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41 Bulldogs Answer First Practice Call

Forty one boys answered Coach ball practice last Mnday morn- the district and in this section of ing, August 15, with a few more the state. To round out the trio new term will include most of due to report before School starts. of lettermen, he will have one of

working hard daily this week, component is yet to be decided mainly on fundimentals, and will upon. Hopefuls for the other end continue to do so until the season position include Charles Lee, 150, starts September 9 with Haskell. Ronald Comer, 152, Don Mind-

blocking, tackling, ball Vandling, blocking and defensive ability. punting and passing, during the and are now getting ready fast." Troy Smith, 140. With but three lettermen to start the boys. Coach Hawkes says somewhat enexperienced help be- High School math. that Spur will always be able to hind them. The starters will Dorothy Taylor, Junior High put a strong team on the field, and more than likely be Dick Gibson, that he expects the Bulldogs to win 190, and Wayne Alexander, 200. many games this season. "Our Their understudies include Jerry schedule is against us this year," Calvert, 180, who, by the way, stated Hawkes, "in that all of our may try the end slot, Mac Drigout-of-town games take us at gers, 175, and Freshman Robert Mrs. Homer Marcy, first grade; least fifty miles away. Long trips Proctor, 165. are bad on the boys."

Other "A"

still virtually vacant. Dean Cracker Ballard, 130. 170. Charles Grimland,

st string man has not yet "B" team include: decided. Other positions in

Lindsey has played a good bit Toby Collett, Jackson Powell, Joe of football, and will more than Dell McCermick, Jimmy Green, likely be the one calling the sig- Lorell Hairgrove, and Frackie nals for the Spur team this year. Gabriel. le is a hard runner, but d a troublesome knee, could possibly be slightly handicapped. He has a good arm for slinging passes for the smaller boys at a coming and the coaches are now working with Lindsey toward improving es said.

his eye for receivers. started the season last year at about 125 pounds. He is a bigger boy this year, but has not sacrificed his outstanding speed and chiftiness for this extra weight. lad this season.

the backfield crew, is a hard play- boys. er and is expected to add much to the Bulldog defensive game be-

fensive duties. center position will be possibly the hardest to fill this year. The boy that he expected to hold this position has not yet reported for er in Saturday night's contest practice. Working at this position held at the roping arena south o' at the present are Dean Watson,

Leonard Wilson To Manage Hobbs Firm

company, has assumed duties as manager of the new Hobbs yard of Chambers Inc., Hobbs, N. M.

schools. His parents are Mr. and 20.1. Mrs. Leonard Wilson Sr.

accompanied him to Hobbs, where they will make their permanent

Free! Free! Free! THEATRE TICKETS TO

Each week the Palace The-ater and the TEXAS SPUR will give to regular mail sub-scribers—tickets for 2 mem-bers of the family to the Pal-This week's tickets go to

H. C. Hill

"Africa Screams"

be on the subsert

1170, and Jerry Calvert, 180.

Joe King, 165, two year letter-Sam Hawkes' first call for foot- man, is possibly the best end in The Spur Bulldogs have been the end positions well filled. His come a few newcomers to the Coach Hawkes and his assis- man, 149, and possibly a couple of

tant, Bill Hahn, are putting the the boys now tagged as tackles. boys through a rigid calisthenics It was sented by the coach that morning session each morning this other end position needs to McDaniel, Jr. High School Prinand are working with the boys on be filled by a big boy with lots of

Friday morning will possibly be nell McAlpin, 164, and Joe James for all schools. the last morning session because 180, should be able to care for Alva Branne "the boys have stayed in pretty these positions, with support due science; Mrs. Joe Grimland, freshgood shape through the summer from Herbert Roberson, 155, and man and sophomore English; Rena

At this early point in the train- should see much service this seasing period, the fullback position on are Paul Simmons, 135, and Doris Moore, second grade; Inez

Smaller and less experienced od William North, 160 are boys-mostly freshmen who have Willis Jernigan, third grade; Mrs. ing for this position, but suited out and will compose the

Bill Hoover, Don Hill, Orville Buildog backfield will be fill-by Melvin Lindsey, 160, one Cloude, Hershell Wade, Joe Bell, and Wayne Smith, 130, and Clyde Kenneth Watson, Charles Watson, Blair, 137, two year letterman, at Lawrence Cook, Pat Applegate, half back positions. Lloyd Womack, Beryl Durham,

> uled for the "B" team, but approximately six will be arranged committee meeting, Coach Hawk-

Two scrimages with another Fans will remember that Blair school are being arranged and possibly two more will be sought, Hawkes said. The fans and followers of the Bulldogs are welcome to attend practice sessions and scrimages, Coach Hawkes Much can be expected from this said, as long as they simply observe and don't attempt to be Wayne Smith, the lightest of personal visitors of the coaches or

sides carrying his share of the of- Abb Smith Awarded Coach Hawkes finds that the Top Place In Roping

Abb Smith was named top rop-

First jackpot in tie-down calf roping went to John F. Moore with 17.3 time. Thedford Fry was named second best with 24.7. Second jackpot winners were Leonard Wilson, former em- Buck Gannon, 27.6 and Smith, ployee of Willson-Young Lumber 419. Smith was the only roper who caught in the third tie-down, with 19.1 time.

Ribbon ropers who gained top honors at the Saturday event were Wilson has been associated with John F. Moore, 13.6; Smith, 14.5; the local company for two years, and Martin Turbyfill, 15.3. Parfollowing three years of navy ticipants in the hat race who placservice. He was raised in Dick- ed were Thedford Fry, 16.5; ens county and attended the local Smith, 19.3 and Martin Turbyfill,

His wife and young daughter 43 Girl Scouts Attend Four Day Camp: Learn Painting, Cooking, Leadership

site, according to Miss Margaret guards at the outing.

chieved almost perfect attendance for the daily camping periods, with only illness and family business accounting for minor ab-

Supervised out-of-doors activities, participation in democratic groups, examples of wholesome leadership, and responsibility in formulate worthwhile ideas and basic principals of scouting in the minds of the at-

tending Scouts.

Spur Schools Roster **Announced By Cook**

The Spur Schools will open the 1949-50 session on Monday, September 5, Superintendent C. F. Cook has announced.

The roster of teachers for the the former names and also welstaff. These are the teachers and other employees for Spur Schools for the 1949-50 term:

C. F. Cook, Superintendent of Schools; Joe Grimland, High School Principal; Bruce Browning, East Ward Principal; W. T cipal; Dean Duffle, East Ward Assistant Principal; Walter Labay, Two large boys are scheduled Agriculture; Mrs. Evalene Holly, evenings. The coach says that to start at the guard slots. Ver- home making; Melvin King, band

Alva Brannen, High School Noack, junior and senior English The forward wall will be well Ila Johnson, High School history with the Bulldog coaches are hav- fortified at the tackle positions Sam T. Hawkes, coach; Mrs ing to do a good bit of resuild- with two hard-hitting and hard- Walter Labay, High School coming and experimental work with to-move boys with heavy, but mercial subjects; James W. Jay,

High history; Billy Hahn, assistant coach and math; Margaret Elliott; Junior High English; Mrs. John Albin, Junior High English;

Eula Whitaker, first grade; Other "A" team backs that Mrs. Bruce Browning, first grade; Mrs. Reese McNeill, second grade; Hamilton, second grade; Mrs. J. W. Waggoner, third grade; Mrs Dean Duffle, third grade.

Mrs. A. M. Walker, fourth grade; Mrs. Edith Durham, fourth grade, Mrs. W. T. McDaniel, fifth grade; Ruth Harwell, fifth grade; Ethel McArthur, sixth grade; Faye Middlebrook, sixth grade

Colored School, J. W. Kerr. Principal and teacher of the sixth through the twelfth grades ;and Mrs. J. W. Kerr, teacher of grades one through six.

Care takers of the buildings and grounds will be J. I. (Uncle Jack) Mecom, Junior High School; A. C. George, High School: J. P. Simmons, East Ward; and J. C. Penninger, East Ward.

Bus drivers for the fall term will be Bus No. 1, Ike Simmons, Highway Community: Bus No. 2. A. C. George, same route as last churches in about two-thirds year; Bus No. 3, Garner Young, same route as last year; Bus No. 4, no driver yet, Duck Creek, Wilson others will meet August 29 Draw; Bus No. 5, no driver yet, Espuela community; Bus No. 6. Gannon, Dry Lake community.

HARVEY HOLLY WINS CITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

Harvey Holly won out over Fred Kinney with two up on 18 holes in the City Golf Tourna-

Public Hearing Set For County Budget

A public hearing on the budget of Dickens county will be held Friday, Aug. 19, at 2 p. m., according to A. C. Sharp, County Judge. The hearing will be in the commissioners' court room in Dickens. The budget which will be used by Dickens county during 1950 will be adopted at the meeting, said Sharp.

departed with satisfaction in her mastery of arts and crafy materrolled for the four day camp held ials. This sponsored work was Aug. 9-13 in a local park camp- presented in such manner that it may be transferred to individual accomplishments in the girls'

This record number of girls aing the camp will be on exhibit at Reagan Motor Co. soon, and will be announced later.

date of an "Open House" exhibit Scouts and Brownies who enrolled for the camp were: Troop One: Alice Jo Crockett, Lou Ann Comer, Erma Lou Cannon, Carolyn Kelley, Troop Two: Nan L. Alexander, Jean Boothe, Helen Dean Bingham, Gail Buzbee, Gwen Ford, Billie Sue Gregory, Meria B. Foreman, Kathleen Kelley, Gail Love, Marilyn Miller,

Studying World Back at First Hand



In three years the International Bank for Reconstruction and Development, one of U.N.'s Specialized Agencies, has received hundreds of visitors, but few have shown more interest in the Bank's operations than a group of 22 students from eleven countries which recently visited the Bank. Here with Bank's President Eugene R. Black, are (left to right) Susanne Vauchez of France; Jirina Hrazdilova of Czechoslovakia; and Auvo Kemppinen of Finland. They studied in the U.S. on American Field Service scholarships.

