated by the politics which finds its profits in attacks upon railroads and which asserts drastic conclusions on an assumed knowledge of conditions in which fair and conservative minds have little confidence.

We are now hearing from a conference of a very different character—namely: that of the American Society of Civil Engineers. Its attendance is composed of men who can find no profit in political assumptions, who are not fishing for votes, whose training is expert, whose method of reasoning is exact, whose object is the ascertainment of facts and the establishment of principles which are sound and conductive of public benefit.

The discussion and conclusion of such a gathering deserves the respectful and thorough consideration of the public and that of the representives of public interest in every legislative body which proposes to deal with the problems of regulation of transportation agencies. The American people will be wise to prefer the advice of such men to that of politicans whose main interest is to exploit evils rather than to correct them. The engineers' interest is to perfect our trasportation, not to ride into office by attacking its imperfections. Their interest, in other words, is that of the public. There is no more important interest is one multiplie life. Transportant on the proposer is one more important interest is one multiplie life. Transportant on the politic part and the proposer is one more important interest is one multiplie life. Transport

A seller's strike among the wheat growers was the bright suggestion of the governor of Kansas, at a conference of wheat men held this week at Wichita. Here is one of many suggestions to be submitted and upon the answer the outcome of such a "strike" must depend. Is there anything in the situation likely to a vance prices of wheat in the near or distant future?

If the question can be answered in the affirmative a seller's strike, if it could be made to apply to a large proportion of the wheat growers, would strengthen the market. But if the reply is in the negative then a seller's strike would intensify the present distress among the wheat growers.

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the consumer.

There is, therefore, nothing more important than that the problems of the railroads should be worked out on a plane of knowledge, justice, and sound judgment, and not in an atmosphere of prejudice and narrow the engineers' conference states the key of the situation when he says that "the successful solution of the self interest. A leading speaker at railroad problem will depend upon meientific research to the end that essential engineering, accounting and economic data shall be determined, analyzed and presented to the interstate commerce commission."

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—namely: that scientific judgment
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interests involved and which is constructive in the development and
maintenance of the most efficient
transportation,—Chicago Tribune.

THE TAX PROBLEM

The necessity (if it ever exsisted) for tax-exempt bonds is past and the day is here when no such loophole as this should remain to enable those most able to pay to escape taxation. Every dollar that has tax-exempt bonds absorb cuts two ways—it doubles the tax on other people and removes a dollar from industries which need it for expansion and development.

Employers in the building industry in New York have decided to undertake establishing the open shop in the entire country.

Unionism has accomplished much for the workers in this nation and contributed greatly to the common welfare. It has legitimate place in our highly systematized industrial machine, but just as the power of capital can be abused if manipulated by unscrupulous persons, so can the power of labor organizations become a tyranny when controlled by radical labor leaders who ignore all thought of the public interest in carrying out their holdup programs.

When any union tries to set itself above the constitution which guarantees a man protection in his rights to work regardless of his religion, political affiliations, it is headed straight for the rocks of public condemnation.

Washington authorities are said to be anxious to lower the incometax rate. They can do this by making the bootleggers pay their share.

Washington Herald.

struggle was made."
Freedom in life, liberty and pursuit of happiness was the 'something' which Lincoln referred to in these

which Lincoln referred to in these lines.

What do the politicaal parties and advocates of government ownership and increased regulation of private and industrial activity promise the people that would equal, or in any way compare with the ideals which Washington and Lincoln struggled to maintain? Think it over.

Read the Reporter.



INDUSTRIAL ACTIVITY MEANS PROSPERITY

MEANS PROSPERITY

Speaking in New York recently, Frederick J. H. Kracke, U. S. Appraiser, said that the United States Treasury will collect this year over a half billion dollars in custom duties, which is the largest sum ever colleted by the Federal Government.

We will import close to \$3,000,000,000 worth of raw materials in 12 months, which means that we will have spent three billions in foreign countries, and this Mr. Kracke says, is the greatest act of economic reconstructon performed by any one country since the armistice.

Our nation wide demand for raw materials and finished goods has been so great that foreign manufacturers and producers have been able to share with the people of this country the period of industrial and commercial prosperity.

This shows that our prosperity is for an era of international political uncertainties can disturb.

Also it shows that a reasonable tariff does not kill trade with foreign countries. If tax-free foreign goods could be dumped on the American market to the ruination of our own industries, the American laborer and American people would not have the money to buy foreign products to the great benifit of foreign nations, in any such quantities as they are now purchasing. By maintaining in any such quantities as they are now purchasing. By maintaining American industries on a prosper-ous basis, we not only help ourselves but foreign countries.

And only a short time back some of the scientist solemnly assured the world that the sun is losing its heat.

Oshkosh Northwestern.

Dr. Fosdik says the majority is wrong most of the time. That's what the Democrats have been contending for years.—Southern Lumberman.

Weak

Mrs. Mildred Pipkin, ct R. F. D. 8, Columbia, Tenn, says: "My experience v"b says: "My experience *b Cardui has covered a number of ears. Nineteen years ago . . I got down with weak back. nervous I had to stay in bed.

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and sent for it. I took only one bottle at that time, and it helped me; seemed to strengthen and build me right up. So that is how I first knew of Cardui. After that, ... who... I began to get weak and 'no account', I sent right for Cardui, and it never failed to help me."

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E. L. MAUPIN, See'y W. E. Caldwell Rebekah Lodge No

3 meets every Friday night. Mrs. VIRGIL WILBANKS, N. G. Mrs. L. S. CATOR, Sec'y.

W. O. W.

Palo Duro Camp No. 3353 meets the second and fourth Monday nights of each month.
V. W. WILBANKS, C. C.
J. E. WOMBLE, Clerk.

NO TRESPASSING

The public will please take notice that I will not allow hunting or fishing in my pasture on the Palo Duro, west of Spearman. Please obwest of Spearman. The this notice and avoid trouble p Mrs. JOS. W. JONES.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquar-ters before getting the wood, other-wise you will be treated as trespass-ers.

Positively no hunting allowed.
W. T. COBLE,
Owner of the Turkey Track Ranch.

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

No hunting or fishing will be al-lowed in the Diamond C pastures, on the headwaters of the Palo Duro. These lands are posted and trespass-ers will be processed. JAMES H. CATOR & SON.

HUNTERS TAKE NOTICE

Hunting will not be allowed in the VZ pasture, on the Palo Duro. Hunters will please take notice and avoid trouble, as I will positively prosecute all such as trespassers.

RUTLEDGE HENDERSON,

Manager. S. C. TYLER, Owner.

TO THE PUBLIC

Having posted my ranch lying in the northeast corner of Hansford county, along the Palo Duro creek, as required by the law of Texas, this is to specially call attention to any one fishing, hunting or trespassing in any way therein, that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

36t52* Owner of Palo Duro Ranch.

TO TRESPASSING

Trespassing will not be allowed on the Simmons ranch on the Palo Duro. Fishing and hunting is posi-tively forbidden. SAM ARCHER, Owner.

They say a mosquito can fly tea miles. Eut it isn't the distance he flies that bothers us. It's what he does when he stops.—El Paso Herald.

One danger in throwing your hat into the ring is that it gives people an opportunity to see what you had under it.—Little Rock Gazette.

