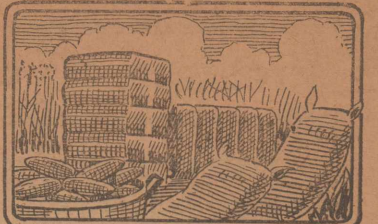


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Let's Get Busy On the Fair

Just a little more than a month until the Northwest Texas Fair dates will be here. That will be a comparatively short time when one stops to think of the great number of things that should be done in that time.

What are we doing? Well, it seems that people are getting busy for the Fair. The catalogues and premium list have been in print for some time, and the people are reading the rules and selecting the best of crops to win prizes. It is no uncommon thing to hear some farmer say: "We must win this year. We must carry off the first prize in our community." Or, again, it is frequently heard from such statement as this: "I believe I can win a prize with the sample from that field," or, "I believe this will be a winner at the Fair."

Such spirit being talked up so far in advance usually brings about results. The farmers are feeling good over the crop prospects for this year, and if no calamity hits here, there is going to be the best farm exhibit at the Fair this year that has ever been entered in a West Texas County.

We understand that both Girard and Jayton are going to enter the community exhibit contest, and if they do, they are going in to win. That would look good for those Kent County people, but how would it look for Dickens County if they should win. My, our feathers would droop! But if those good people can produce the goods, let's bid them welcome to come in, but again, let's make them know that it will require the very best exhibit for them to win.

It will be a good idea for people to begin to make selections now for their exhibits. A little forethought and judgement will add greatly to the value of our Fair this year. Yes, the business men should assist in this work. Why not encourage our farmers in this work, get them interested and explain the educational advantage of this work. The Fair will be of interest to us just in proportion as we take interest in it. Then, how much pleasure it affords after it has been put over in a great way for us to say, "We had a great Fair."

WALTON SEEMS TO BE LOSING

In the Senatorial race of Oklahoma Congressman Elmer Thomas was leading former governor J. C. Walton by more than 10,000 votes according to returns from Tuesday's Democratic primary. In 1,359 of the 3,180 precincts gave Thomas 41,577 votes and Walton 30,660.

Henry S. Johnson was leading W. M. Darnell by about 10,000 votes in the nomination for Governor. The vote showed Johnston with 57,082 votes; Darnell 47,361; Cargile 29,211.

Senator J. W. Harrelld was leading for U. S. Senator in the Republican Primary.

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Spur Poultry Ranch Has Been of Vast Benefit to Dickens County Farmers

The Spur Poultry Ranch which was begun two years ago, has proved one of the most successful experiments in history. At the time it was begun there was little thought that it would do much more than pay expenses.

The past year the work has been under the supervision of R. B. Johnson, and even considering a number of inferior conditions, there has been a successful business. There have been many improvements made, and as a whole the work has proved a wonderful thing for the county.

One draw back to the financial side of the business is that it was not promoted for the purpose of making money. This phase of it was only a secondary matter with those who went into it. The first and main object was the betterment of poultry in Dickens County and to assist those good farmers to prove to others that the poultry industry is a success. Consequently to assist the people there have been many experiments that have not paid in a financial way directly, but in many ways have been worth the time and expense as an improvement.

The large incubator was closed down about June 20 and had been in operation only about nine months. During

only half of the year's work individually for the Ranche, and even then proved a profit for the business. All chickens hatched for the Ranche were of the very best registered stock. It was the paramount work of the manager to permit nothing to leave the hatchery, except the very best on which the best registration could be shown.

The influence of the Spur Poultry Ranche has been felt in a good way all over West Texas. People in Dickens County are beginning to feel that the best poultry stock is far the most economical. Of course they have spent money in securing their stock, but they realize that they will make back the difference in the high production the new stock has over the old scrub stock. Many people are beginning to learn that just any old hen will not produce eggs any more than just any old cow is a high milk producer. Consequently one of the

prime accomplishments of the Spur Poultry Ranche is their demonstration to the people along these lines.

