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ered with, 'What makes you think you know?' The first one replied, 'I used to be the coach of T. C. U.'

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THE AMERICAN WAY



SDPW Exams

The Merit System Council, which serves as a 'clearing house' for positions in the State Department of Public Welfare, will hold open competitive examinations on November 13, 1948...

Legal Notices

Notice is hereby given to the citizens of Dickens County that a general election will be held in each voting precinct in the county for the purpose of electing all county and district officials for the coming two years...

Bill Legton East Spur 16. Jack Meem. A. C. Sharp County Judge Dickens County, Texas

Dr. H. K. Finley (OPTOMETRIST) Will be in Spur FRIDAY, Oct. 9 WILSON HOTEL 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

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A. C. A. News We have the following information from B. F. Vance, Chairman of the Production and Marketing Administration... Total supply is 19,164,000 running bales; normal supply is 18,200,000 running bales.

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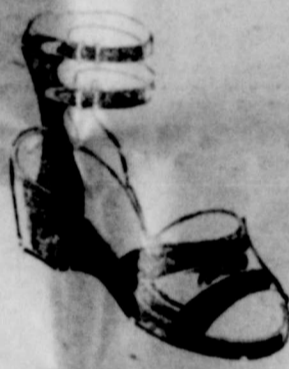
of stunning women everywhere

Spotlight on a Paula Brooks Original for special dates. One-piece worsted wool jersey dress starring dramatic two-tone theatrical colors

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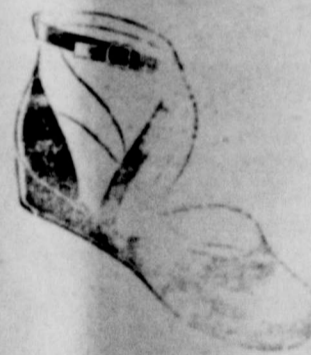
as seen in VOGUE



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TWOSOME—Black wedge trimmed in gold.

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2.49 to 3.98

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Size 70X90 white sheet blankets

1.98

50% Wool Blankets

50% wool and 50% cotton blankets size 70X90, with bound and boxed. Colors green blue, cedar and rose.

6.95

Boys' Jackets

All wool plaids, two tones and water repellent nylon. Size 4 to 20

5.49 to 12.95

Boys' Sport Shirts

Cotton, Flannel and Rayon Broadcloth. Fancy plaid, printed and solid patterns. Sizes 2 to 20.

1.98 to 3.49

Boys' Shirts

Blue Chambray shirts in sizes 8 to 14 1-2.

1.39

Boys' Tex-N Jeans

Sizes 1 to 6 1.98

Sizes 6 to 16 2.10

Boys' Socks

Fancy striped and plaid patterns. Sizes 6 to 10 1-2.

39c to 59c

Western Shirts

Men's rayon gabardine shirts, western style. Solid colors and two tones with three button cuffs. Sizes 14 to 17.

5.95 to 11.95

Men's Dress Shirts

Fancy striped patterns of madras. Sizes 14 to 16 in blue, wine, grey or brown.

1.98

Men's Briefs

Knit briefs in sizes S - M - L

59c

Men's Undershirts

Men's ribbed undershirts, sizes 34 to 46.

49c

Men's Dress Pants

All wools and part wools, sizes 28 - 50.

7.95 to 18.50

Corduroy Caps

Men's Corduroy caps with ear flaps. Sizes 6 3-4 to 7 1-2.

1.25

Dunlap's

Formerly B. Schwarz & Sons

SPUR, TEXAS

Cotton Trading Below Last Year

Cotton trading picked up last week in Oklahoma and Texas, but failed to match the activity of the corresponding week last year, reports the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Sales continued rather small for this time of the year at the national ten spot markets, where only 254,600 bales changed hands last week. Dallas, Houston and Galveston sold 57,996 bales of this grand total, an increase of 13 per cent over the previous week.

Demand improved among Oklahoma and Texas merchants and shippers last week for Strict Low Middling and better, ranging in staple length 13-16 inch to 1-16 inch. Also, there was some de-

mand for Low Middling 7-8 inch staple.