Any man with an American \$20 bill is now a mllionaire in German marks. Give him another million and he will be a subject for charity.

—Boston Trascript.



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WILLINGNESS TO COOPERATE, REFRESHING
Active agitation has been carried as to launch the government into the field of crop insurance, but a report just issued by the Department sing the necessity for crop insurance companies which wrote agency, says:

"Among the difficulties would be that of fixing equitable rates which would be acceptable as such as between different localities and different farms. Great diversity in rates is unavoidable on account of differences in the hazards of climate, plant diseases, insect pests and other factors. The government would al-

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TRI STATE FAIR INTEREST GETS ADDED IMPETUS

Added impetus has been given the Amarillo Tri-State Exposition, according to reports reaching John B. Gilvin, secretary-manager. During the past few weeks he has visited a number of the Panhandle cities and many promises of exhibits have been received by him. O. V. Vernon, secretary of the Amarillo Board of City Development, has accompained him on a number of the trips.

Reservations were made a few days ago by the implement and machinery dealers. The way these booths were taken indicates the widespread interest by machinery concerns.

The county booths are expected to show the wonderful Panhandle crops. Agricultural exhibits will feature, as usual, in the county exhibits and already there is keen rivalry in the Panhandle among counties which declare that they will take the blue ribbons.

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ribbons.

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The desire of reason to become
soul.—Schleiermacher.
The life of which obedience is the
form—R. F. Robertson.
The deepest passion of the heart
of God—Rev. James Chapman.
The root of creation; the breath
of our being—Longfellow.
The only way which the world can
reach greatness—Dr. Macleod.
The spiritual union of the soul
with the beloved object—Dante.
The greatest instrument of nature,
the bond and cement of society, the
spirit and spring of universe—
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An antumnal creation deaf to advocacy, bind to other people's ideas of merit, and not a substance to weighted or numbered at all—Helps. A smoke made with fume of sighs a fire sparkling in lovers eyes; a sea nourished with lovers tears, a madness most discreet; a choking ball and preserving sweet—Shakespeare.

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UNREST IS CAUSED BY SPIRITUAL LIFE

One of Wichita's richest men saw a little girl, poorly dressed, standing at a display window of one of Wichita's leading cafes gazing wistfully at the good things to eat which were exhibited. The man's heart was touched. He approached her, touched her on the shoulder and asked her to tell him the circumstances of her parents. The little girl did and his heart was touched still further. The rich man pulled a package from his pocket, gave it to her and said; "Here, child I have more than I want. Give this to your mother and tell her it will last her a year." The mother unwrapped the package with trembing hands, after the girl came home. Inside the package lay a nice new calender.—Wichita Daily Eagle.

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FEED THE WHEAT TO THE-HOGS

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Former President Woodrow Wilson, writing under the eaption, "The next ninety days will present son, writing under the eaption," The however, be as a spiritually. This is the first time since his illness that Mr. Wilson has rande public his velws upon present and throughout the world. They will had been covers.

"In the dreadful and anxious days when all the world is at unrest, and look which way you will the road look which way you will the road look which way you will the road which portend dangers of many which portend dangers of the price of wheat. Got of the price of wheat illustration, the form and the price of the price of wheat is likely wears of the price of wheat. Got of the price of wheat is likely means of the price of the price of wheat is likely means of the price of the price of wheat. Got of the price of wheat. Got of the price of wheat is likely means of the price of the price of wheat. G

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TROUBLE COMES THICK AND FAST FOR CONEY SLAUGHTER

Suspicion of murder in Mexico and the fleecing of a sucker out of \$40,000 in a fake horse race at New Orleans, as well as the crime of wrecking the Mercantile National Bank of Pueblo, are laid at the door of Coney C. Slaughter.

The documents covered several thousand typewritten pages and give

C. Slaughter.

The documents covered several thousand typewritten pages and give an intimate word picture of how a C. C. Saughter, desperate, and houned constantly by unrelenting agents of the United States government, established himself at the head of desperadoes in the wilds of Senora, Mexicoo. They tell the story of of cattle rustling across the Rio Grande, and they give details of the murder of an emissary of the military commander of the district of Montezuma, State of Senora, Mexico.

Montezuma, State of Senora, Mexico.

The decision of Slaughter to plead guilty and accept responsibility for wrecking the bank was announced Saturday by Granby Hiller, United States District Attorney, after a series of conferences with the accused man. "Some one is responsible for the wrecking of the bank and it might as well be me," Slaughter said in reaching his decesion to plead guilty to federal indictments against him. "I spent eight years in dodging the law. During that time I have had many harrowing experiences. It is up to some one to accept responsibility for wrecking the bank, and I suppose I am the one who will have to bear the brunt of that burden. Trial for me is out of the question. My family is broke.—Denver Post.

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Rev. C. E. Hagemeier, the Nazar-ene pastor, will preach at the Meth-odist church in Spearman on next Sunday August 5, both morning and evening. Everybody is welcome.

Mrs. Agnes Hotchkiss and son from New York state, and Mrs. Chas. McKinney and children from Engle-wood, Kansas, are here this week visiting with their sister, Mrs. B. V.

We have plenty of threshing coal on hand with more coming. Will you need any coal for threshing? Place your order now and save money by taking it from the gar when it comes. WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

A gentleman from Oklahoma ap-A gentleman from Oklahoma appeared on the streets of Spearman with a queer looking package under his arm, which he said was a carburetor. He accidentally dropped the package and the carburetor was absorbed by the hot, dry ground at a rapid rate.

Fred W. Brandt is a member of the Perryton Gun Club and at the last shoot held Sunday afternoon pulled down a score of 24 out of 25, being one of the five high men. his individual score or standing is now .880 per cent, there being only two members of the club ahead of him.

J. Clyde Clouse of the Federa Reserve Bank of Dallas, spent several days in the city this week. Mr. Clouse is connected with the extension department and is making a general survey of the crop conditions throughout the panhandle. He reports that the Spearman country is showing up far ahead of most all sections which he has visited so far this season.

SECOND ANNUAL BANQUET OF PANHANDLE A. & M. MEN

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Arrangements are being made for the second Annual Banquet of the Panhandle students and ex-students of Texas A. & M. College to be held in Amarillo, Saturday September 1, 1923. The committees in charge are leaving nothing undone, and the A. & M. man who misses this "Feed" will miss the greatest time of his life since the "Fish" days.

It is to be clearly understood that every man who has attended Texas A. & M. College for a period of one year or more is eligible, and expected, to attend this Banquet.

The Big Question on the Farm?

What do you have the most invested in on your farm?—Your Machinery. You probably have from two to five thousand dollars worth of farm machinery that will last from two to five years without shelter, while you can use this same machinery for a lifetime if it is kept under cover when not in use.

Why give all your profit to the implement manufacturer? An inexpensive implement shed will make you money every year. See what we have to offer. We are always glad to help plan your building and help you select the material.

Panhandle Lumber Company

Phone No. 2

more cars of coal. We now have all kinds. Better see us and have that supply laid in for the winter. WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

J. G. George and A. D. Jones were here from Liberal, Kansas, Thursday, Mr. George to look after his farming interests out east of town, and Mr. Jones was looking after seed wheat for next year's crop. The Liberal country was hit hard on the wheat proposition this year and seed wheat is scarce in that section.