Mr. Johnson has given up the management of of the Ranche, and since the first of July Mr. A. J. Shields has been in charge. With the sale of culled out fryers and the eggs pro-

preparatory to planting to wheat which is a very fine food for the fowls. The north yard will be divided into two sections in order that the White Leghorns can be divided into two sections. This will enable the flocks to be worked to a far greater advantage.

The Rhode Island Reds have been sold from the Ranche and will be rebuilt this fall from totally new stock. This was done in order to get the best stock available, and to not give the old stock any chance to run down. The White Leghorns are all practically young stock, but even these will be made better by another year.

The large incubator will be loaded again about the twelfth or fifteenth of September, and will be started in full force just as fast it can be filled. The roosters and hens will be turned together about the first of September. There will be a great number of new roosters placed with the flocks. These are the best that can be secured irrespective of price.

Mr. Shields says it shall be the purpose of the Ranche to give the people prices this year than ever before. He feels that the business will be better financially and that the patronage given will come from people who feel they are getting value received.

The South yard will be used strictly for turkeys. It is being grubbed out

duced the business has more than paid expenses during the non-productive season. The eggs are commanding a good price by virtue of the roosters being separated from the hens, thus producing non-fertile eggs. These eggs do not decay as fertile eggs do. Consequently they are kept in good condition even without cold storage a long time.

Since Mr. Shields has taken charge there has been much improvement made in the conditions of the grounds, as this is the preparation period for business. All the small mesquite bushes have been grubbed out, only a few large trees being left for shades. Last year while Mr. Johnston was in charge three large houses were built and used to much advantage. However the grounds are being arranged in order to use these houses to a still greater advantage.

The public weathers race in Prec. 3 is the same as published last week with a little different count. The two highest were A. M. Shepherd with 287 votes and Fred Hisey with 278 votes.

Mrs. Chambers also wants some pigs. See her ad in the want column.

NEW MANAGER FOR FURNITURE DEPARTMENT AT BRYANT-LINK
H. E. Wester, formerly of Sulphur Springs has assumed the management of the furniture department at Bryant Link Company, taking up his duties the first of this week. Mr. Wester has worked in a furniture store all his life—in fact, he says he doesn't know anything but furniture in a business way. Also, he is telling us that he expects to install the greatest line of furniture that this Company has ever had, or that has been in West Texas. He can do it because he has the capital to back the business.

Mr. Brown, who has been in charge of this department, left the first of the week for Houston where he will enter the cotton business again. We regret to see Mr. and Mrs. Brown leave us, but we trust they are moving for their better interests.

Miss Nina Grace, of Dallas, is here this week the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Grace, and also her sister, Mrs. R. E. Dickson.

Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Blackwell returned the last of the week from a month's visit with friends in Washington. Dr. stated he had a great time and the outing gave him a great rest. He is now back in his office and ready to look after his line of profession.

SUNDAY CONCERT
The Spur Band discontinued the Sunday concerts for a few weeks on account of a number of the boys being away on vacation and other reasons, but will resume the regular concert next Sunday, having prepared a fine program for this concert we hope to have a good sized audience. The concert will start promptly at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, everybody come and enjoy the music.—G. C. Collum.

TRY FEEDING EXPERIMENT
Mrs. E. D. Chambers, of Afton, was in our city Wednesday and while in town made the Times office a very pleasant call. In the course of her conversation she revealed to us a plan she and Mr. Chambers have of feeding some cattle this year.

This is one thing we have been hoping some one would undertake and we are glad Mr. and Mrs. Chambers are willing to take up this progressive movement. It is very commendable of them. Mrs. Chambers stated that she believed that by feeding cattle, feed could be made as profitable as cotton. At least it will change their system and break the monotony of raising all cotton for a money crop.

"Up" Field

Complete returns as reported Monday evening shows that Attorney General Dan Moody is the Democratic Nominee for Governor by a majority of 1013. When returns from Fisher County, the last to go in, were received it showed the total vote for governor to be 821,767 and a clear majority for Moody.