Dorothy Taylor, Junior High Mobile T. B. X-Ray Unit To Offer Free Test

The State Department of Public stages, the Department of Health Health is putting on a state wide; campaign to wipe out tuberculosis.

First Baptist Will Host Local Rally

Your Church" rally.

Baptists leaders will blanket the For that reason, they are interestnominational education, hospitalization and evangelization pro gram and the need for a ten-Your Church" rallies, as the meetings are called are to be held in each of the 17 denomination districts in the state. Bapt the districts will participate in th rallies from August 22 to 26; th

Teams of eight are conducting Jimmy Hudson, Red Mud, Peace- the one-day meetings. The team ful Hill; and Gannon's Bus, Pete which will be at the First Baptist Church for the local rally will b composed of Dr. Floyd B. Chaffi team captain; Rev. T. Hollis Epton, speaker; Rev. M. B. Carroll; Sunday School; Rev. E. Powley, Training Union; S. Lynch, Brotherhood; Mrs. J.

> A ten-million-dollar budget the coming year, beginning in N vember, was recently adopted the executive board of the Bapt General Convention of Text nated for worldwide causes; budget will go before the gener

colleges and universities. academy, and six hospitals Texas. There are over 3,000 B tist churches in the state.

Everyone is invited to the sessions of the local "C With Your Church" rally deacons, budget committees leaders of other church organ

IN APPRECIATION

of the Executive Board of Spur Girl Scout Council wish express the appreciation of Camp. This was a who worthwhile, work done for and took a lot of time and efforts of many people. The four days of volunteer service given by troop leaders could not have accomplished this tremendous suc cess had the parents not be them. The Board also wished thank Messers. J. L. Gar Fred Kinney, Ned Hogan, Daily activities featured such projects as insect cage construction, nature hike planning. Allection of tree leaves and out door cookery. Every girl mastered in various degrees of artistry such work as spatter painting, and blueprinting with plants, and each time. Relieved Ann. Ann. East, Sharon English. Jo Holly, Sue Hull, LaNelle Marcy, Marian Marcy, Annette Haile, Ruth Ann. McAteer, Neida (Continued on page 8)

Kelley, Gail Love, Marilyn Miller, Gilbert, Lawix Lee, J. Frank Graham and assistants Mrs. Raul English and Mrs. Grady Lackey, and any others who loaned materials, and helped prepare the grounds and location for the camp dite. Representing parents and other citizens of Spur, this Board says, "Our hats are off to you and Scouting."

Program Announced



is offering mass x-ray service to

sist the people in availing them-

To assist Mr. Karr, the follow-

chairman, L .P. Hamilton and W.

K C.allan; transportation com-

mittee, C. F. Cook, chairman,

George Gabriel, Mrs. Neal Chast-

ain and Norton Barrett; loading

committee, Pete Kizer, chairman,

Band Students Will

Melvin M. King, new band di-

dents at 10 o'clock, Monday morn-

ing, August 22, at the High School

Band will be taught in all three

according to Superintendent C. F.

vin Callihan.

ion Auxiliary of Spur.

selves of this opportunity.

be called:

Legion Auxiliary.

tember 16, 17, 19, and 20. It is

The First Bapitst Church of Levantage of the service. There Spur will entertain the members to discretion in race, creed, or of Floyd Baptist Association, does and 100% participation is Dickens Baptist Association and the goal. part of Stonewall-Kent Associ- It is known that tuberculosis ation, August 31 in a "Grow With is not hereditary, and it is known

In 81 mass meetings, Texas in perfect health may have it. Steptember 2 to explain the demillion-dollar budget next year From three to five "Grow With

convention at El Paso in Nove

Dr. W. K. Callan as pres

our old timers from a distance lor coming back to meet friends and

ust 25 and 26.)

some of them want to see. Russell of Matador and Marvin amount. Green of Roaring Springs in charge as parade committeemen. Everyone will assemble under festation from bole worms.

(Editor's Note-This letter was

written by C. C. Haile, President

First Baptist Church at Dickens. vill begin at 2 o'clock. An ad- damage has been caused. ress by Dickens County Judge A. gram planned. It consists entire- Dickens county. ly of Dickens County talent of No reports have been made of which we are quite proud.

out the entire week.

Eentertainment for Friday, Aughoped that every adult in Dickens ust 26, second day of the celebra- ly migrate in that direction. County will learn of this and take tion, will include a colt show in the morning with Jinks Wilson and W. E. Burleson in charge. Social greetings will be exchanged at the pavilion.

After lunch the Motley County that persons who think they are program will be presented by El- spots. bert Reeves, and we are sure he will present some good entertain- gauged at 2.48 inches by C. E. Aug. 10, 1949. The baby weighed ed in x-raying apparently healthy either day's program for you will individuals. The x-ray findings miss a good show which is free to two day series of hard rains last are confidential and results will only be divulged to the family all.

physician which each individual There will be dancing each evewill designate on his registration ning for the entertainment of all. causing flooded streets and stall- John L. Anderson on Aug. 12. There will be two dances, one for In addition, Mr. Karr says that the old settlers and another for plans have been definitely set up, the young people. A string band will provide music for the old settlers while a modern swing on a vigorous campaing to acband has been engaged to play for County of the importance of this the young folks.

I hope to meet you there, for I know you don't want to miss it Your president. Quello-



Willis G. Jernigan, Cal Wright, Texas, who will conduct the Lee Vaughn and J. S. McCauley: nemorial service at the Matley-Telephone committee, Mrs. O. Dickens County Old Settlers Re-L. Kelley, chairman, Mrs. Clyde union. Thursday morning. Augus Bingham and Mrs. Fred Kinney: mailing committee, W. F. Patrick,

Old Settlers Rodeo Events Announced

Floyd Ball, C. E. Ballard and Dar-The Old Settlers Rodeo will be ne of the main features of the The local campaign is being 29th celebration of the Motleysponsored by the American Leg-Dickens County Old Settlers annual reunion next week. A big parade will open the program on Thursday, August 25. The rodeo will begin each afternoon at 2 clock and continue in the eve-**Meet With King**

A colt show at 8 a. m. will open he events for the second day of the celebration. There is no entrance fee for this event. At 9 o'clock a reining contest

of two and three year olds will be held, with an entrance fee of schools this year, beginning with the fourth grade in East Ward,

Sr. are visiting in Spur this week. Saline, and Haskell last week.

Old Settlers Reunion All-Time Record Crop **Expected In Count**

Settlers Association to the old erop may be harvested this fall \$139.38 Collected Dickens county's record cotton settlers wherever they may be as from approximately 94,000 acres an invitation to the 29th annual of growing cotton, stated county reunion at Roaring Springs, Aug- agent Charles Taylor on Tuesday of this week.

Less than one half of the 35,000 The date for our annual gettogether is drawing near, and we bales expected will be processed will be looking for you in Roaring in local gins. "Cotton, as it looks Springs with a smile on the 25th now, should average one third to and 26th. We will have many of one half bale per acre," said Tay-

Cotton acreage in the county relatives. You may be the one last year was approximately 45,-000 acres, which produced a yield Our program will open at 10 a. of 16,000 beles. This year's total with a grand parade with John acreage is more than double that

The only obstacles which farmers fear are hail damage and inthe pavilion at 11 o'clock for our far, damage from hail has been nemorial service. Rev. J. J. negligible, except in a few areas Terry of Farwell, Texas, will con- over the county, said Taylor duct the memorial service. He Some farmers are anxiously awaitis a former resident of Motley ing the passage of September, de-County and a former pastor of the claring it a "hail" month. Minor infestations of bole worms have The program for the afternoon been reported, but no overall

Machinery repairs and construc-Sharp, musical numbers and tion are under way in gins eadings are only a few of the throughout the county, to enable tractions for the program. We them to care for possibly the think we have a very fine pro- largest crop ever harvested in

opening cotton, stated Taylor, but The free rodeo will also begin picking will probably begin in at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon mid-September and continue unand will continue through the til late December. An ample supevening. The Rose City Show and ply of harvest hands is indicated Carnival will be with us through- for this area, he added. They show partiality toward the South Plains irrigated crops, and usual-

wer Dickens county during the tile Bank Building, Dallas, Texas, past two weeks has assured a bumper yield to dry land cotton and feed farmers whose crops were beginning to show "burned"

week. 1.67 inches of the total fell

Owls Slam Truscott 5-3 In Sunday Tilt

Dickens' Owls chalked up a 5-3 win Sunday afternoon when they matched the Truscott team at Koonie park in the capitol city. Batteries for the Owls included loyd Martin, Sam Houchin and Harry Martin. Houchin tripled in the sixth inning for the longest hit of the game ,aided in collecting Dickens' eight hits to Trus-

cott's seven. Batteries for the losing club were Clifton Ohr and N. Myers. The Owls will meet the Paducah Blue Sox on Aug. 19 for a night game in Paducah. This will be the first game of a three-game ilt in the Greenbelt League. The two teams will clash at Dickens on Aug. 21 in a return match.