Jack Evans and Joe Woodard, who are pushing the sale of the Buick automobiles and Allis-Chalmers tractors in the Spearman country, reporties ale of a big rig to John N. Stump of the Wawaka community. Farmers of the Spearman country are equipping their farms with the latest and most improved farm machinery.

also have for sale one Ford true Will sell the truck on time or w wrater trade the same for cattle. See phone, Lieb route, L. W. MATHEWS, Spearman, Texas.

I have moved my shoe repair shop to the new building just completed by Burk Boland, next door to the I. O. O. F. hall, where I will be glad to serve my customers in the future. Bring me the old shoes and I will make them new again.

DOC HAAS, Shoe Doctor.

We have received a new car this week of Texas cedar post, they sure are dandy ones. Be sure and see these before doing any fencing. We also handle all kinds of barb and WOVEN WIFE WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

TEAMS AND TRUCK FOR SALE

Having rented my farm, I have for sale several good teams of horses and mules. I will sell these teams on six or twelve months time. I also have for sale one Ford truck. Will sell the truck on time or will trade the same for cattle. See or phone Ligh route.

THRESHING MACHINE COAL

Scott Brothers Elevator, Spearman

I am opening up the Simpsor Wagon Yard in Spearman and will conduct the same ir first class manner. When in town stop with me. Good stalls or lots with plenty of Feed and Water.

L. M. ANDREWS.

Spearman Texas.

NOTICE FOR BIDS

The trustees of common school district No. 14, Hansford county, Texas will accept sealed bids on the old Lakeside school house, until August 10, 1923, reserving the right to reject any or all bids.

W. W. GROOMS,
T. K. WINTERS,
W. L. HARRIS,
Trustees.

AUCTION SALE

WE WILL SELL FOR

B. V. ANDREWS

At his farm, eight miles north and four miles west of Spearman, in the Kimbal community , on

luesday Aug. 14, 1923

Beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., the following property:

The ALLIS-CHALMERS Tractor

It is a settled fact that no Tractor can be better built than an

Allis-Chalmers

Ask us about these real Tracrors; investigate their merits and then try one on your farm.

They do the job right; ask the man who owns one.

Terms if you desire.

Panhandle Motor Co. SPEARMAN and GUYMON

24 HEAD OF COWS AND YEARLINGS

About 10 head of good milk cows. Four two-year-old steers. Three two-year-old heifers. Four yearling steers. Three yearling heifers.

FARM MACHINERY

One almost new 3½ inch wagon with 12-foot box; one good 3¼ inch wagon; one good 3 inch wagon, with good grain boxes; one feed wagon with high and low wheels; one 18-hole Peora grain drill; one align new; one 14-hole Van Brunt grain drill; one disc harrow with tandem attachment; one disc; one 4-disc Sanders plow; one 3-disc Emerson plow; one two-row wheat land Emerson lister with planter attachments; one single row lister; one two-row lister cultivator;

Two sets of harness with breeching and good col-lars; four or five sets of good chain harness; one saddle,, bridle and blanket; saws, hammers and tools;

One cook stove; one heater; one bedstead; one sanitary couch; some new lumber, one log chain and many other things too numerous to mention.

WORK STOCK

One team, mare and horse, weight 1500 pounds, smooth mouth.

One team horses, weight 1350 pounds, smooth

One team of mules, weight 1250 pounds, 11 and 12 years old.

One mule, weight 1150 pounds, 11 years old. One team of horses, weight 1350 pounds, five and six years old.

One horse, weight 1200 pounds, eight years old.
One team of horses, weight 1050 pounds, five and six years old.

One team of mares, weight 1350 pounds, seven years old.

Three fillies, unbroke, weight 1200 pounds, three years old.
Two horses, unbroke, weight 1100 pounds, three and four years old.

One gray mare with mule colt, weight 950 pounds, eight years old.

One bay saddle horse, gentle.

Three yearling colts.

One roan mare, weight 950 pounds, six years old. One horse, well broke, weight 1000 pounds, six years old.

TERMS:—On amount of \$10 and under, cash; on amounts of more than \$10 a credit of 3 months from date; 5 per cent discount for cash. All property must be settled for before being removed from the premises.

Jamison & Saulsbury,

AUCTIONEERS

Free Lunch at Noon Bring a Cup

First National Bank of Spearman, Clerk.



CORN BINDERS

tomers To TRINDERS help you to save money.

Our facilities are such that we can investigate any sound proposition that might be mentioned to you; and we will be very glad to render you the service and to advise with you in regard to any part of your business.

The First National Bank

of SPEARMAN

THE B. V. ANDREWS **BIG AUCTION SALE**

All Arrangements are Made for a Big Sale at the Andrews Farm, North of Spearman Next Tuesday

What will likely be one of the big-What will likely be one of the biggest and best aution sales of the season is booked for next Tuesday, Aggust 14, at the B. V. Andrews farm, four miles west and eight miles north of Spearman. Jamison and Saulsbury will cry the sale and the First National bank of Spearman will furnish the clerk. A feature will be the big free lunch. Mr. Andrews is offering some mighty fine farm stock and machinery, on good time, and it is expected that a large crowd will be in attendance. If you need good work stock, hogs or farm machinery it will pay you well to attend the Andrews sale on it research and the sale of the sale of

Typewrter ribbons and carbon pa-er for sale at the Reporter office.

GRAIN GRAIN GRAIN

You have the GRAIN. You expect to sell the grain and pay your debts or make in-restments which you have planned beforehand.

BUT! Suppose that grain should burn either in the field or after it is placed in the granary? Your year's work is all gone within the space of a few min-

on grain standing in the field, in shocks and stacks, and in the Ask us about it.

HANSFORD ABSTRACT COMPANY

BUSINESS HOUSES CLOSE THIS AFTERNOON

Out of respect to the Nation's departed Chief Executive, Warren G. Harding, all business houses in the town of Spearman, Texas, will be closed for one hour today, Friday, August 10, 1923, from three to four o'clock standard central time. The postoffice has instructions to close during that time. It is a fitting tribute that we can pay to the departed president and it is hoped that all will observe this one hour, during the funeral of Mr. Harding.

A post card from Postmaster Claude P. Ellis, written somewhere in Oregon, states that he and his family are enjoying their trip im-mensely and that the scenery is

Dr. and Mrs. Jarvis and children Gerald and Rosaline, came over from Perryton Sunday and spent the day at the Sid Powers home at old Hans-ford. Claude Powers came along with them for a visit to his brother. Claude is farming near Peryyton.

Miss Theola Marable, known to Spearman folks as one of the operators in the central telephone office at Guymon, was in the city Monday accompanied by Howell Marable, her brother, a prominent farmer of the Lieb community, with whom she is spending her vacation.

Chas. Rogers, prosperous farmer of north Hutchinson county, recently added a Fordson tractor to his already splendid farming equipment, and Chas. Hitt is sporting a brand new Ford truck. Both of these vehicles were purchased through our local dealer R. W. Morton.

Jack Langston and family passed through Spearman Wednesday, enroute to Guymon, where they wil. visit old-time friends and relatives for a month. Jack is well known in this section. He was a resident of Guymon for many years, and was interested in many business enterprises of that place. He is now engaged in the drug business and is mayor of Healdton, Oklahoma.

Good to the Last Drop

That's how you'll find any Soft Drink you get at our fountain.