The final count as given out by the Election Bureau showed as follows:

Moody 411,390.
Ferguson 281,938.
Davidson 123,025.
Zimmerman 2,910.
Wilms 1,498.
Johnston 1,006.

The vote for governor showed that there had been a great deal of inter-



DAN MOODY

est taken in Texas politics during this campaign. It is possibly the greatest vote ever polled in the State in a primary election.

Judge Pollard, of Houston, was leading Jimmy Allred by less than 3000 votes for the office of Attorney General. Pollard had 145,578 votes and Allred 142,792, giving Pollard only 2,786 plurality. These two men will go in the second primary.

W. Gregory Hatcher was leading J. R. Ball more than 70,000 votes in the State Treasurer's race. Hatcher is the present treasurer and has been bitterly opposed by James E. Ferguson. The vote stands: Hatcher 213,383. Ball 140,935, giving Hatcher a plurality of 72,448. These two men will go into the second primary.

The only other offices in the state having more than two candidates in the race were those of State Superintendent of Public Instruction and Railroad Commissioner. In the first S. M. N. Marrs defeated both his opponents by 46,194 votes. Marrs was bitterly opposed by the Ferguson administration, and won the election without even having made a campaign speech.

C. V. Terrell, of Wise County, defeated both Speer and Boughman for Railroad Commissioner by 38,717 majority.

The only two offices that will require a second primary in the State are those of Attorney General and State Treasurer.

LYRIC UNDER NEW MANAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Stolp arrived in our city last week and will make their home here. Mr. Stolp will have charge of the Lyric Theatre and will conduct the business beginning with this week. These good people have formerly lived in Anson, where Mr. Stolp was in charge of a show.

In conversation with Mr. Stolp he stated that he expected to give the people here better shows from now on than we have ever enjoyed. Well, we hope he does, but he will have to go some to do it. He stated that the large buying facilities of his Company would enable him to give much higher priced shows than had been in the town, and this was his reason for stating that there would be better shows from now on.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Stolp to our city and trust the move will be a profitable one for them. They say they like our town fine.

A. W. McDonald, of McAdoo, was here Wednesday looking after business. He is one among the best citizens and farmers of the Spur trade territory, and reports that his crop is looking fine.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MET AND CHECKED ELECTION VOTE

The Democratic County Executive Committee met at the Courthouse in Dickens last Saturday morning at nine o'clock for the purpose of canvassing the election returns of the Democratic Primary. The following members were present: W. D. Wilson, Chairman, Oran McClure, Secretary; J. L. Karr, Chas Perrin, J. P. Koonsman, W. J. Elliott and L. A. Hindman.

We are printing the County returns for State offices only as the vote for county offices have changed but little from what we reported last week.

- Governor:**
Davidson 375.
Ferguson 720.
Johnson 6.
Moody 921.
Wilman 1.
Zimmerman 9.
- Lieutenant Governor:**
Barry Miller 1989.
- Comptroller:**
S. H. Terrell 1950.
- Attorney General:**
Allred 1315.
Brachfield 80.
Christopher 47.
Hornsby 56.
Irwin 72.
Pollard 88.
- State Treasurer:**
Ball 353.
Christian 42
Garner 95.
Garrett 56.

- Harris 54.
Hatcher 236.
Johnson 639.
- State Superintendent:**
Bennett 466.
Humphries 456.
Marrs 639.
- Commissioner of Agriculture:**
Bolin 525.
Terrell 941.
- Railroad Commissioner:**
Baughman 381.
Speer 277.
C. V. Terrell 760.
- Associate Justice Supreme Court:**
William Pierson 1964.
- Justice Court of Criminal Appeals:**
Hawkins 871.
Pierson 595.
- Associate Justice Court Civ. Appeals:**
H. C. Randolph 1995.
- Member of Congress, 18th District:**
Marvin Jones 2008.
- State Representative, District 118:**
J. A. Merritt 2008.
- District Attorney 50th Jud. District:**
W. B. Combest 2013.
- This is the first time we have had the opportunity to print the correct returns for State Officers. This is a correct report as certified by the the County Executive Committee and which was sent to the State Committee. Should any one desire to file away this paper for future reference in regard to election returns for State officers as voted by Dickens County, this will be correct.
- The greatest number of votes polled for any office was that of Sheriff. In