All Stars of the Greenbell League will play the all stars of the Cap Rock League at 8:80 p. m., Aug. 16, in Paducah. Players from Dickens who were chosen to participate were Sam Houchin. pitcher: Harry Martin, catcher; Kenneth Street, first base; Lloyd Holly, second base; Foy Jackson, third base and Joe Simpson, short law of Mrs. Barrett.

At Palace Theatre For Polio Fund The Palace Theatre announced Wednesday morning August 17,

that the Texas Theatres Polio Fund has reached \$139.38. Collection, which have been Spur Lions Club, will be continued through Thursday of this week The fund is an emergency measure designed to cope no with the polio epidemic which has been spreading throughout

Texas for the past month. The state has one-fourth of all polio cases in the United States. From January 1 through July 26

The 1949 outbreak is reported by national health authorities worse than the 1948 outbreak The approximately 25,000 victims last year had equalled in number the all-time previous high-in the

year 1916. "Texas Takes Care of Its Own" is the slogan of the Texas The-

atres Polio Fund. The statewide committee planning and directing the campaign ning an ddirecting the campaign is headed by L. M. Rice, Dallas

attorney. Persons wishing to contribute may do so at the audience collections or make checks payable to and mail them direct to the com Rainfall which was general mittee headquarters, 801 Mercan-

Fall of moisture in Spur was birth of a son, Michael Brian, on

A daughter weighing 7 pounds hursday in a 40-minute deluge, 2 ounces was born to Mr. and Mrs.

> are the parents of a daughter born Aug. 12. She weighed 6

A son weighing 8 pounds 4 ounces was born Aug. 16 to Mr. and Mrs. John T. Kinmel.

Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Day are parents of a son, Marshall Ray, born Aug. 11.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Bingham announce the birth of a son Aug. 7. The baby weighed 7 pounds and 2 ounces and was named Allen Ray.

A son, Daryl Wayne, was born Aug. 2 to Mr. and Mrs. Sheryl Pope, of Ashland, Oregon. The baby's maternal great-grandmother is Mrs. J. P. Robinson of that city, and a great uncle is Pike -0

Mr. and Mrs. Vignie Barrett of Foreman Chapel community accompanied their daughter. Doris to Fort Worth Friday where she entered Draughon's Business college. They drove on to Grand Saline to visit Mr. and Mrs. Tom Prather, sister and brother-in-

Duck Creek Soil Conservation District News Notes

O. M. McGinty, Chairman J. B. Montgomery, Secretary Bill Wright Clark Forbis, Chas. Witt

they fell hard and rapidly.

Cooperator C H., Bronson, who last winter constructed level ridge type terraces on his land as the tions for seedeing 40 acres of unbeginning of the establishment of a conservation program, last week watched the field absorb almost all of a three-inch rain. No water spilled over the terraces and it ran around only one of them. Bronson saw a contrasting picture of the rain was lost by runoff. Much soil was also lost as evi-

S2. An open cutting contest at 10 a.m. Friday with an entrance fee of \$3 will complete the rodeo events for the morning.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Sprayberry visited in Fort Worth, Grand Saline and Haskell last week. group. The systems are designed to protect approximately 208 ac-

res. End fills are now being made Farms in the Duck Creek Soil that will knick the extra water Conservation District that were into a pasture from one system. adequately protected made good The terraces in the other system use of recent rains even though open into a well vegetated drainageway.

Mrs. Tom McArthur, in Morrison group, is making preparaprotected land back to grass this fall. Last week she drilled the field in seed which is to provide cover for the seeding.

Three grain drills have bought by the district for co cover crops this fall. The drills are equipped with fertilizer tachments so the application super phosphate can be my the time of seeding. Pl routing this equipment

OG'S DIET LACKS FAT

Fido may like his meat lean, dogs is a common sequel to the but he needs a little fat along continued feeding of a ration conwith it to stay in top-notch con- taining too little fat.

dition. Veterinary Medical Association says that skin trouble is



Ice-Cold Coke Brings Refreshment To Work



TEXAS COCA-COLA BOTTLING COMPANY

Abbott & Costello Chalk Up A

(Joint Biography) With the opening of Nassou "Africa at the Palace Theatr next Sunday-Monday through United Artists release, interest i roused for the skeenteenth time n that remarkable team of com cs. Abbott and Costello, who have already worked together in 3 highly successful pictures.

father being an advance man and his mother a bareback rider. He left school at fifteen to become a sailor. Then he became a box office cashier in a burlesque heatre, and from that beginning

on, N. J. After high school where he went in for sports, he ook to prizefighting for a while. His next job was as a clerk in a hat store and by dint of hard work and determination he accumulated \$200 savings. At that point, according to Lou's own story, he bought the best auto mobile he could find for \$100 and set out for Hollywood to be a movie actor. He was eventually hired by Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer, as a member of that studio's labor

Later, he become a Hollywood tunt man. Doubling in a picture for Dolores Del Rio, he was ordered to jump from the second story window of a burning building. He landed eventually in a hospital bed. When he got well, he went into burlesque. That's where he met Bud Abbott, and

mply wowed the radio audienc th belly laughs. The agent who now the team's business mana

severest critic. From the Kate Smith show, th pair went into a Broadway musi-

nen Miranda. After this the boys were signed by Universal Pictures for a film called "One Night In The Trop They clicked so big with this that they've really never had to worry again.

DIANA



Big Hit In "Africa Screams"

ostello have been the big money boys of Hollywood. Their earnings from pictures, radio and inestments in side-issues that come the way of public favorites, are

Both comedians are family men. Abbott has been married thirty He and his wife have an adopted son and daughter. Cos-tello has been married sixteen years and he and his wife have

Mexican Hayride," "The Noose Hangs High," "Naughty Nineties, "Abbott and Costello in Holly-wood," Rio Rita" and "Buck Pri-

and Costello are supported by such ace performers as Frank "Bring-'Em-Back-Alive" Buck, Clyde Beatty, the famous circus performer and animal trainer Max and Buddy Baer, of prizefighting fame, and willowy Hill ary Brooke, the lovely Blonde

Through A Glass Darkly remember was that he had to get walked into a shop and saw some fisplayed upside-down on a self. ie tauched the top absently and

"Useless. Quite useless; thing has do mouth." Then he picked it up and looked at the other end. "Ridiculous. Quite ridiculous,"

he murmured. "The thing has no bottom, either." Pat Hunnicutt, Jayton, was isitor in the home of Jane and

Charlene Simpson last week.

COTTON QUIT JOW DOES GOTTON HEL DOCTORS & HOSPITALS TREAT PATTIENTS

Poll Shows Shorts Okey At Home, Taboo Elsewhere

Director, The Texas Poll

AUSTIN, Texas, August 13uring one of those over-aendred days this summer, even't you said to yourself, ow, why don't I just wear my orts down to the grocery store? If you are like the majority of conservative Texans, however, answered yourself with, "But hat will people think?"

What people think about scenty othing, what the professors call ocial pressure, is actually what ceeps you covered up, even in the siddle of a scorching summer arge majorities oppose either or women wearing shorts grocery shopping. That is a Texas Poll conducted ove e entire state indicates.

Now, in the semi-privacy of our own yard you can wear horts and expect criticism from only a minority of the neighbors Men, the survey shows, are more in favor of women wearing es are. But ask the men about males wearing shorts, and large mbers of those who approved women tell you they disaprove for themselves. As a farmr near Garrison told the Texas Poll interviewer, "Only in the ouse with the shades pulled

As you will notice, from the figres below, nearly everyone exressed an opinion, which indiates definite public feeling or he matter. Listen to some of the overtones of public opinion, as eported by the interviewers: Anything for comfort at home,

spare the public."-Nacojoches school teacher. "It's all right for other women, ut not my wife."-Rancher near

"If my wife wants to get rid of just let her put them things Bryan truck driver.

For women, it's all right; but en have such ugly legs they ould keep covered at all times. Corsicana housewife. The majority of women are not

ndowed by nature to wear shorts public,"-Laredo housewife. "Only if they are young and nave good figures."-Dallas busiiess man. The questions asked in the poll,

with the answers given by men and women tabulated separately, are as follows:

wear shorts while working in the

Not all right No opinion 2. "Do you personally think i is all right, or not, for women to wear shorts while shopping in the trocery store?"

Not all right --- 76 No opinion -----100% 3. "Would you say it is all right, or not, for men to wear shorts

while working in the yard?" 55% Not all right 38 No opinion ____ 2

4. "Would you say it is all right while shopping in the grocery

All right Not all right --- 82 No opinion

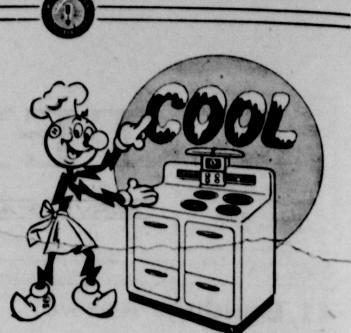
When baskets or other objects have handles, carry them with he weight resting against the hip and bind in the opposite direction to balance. The weight is then transferred to the large bones and muscles of the legs, instead of your back.