On a warm day there is nothing so cooling and refreshing as a dish of our wonderfully good Ice Cream, flavored to your liking with any one of many Pure Fruit Flavors.

Hale Drug

The Rexall Store SPEARMAN, TEXAS

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas.

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hutchinson County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs at law of M. E. Cannon.

Deceased whose names and You are hereby commanded to summon the heirs at law of M. E. Cannon, Deceased, whose names and residences are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hutchinson County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in the town of Plemons, on the second Monday in October, A. D., 1923, being the 8th day of October, A. D., 1923, being the 8th day of October, A. D., 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in the said court on the 20th day of July, A. D., 1923, in a suit numbered 519 on the docket thereof, wherein C. C. Freeman and W. H. Black are plaintiffs and the heirs of M. E. Cannon, Deceased, are the defendants; the cause of action being and filed information against Pat Walsh, charging the latter with rape. The accusation is based on a statement of Mr. Parker's 15-year-old daughter. A few hours afterward information was filed against Mrs. Homer Davis, charging her with being an accomplice in the rape case. Sheriff Richardson immediately placed Walsh under arrest and Deputy Carter of Ochitree county arrested Mrs. Davis. The accused parties eached waived preliminary hearing, and were placed under bond by Judge Townsend, he in the sum of \$5,000 and she in the sum of sum of \$5,000 and she in the sum of sum of \$5,000 and she in the sum of

bond by Judge Townsend, he in the sum of \$5.000 and she in the sum of \$2,000, to appear before the grand jury of Hemphill county, which con-venes on next Monday, August 13. Judge Townsend and Sheriff Richardyour on next Monday, August 13.
Judge Townsend and Sheriff Richardson made a trip to Canadian and Pampa on Monday to confer with District Judge Ewing and District Attorney Holmes in regard to the case. A charge of this nature takes precedence over all matters, without it be first degree murder, and may be brought before any grand jury within the judicial district in which the offense is alleged to have been committed. These cases will likely be heard by the Hemphill county Grand Jury on next Tuesday, and as they have a four weeks' term of court there, if indictments are found, the cases will probably be called for trial during the third week of court. The accused parties have made bond and are at liberty, Bum Douglas and Homer Davis furnishing bond for Walsh and Bob and Sam Archer furnishing bond for Mrs. Davis. Walsh is also under \$1,000 bond on a charge of violating the prohibition laws and is to appear before the next Hansford county grand jury. He came here several weeks ago from Amarillo as an automobile salesman and has enjoyed a good business. Mr and Mrs. Geo. Parker, parents of Mary Parker, were called to Oklahoma last week on account of illness of a daughter. During their absence Mary was left at home and was visiting at the home of a neighbor. During the day the deed was alleged to have been committed, Pat Walsh and Mrs. Homer Davis went to the angelbare home and pay home and took Mary to the paying the payi

alleged to have been committed, Pat Walsh and Mrs. Homer Davis went Walsh and Mrs. Homer Davis went to the neighbors home and took Mary Parker with them to the Davis home. Afterwards they drove to Spearman, and in the evening returned to the Davis home, Walsh and Mary Parker going alone in one car and Mrs. Davis and Henry Crawford, with the small children of Mrs Davis, going in another car. The alleged assault tookplace somewhere near the Black school house.

If the allegations are provided went of the second sec

If the allegations are proven true, If the allegations are proven true, this is the most revolting crime ever committed in this section of the country. In the eyes of the law a man is innocent until he is proven guilty; the burden of proof rests on the state. But the disgusting nature of this alleged offense against not only the laws of the country, but a gainst every edict of common decency, has prompted a firm resolve of our officers to see that this case is investigated to the very depths.

Misses Bernice Burran and Gayle Little visited at Booker Monday.

Commissioner Brooks was in from his ranch on the Cold Water Monday.

Edgar Womble, local implement dealer, visited Amarillo the first of the week.

James H. Cator and son James F., and W. B. Hart were among the up the Palo Duro ranchmen in the city Monday.

Dick Twyman, manager of the L S ranch, on the Canadian in Hutchinson county, was in the city Sunday, looking after business matters.

When you need coal be sure and y that famous Golden Glow lump

When you need coal be sure and try that famous Golden Glow lump just received at the WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Buchanan returned the latter part of last week from a weeks' vacation in Colorado and New Mexico. They report an enjoyable outing.

We have just received a car of sugar, Red Star flour, and salt. Let us figure your bills on everything to eat and wear.

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W. J. Gaddy, who is operating an independent threshing outfit, has threshed 18700 bushels of grain for C. F. Mahan and at the last report was working on the Ernest Wilbanks crop.

STRAYED, from my place in Hutchinson county, one black mare mule. This mule has been gone about four weeks. If seem care word at the Report of me or leave the lea



ly and late. As usual the to t of water. But we had dist at this dark hour a wide saiesman of Allis-Chalmers tractors. Joe Woodward, the saiesman, drove an Allis-Chalmers tractor up to the pump house and told the boys in charge to hook on. They quickly spliced out a belt to the proper length, slipped the same on the oen wheel and Joe pulled in the ciutch and throttled her down. That old pump began to rattle and bang, riepity-flop. It likewise began to throw a steady stream of water into the supply tank. Forty hours without a stop—without even a moments' nesitancy—that Allis-Chalmers ran as smoothly as a watch and that old pump was kept going until a fairly Mesman of Allis-Chalmers tractors as smoothly as a watch and that old pump was kept going until a fairly good supply of water was on hand an the supply tank. Then Mr. Woodward removed his tractor and the boys repaired the engine and set it to work. Of course it will get out of order again within a distressingly short time and we will be out of water. But the mayor and councilmen are doing all in their power to adjust the matter of the sale of the city bonds, and when this is accomplished we will soon have our municipal light and water plant. Then spearman will be sitting on top of the world.

Ernest Spivey and children were in from the Woodrow community Tuesday.

Misses Lorene, Lois and Anna Lee Morton are visiting with relatives and friends at their old home town, Dumas, this week.

Mrs. H. E. James and the children are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Estlack, at Greensburg,

J. C. Heim owner of the farm on which J. F. Burner produced a record breaking wheat crop this year, was here last week looking after his in-terests.

We have just received a car of sugar, Red Star flour, and salt. Let us figure your bills on everything to the and wear.

P. M. MAIZE & CO.

Rufus Raney, linotype operator on the Greensburg, Kansas, Signal, came down Saturday and spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Raney.

L. B. Killibrew and son T. C. Killibrew arrived from Arkansas Monday to look after their interests in this section of the country. They own several sections of plains land and were out to look it over.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Winder and Mrs. Kelly Bennett and son John Jr., were in from their home out west of town Monday. Mr. Winder reports that he has finished harvesting and would begin threshing Tuesday.

While running a combine on the farm of Ted Rosenbaum, near old Hansford on last Friday afternoon, C. O. Collard was thrown from the machine when the team became unmanageable, and is quite painfully injured. He is improving slowly, and was in town Monday.

Travis Hazelwood has taken the agency for the Oldsmobile and is announcing the fact in this issue of the Reporter. The "Olds" is a dandy car and "Trav" is a rustler, so we see no reason why the combination shouldn't work harmoniously and to the mutual advantage of all concerns.