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ROARING SPRINGS TAKES FAST GAME FROM SPUR BOYS

A very interesting ball game occurred between Roaring Springs and Spur line up at the Fair Park last Tuesday afternoon. Following is the game by innings:

Roaring Springs: Hogland fouled out to catcher. Godfrey singled and was out at plate when he tried to score on Mitchells double. Stearns flew out to McAlpine. No runs, two hits, no errors.

Spur: Harris struck out. Hawk was out third to first. Clay got a life on an infield hit, stole second and scored when Sims overthrew third as he was stealing. Hindman struckout. One run, one hit, one error.

Second Inning
Roaring Springs: Ellard was safe on Hindman's error. He stole second and scored when Jordan threw wild trying to catch him. Hinson popped out to Holly. Dickinson struck out and Street was out pitcher to first. One run, no hits, one error.

Spur: McAlpine flew out to left. Poke Hawk, and Jordan struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Third Inning
Roaring Springs: Sims grounded out to first. Hogland struck out. Godfrey flew out to second. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Spur: Carr and Holly struck out. Harris was out short to first. No hits, no runs, no errors.

Fourth Inning
Roaring Springs: Mitchell walked and stole second. Stearns was safe on Hawk's error, Mitchell scoring and Stearns going to third. Ellard stole second. Hinson, Dickson and Street all struck out. One run, no hits, two errors.

Spur: Hawk flew out to left. Clay got another infield hit and stole second. Hindman got a life on an error. McAlpine Struck out. Poke Hawk got an infield hit Clay and Hindman scoring. Jordan was out, pitcher to first. Two runs, two hits, one error.

Fifth Inning
Roaring Springs: Sims was safe on an error. Hogland was out pitcher to first, Sims going to second on play. Godfrey flew out to third. Mitchell struck out. No runs, no hits, one error.

Spur: Carr singled. Holly singled, Carr going to third. On an attempted double steal Carr was thrown out pitcher to third to catcher. Harris struck out. Hawk singled scoring Holly. Clay singled to right scoring Hawk. Clay stole second. Hindman struck out. Two runs, two hits, no errors.

Sixth Inning
Roaring Springs: Stearns struck out. Ellard grounded out to pitcher. Hinson struck out. No runs, no hits, no errors.

Spur: McAlpine strolled and was caught off first pitcher to first. Poke Hawk was safe on Godfrey's error and stole second. Jordan was safe on Dickinson's error, Hawk going to third. Carr struck out and Holly grounded out, second to first. No runs no hits two errors.

Seventh Inning
Roaring Springs: Dickinson grounded out pitcher to first. Street singled and stole second. Sims doubled scoring Dickinson. Hogland was safe on Clay's error, Sims going to third on the play. Godfrey was thrown out, third to first Sims scoring. Mitchell struck out. Two runs, two hits, two errors.

Spur: Harris was out third to first. Hawk singled and stole second. Clay struck out and Hindman ended the enning by grounding out second to first. No runs, one hit, no errors.

Eight Inning
Roaring Springs: Stearns doubled. Ellard was safe on Harris' error, Stearns going to third. Ellard stole second. Hinson knocked a home run scoring Stearns and Ellard ahead of him. Dickinson struck out. Street struck out. Street got life on Hawk's error and went to second when Hogland singled. Godfrey ended the inning by flying out to left. Three runs, three hits, two errors.