The Red Rustproof group of oats are most widely grown and most widly adapted of the oats produced in Texas.

There is real danger in raising chickens and turkeys on the same ground. Diseases fairly mild in chickens are often extremely

Orchard keeping is a lot like housekeeping. Both require work but a clean orderly house or orchard is a source of pride to the

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clay spent last week in Graham visiting their



Of course - it's Electric!

LADIES ... is your kitchen a "Turkish Bath"? The kitchen in many an otherwise modern home is often turned into a regular "steam-bath" by the use of old-fashioned cooking stoves. However, many housewives are finding these hot August days that Electric Cooking makes their kitchen work cooler, easier, faster, and cleaner.

And when it comes to that important item of economy, the cost of Electric Cooking is amazingly small, considering the marvelous conveniences and the extra leisure time it brings.

Stop in at the West Texas Utilities Company...see a demonstration of modern electric ranges. Ask questions, look them over thoroughly ... then you, too, will prefer electric cooking.

West Texas Utilities
Company

Look what you get for less than many Sixes!



Come see this Stunning New Buick Specialbig in room, big in valve-in-head straight-8 power. easy to manage in size and price

price tags.

early delivery.

eight power and not get it.

Yes, we know it looks like a lot more money.

That stunning new front end - those graceful, tapering fenders - those bigger interiors and high-visibility windows add up to a car you'd expect to wear a pretty fancy price tag.

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Texas Needs More

future stabilization of the State's economy by investing in permanent improvements, such as rural roads, soil and water conservation came from Gilbert Smith, former President of the Texas County Judges and Commission-ers and now Executive Director Judge Smith declared. "But it is of the Texas Rural Roads Associ- now time to bring the rural roads ation, speaking in Brownwood recently before the 19th annual take Texas out of the mud, we convention of the West Texas must balance the scales between Press Association.

In sounding a warning, Smith programs.

Immediate enactment of a program providing a tax revenue depleted," the Director of the from natural resources to assure Texas Rural Roads Association and such public and institutional of a New Small Business." said, "the State will have to rely more and more upon its agricultural economy, and certainly no one can disagree that rural roads is depriving us of a very importare the arteries feeding our agricultural economy."

"The State Highway Department has been doing a splendid job in building one of the finest the highway and the rural roads

" The day is inexorably "The Texas Rural Roads As oming when the natural resourc- sociation, following a meeting of

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buildings as the Legislature finds The booklet discusses the in

industry, besides paralyzing cur

Roy Rogrs To Visit **Boys Ranch Rodeo**

was learned that Roy Rogers, the ous screen cowboy, would apear in person at the Boy's Ranch Annual Rodeo, September 4th. State Fair To Show Dale Evans, Roy's leading lady on screen, will accompany him and appear at the Rodeo.

Both Dale and Roy said that event, and are insisting on paying their own expenses. They are

participate, even the little fel-The youngest ones will try their hand at calf riding on some all yearling calves.

The older boys will participate brone and steer riding, tricktries and the number of events, ggest and best yet.

the Tri-State Fair Grounds in narillo. There will be two permances-one in the afternoor nd one in the evening. And Roy ogers and Dale Evans will ap-

cets are on sale now for both mances. The entire proof the rodeo will go to Boy's the winners of the different nate some boots and metal fig- water" section of the area will be of Trigger as additional priz-

Businessmen Learn New Capital Sources

Persons about to go into business for the first time should have reliable information on the different types of capital that are but think of the turnover. needed, how much on each type

es of this State will be exhausted, as oil and natural gas are being drained off to other sections of the country in such a rapid fashion that within 25 years Texas will be a great blighted area." He be a great blighted area." He urged action to stabilize this condition before it was too late.

Says Press Speaker

es of this State will be exhausted, as oil and natural gas are being drained off to other sections of the sound business premise, that natural resources, Texas' greatest capital assets, should leave capital assets, should leave capital gains to the State in the form of urged action to stabilize this condition before it was too late.

"These should include soil and natural gas are being the sound business premise, that interesting the sound business premise, that capital assets, should leave capital gains to the State in the form of urged action to stabilize this condition before it was too late.

"These should include soil and include

portance of having the proper amount of equity or risk capital in ant source of raw materials for and to provide a basis for borrowing from one or more of the

It also emphasizes the importance of managing the capital accounts in order to maintain a good balance between a fixed and working capital. Several of the sources of capital most frequently available to small businesses are also discussed. Copies may be Excitement has been running obtained from the Dailas office, high at Boy's Ranch ever since it 1114 Commerce street, at 15 cents

"Living" Exhibits

ing Agriculture show of the 1949 donating their transportation, ex- State Fair of Texas opens to the public, Oct. 8-23.

The dirt farmer of Texas will our in the fresh, alive and majes tic stalks of corn and billowing sheaves of wheat which will be shown growing with their roots in actual soil, under typical farm conditions brought indoors.

There will be more actual growing plants exhibited at the Fair this year than at any fair anywhere before, according to the Fair's Agriculture chairman Visitors who have never seen rice or peanuts, for example, except bar, will get a chance to see them

A fabulous exhibit of more than tember 4th, and it will be held 40 varieties of Texas grass alone is worth a trip to the Fair, says the official. The Texas Forest Service is setting up a tall, living pine tree; and a dazzling exhibit of roses by Tyler growers will probably be the Fair's most colorul display.

Displays by West Texas groups will portray the importance of his vast agricultural region in the nts, and Rogers has offered to acle of irrigation in the "shallow

"Is this village lighted by elec-

cabulary of only eighteen hund-

THE AMERICAN WA





LEGAL NOTICE

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. &

Cotton Fires Play Havoc In Storage

Cotton farmers, ginners, warehousemen and others who handle cotton are warned that unless effective fire prevention measur are exercised, unusually losses may be expected

the 1949-50 season. Prospects of a blu plus a carryover of an estimate 5,650,000 bales, (more than double that on hand Aug. 1, 1947), indicate that processing, handling and storage facilities may be strained. In such cases where it is necessary to speed up the various operations, likelihood of fires is

increased. A large number of cotton fires originate in the cotton field, during the hauling of cotton to the gin, or at the gin itself.

Metals, rocks and matches in seed cotton, and careless smoking near cotto are major causes of cotton fires. Sparks may be caused by metals and rocks striking machinery during the ginning process or a flame may reed unnoticed into the finished Such fire-packed bales rause four out of five warehouse

sparks, either from tractor, truck Autumn is a danger season for or gin engines. This hazard has been pointed out particularly in cases where tractors are used to One of the best starting feeds pull trailor loads of seed cotton to

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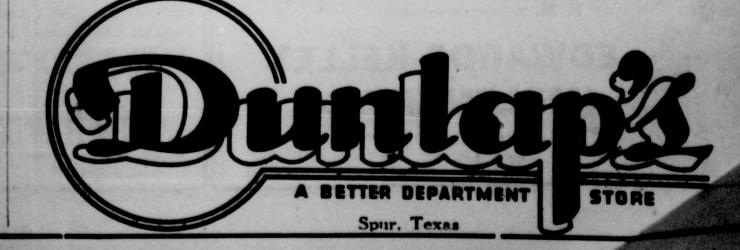


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PILLOW CASES 35c



Polio Count Drops;

new polio cases in Texas was shown this week, and it is hoped that the peak of the case in the number of modern care for this expension to the case of modern care for this expension to the case of modern care for this expension to the case of modern care for this expension to the case of modern care for this expension to the case of modern care for this expension to the case of modern care for this expension to the case of the case of

spraying of the city are continued, there should be no immedite danger from the disease.

The Dickens County Chapter, National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis, which is headed by W. F. Godfrey, committee chairman, stands ready to help those persons who might be in need of na-tional aid. Other members of the chapter are Jerry Ensey, vice chairman; F. F. Vernon, treasurer, and Spencer Campbell, secre-

nected with the National Founda- Alton Baptist church with Rev. a Methodist camp in the Sacration, and applications for Founda- A. P. Stokes officiating, assisted mento Mountains. tion aid should be made through by E. J. Keith. raised each year in the local 14 in a tractor mishap at Afton. GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY. this committee. Half the money Young Roberts was killed Aug.

March of Dimes campaign is kept in a county fund, and half is giv-en to the National Foundation, ac-County Has No Cases en to the National Foundation, according to Ensey, 1948 drive

Eligible families for National L. Byers, Alford Norris and Jim hat the peak of the epidemic in his state has been reached.

Incomes cannot stand high costs of modern care for this expensive disease. The help is a gift—not a Stanley Browner. needs, and assistance is given re-

No cases of portomyelitis have been reported in Dickens county the past year, and if individual self to meet medical expenses of of Afton; and grandparents, Mr. self to meet medical expenses of of Afton; and grandparents, Mr. polio. Each case is decided upon and Mrs. L. C. Roberts, Afton and individual medical and financial Mrs. V. W. Stephenson, Furt Worth. A number of aunts, gardless of age, cace, creed, or uncles and other relatives also survive. color, said Ensey.