Inquiries from domestic and export shipments were fairly numerous but prices offered were not attractive. Most current buying is for the purpose of filling previous commitments.

Reports to NSDA indicate farmers are selling a good part of current ginnings well above loan values in some sections.

Spot cotton prices fluctuated within a narrow range last week. The basis weakened in the Dallas market but remained about unchanged in the Houston and Galveston markets.

Spot cotton prices for Middling 15-16 inch averaged 31.22 cents per pound last Thursday at the ten chief markets. This was about \$2.50 per bale higher than the loan rate, and \$3.20 per bale higher than the price on the corresponding day last year.

FOR REDISTRICTING



John Ben Shepperd, Gladewater attorney and former president of the U. S. Junior Chamber of Commerce, has accepted the chairmanship of the recently organized Texas Committee for Redistricting. The committee, which is non-political, seeks to assure fair representation in the Texas Legislature for all counties by urging voters to support Amendment Two on the general election ballot November 2. Passage of Amendment Two will permit redistricting in Texas for the first time in 27 years, Shepperd pointed out.

Complete Chart on Cancer Is Prepared for First Time

For the first time a complete chart on cancer has been prepared for publication with the approval of the American Medical Association and the American Cancer Society.

Prepared by Maxine Davis, noted medical reporter, the complete chart appears in the October issue of Good Housekeeping magazine.

Categories into which the chart is divided include 1—the site or location of the cancer; 2—the frequency with which such cancers occur in each sex; 3—the common age at which they occur; 4—details of the doctor's examination; 5—technical laboratory studies; 6—treatment; 7—chances for cure; 8—preventive measures.

"No such comprehensive and succinct investigation of cancer ever has been made available to the public," the magazine declares. "In an illness in which early diagnosis continues to be the most important factor, and fear of examination a contributor to delay, this unhistorical presentation of facts renders a unique public service."

"For the first time in the history of medical science, there is reason to hope for some solutions to the tragic riddle of cancer," Miss Davis writes in an article which accompanies the chart. "In the past, although no one denied cancer's gravity, few scientists studied it. . . . So profound is the subject that few had the courage to in-

vestigate it, and the funds available to them were meagre. Today money for research on a grand scale is being provided, and many investigators are at work.

"Your chances of suffering from cancer are not increasing, but the incidence of cancer is rising. This is because cancer is more likely to occur in middle and later life, and as science lengthens our life span, more of us live to be cancer victims."

"Cancer is not necessarily fatal. Cures do exist. Thousands are cured each year. Nevertheless, one in every six who live into middle age is doomed to die of cancer."

"For the first time the federal government has appropriated adequate money. Last year it gave \$14,000,000 to the National Cancer Institute of the U. S. Public Health Service, staffed by as competent administrators and scientists as can be found. This year the National Cancer Institute has been given another \$14,000,000 plus authorization to make contracts amounting to \$8,000,000 for construction of essential laboratories."

"Some of this money goes for education of the public and of the medical profession; but the greater part is being spent for research. Research and education are long-time undertakings, and we may regard these appropriations merely as down payments on a bill that easily will exceed \$100,000,000 within ten years."

Farm Income Shows Increase

AUSTIN, Oct. 6—Texas farm cash income rose 13 per cent from July to August, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Increased sales of cotton and livestock pushed August income 56 per cent above a year earlier to \$185,787,000.

Cotton sales, totaling \$87,340,000, was the greatest source of farm income in August 1948. Income from cattle totaled \$27,634,000, for second place.

Southern Texas Prairies' income totaled \$44,286,000, the highest farm income in August, as marketing of cotton, grain sorghum, and cattle stepped up from a month earlier. Farm income in Coastal Prairies totaling \$31,984,000, was second, reflecting higher sales from cotton cattle and rice.

Farm income more than doubled from July to August in Coastal Prairies, Black and Grand Prairies, East Texas Timbered Plains and Southern Texas Prairies. On the other hand, sharp declines from July occurred in Northern High Plains, 74 per cent; Red Bed Plains, 61 per cent; Lower Rio Grand Valley, 35 per cent; and Southern High Plains, 33 per cent.