Spur: McAlpine ground out second to first. Poke Hawk singled. Jordan singled Hawk going to third. Carr laid one down in the box Hawk scoring and Jordan was thrown out pitcher to second. Holly flew out to second. One run, two hits, no errors.

Ninth Inning
Roaring Springs: Mitchell Stuck out. Stearns got his second double in succession. Ellard doubled scoring Stearns. Hinson struck out. Dickinson walked but Street ended the inning by popping out to first. One run, two hits, no errors.

Spur: Harris popped out to pitcher. Hawk singled. Clay singled, Hawk going to third. Hindman flew out to right and McAlph was out third to first. No runs, two hits, no errors.

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Spur 100 220 10 1

Line Up
Roaring Springs: Hogland r. f.; Godfrey s. s.; Mitchell 1st b.; Stearns p.; Ellard, 3rd b.; Hinson l. f.; Dickinson 2nd b.; Street c. f.; Sims c.
Spur: Harris s. s.; Hawk 1st b.; Clay 3rd b.; Hindman l. f.; McAlpine 2nd b.; Poke Hawk r. f.; Jordan c. Carr c. f.; Holly p.

To Fight Dempsey



The much tangled situation in the heavyweight boxing division has cleared up with the announcement that Gene Tunney will be Jack Dempsey's next opponent. Gene has already started training in Summit, N. J., for the big bout which will be held Sept. 11th.

Tex's Bride-to-Be



Dan Cupid knocks out Tex Rickard with blow to heart, will be the news headlines shortly after Sept. 11th, when the premiere fight promoter will wed Miss Maxine Hodges of New York City, shown here in photo.

JOI DE VOI CLUB

Mrs. Willie R. King entertained in a very pleasing way the Joi de Voi Club on Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Jack Rector.

Zenias of brilliant hue decorated the rooms.
High score prize, a dainty tea apron, went to Mrs. Elma Brown. Mrs. Dan H. Zachery received the cut prize

a laundry bag.
Delightfully cool refreshments were served to the following:
Mesdames Thomas Morrison, Murray Lea, Dan H. Zachery, Elma Brown Paul T. Vickers, of Midland, Jim Edd Hall, Roy Harkey, Cecil Fox and Jack Rector.

J. A. Steward, who runs the Blossom Filling Station on the Plains, was in Spur Tuesday buying supplies and looking after other business. He reports crop conditions fine in his section of the country. Such is the case all over West Texas. We never had better prospects, and unless some unforeseen calamity visits our "neck of the woods," one of the biggest and best crops in our history will be harvested.

We saw in the paper where four people were run over by a train. It killed them. It seems they had stopped their tinlizzy on the tract, and the train didn't have time to go around or the engineer lost control of the engine or something. Well, the world is coming to mighty poor pass when they won't make the trains stop while the boys let their motors cool off.

The oil well, which it is said has splendid prospects for a "gusher" is not attracting as much attention as heretofore—it has been suggested that the drillers wait until next Spring to bring it in when business is dull and we are wondering where the next meal is coming from.

It seems that the lamp post in front of the Times office got to wobbling around Saturday night and got in the way of a car, with the result that it had to forego showing its lights for a couple of nights. It might be a good idea for the City Commission to investigate the demeanor of said post and give it a lecture on where it should stand when traffic is passing.

You birds that are kicking about this hot weather had better enjoy it while you can—got several big northerners and snow storms scheduled a little later on.

Down State a little ways a young feller mixed a gallon of "choe" with five gallons of gasoline and had a terrible wreck.

Ex-Governor Jim intimates that a large majority of the People of Texas have "shore" ruined themselves with him.

About all the votes Ma got this time was the 250,000 that Jim boasts he carries in his est pocket.

Gosh! wouldn't you hate to be a Catholic and live in the City of Mexico?

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Starcher, of Croton, are the happy parents of a fine baby girls, born at the Nichols Sanitarium last Friday evening. Mother and baby are getting along fine. They have Christened the little girl Nona LaDorce, and we cannot object much if all the rest of the kin-folks get made for its big uncle and aunt are very proud of their name sake.