Interment was in Afton cemetery with Chandler Funeral home of Spur in charge of arrange-

For Afton Youth Tim Hurst returned recently from a three weeks visit in Santa Services for Carney Willard | Rosa, N. M. Roberts, 14, of Afton, were read aunt, Rev. and Mrs. Lance Hurst. The local group is directly con- at 4 p. m., Aug. 15, 1949, in the They spent one week attending

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He was born July 13, 1935, in Dickens 4-H Boys sided since with his parent Pall bearers were Bill Vickery. Attend Encampment Jim Galloway, Jack Lawson, F.

Seven Dickens County 4-H Club boys along with two adults attended The District 4-H club boys encampment at Perkins Res-ervation near Wichita Palls on

Tweed-Duet



August 8-10. Those attending were Red Dunap, Robert Forbis and Clayton Perry from Afton; Coy Dale Overstreet from Dickens; Neal Hindman, George McAteer, and Jimmie McAteer from Spur. These boys were accompanied by D. C. McAteer and Chas. A .Taylor.

Wild life conservation along with the overall 4-H program was the theme of the camp. All boys participated in sports and rifle shooting. About 200 boys and adults attended from 20 counties

To Rotary Group

O. M. McGinty presided at regular Rotary club session Aug. 12, in absence of president George S.

E. S. Lee, chairman for the day presented District Judge Alton B. Chapman to the group. Chapman reported on the high-lights of Rotary International convention held in New York recently. Rotarians and their Anns are planning a social for Aug. 25 nounced O .C. Arthur, report-

Services Held For

Funeral services for Mrs. Cled Johnson, 51, of Pampa, were conducted at 2 p. m., Aug. 16, 1949. in the Spur Church of Christ with C. V. Allen officiating.

Mrs. Johnson was killed Aug 13 in an automobile accident. She was born Sept. 20, 1898, in Falls county. Texas, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Chapman married Dewey Johnson March 21, 1920, in Spur, and they have resided in Pampa for the

Pall bearers were Jack Rector Lawis Lee, O. L. Kelley, E. S.

Lee, Coy Dobsey, and H. D. Ret-Survivers include one son, Billie

D.; her mother, Mrs. May Chap-man; eight brothers, Willard and E.E. Chapman, Pampa; Alton B. Chapman, Floydada; W. B. Chapman, Amarillo; Joe, Mathas, Sam and Garland Chapman, all Oakland, Calif.; and two sisters Mrs. W. E. Moore, Eastland, an Mrs. E. H. Ousley, Pampa.

Interment was in Spur ceme-tery with Campbell Funeral

Mrs. A. J. Richey and daughte Mrs. W. M. Greaves of Fresno Al Chapman Speaks Calif., recently returned from Omaha, Neb. where they visited another daughter of Mrs. Richey's Mrs .Bob Trippe. Mrs. Greaves is teacher in the Fresno public

Legion, Auxiliary

The joint installation ceremon ies for the American Legion the Legion Auxiliary will be held at 8 p. m., Monday, August 22 in the Legion Hall, Joe Jeffers, di-

rector, announced today.

The installation services had to be postponed because of the heavy rainstorm last Thursday, August 11, when they had beer Mrs. Cleo Johnson slated. All members are urged to

has been critically ill, but was reported resting better early this week. She is the daughter of Jeff. Smith, Spur.

Roy Smith, Dickens, entered the Nichols hospital a few days ago suffering from a fall; he is the son of Conley Smith.

J. L. Latham's small daughter entered the hospital this week for surgical treatment. Her tongue was cut in a fall.

Mrs C., A. Browning is reported to be doing nicely after under

going surgery.

Jane Ann Albin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Albin, recently underwent an operation for appendicitis. She has returned to her home in good condition

Mrs. Sam T. Battles has been critically ill, but was able to return to her home recently.

Mrs. Murray Lea, who was a nedical patient, returned to her few days ago much im-

Mrs. J. C. Keen, member of the cospital staff has been ill the past week, but is doing better at this

Arthur Lee Compere, Abilene is a medical patient, and is reported in good condition now.

Miss Helen Patton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hariss, underwent surgery Wednesday morn-

- 6 growth **Cultivation Needed** To Restore Weedy Pasture Lands

Neglected pastures and abanoned erop land overgrown with yankeeweed may need to be put back into cultivation crops for a time to control the weeds and get good pasture started again.

Turn the roots of the weeds up to the sun in mid or late summer. Disk if necessary. Apply a ton of limestone and 500 pounds of 3-12-12 fertilizer to the acre. Seed vetch or roughpea (singletary) and rye.

Next spring follow with sudangrass and fertilize with 100 to 150 pounds of ammonium nitrate per A fine crop of vetch and roughpeas should follow. If bermudagrass is there, this treatment will be beneficial to it. If there is no be: muda, it can be sprigged in on rainy days.

This procedure should get rid of the yankeeweed, provide good grazing 7 ickly and hely build up the land. Then the acreage can be turned into a real bermudagras parture.

Babies of the future, says a physician will talk at a much earlier age. When tomorrow's papa visits the hospital for his first sight of junior, he's likely to be greeted with, "Hello dad, what's cookin'?"

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and continue to build as long

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Koonsman Raton, N. M. where they attended horse races. They also visited Eagle Nest Lake before returning.

THURSDAY, AINTUST IS, 1849

Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Johnson spent last week in Guymor Okla. visiting in the home of Mr.

Humble To Spend \$18 Million On Line

HOUSTON-An \$18 million pipe line from West Texas to the Gulf Coast will be started by Humble Pipe Line Company to-ward the end of 1949 and completed around the middle of 1950. The new line will be of 18-inch pipe, extending 375 miles in a direct route from Kemper in Reagan County to Satsuma, 20 miles north of Houston, where it will connect To Install Officers with Humble's existing lines to Baytown. It is being built to provide a more economical transportation system for Humble from West Texas. Upon completion of the new line, Humble plans to take up a part of its old system from West Texas to Baytown by way of West Central Texas which has a capacity of 50,000 barrels per day. No changes are con-templated in Humble's other line from West Texas with a capacity of 70,000 barrels per day to Corpus Christi

The new line will have an initial capacity of 95,600 barrels per day with one intermediate station between Kemper and Satsuma. The capacity can be increased to 120,000 barrels per day by the addition of a second intermediate station.

The direct route to be followed by the new line from Kemper te Satsuma will pass through sixteen counties: Reagan, Crockett, Schleicher, Menard, Kimble, Gillespie, Mason, Blance, Hayes, Travis, Bastrop, Lee, Fayette Austin, Weller, and Harris.

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Two sailors went into a boxing erena where \$50 was being offer-One of the sailors volunteered to enter, with his companion as his second. At the end of two

clined to continue the bout.
"Don't be silly," said his pal.
"He hasn't laid a finger on you

"Well, watch the referee then," the bruised battler said gloomily, "because I'm catching it from

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BOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. M

BENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO.

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- 4. Farmall "C" tractor with two row equipment-come by for a demonstration
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- 6. One Electric Stainless Steel Cream Separator No. 3S \$211.70 (less 20% discount for cash)
- 7. 4E Ten foot Grain Binder with rubber tires \$683.00 (less 10% discount for cash)
- 8. All purpose farm truck with 6:00-16 automobile tires \$223.06 9. One KB-1 International Pickup with 4-speed trans-
- less than 2000 miles. For sale or trade 10. One-row corn binder, steel wheels, conveyor type bundle carrier. Price \$447.17 (less 10% discount

mission, stl. bed ha sbeen used as a demonstrator

- 12. One-row power driven binder with conveyor type bundle carrier, rubber tires \$714.38 (less 10% dis-
- count for cash)
- 12. M448 Four-row cultivator for Farmall M \$509.85 13. B-238 Cultivator for Farmall "B" \$183.30 (less 10% discount for cash)
- 14. Plenty of ammunition and guns cheapest ammunition in town
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W. D. York Honored On 91st Birthday

W. D. (Uncle Bill) York was everyone to attend. honored on his ninety first birth-Sunday, July 31, with a pic-lunch in the local park.

Children of the family who attended were: Mrs. Edd Moore Santa Anna; Mrs. Elzie Brown, Dumont; John York, Rosebud and Mrs. Jeff James and family, Mrs. Lula Hill, Mrs. Neddie Bronson, Mrs. A. R. Howe, Mrs. A. B. Stuckey, and Bernard York, all

Others attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Frank York, Lingo, N. M.; and Mrs. Floyd Hunt, Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Van Hairgrove, Cal-Jess York, Brownwood; Mr. and of Heroes," author unknown. Mrs. Delwood Stanley and Plans for a luncheon to be held daughter, and Mrs. Will in the near future were discussed Stacey, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. during the short business session Johnny Fruitenrich, and Mr. and | Cokes were served to Mmes

Mrs. Bertha Horn, Littlefield; Scudder, Elmer Ha Mr. and Mrs. Willie York and Huff, the hostess. children and Misses Lois May The next meeting will be held York and Bertie Mae Horn, Rose- at the First Baptist Church, Mon-

Attending from Spur were: Mrs. T. J. Cherry, Mrs. R. J. Hairgrove, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hairgrove and children, Mr. and Mrs. James Howton and son, Mrs. Russell Williams and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Grice and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray James, Mrs. Marcus Copeland and family, Mrs. Wilburn Ball and son, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Draper, Mrs. William White, Mr. and Texas. Mrs. Vinson Bilberry and sons, Mrs. W. S. Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hindman and sons, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Bronson and son, Mrs. M. Yandell, Mr. and Mrs. Wayman Hill and ability of the New Office manager comes to Lubboek from the El Paso Social Security office. He has been with the Social Security administration. man Hill and children, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Bronson and sons, and Miss Eula Cherry.