JAMISON & SAULSBURY

AUCTIONEERS

We grow orus. secessful experience with Land, Live years. Experience is teaching the raimer and Stockman of the Southwest that diversification pays.

Chickens, Hogs and a few milk cows will make any industrious farmer a living and the money crop, when it comes in, is clear of any lien for living expenses. Let us profit by Experience.

Guaranty State Bank

SPEARMAN, TEXAS

Typewriter ribbons and Carbon HANSFORD COUNTY paper for sale at the Reporter Office.

Hayden Hart returned last week from Kansas City where he accom-pained a shipment of fat cow's re-cently.

Star Harbison has sold his big International truck to Luther Cline and his Ford truck to Delon Kirk and has quit the freighting business.

We have just received a car of sugar, Red Star flour, and salt. Let us figure your bills on everything to eat and wear.

P. M. MAIZE & CO.

Miss Jewell Brockman came from her home in north Hutchinson county the first of the week and is a guest of her sister Mrs. Buck Stanhope, at their ranch home north of Spear-

The Wilbanks Brothers threshing The Wilbanks Brothers threshing rig is just beginning on the crop of Vernon Compton 20 miles southwest of Spearman. Many farmers have told us that this was the best wheat in the Spearman country this year, and some have guessed the yield at as high as 35 bushels per acre. Vernon has 700 acres, and it is all good, but the threshermen report that they have not yet run through enough to tell the yield per acre.

G. W. Burrow, who owns and operates a fine farm out 25 miles northwest of Spearman, brought two stalks of cotton to the Reporter office on Tuesday of this week, which look very much like they grew way down in the cotton-raising country. The stalks were thirty inches high and loaded with bolls, squares and blooms, about 70 to each stalk. Mr. Burrow has about 125 acres of cotton on his farm this year. Of this 50 acres were planted early, and is exceptionally fine. It was all planted from May 28 to June 22. It is all fine, but that planted on May 28 shows the best prospects at present. It looks now like we really have a cotton country here, and it is high time to begin talking about a gin. Bob Morton, who has boosted cotton raising here more than any other one man, has a nice patch on his farm between Spearman and old Hansford. Geo. W. Fullbright has some nice cotton and there are many other fields. Seventy-five cent wheat will have a tendency to increase the cotton acreage next year.

SINGING CONVENTION

Next Quarterly Meeting Will be Held at the Woodrow School House on August 26—Big Crowd Expected

August 26—Big Crowd Expected
The Hansford County Singing Convention will hold its next quarterly meeting on the last Sunday in August, the 26th, at the Woodrow school house, seventeen miles west of Spearman. This meeting is being held one week earlier than the regular schedule, in order that it may not come after the beginning of several schools. Don't be confused about the date—Sunday, August 26. Great preparations are being made for this meeting of the association and it is expected to be a record breaker in attendance and general interest. Dinner will be served on the ground and the good women folks out that way have the reputation of being excellent cooks. Classes from Lieb, Texhoma and Guymon are expected, which will add materially to the already excellent singing. The Reporter editor expects to attend, but promises not to attempt to sing. We are going to listen and year.

The Jordan Motor Company, Guy-mon carries parts for all magnetos. Phone No. 70.

You Can Stand Hot Weather

much better if your liver and bowels are functioning properly—but don't take harsh, weakening purgatives.



NYAL

Clears the liver and rids the bowels of irritating, poisonous accumulations. Helps to ward off and to bring relief from Rheumatism and Auto-intoxication, to banish the gloom of billousness, and to correct the effects of dietary errors.

HILLHOUSE DRUG COMPANY

To loan on farms and ranches in Hansford. Hutchinson and Ochiltree counties. Interest rate down with all other lines of business and options of settlement satisfactory.

The best line of Farm and Ranch land ever offered in this section of the country and on terms never offered before. Busines lots, residence lots and acreage. We have

Will buy and Exchange VENDOR'S LIEN NOTES:

J. R. COLLARD

Real Estate, Loans, Insurance

Spearman, Texas

P. M. MAIZE & CO.

SPEARMAN, TEXAS

The Best of Shoes for Less Money

money in the enorthous decrease and field and there is a feeling of confi-dence on every hand.—Panhandle Herald.

POLAND CHINA BREEDER VISITS SPEARMAN

THE SPEARMAN REPORTER ANY ORANKELLY.

The production capacity. But this does not mean that the field is yet uncertain for the construction of a pipe line. It is a well established fact now that the Carson-Hutchinson oil field is to be a big producer and only time is needed to make it one of the several large producing fields in Taxas. Circumstances have been such that the development of the field has been extremely slow. The cost of putting down these test wells have been considerable, and with no pipe line to enable the marketing of the sol make to fine and number of the delay in development of the sol oil, development must of necessity be slow. And now to add further to the delay in development of the sol oil wills in Carson and Hutchinson counties. In most of these wells pay oil sand has been touched and there are now about six of these wells known to have a producing capacity of not less than 200 barrels per day. It is believed by many well informed oil men that either of the wells will produce now from 500 to 1000 barrels daily, but owing to the fact that no pipe line has yet been laid to the wells in order to furnish marketing that for the construction of a pipe line to an enable the marketing of not less than 200 barrels per day.

It is believed by many well informed oil men that either of the wells will produce now from 500 to 1000 barrels daily, but owing to the fact that no pipe line has yet been laid to the wells in order to furnish marketing that the vicinity of Panhandle. The town will not have a mushroom grow that so the fact that no pipe line has yet been laid to the wells in order to furnish marketing that the case where an oil field is developed, but according to the fact that as is usually the case where an oil field is developed, but according to the fact has a substitution to the fact that no pipe line has yet been laid to the work will not have a mushroom grow that so the field has each of the fact that and pipe line has yet been laid to the work will not have a mushroom grow that has been



A BIG TIME AT PICNIC ON THE PALO DURO

This Man Has Sold Poland China
Hogs all Over the Southwest,—
Arranging to bring hogs Here

Many People Attended the Two Day
Picnic on the Palo Duro North of
Spearman Friday and Saturday

Spearman Friday and Saturday

The picnic held at the Stanhope ranch on the Palo Duro last Friday and Saturday was well attended and everyone reports a most enjoyable time. This a fine place for a picnic. The shade is excellent, plenty of fine fresh water is near at hand and there is open space for the sports. The rodeo attractions at this gathering attracted unusual attention and vere up to the standard in every rect. There were races, roping, iding and many cowboy stunts of a thrilling nature. In the calf roping Marshal Cator won first prize and Dan McAnally, second. Broncho riding with saddle, Alva Duncan won irst, and Howard Hand, second. Circingle riding, Harry Coffee, first and Alva Duncan, second. In the saddle horse races, Alva Duncan took first money. In the tournament riding, Chas. Riley won first money. The string of shows at this picnic were above the average and were clean entertainments throughout, and conducted in a pleasing manner. It was a fine picnic in every respect an ice way and manner.

We have received a new car this

and other Summer wearables, which will be interesting to the ladies.

... UNGANDIES

CALL AND SEE.

Blake's Cash Dry Goods Everything Spearman Texas Store New

horns an' fire. We don't work no more dan two hours out of da twenty fo down heah. But tell me an' how is it with you yonder?"
"Mah goodness, nigger! We has to git up at fo' in de mawnin' an' gathah in de stahs, den we has to haul in de moon an' hang out de sun. Den we has ter roll de clouds around and you long."

day long."