Except for decreases in Northern High plains, South Texas Plains and Southern High Plains, all districts reported farm income above August 1947. August income tripled year-earlier levels in Black and Grand Prairies and doubled in East Texas Timbered Plains and Coastal Prairies.

For the first eight months in 1948, farm income reached \$880,629,000, or 5 per cent under a like period in 1947.

Building Permits Show Decline

AUSTIN, Oct. 6—Texas building permits decreased 23 per cent in August the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Building permits totaling \$30,082,541 in 49 Texas cities were 4 per cent above August 1947, however.

Houston continued to hold first place, with permits totaling \$8,047,000. Dallas, totaling \$4,593,457, was second; San Antonio, Austin, and Fort Worth followed in that order.

After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of building permits declined 35 per cent to 520 per cent of the prewar (1935-39) base period.

Building permits more than doubled from July to August in New Braunfels, Lockhart, Big Spring, Bryan, and Seguin. July-to-August declines occurred in Texas City, Denison, Galveston, Brownsville, and El Paso.

Lockhart building permits increased 20-fold over August 1947. Pampa and Kenedy, five-fold; permits doubled in New Braunfels, Port Arthur, Del Rio and Gladewater. During the August-to-August period permits dropped sharply in Cleburne, Borger, Texas City, Jacksonville, and Edinburg.

Social Security Representative In Spur, Oct. 14

Elliott W. Adams, Social Security Administration Representative, will be in Spur, at the U. S. Post Office, at 9:00 a. m. on Thursday, October 14, for the purpose of answering any questions you may have on social security, discussing possible benefits and taking claims from persons who seem to be entitled to benefits; and taking applications for social security account number cards.

Every worker should show his social security card to each em-

ployer when starting to work and be sure he copies the full name and account number correctly on his time book. This is especially important now, as often men are hired in a hurry and a person may work for a number of different employers during a year.

The primitive marketing conditions that made farming so hazardous up to the middle of the last century were changed as a result of the establishment of the Chicago Board of Trade in 1848 which proved to be an important factor in stimulating the growth of the great inland agricultural empire.

LIBERTY

Fri. 1:45 to 9:30 p. m. — Sat. 6 to 12 p. m.
SUNDAY — MONDAY — TUESDAY



NOTICE

This Picture carries a Money Back GUARANTEE. "TAP ROOTS" is a spectacle unsurpassed since "GONE WITH THE WIND". "TAP ROOTS" gives new meaning to Technicolor.

The first ten (10) married women presenting this ad to the Theatre will receive FREE

(1) ONE REASON TO WIN \$15,000 OCTOBER 24
(2) ONE FREE PASS TO SEE "TAP ROOTS"

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Man, if it's fast warm-up you're looking for—Phillips 66 is the gasoline for you! Because this gasoline is especially designed to go into action fast—even on the wintry days and nights.

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PHILLIPS 66 GASOLINE

'66' Service Station
Wholesale Spur, Texas Retail

Store Sales go Up 10 Per Cent

AUSTIN, Oct. 13—August sales of Texas department and apparel stores climbed ten per cent from July, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Since August 1947, sales have risen 4 per cent. Department and apparel sales for the first eight months of 1948 bettered the same period in 1947 by 8 per cent. Sales varied from a 9 per cent decline in Denton to a 25 per cent climb in Houston.

Substantial July to August gains were turned in by a number of Texas cities. Cleburne, 24 per cent; Beaumont, 23 per cent; Amarillo, and Denton, 22 per cent; and Big Spring, 17 per cent.

Some cities reversed the upward spiral, however. Laredo's sales dropped 28 per cent; Bryan 19 per cent; Temple, 11 per cent; Lubbock, 8 per cent; and San Angelo, 7 per cent.

Changes over the year ranged from a 24 per cent hike in Big Spring to a 16 per cent decline reported by El Paso stores.

In August, 61 per cent of all sales were made on credit, as compared to 58 per cent credit purchases reported a year earlier. The collection ratio was 51 per cent in August 1948, and 54 per cent in August 1947.