Midway Church To Hold Gospel Meeting Houston and Ft. Word. The Church of Christ at Mid Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Penning for'ty

way announces that a gospel ton and daughter of Post were meeting will begin Aug. 19 and guests in the S. J. Shockley home continue through Aug. 28.

McAdoo Church of Christ

Evangelist Paul E. Rogers

J. L. Pritchard, evangelist of Carlsbad, N. M., will conduct services each evening at 8:15. A cordial invitation is extended

WMS Circle Topic "One Plus God"

"One Plus God" was the subect for the circle program of the Eloise Cauthen Circle of the First Baptist WMS, Tuesday morning, August 15.

The group met at the home of Mrs. Leon Huff for the meeting, with Mrs. C. P. Scudder as program chairman. Each member Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Hairgrove gave the name of her favorite perience related to that missionifornia; Mr and Mrs. Edgar Dun- ary. Mrs. Scudder closed the can and children, Hamlin; Mrs. program with the reading of "Hall

Plans for a luncheon to be held Mrs. J. W. Brown and daughter, Franklin Patrick, C. Melvin Ratheal, Grady Lackey, C. P. Scudder, Elmer Hagins and Leon

day, August 22

Social Security Office Williams, and the hostess, J. A. Has New Manager

bock Social Security office, replacing Elliott W. Adams, who was recently transferred to Waco.

The new office manager comes program began in 1937. For several years, he was a department head in the main offices of the administration at Baltimore, Maryland. Prior to his tenure in the El Paso office, Hutton was

Teacher Attends Reading School

Mrs. J. R. McNeill left Sunday August 14, for Alpine, Texas, where she will attend a week's conference on the teaching of reading. This conference is being held by the "Texas Association for the Improvement of

Reading." Mrs. McNeill is a teacher the Spur Public Schools. She was accompanied by her daughter, Virginia, and Miss Creola

Mrs. Marsh Hosts

Lockett Circle Mrs. J. A. Marsh was hostes

to the members of the Lockett Circle of the First Baptist WMS a its regular meeting Monday norning, August 15.

gram. The theme of the program was missions. Those having part in the program were Mmes. L. C. Ponder, E. J. Bilberry and J. A Marsh.

E. R. Smith, L. C. Ponder, E. J. Bilberry, Henry Gruben, Gay

He wore a long tailed coat, frock tie and a stiff hat that marked him as a small town aristocrat of the old school. At the hotel he strolled around the lobby with an air of ownership that was very impressive. But in a stay of three days not a nickle had been scattered among the help and the word had spread fast that the colonel was not all that he seemed

shined, and as the boy brushed him off. he remarked: George, what would you think

if I gave you 50 cents for this

George answered right up: "Ah would think you wanted or'ty cents change, suh."

A young couple asked the par to marry them immediately following the Sunday morning service. When the time came the minister arose to say:

"Will those who wish to be inited in the holy bonds of matrimony please come forward?" There was a great stir as 13 vomen and one man approached the altar.

All Right With A Matchlock

Passerby-See here, my friend, youn can't open that door with a Revelar-Good Lor'! Must have smoked the door key!

The top four industries in the United States in terms of capital investments are agriculture, railroads, public utilities and petrol-

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Carol Caudle Feted On Fifth Birthday Houston and Austin. Accomp

Mrs. Edge Caudle honored her daughter, Carol Anne ,with a end in Girard at the C. W. Fincher home. Tuesday, August 16.

A number of outdoor sames were played by the young guests. Toy racers were favors for the were favors for the girls.

and lime sherbert punch were the home of her parents; Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Fincher, Girard scheme of yellow and green.

Those attending were Sharor Kinney, Ann Godfrey, Judy Jones, Marilyn Hagins, Suan Shugart, Pattie Patrick, Lilla Jo Griffin, Carla Rye, Linda Morrison, Kathy Hurst, Barbara Walker of bock, Tony Arnold, Pat Huff, Jerry Williams, Don Patrick, Sonny Foreman, Rickey Ball, Rickey Ensey, Boyd Smith, Robert Winstead, Lanny Foster, Sammie and Danny Caudle, and the honoree, Carol Anne Caudle.

Mmes. George Winstead, So Huff, W. F. Patrick, Al Fore Wilburn Ball, Fred Kinney, J. R. Hill and the hostess, Edge Caudle

Personals

McGaughy home were Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dane and daughters. Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. McGaughy and children and Robert McGaughy, Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hill and daughter. Munday.

OUTSTANDING STUDENT

Hoyt Cole, son of the Rev. and Mrs. J. P. Cole of McAdoo, was among 12% of the student body at McMurry College, Abilene, to achieve a straight "A" record dur

ng the past six weeks session. According to the college grad ng standard this grade is reserv ed for exceptional students mak ing consistent work or less gifte students doing outstanding wor through effort.

VISITING IN SPUR

Miss Zell Ellis is visiting Spur this week at the home of he other, Mrs. Jennie Ellis. Miss Ellis recently received M. S. degree in supervision pricinpal's work at Central Mi souri State College at Warren burg, Missouri. She will teach the schools at Las Cruces, Ne

Will Puckett of Celeste, Texa s visiting his sisters in Spur, M S. J. Shockley and Mrs. Luthe

Mexico, this fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Langford and children, Abilene, visited last Mrs. C. W. Fincher, Girard.

Guests in the home of Dr. and Rev. Willie E. Lee of Arp, Texas, Mrs. J. F. Hughes this week are Kirk Henry and daughter, Helen, of Athens, Alabama, and Mr. and everyone to attend. and Diana, of Dallas,

Eastland County To Hold Annual Affair

county are invited to att annual reunion on Aug. 28, kenzie park in Lubbock. meeting has been keld on the past 14 years. D. C. Davis of Tahoka dent, and W. S. Anglin of book is secretary of the

anied by her mother, Mrs. Bill Simpson, they visited last week-Lajuan Fincher, Forth Worth, is Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cox of

Mr. and Mrs. Bill James recent-

ly vacationed in Dallas, Van.

Van, Texas were recent guests in mous.

attended the coaches' school in Sterling City last week. He was chosen to participate in a basketball game there on Friday after-

Mrs. C. P. Scudder left Tuesday for Midland to be with her mothe who is critically ill.

Mrs. Hazel Boothe and daughtrs, Margie and Melba Campbell. risited the Carlsbad Caverns and

-05 Birthday Dinner Is Given Mrs. Formby

honor at a birthday dinner on Aug. 7 in the home of Sue Formby. Spur.

Guests present were: J. A Ramey, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. A. Johnson and children, sil-Hicks and son, Temple; Morris Hicks, Sundown; Mr. and Mrs. George L. Dobbe and children, Strathmore, Calif.; Reese and Sybil Formby, Bakersfield, Calif.; Wallace and Bertha Formby, ernalillo, N. M.; Fay and Mildred ugh, Dickens; and Mr. and Mrs. John Blakely and daughter, Warren Formby and the hostess. ili of Spur.

We have recently moved into r new home made available by ne American Red Cross. Our her home was completely de ant to thank all the people wh tance in construction of the ise and outbuildings, as well as furnishings

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> In this fourteen year period, AA has done what the Chicago calls "one of the most remarkable jobs of our generation." It points out that the rehabilitation of problem drinkers by AA members, each of whom are on call night or day to go to the aid of a victim, is saved means a family also saved. Each AA means less work for doctors, hospitals, welfare agen-eles and even the police. Said the

> "Moreover, the movement has been one of the greatest single factors in teaching all of us that the evil of drink is not in the bottle. It is in the maladjusted individual who turns to the bottle to escape from real or imagined

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'drys' could see it.

"Alcoholics Anonymous goes to
the causes of habitual drunken-A. Johnson and children, sil-prion; Mr. and Mrs. George half-nelson on the effects. That's why AA is with us today while

> Mrs. H. Simmons and daughter, Jamie, were Lubbock visitors on Thursday of last week

Society-Club News

Young Co. Settlers To Hold Reunion

The annual reunion of settlers of Young county, who now live in Lubbock and adjoining counties, will be held Aug. 28 in Mackenzie

Participants are requested to bring a basket dinner.

-25-Gift Tea Honors John Sharps

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Sharp were honored on their thirtieth wedding anniversary with a surprise gift tea in their home Sunday afternoon, August 7, from 3 to 6 o'clock, at Dickens.