"But, Sam, how comes it you has ter work so hard?"

"Well, to tell de truf, Rastus, we's kin' o' short of help up heah."

A GOOD FAIR WILL HELP ANY COMMUNITY

HELP ANY COMMUNITY

It was a fine picnic in every respect and gotten up and conducted in a nice way and manner.

We have received a new car this week of Texas cedar post, they sure are dandy ones. Be sure and see these before doing any fencing. We also handle all kinds of barb and woven wire

WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

SHORT OF HELP

It semed that when Rastus and Sam died they took different routes, "Rastus," he said, "how you like it down thar?"

"Oh boyl. Dis heah am some place," replied Rastus," All we have to do is to wear a red suit with red

HELP ANY COMMUNITY

A good county fair will help any community. Fairs are for everybody and each and every citizen should look upon them as our fairs. They are just as good and big as we should look upon them as our fairs and say, "I can beat that," we indict ourselves for neglect of duty. Don't lets stand off and scoff. Fairs are a good thing. Lets help them along. If we contribute to our church, patronize our school, or deposit in our banks, we take more interest and pride in these institutions, and we become better citizens by doing so. It is the same with fairs when we exhibit at them and thus contribute to their success.

If no plans have been made for a community fair in your section, why

D. C. BOLAND The Painter

All kinds of painting, paper hanging, varnishing, staining and decorating

Re-finishing cars and Furniture.

AUCTION SALE

WE WILL SELL FOR

C. S. GLADWELL

at the Dave Hester Farm, 18 miles Southwest of Spearman, on

Tuesday, Aug. 21

Beginning at 10 oclock a. m., the following property:

WORK STOCK

One span gray horses, five years old, weight 1400 One extra good brood sow, full blood Duroc. Ten nice shoats, weight about ninety pounds each.

One span gray horses, 7 and 9 years old, weight 1200 pounds each.

One span black horsas, eight years old, weight 1200 pounds each.

One gray mare, seven years old, weight 1100
pounds, colt by side.
One black mare, seven years old, weight 1200
pounds.
One black mare, seven years old, weight 1050 pounds.
One black mare, three years old, weight 1350
pounds.
One black mare, nine years old, weight 1000
pounds, mule colt by side.
One black mare, nine years old, colt by side.
One yearling mule.

FARM MACHINERY

One 12-foot McCormick header, in good shape.
One 12-hole New Peoria grain drill, good as net One Godevil.
A big lot of chain harness.
One good R. T. Frasier saddle.
Two header barges.

HOGS

CHICKENS

One span of black mares, eight years old, weight 1200 pounds each. One of these mares has mule colt by side.

About 200 Brown Leghorn hens and pullets, all well bred from full-blood stock.

100 Black Bronz Turkeys—two full blood Toms.

One yearling mule.
One yearling filly.
One yearling horse.
One good three--year-old Jack—a real good one.
One kid pony, seven years old, an extra good one.

TERMS:-On amounts of \$10 and under, cash; on amounts of more than \$10 a credit of 12 months time will be given, purchaser to give note with approved security bearing 10 per cent interest from date; 5 per cent discount for cash. All property must be settled for before being removed from the

Jamison & Saulsbury,

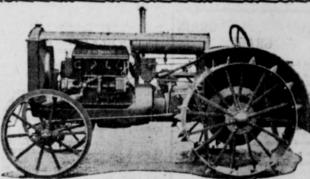
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FREE LUNCH AT NOON Roast Beef, Coffee, Buns.

Guaranty State Bank of Spearman, Clerk

Farmers

of keen business judgment--- who can afford to pay more -- pre-



The ALLIS-CHALMERS Tractor

It is a settled fact that no Tractor can be better built than an

Allis-Chalmers

Ask us about these real Tracrors; investigate their merits and then try one on your farm.

They do the job right; ask the man who owns one.

Terms if you desire.

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SPEARMAN and GUYMON



CORN BINDERS

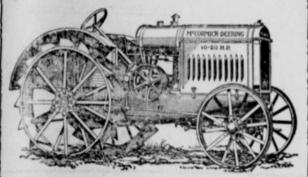
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FARM WAGONS

TRACTORS, ENGINES

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hutchinson County—Greeting: To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hutchinson County—Greeting:
You are nereby commanded to summon the heirs at law of M. E. Cannon, Deceased, whose names and residences are unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Hutchinson County, Texas, to be held at the court house thereof, in the town of Plemons, on the second Monday in October, A. D., 1923, being the 8th day of October, A. D., 1923, then and there to answer a petition filed in the said court on the 20th day of July, A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered 519 on the docket thereof, wherein C. C. Freeman and W. H. Black are plaintiffs and the heirs of M. E. Cannon, Deceased, are the defendants; the cause of action being alleged as follows:

That on the first day of January, A. D. 1923, the plaintiffs were and now are lawfully seized and possessed of the tracts of land nerematter described, situated in the said county of Hutchinson and State of Texas, holding the same in fee simple; that on the day and year last aforesaid, defendants entered upon said premises and ejected the piaintiffs thereirom and unlawfully with-holds from plaintiffs the possession thereof to the tracts of the premises so entered upon and unawfully with-near by derendants of the day and year last aforesaid, defendants of the day and year last aforesaid of the tracts of land nerendants of the day and year last aforesaid of the tracts of land of premises and ejected the piaintiffs thereirom and unlawfully with-holds from plaintiffs the possession thereof to the premises so entered upon and unawfully with-near by derendants of the day and year last aforesaid as follows:

First tract: All of Section No. 78. Block "BP. Cartificate No. 78.

The fund committee is composed and the plaintiffs are known and described as follows:

First tract: All of Section No. 73, Block "R", Certificate No. 73, Block "R", Certificate No. 73, G B & C N G Ry. Co. original grantee, containing 640 acres of land, more or less; and

Section No. 76, Block "R" Certificate No. 72, G B & C N G Ry. Co., original grantee, containing 480 acres of land, more or less;

Plaintiffs claim title to the above described tracts of land under a regular chain of title by deeds of conveyance executed to Charence Gatlin, dated on the 29th day of July, 1916, by Luther E. Cannon, whitam A. Cannon, Louisa Sullivan, a widow, Sarak Curry, C. N. Curry, Nancy Pierson, Irwin Pierson, Sarah Garrett, a widow, Ella Spaw, John Spaw, Fanny Smith and Charlie Smith, said deed de loing executed by said grantors as the heirs at law of the said M. E. Cannon Deceased, and the plaintiffs allege that they claimed title to said uracts of land by regular chain of transfers from said deed of conveyance, and that prior to the death of the said M. E. Cannon be the said M. E. Cannon be the said M. E. Cannon becaused for the proposed improvements will be about \$4,000, and this sum will be about \$ July, 1916, by Luther E. Cannon, whitam A. Cannon, Louisa Sulivan, a widow, Sarah Curry, C. N. Curry, Nancy Pierson, Irwin Pierson, Sarah Garrett, a widow, Ella Spaw, John Spaw, Fanny Smith and Charlie Smith, said deed being executed by said grantors as the heirs at law and the only heirs at law of the said M. E. Cannon Deceased, and the plaintiffs allege that they claimed title to said tracts of land by regular chain of transfers from said deed of conveyance, and that prior to the death of the said M. E. Cannon held the legal title to said tracts of land, that he died intestate before the execution of said deed of conveyance and that the said dracts of land, that he died intestate before the execution of said deed of conveyance and that the said grantors from said deed of conveyance, and that prior to the death of the said M. E. Cannon, he, the said M. E. Cannon held the legal title to said tracts of land, that he died intestate before the execution of said deed of conveyance and that the said grantors in said deed of conveyance, were his heirs and his only heirs at law and and that said deed of conveyance, were his heirs and assigns against all persons claiming under the said M. E. Cannon as his heirs at law or otherwise, which title the plaintiffs herein now hold. Plantins further show that the defendants herein claim title to said land, if at all, as the heirs at law of