Rev. W. B. Bennett, missionary, was in our city Monday enroute to Prairie Chapel, to begin a meeting where he will be until Sunday. He just closed a fine meeting at Wake, where a number of accessions were made to the church, and another one at Red Mud where there were 14 conversions and reclamations.

Rev. A. P. Stokes, of Afton, was greeting friends and transacting business in our City Monday.

Senator A. C. Buchanan of Temple was greeting old friends in our city the last of the week. He expressed a very fine opinion of Dickens County, stating that it was one of the leading counties of the State.

Judge H. A. C. Brummeett, of Dickens, was looking after business affairs in our city Saturday.

S. L. Davis, of the Davis Insurance Agency, was transacting business in Dickens Monday of this week.

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FOR SALE—One Ford Touring car, \$125.00 cash or in bankable notes. Inquire at the Times office.
TYPEWRITER RIBBONS—Just received a new supply of typewriter ribbons and carbon paper. Get your supply at the Times office.
FOR RENT—A nice three room apartment. See Chas. Whitner.
A STENOGRAPHER—I can use a stenographer one day each week.—G. C. Collum, Phone 234.
RENT a Ford at the Sunshine Service Station.
LOST—Three skin Brow Fitch choker on Tuesday night of last week. Finder return to Times office.
WANTED—A good first class barber. Union shop. Write L. B. Hinson, Roaring Springs, Texas. 2t-p.
Rooms for rent. Will also give meals. Phone 30. Times Office.
FOR SALE—Jersey Milk Cows. Have several nice, young, fresh, pure bred Jersey Cows for Sale.—R. B. Johnston. Phone 134.
NOTICE—I will open a class in kindergarden work in Spur, Monday, September 8. See me about this work.—Mrs. W. O. Garrison. 87-1f
WANTED—Car of pigs. Will pay \$6 for good weaned pigs.—D. S. Chambers, Afton, Texas.
FOR SALE—One lot and some building material, one home 6 room, both located on West Harris Street.—C. E. Skelton.

WEST TEXAS NEWS

Breckenridge is to have a new hotel with a cost of approximately \$400,000, according to reports from the Chamber of Commerce of that City. Citizens of Breckenridge will be required to take out stock amounting to \$60,000. Other interests will subscribe the remainder of the amount.
The Chamber of Commerce of Wellington is making plans to bid on the 1927 convention of the northern Panhandle district. All business houses will close for the convention at Clarendon, and the delegation from that city will include more than five hundred business men.
Clarendon is having a new hotel, which will cost \$75,000. It will be a three story structure, modern throughout, with private telephones. Private parking places will be arranged for the cars that belong to the guests of the hotel.
An election has been ordered by the city of Haskell to vote \$17,000 bonds in City Hall and Fire Station Improvements and \$20,000 funding bond. The bond rates will not carry a tax raise.
Hereford High School now has affiliation in all the twenty-six courses of studies offered, according to reports received from the State Department of Education. Three and one-half units were secured this year.
The Traffic Bureau of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has been instrumental in saving more than \$3,000,000 annually to the shippers of West Texas, according to reports received from the Interstate Commerce Commission, which recently denied the five percent in raise in the rate for all carriers west of the Mississippi river.
The Chamber of Commerce of O'Donnell is contemplating the securing of a county agent for Lynn County. A petition for this agent is being signed by members of the organization and will be presented to the Commissioners Court.
The organization of the Eastland Mineral Water Company has been completed, and the capital of the Company will be \$25,000.00. The outlook of the Company is good, since no unfavorable comment has been made against the water supply there.
The new Hotel Brownfield is open for business. The hotel is modern in building and fixtures. There are 23 guest rooms with private baths and the building is steam heated.
The poultrymen of Runnels County are effecting the organization of all poultry growers for the purpose of selecting and raising the best grade of chickens.
Necessary funds for the installation of signal lights have been appropriated by the Mineral Wells City Commission, and the system will soon be in use. Five lights will be used in the beginning, but others will be added later on when the need becomes more urgent.
Orders have been placed for Plainview's new playgrounds. The grounds will shelter a pavilion, lunch tables, benches, and several sets of playground equipment for children. The park will have a flag pole and at sundown each evening, the American flag will be lowered, with all the children present standing at attention.