Guests were greeted by Bill Sharp and Mrs. Bob Crockett, children of the honored couple to whom they were presented Mrs. Dick Dempsey presided at the guest book and aided Miss; Mmes. T. J. Seale, Roscoe Mc.

the serving table. The red sherbert punch was poured by Mrs. James Sharp. Mrs. F. B. Crockett and Mrs. A. C. Sharp assisted ation. Keep it dry and off the with the serving. Cookies and floor. When storing, place boards mints in crystal serving dishes under the bags. This will pers completed the table arrange- the air to circulate around

Others in the house party were the necessary ventilation.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Denney, O. J. Jr. and Harold Price, Mrs. H. S. Denney and Geraldine, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Denney and Wayne, all of Wichita Falls; Dick Dempsey of Lubbock; A. C. Sharp, Mrs. W. R. McClung, Bob Crockett, James Sharp, all of Spur; and Mrss. T. P. King and Charles of

Approximately 150 guests call-ed and sent gifts during the after-

Bagby Circle Has Stewardship Study

The Bagby Circle of the First Baptist Church WMS met at the home of Mrs. Hattie Turvan and Mrs. W. B. Francis, Sc., Monday morning, August 15

Mrs. W. S. Patrick taught a lesson on stewardship for group as the program for

Refreshments were served to Alice Crockett in showing the Combs, Myrtie Whitwell, John Hazelwood, G. B. Morris, Sr., W.

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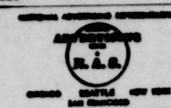
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By George Peck

absence of twenty or twenty-five years would won-

which I saw some years ago on the office wall of a merican system "Free Enterprise." Under it, for treatment of the case.

THAT THE HARDER I WORK, THE MORE I system our forwrd progress will cease, decay will each child, beginning at three SEEM TO HAVE OF IT."

and work, I was the week-end guest of a friend at will have availed us naught and the billions of dol- hood with good dental health."

fWICE,"

in this country had ever thought of denying to that schemes; let's quit looking for a daily visit from whether they were workers or bosses, which was that "HE WHO CHOPS HIS OWN WOOD GETS largely responsible for making America the most WARMED TWICE." Let's get back to work. Hard ty for a shift to the production of prosperous country the world has ever known, with work brought us luck in the past and hard work livestock and livestock products the highest standard of living for all classes.

Fat Calves Produce

In recent years ,sad to relate, certain individuals and groups have been trying to upset this American icans demanding and getting more pay and giving They demand that we set up here in America a

"I AM A GREAT BELIEVER IN LUCK; I FIND viduals we made great progress. If we cast out this ation and adequate decital care for parade of nations. Defeat of Hitler and Hirohito of the children will reach adultsee extending across the end of the livingroom munism will be wasted, if we lose at home those 1948. The harvest is underway other motto. It seemed to go hand in hand things for which our armed forces fought so val- in South Texas and production me seen a fe wdays before. It read: "HE jantly and successfully in World War II, and which for the state is likely to be above CHOPS HIS OWN WOOD GETS WARMED our dollars now fight for overseas.

a land where men work and take pride in doing abuse it, but for one hundred and fifty years we It used to be the American concept that the man resume with that refining process to make the best Texas farm and ranch operators who worked a little harder and a little better de- economic system ever devised in all the history of It means that supplies of most

competitive spirit between Americans, pilgramage. Let's recognize again the old truth will bring us even better luck in the future,

and this doesn't include the Hervest Forcess

cas be cut either large o small and you can't do this with Now is the time to start getting that milk pen calf ready for the from this kind of calf are also

your locker box and you can have it if the calf you butcher is fat. A thin animal with no external fat usually produces meat that is on most farms. So long as the dry, tough and stringy but a fat raif gets milk and good grazing. calf furnishes the kind of meat it will do well but when the grass that we all like to eat. There is begins to dry up, supplemental fat mixed with the lean muscles [esting is necessary. This is the the second largest, and cotton and that is what makes a juicy feed that will make the good beef. production-per acre-could set steak or roast. The calf that will weigh about creased as the calf gets older and percent increase in cotton acreage 500 pounds on foot and is fat is if grazing is not available, it is over last year in the state.

The grain ration should be inideal. It will dress out about 270 advisable to feed hay or other pounds-135 pounds to the side- roughage with the grain,

Good For State locker plant this fall. You want very good. You'll find them juicy duction could be the second larg- to make good profits. Texas farmers, in 1948, did not "I'm proud to say I'm a self-

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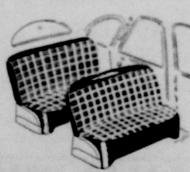
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HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN, TEXAS, August 18 .may be destroyed by decay with little evidence of decay on the surface, says Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Surveys of large groups of preschool children reveal that 50% of them have decayed teeth at three years of age, 75% at four years of age, and 90% at five years of age. Six out of ten children age 4 and 5 have s many as seven or more cavi-

Decay begins most frequently in the small pits and fissures on the chewing surfaces and at the points of contact between the teeth. Pits and fissures with structural flaws should be filled at once to prevent decay.

Dr. Cox said, "Dental examin ation and care should begin with the three year old child, and perodic examinations and necessary care should follow, thereafter, as often as the dentist advises. The first or baby teeth should be kept in a healthy condition until it is time for them to be lost. 4

"X-rays aid the dentist in finding hidden cavities, especially pyorrhea, extra teeth and other information that is important in

"With periodic dental examin

average.

Texas corn and grain sorghun crops should be above average his year even with the decrease

farm products have accumulated to the point that reduction in acreages planted may be desirable The era of surpluses has definitely returned,

cash crops offers an opportuni-This adjustment of farming operations ward more livestock may

ter conservation of land resources. For the period just ahead the demand for meat, milk, and eggs should be stronger than for most big harvest. The overall pro- poultry producers should be able

daughters."

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Cotton Research for irrigation staple cotton.

A research project to be conjucted at Texas Tech on the nature and adaptability of cotton fiber has been approved by the Cotton Research committee of Texas. Purpose of the project is to find a way to produce cotton in the project. fabric as rapidly as synthetics are produced by the new Tricot knit- Prominence

The Tricot constitutes a genuine threat to the cotton industry, says John Leahy, director of the committre, because it can weave synthetic fabrics 800 times faster than cotton fabrics can be loom-

ate was set up by the committee for Tech with salary of \$5,000. An appropriation of \$37,120 was dame," he said. "My last cus-tomer was in a kimono." acknowledged for salaries and maintenance. A donation of \$9.

Tech Conducts New | 000 will cover the purchase of a cotton baling press and a comber for irrigation produced long

Texas A & M and Texas University are to conduct studies of cottonseed and cotton marketing.

respectively. Herbert Kieke, laboratory superintendent at Tech for the cotton Research committee will aid

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wholesale prices of farm, forestry, and fisheries products in relation to the general wholesale price level around the world during 1948-49, was reported here by the Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) in the July issue of its Monthly Bulletin of Statistics.

.This decline, FAO reports, was rticularly noticable in the last months of 1948 and the early onths of 1949 in such countries as Hungary, Finland and France, where inflation held full sway in \$380,000 In Awards the early postwar years.

There were a few exceptions to the general decline, particularly the countries where prices had previously been held down by government controls or where the production of meat and lives.ock products was of great importance. In Australia, for example, higher meat prices kept agricultural prices at a high level too.

The report points out, however, that-despite the general decline -wholesale prices of all products in late 1948 or 1949 averaged about the same as in prewar days Among noteworthy economic changes in 1949, the FAO Bulletin reports, is a slackening of indusial expansion in a number of industrialized countries.

Although Germany, Japan, and, France continued to show a rapid scholarships. expansion of industrial output, the production of Canada, Denmark, from 46 states-plus Alaska, and Sweden in the first months of Hawaii and Puerto Rico-may this year was little if any higher take part in the activities. than the average of 1948.

lower. And the sharpest decline December 1. An estimated 1,500 where industrial production in and other 4-H workers, will at-May was about 9 per cent below tend and receive well-earned recthe 1948 average.

Unemployment, though low, in-European countries as well.

tivity and income has not as yet es, amount to over \$180,000. Natrade. The average monthly val- Congress are eligible to receive ue of imports increased steedily scholarships totalling \$40,000. In from 1945 through 1948; then addition, there are cash prizes and

for the first four months of 1949 were just barely below those of Foreman's Chapel Methodist the first four months of 1948.

The value of U. S. exports, which had risen sharply from 1945 to 1947, took a dip in 1948. So

ed at last year's level. Despite the economic decline the United States, however, activity in the rest of the world as a whole may continue to expand in 1949, FAO declares.

For 4-H'ers With Highest Records

Forty-five business concerne and private citizens are offering Readjustment Payments year through the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, according to G. L. Noble director.

This amount will be presented to 4-H boys and girls who have outstanding records of accomplishment in the 28 agricultural and home economics programs arranged by the National Committee and supervised by the Cooperative Extension Service. Awards range from county medals to college members in 80,000 4-H Clubs

Climaxing the year's events is In Italy, Chile, and the United the National Club Congress to be States, the output was definitely held in Chicago, November 27 to took place in the United States, members, accompanied by leaders

ognition. Nearly 150,000 county metals creased in comparison with the valued at \$100,000 are offered to previous year, not only in the the ambitious 4-H'ers. State and United States but in a number of sectional awards, which include trips to the Chicago Congress, U. The decline in United States ac- S. savings bonds and gold watch-

paralleld in its foreign tional winners announced at the



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The preacher for this series of rvices will be Rev. J .H. Crawdistrict superintendent o Stamford District of the nodist Church. The public i ted to attend and share in all these services. Services will held twice daily --

Many cases of nutritional deency in livestock are caused by failure of owners to pro adequate rations, but by the hal's failure to make proper

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ould not be eligible for any payment for any claim filed after

Now let's take the case of the

veteran who is discharged after

Veterans who enlisted or re-

August 8, 1949.

July 25, 1947.