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WHEREFORE, plaintiffs pray that the defendants be cited as the law directs to answer this petition, and that polanitiffs have judgment for premises; that the cloud upon their title, if any, be removed; that the court find and establish herein that the grantors in said deed of conveyance. The said M. E. Cannon, Deceased, if any other than the grantors in said deed of conveyance. WHEREFORE, plaintiffs pray that the defendants be cited as the law directs to answer this petition, and that polanitiffs have judgment for premises; that the cloud upon their title, if any, be removed; that the court find and establish herein that the grantors in said deed of conveyance. The said is the proper said that polanitiffs have judgment for premises; that the cloud upon their title, if any, be removed; that the care the proper said the proper said that polanitiffs have judgment for premises; that the cloud upon their title, if any, be removed; that the court find and establish herein that the date of the care that the proper said the proper said the prope



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they content us.

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And of course there are elements of excess that injure simplicity as they injure other things. In the old country phase "simple" meant "feebleminded," and we all have a certain prejudice against simplicity in that sense. Also, there is what the French call so aptly "simplesse," the effort at simplicity, the labored affection of it, which is one of the most repellant things in the world. The truth is that highly civilized, analytical sophisticated spirits cannot easily maintain simplicity. They may worship it, but they can hardly achieve it, or re-acheive it, in its exquisite white innocence and its adorable charm. But with a reasonable effort they can at least keep before them the ideal eschewing the artificial, the elaborate, the pretentious, and seeking, so far as possible directness and lucidity of thought

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EARLY DAYS ON OLD ROCKING CHAIR RANCH

The magazine section of the Fort

The magazine section of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram on Sunday, July 16 contained a page story of the famous Rocking Chair Ranch of Collingsworth county, and several illustrations; one of them being a photograph of Capt. G. W. Arrington, once manager of the ranch (recently passed away at his home in anadian;) another photograph was of Jeff Kelley, formerly of Collingsworth county, now of Wheeler county. This is a story well worth reading and is full of historical facts.

"The old rancher jerked the lines taut. The two ponies he was driving stopped with a terrific joit to the wagon, which aroused the Honorable Archibald John Majorbanks from his sonorous slumbers. Archie surveyed his surroundings. For miles and miles in every direction there was grass-covered prairie, and off in the distance beneath the glaring light of the Texas sun were sparkling lakes and beautiful white towered cities—mirage. Even Archie had learned to discredit such apparitions, however, and he thought only of that endless stretch of prarie, and of the rambling unpainted ranch house at the head of Elm before which they had stopped.

This was the first camp of the Rocking Chair Ranch. In the back of his head he vaguely remembered that this was to be the center of the biggest venture Tweedmouth and Aberdeen had yet attempted.

Then Archie caught sight of the old rancher who had climbed out of the wagon.

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gins, took him snipe hunting, and staged a badger fight for his benefit, and the border toughs bulled him. They were known to charge down on him at full gallop yelling like wild Indians, shoot around his feet or head, cursing until the air was blue, for no other reason evidently than to satisfy themselves that they were as good as the noblemen.

The center of the glory and power

The center of the glory and power of this vast estate was to be Aberdeen, a town settled by remittance men. The town was made up of the younger sons, a sprinkling of native cowboys and a few imported Mexicans. Younger sons were sent out to make their fortunes, and wayward sons were sent out to be gotten rid of. The old Aberdeen was a mixture of adobe mansions, rudely constructed shacks, unpretentious dugouts, all clustered about a big ranch house where the Englishmen had their house parties. Aberdeen was a town, not much of a town it is true, but a town before homesteaders began to venture as far from civilization. But it was not so many years before pioneers began to push out to the West; covered wagons soon dotted the plains and hardy folks who follow frontiers filed on alternate sections of school land that was to make their children's children fortunes.

Many are the stories told of the jokes the cowboys played on the Englishmen, for the Eglishmen were the butts of all the fun of the neighborhood which embraces several hundred square miles. The "boys up the creek" mavericked the Rocking Chair cattle and made a joke of it, and the hardened old co-manager himself, an experienced cattleman and toughened to the trail, mavericked a 100 to the settlers' one.

They all stole from the Rockers. ... ocking chair money came in a steady golden stream, so why not? Archie did not care; apparently nobody cared. There were squatters on alternate school sections, and there were nesters up on Elm. They could always sell to the Rockers, and get paid in coin of the realm. They drove bunches down, counted them and got their money. Then they drove them over the hill and threw them into the pasture; another outfit took them, drove them around from the other side, sold them and got tree money as econd time. This process was sometimes repeated until the same bunch of cattle had been sold four or five times.

A story was told of one of the boys who branded 30 calves in the spring. Somebody said to him, "Why where did you get those c

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Hunting will not be allowed in the VZ pasture, on the Palo Duro. Hunters will please take notice and avoid trouble, as I will positively prosecute all such as trespassers. RUTLEDGE HENDERSON, Manager.

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TO THE PUBLIC

Having posted my ranch lying in the northeast corner of Hansford county, along the Palo Duro creek, as required by the law of Texas, this is to specially call attention to any one fishing, hunting or trespassing in any way therein, that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

GUS B. COOTS,

36t52 Owner of Palo Duro Ranch.

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OLD SETTELERS PLAN FIDDLERS' CONTEST HERE

An old fiddlers contest will be a feature of the Panhandle Old Settlers Association, which will meet in Amarillo Wednesday, September 26, in connection with the Amarillo Tri-State Exposition.

President G. A. F. Parker of Hereford, who was president of the association the last time it met in Amarillo in 1917 at the old Panhandle State Fair, has called the meeting and he is hopeful that the old timers will come here by the hundreds. The old fiddlers' contest was held at the final fair in 1917 and proved an unsual success. Fiddlers from Oklahoma, New Mexica and Texas will be invited.

T. F. Turner of Amarilla who is the safe of the safe

usual success. Fiddlers from Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas will be invited.

T. F. Turner of Amarillo, who is also president of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Society, said that his organization probably would have a meeting during the fair. He has written letters to three former Panhandle men to come to the exposition. Jim East, sheriff of Oldham county from 1882 to 1886 and now resident of Douglas, Ariz., has been invited. He was a noted Panhandle peace officer and assisted in running down "Billy the Kid," a notorious bandit. Dr. Henry F. Hoyt of Long Beach, Cal., who came to the Panhandle in 1877, has received a letter from Judge Turner. He found that the Panhandle was so healthy that he became a cowboy on the LX ranch to make a living.