Hall Warns Schools on Fires

Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner, recently sent out a reminder to superintendents of public schools which receive a lower insurance cost for their city or town by teaching fire prevention.

Following state requirements for the amount and type of fire prevention taught nearly 600 Texas schools earn a 3 per cent reduction in the city key rate or a 5 per cent reduction in the final rate of school building and contents for rural areas.

Attaching a sheet of minimum requirements of fire prevention to be taught in each grade, Hall also added a brief outline for use if a hand book should not be available.

Lack of funds prevented the Fire Insurance Department from having the "Fire Prevention Handbook for Texas Public Schools" revised or reprinted by the beginning of the school term. He therefore asked schools to use their 1946 editions.

Texas school administrators and teachers deserve much credit for the excellent work they are doing in fire safety education," the Commissioner told superintendents. "We ask your continued cooperation for the 1948-9 term."

V. A. Miculka on Teaching Staff at Phillips College

V. A. Miculka of Spur has been employed as a teacher in math and physics at Phillips College in Borger through the Teacher Placement Bureau at Southwest Texas State College.

Employment in teaching positions has been found for 153 students since July 21, by the Bureau.

NOTICE

The Bib & Tucker Baby Shop Will Be Open Sat., October 9
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On your favorite daily Ft. Worth Star-Telegram

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KALGARY NEWS

Mrs. Ralph Parsons, Cor. Mines. Homer Robinson, Giles Pearce and Johnson honored their children. Beverly Jean Robnett, Dennis Pierce, Betty Sue Johnson and Brenda Joyce Pool with a birthday party at the school Friday afternoon. Refreshments of cake and cocoa were served to the school children.

Morton Fisher made a business trip to Olton Tuesday. He also visited Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Havens of Olton. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cox and Ann Headstream spent the weekend in Lubbock. Guests in the home of Mrs. Dan Carley over the week-end were Mr. F. C. Cook and Morris Cook of Houston, Mr. T. H. Phelps and daughters, Roberta and Josie. Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Phelps and

children and Mrs. J. H. Yarbough and children of Spur. Among those attending the Lubbock fair were Mr. and Mrs. C. Parsons, Tom Parsons, Wilma Lee Aldredge, Wilma Parsons, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Webster. Mr. Allen Shrum of Ft. Worth and Miss Ning Havens were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Havens. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Powell and Billy Joe spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parsons and girls. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Crawford and Dean have moved to Texarkana, Texas.

(Delayed)

Mrs. Ralph Parsons, Cor. Mrs. Alice Humble, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harris, Mrs. Loyd Parsons, Wilma and Eunice and Mrs. Arthur Humble attended a family reunion at the Machezie Park in Lubbock Sunday.

Mrs. W. C. Harden visited from Tuesday until Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Conda Strett and Mary Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Cox and Ann Headstream spent the week-end at their home in Lubbock and returned by way of Canyon Valley for a visit with friends Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ray Winkler entertained the school children Friday afternoon with a cold drink and candy party.

Mr. and Mrs. Conda Starrett are remodeling their store this week.

Miss Eunice Parsons of Spur spent a two weeks vacation with Mr. Loyd Parsons and Wilma, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harris and other relatives and friends.

Sunday afternoon visitors in the Aubrey Havens home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parsons and girls.

Miss Lovey Grizzle was a Sunday guest of Mary Ann Starrett. Miss Nina Havins of Spur spent last week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Havens and Leon.

Southwest Farm Markets Hold Good

Cattle, hogs, corn and vegetables suffered major setbacks at southwest farm market during the past week, as most other products held up well, the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration reports.

Hog markets fell sharply on increased marketings. Top butch-

Star-Lites MOVIES, MIXES AND MISCELLANEOUS

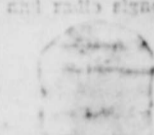
MOVIE FANS have a treat in store for them with RKO's plan to star lovely Ann Sheridan in "Carriage Entrance," a novel by Polan Banks, laid in the South just before the turn of the century. Hanks is a favorite with movie studios. He has sold nine out of his ten novels for motion pictures.