Explained By Veterans Board A big question running around on January 11, 1947, for a period the minds of some of the 880,- of three years and is discharged O Texas World War II veterans on January 10, 1950, he would not ght now is "What happened to be eligible to receive allowances y readjustment allowance pay- for any week beginning later is after July 25, 1949." They than January 10, 1952. Now if themselves this question be- that veteran enlisted on January se at one time or another they 11, 1947, for a period of 4 years heard from various sources and is discharged on January 10, the 52-20-Club is no more. 1951, he would not be eligible t s is not true in all instances, receive allowances for any week

of 6,800 pounds.

According to the Texas Employ- beginning later than July 25 nt Commission, which entered 1952. According to the Texas Em an agreement with the Vetployment Commission, some 418, Administration to adminis-574 veterans through July 29 he RA provisions of Title V the G. I. Bill of Rights (Re- 1949, have filed applications fo ment Allowance Act of "52-20" pay in Texas. This in some veterans will probab- cludes both unemployed and selfbe drawing allowances up to employed veterans. Less than 48 far as 1955 or even later, de- percent of potential claimants nding upon when the veteran have filed. About 42,800 unemdischarged from the armed ployed veterans who filed claims es and whether he enlisted or have exhausted their entitlement enlisted under the Voluntary and 21,000 self-employed veterans have received all the pay blic Law 239, as passed by ments to which they are entitled Eightieth Congress, substitut- About 15 percent or one out of the date of July 25, 1947 for every six who filed application words "termination of the have exhausted their entitle

as they appear in Title V ment the G. I. Bill. This is where date of July 25, 1949 comes \$184,522,469. Some \$139,859,172 of the total amount was paid to unemployed veterans, and \$44 .-663,296 was paid out to self-employed veterans

Texas is one of the leading nder the present system of fil- states in the percentage of veterans who have not filed a claim for would mean that the veteran RA

Antihistamine drugs are being used on an increasing scale by veterinarians to relieve allergic conditions in animals.

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enlisted between October 6, 1945 and October 5, 1946, under the HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15 get Section to be known as Section 48-b, withorising the Legislature to provide for the establishment of bealth units, and authorising a tax in support thereod. IEEE TRESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE AST. Section 1. That the Constitution of the Sate of Texas be and the same is hereby are said, by adding a new Section to Article III of said Constitution to be designated Section 48-b, reading as follows:

Section 48-b, The Legislature shall have be authority to provide for the organization of county-city health units and the persistent thereof and to sutherize counties and cities to provide a tax of not to exceed twenty count (250) on the One Hundred bollar (2100) valuation of taxable property in counties and cities for the propose of dinnering the said county-ty health units, overwied that no such tax shall be authorized county and the city or county in which said tax shall be revised only on county valuations.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State of the qualified electors of this State at an election and operation of city-county health units and to authorize cities and counties to vote a tax in support. to receive allowances for any week beginning later than two years after the date of their discharge from that period of enexample, take the case of a veteran who enlisted on October 10, 1945 for a 3-year hitch and who was discharged October 9, 1948. He would not be eligible to receive allowances for any week commencing later than October 9. 1950. It should be pointed out. however, that if the veteran was discharged on or after July 25, 1950, he still would be eligible to receive allowances for any week years after the date of his discharge. This particular veterar would not be affected by the July 25,1952 provision referred to latd counties to vote a tax in support reof and the Constitutional Amend-at authorising the Legislature to pass at our the creation and operation of p-county health units and to authorize less and counties to vote a tax in support

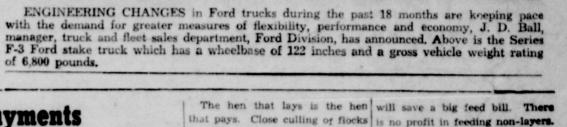
after July 25, 1947, and did not enlist or re-enlist under the Voluntary Recruitment Act of 1945. are not eiligible to receive allowances for any week which begins later than two years from the date of his discharge, or which begins after July 25, 1952, which-

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ever occurs first.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19 the people therein.

BE TI RESULVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be and the
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> Unusual weather conditions for the past 10 days were reported in all areas. Also light to heavy rains were general. Hot open weather is needed to speed maturity of the new crop and reduce nsect infestation.

> Rains in the Rio Grande Valley, where harvest is about 75 per cent complete, delayed picking and lowered grades of open cotton. Harvest is about 25 per cent complete in the Coastal Bend

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FIRST BAPTIST CHUCCO C. Melvin Ratheal, Pastor 9:45 A. M.-Sunday School for

ill ages. 11:00 A. M.—Sermon 200 P. M .- Training Union all ages.

Tuesday, 7 A. M.—Brotherhood Breakfast. Wednesday, 7:15 P. M. -enintendent's Meeting. Wednesday, 7:30 P. M. partmental Meetings.

Wednesday evening Prayer Meeting, 8:00. DRY LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH O. N. Reed, paster

Sunday School 10:00 a. m Worship Service 11:00 a0 m0 7:00 p. m. Evening Worship 8:00 p. m Everyone is cordinally invited to

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> WELCOME, ONE & ALL SOLDIER'S MOUND BAPTIST CHARCH

Frank Adams, Paster 10 A. M Sunday School. 11 A. M. Morning Worship. 6:30 P. M. Training Union. 7:30 P. M. Training Union Singing.

Wesinesday evening Prayer Meeting, 7:30. You are cordially invited to atecording to U. S. Department of griculture's Production and tend.

PIRST METHODIST CHURCH done in south Texas where mer-chasts were having difficulty in Su thiling commitments of high grade Worship Service ____11:00 a. m. cotton because of rains. To date 1. Y. F. Meeting ____7:00 a. m. none of the new crop has been Evening Service MONDAY WEDNESDAY

A S C S Meeting . or markets. Spot sales in Dallas amounted to 21,922 baies, a- Prayer Meeting _____8:00 p m. bly FULL STRENGTH for athlet- bout 4,230 lower than a week CHRISTIAN CHURCH SCHED-ULE Rev. J. S. McCauleg, paster

10:00 Bible School. 11:00 The Lord's Supper.

11:25 Bible Message. 7:00 Young People's Meeting. 7:30 Hour of Power. Not the only Christians, Christians only. In essentials-unity In non-essentials-liberty

7:30 Preaching. Monday 3:00 Ladies class. In all things charity. All welcome, especially, the vieitor, stranger and poor.

610 Burlington Ave. ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCE Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Worship Service, 11:00 a. m. Evening Service, 8:00 p. m.

Tuesday evening: Prayer meet-Friday evening, C. A. Service DICKENS BAPTIST CHURCE B. C. Stonecipher, paster

8:30 P. M. Evening Service did-week Prayer Service DICKENS CHURCH OF CHRIST J. W. Mankin, Minister Preaching Service . 11:00 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST MISSION Morris Denson, Pastor Preaching Service 11.00 a.m. Training Union 7.00 p. ... Preaching Service _ 8:00 p. Prayer Meeting-Wednesday

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Bethlehem Baptist Church (Colored)

J. L. Lee, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Morning Worship _ 11:00 a. m. Training Union ___ 6:00 p. m. Evening Worship __ 8:00 p. 1 Prayer Meet-Wednesday :30 p. m.

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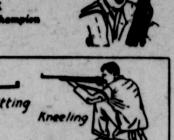
Veterinary research men have shown that it is impractical to try to raise baby pigs on a diet consisting mainly of fat-free skin milk. Pigs between one and two weeks of age became ill when fed skim milk powder reconstituted with water and fortified with minerals and vitamins. -

(Continued from page one) Phipher, Dolores Suitt, Jerry Waddell, Louise Williamson, Troop Four; Dolores Carlisle, Collette Collett, Barbara Nell Foreman, Mary Ann Gregory, Paula Dean Foreman, Omalee K Callan, music director. Garner ,Carol June Marcy, Rozelle Marcy, Shirley Ann Perry, Barbara Ann Reagan, and Jonanna Young.

Morning Wership 11:90 a. m. Harry Miller, director general; Marcy and Mrs. Dale Young, Training Union 8:00 p. m. Miss Margaret Efficit, director Troop Four. Assistants to the 9:00 p. m. of the color guards; Mrs. O. L. leaders were Mrs. L. L. Comer, Vitamin B-12, recently discov-

HOW TO SHOOT A RIFLE

By ARTHUR E. COOK



There are four standard shooting you are in position the sling, runpositions in the target game that
also can be adopted to field use.
They are: prone, sitting, kneeling, brace the V formed by the bent left They are: prone, aitting, kneeling, and standing. Prone is most accurate and, in the order named above, they become increasingly more difficult. Learn your aiming and trigger control habits in the prone position.

In target shooting always use the gunsling to help hold the rifle in the prone, aitting, and kneeling the shooter should halfface to the right of the target. In standing he should be at nearly right angles and shoot over his left shoulder.

(This instruction based on the poon left, "How TO SHOOT A RIFLE," published by The National Rifle Assectation, Washington, D. C.)

Standing

Always keep the action open until reads to shoot;

Sunday School ____ 10:00 a. m. The camp staff included Mrs. Troop Three; and Mrs. A. L. crafts, according to Miss Elliot.

Objectives of the Day Camp Leaders and their respective were successfully accomplished in troop One; Mrs. Raymond Beadle, and through practical instruction Troop Two; Mrs. Raul English, in an introduction to arts and



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