Charles A. Siringo of Los Angeles, formerly of the LX ranch and now a famous writer, is being asked here for the Old Settlers' meeting. His writings on the west are held unusually accurate and interesting.

SOLVING THE WHEAT PROBLEM

While it is true that the wheat situation of today is very unsatisfactory, it is also true that the wheat farmer is getting more than his share of advice. Much is being said about reducing the acreage, diversification, rotation, better seed and more livestock, all of which is good. But the wheat farmer is not going to get much outside help—he must depend on himself, pretty much, to solve his and the supply exceeds the demand. The price is down and no immediate relief is in sight. Much can be done to relieve the situation, however, through more orderly marketing. Federal statistics show that during

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One cook stove; one heater; one bedstead; one sanitary couch; some new lumber, one log chain and many other things too numerous to mention.

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One team, mare and horse, weight 1500 pounds, smooth mouth.

One team horses, weight 1350 pounds, smooth

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One mule, weight 1150 pounds, 11 years old.

One team of horses, weight 1350 pounds, five and six years old.

One horse, weight 1200 pounds, eight years old.
One team of horses, weight 1050 pounds, five and six years old.

One team of mares, weight 1350 pounds, seven years old.

Three fillies, unbroke, weight 1200 pounds, three

years old.
Two horses, unbroke, weight 1100 pounds, three and four years old.
One gray mare with mule colt, weight 950 pounds, eight years old.

One bay saddle horse, gentle.

Three yearling colts.

One roan mare, weight 950 pounds, six years old.

One horse, well broke, weight 1000 pounds, six years old.

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the past few years more than 60 per cent of all of the wheat went on the market during July, August, September and October. If this should happen again this year, there is no doubt but that the price would drop still lower.

While there seems to be no immediate relief in sight as far as mediate relief in sight as far as better prices are concerned, for this years' crop yet this is the time to begin to figure for next year. In many cases a reduction of acreage may help. Along with less acreage, cheaper costs of production are needed. The average wheat yield of the Southwest, about 12 bushels per acre, is too low. This yield returns less than the cost of production, if the southwest, about 12 bushels per acre, is too low. This yield returns less than the cost of production, if the southwest, about 12 bushels per acre, is too low. This yield returns less than the cost of production, if the southwest, about 12 bushels per acre, is too low. This yield returns less than the cost of production, if the southwest, about 12 bushels per acre, is too low. This yield returns less than the cost of production, if the southwest, about 12 bushels profit for labor, \$1.0.84 per acre. The following results from the Kansas Experiment Station show that more efficient methods will not only increase the yield per acre but will make wheat raising more profitable. Plowed 7 inches deep, September 15, grown contiously, 21.6 bushels. Profit for labor, \$2.14 per acre. —The Southwestern Wheat Improvement Association, H. M. Bainer, Director.

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Less serious in its results on health and less distressing than insominities opposite, morbid somnolence is nevertheless a trying condition, for it is likely to interfere sadly with the preformance of daily duties. In its minor degrees the sleepy state comes on only in the evenings. Many persons who have household or office work to engage their attention during the day are able to attend to it perfectly well, but immediately after evening meal when they stid down to read fall sideep. That is the common form of the trouble, but there are other degrees up to a stupor almost like that which occurs in epidemic meningitis, popularly called "sleeping sickness."

The causes of evening somnolence are numerous. The most common is probably want of sufficient interest in what you are doing. For example, a person who is always sleepy in the evening would be very likely—at least we hope—to keep awake long enough to read this article through though he might fall asleep over an article about the Federal Reserve Board. Another frequent cause is too hearty a meal at night; wall should be eaten as with a little bread and jam or crackers and cheese should suffice. Or efivonic auto intoxication may be at the too of the trouble. The general health may be at fault; the patient may be so an aemic, for example, that the brain does not receive enough blood. Or the condition may be the direct result of overwork; the available energy may be exhausted by the end of the day. Furthermore, many people do not give themselves long enough time in bed. The amount of sleep needd varies, but as a rule seven or eight hours are necessary, and nature will exact them.

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better and be good milling wheat. If the flour you get of us is not good we will pay you for returning it.

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BE CAREFUL WITH FIRE

It has been almost a year now since the west side of Main street, Spear'man, burned out. But in the meantime the school buildings went up in flames. Fire has been Spearman's worst enemy, and Spearman folks should be careful about fire above all else. We do not have water supply sufficient to fight fire. When a fire gets started there is nothing to do but sit back and watch it burn. A small trash pile at the rear of the W. L. Russell store was set on fire and the blaze reached a nearby telephone pole and burned it in two.

This little incident should be a warning to all of us. Be careful with fire.

LUBBOCK GETS TECH.

The Texas Technological College locating board unanimously awarded Lubbock the new million dollar in-stitution, which was authorized by the legislature. The decision was reached at a meeting of the board held at Fort Worth on Thursday.

Four Burner Oil Stove for sale.

J. A. Mesde and Joe French, eat-tle buyers, were in the city Thursday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mizar, on this Friday morning August 10, 1923, a fine boy.

Our groceries please Fresh fruits and vegetables. The best to be had for the money. Burran Brothers.

J. R. Cooksey is here from Good well this week, a guest as the home of his daughter, Mrs. W. L. Davis.

N. A. Shackleford and family of Guymon passed through Spearman Wednesday enroute to eastern Okla-homa, on a visit to relatives.

Branch T. Jr., the little son of Mr. and Mrs. Branch T. Archer, who has been seriously sick for the past two weeks, is reported improving nicely.

Smico Smithing Coal. We still have a good supply, better get some WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

T. C. Lively and J. R. Hickox, organizers for the M. W. A., are in the city and plan to round up enough of the old choppers to organize a lodge at this place.

If we could run a newspaper as well as some people think they could run one, our happiness would be complete; roses would bloom on every bush and tree and we would spend our days in robust and luxurious contentment.

Jamison & Saulsbury, auctioneers from Pampa, were here Tuesday to hold a milk cow sale for A. N. Wilson and a work stock sale for A. C. Knudsen. Neither sale was held. Mr. Wilson failed to get here with his cows and Mr. Knudsen decided to wait and hold his sale at a later date.

Clay Gibner of the First National bank and Bill Walker of the Ford Garage, left Wednesday on a quite extended tour of the northwest. They will visit Utah, Oregon, Cali-fornia, Arizona and other western states, and expect to be away about thirty days. thirty days.

Bill Sexton and family and H. E. Moore and family of Liberal, left Tuesday for California where they will make their future home. Bill has been employed by the Spearman Equity Exchange for the past several months and his place is now being filled by Shorty Howard.

Mrs. Della Randol of Guymon spent the week at the C. C. Beck home out on the north flats, and was in Spearman last Saturday with Mrs. Beck and the girls. Mrs Randol re-sided on the north flats several years ago, and was down renewing old ac-quaintances.

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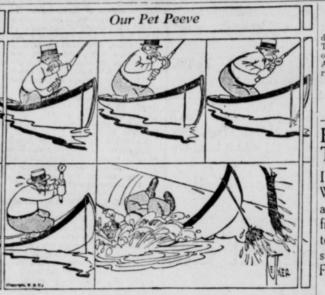
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NOTICE FOR BIDS

The trustees of common sedistrict No. 14, Hansford con Texas will accept sealed bids on old Lakeside school house, August 10, 1923, reserving right to reject any or all bids.

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