Ann Sheridan co-starring with Cary Grant in "I Was A Male War Bride." She is currently being seen (with Gary Cooper) on the screen in "Good Sam" a big box office attraction at Radio City Music Hall.

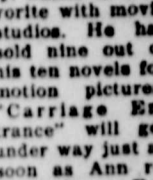
NEW LOOK NOTE: When Terry Moore's classmates at Glendale High, voted Glenn Ford its "boy friend" nobody was going to guess that he would be his leading woman in Columbia's forthcoming production "The Return of Glenn Ford" to fame.

STAR STUDDED SHOW - "Cavaliers of America," top-flight radio dramatic show which began its run last fall, has some of the names of stage, screen and radio stars in its cast.



Gregory Peck, guest star of the premiere broadcast will be well remembered in "Duel in the Sun," "Yearling," "Without Honor," and a long line of box office "bests".

GRANDMA may not have been a happy-go-lucky as still sharp - so found Irene Beasley, singing star and mistress of ceremonies of "Grand Slam," popular five-week musical-quiz show. Grandma was the little woman who put Irene up to the piano and said "practice".



HOLLYWOOD'S "Over 200 Club" consisting of members weighing over 200 pounds has had a let-down. (Total membership about 30,000 lbs. or 100 persons limit 4 to an elevator).

THE LINE-UP OF TALENT for "The Family Hour Of Stars," new CBS radio series which replaces "The Family Hour" this fall, sounds like a Who's Who of Stardom.

Exports of at least 450 million bushels of wheat and more than 100 million bushels of coarse grains are forecast for the 1948-49 crop year by the Economic Cooperation Administration.

San Antonio, Wichita, and Kansas City, and \$25.50 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City. Sows ranged from \$19 to \$23 at the different markets.

Seasonally increasing sales of sheep and lambs went forward at generally higher prices last week. Fort Worth, Kansas City and Denver showed slight weakness in Monday's trade, but other markets held mainly steady.

Corn continued downward under the weight of new crop offerings of feed grains. Fair movement of sorghum grains had started from the Texas Panhandle, while corn came from Oklahoma and Eastern Kansas.

Rice markets held fairly steady in moderate trading. Among the feedstuffs, meat scrap and alfalfa meal advanced \$5 to \$7 a ton, while others sold unchanged to lower.

Fruits and vegetables found mainly slow trading during the week. Prices slipped farther down on many seasonal products at terminal markets.

Cotton averaged slightly higher for the week at Houston and Galveston but lower at Dallas and New Orleans.

Corn is the number one grain crop of the nation, covering about one out of every four acres

Health Notes

Sudden seasonal changes in the weather during the fall months often result in chilling, which in turn is usually followed by widespread incidence of the common cold. This disease always spreads rapidly because of the fact that very few people can live isolated lives and in any group or crowd of people, coughing, sneezing and spitting will scatter millions of cold germs among susceptible persons.

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that there are countless ways of spreading a cold other than by coughing, sneezing and spitting. "For instance," the Doctor said, "if a member of your family has a cold and the other members share a common drinking glass with him, you may expect the whole family to pick up the germs he leaves on the glass. Sometimes a person with a cold thoughtlessly touches his mouth or nostrils with his hand and then shakes hands with another person. That person can, and very likely will, contaminate his own mouth or nostrils with his hand, and the germs are transmitted into his system."

Children, as well as adults, who are suffering from a cold should be put to bed, and if complete rest, light food, and plenty of liquids do not improve his condition in a short time, the family physician should be called. Dr. Cox further advised that dressing properly for the weather, sensible eating, plenty of rest, and avoiding persons with colds can be helpful in preventing your own infection. Colds are costly in time, health, and money, the Doctor said, and added, "Prevent them if possible."

"Tap Roots" Plays At Liberty Theatre

"Tap Roots" flaming Walter Wagner Technicolor production released by Universal-International, will open at the Liberty Theatre Friday.

standing movie. "Tap Roots" has the largest cast since "Gone With the Wind", and employed the greatest number of people, horses, guns and explosives. Grain of all kinds constitutes the major food crop in the United States.

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