Spur Grocery Sunday Dinner

Orange and Strawberry Cocktail
Chicken Southern Style
Bechamel

Mashed Potatoes **Corn Fritters**
Romaine with Roquefort Salad Dressing
Cheese Straws
Steamed Almond Pudding, Whipped Cream

Orange and Strawberry Cocktail
Peel large navel oranges, removing white membrane. Cut crosswise in one-half inch slices, cut slices in cubes rejecting the white core. Save juice. Wash, if necessary, large firm strawberries, dry them, hull and cut in halves lengthwise. Chill prepared fruit on ice. When ready to serve mix fruit carefully and divide equally between the required number of chilled cocktail glasses. There should be equal measure of Orange cubes and halves of berries. Sprinkle each with one tablespoon of sugar. Pour over orange juice to which add lemon juice in the proportion of 1 teaspoon to each one-fourth cup of orange juice. Garnish each portion with a large unhulled strawberry. Maraschino cherries may be used in place of strawberries and some of the juice mixed with orange juice, then poured over fruit.

Chicken, Southern Style

Dress, clean and cut up to chickens, one yearold or less. Sprinkle with salt and pepper; then dip in egg diluted with cold milk, 2 teaspoon milk for each egg and fine bread crumbs. Place in a well greased dripping pan and bake in a hot oven until evenly browned; turn often and baste after five minutes cooking with one half cup of butter melted in one-half cup of hot water. After butter is used baste every five minutes with grease in pan. If chickens are young it will require thirty-five minutes to complete cookings. Arrange on a hot serving platter and pour around 2 cups of Bechamel Sauce. Garnish with crisp bacon. Serve corn fritters.

Bechamel Sauce

Melt one-fourth cup of butter in sauce pan, add one-fourth cup of flour stir until well blended, then add gradually 1 1-2 cups of chicken stock made from liquor in which neck, pinions and giblets were cooked. Stir until Sauce is smooth. Add 3-4 cup of hot cream. Season with salt, pepper and f. g. nutmeg. Remove from the range and beat in the yolk of one egg slightly beaten. Do not allow sauce to cook after adding egg yolk.

Corn Fritters

Mix two cups of finely chopped canned corn, or grated green corn. Three Teaspoons cream, one and one-third cups of flour, 1 tsp. salt, 1 tsp. sugar and 1-2 cup of melted butter. Mix well and add three eggs beat until they are thick and lemon tinted. Drop by teaspoonfuls on a well greased griddle; cook until browned on one side, turn and brown the other side. Serve at once.

Romaine With Roquefort Dressing

Remove the outer imperfect leaves, separate remaining leaves of a solid head of crisp romaine or if heads are long and solid, cut in quarters lengthwise. Arrange portions on individual salad plates and just before serving pour over French dressing to which add 1-3 cup of Roquefort cheese crumbled and beaten until it is well blended, then stir in two tablespoons of thin cream. Cream may be omitted.

Steamed Almond Pudding

Cream 1-4 cup. Butter, add 1-3 cup of sugar gradually, 1 half cup of molasses, 2 eggs, beaten till thick and lemon tinted. Sift together 1 1-2 cups of flour, 1-2 tsp. soda, 1-2 teaspoon of cinnamon, 1-4 tsp. nutmeg, and 1-4 tsp. salt. Add to first mixture alternately with 1-2 cup of milk, then stir in three fourth cups of blanched almonds, that have been fried in deep hot fat, drained and finely chopped. Turn into a well buttered mould, cover and steam for 2 1-2 hours. Serve hot with whipped cream or foamy sauce.

Produce sold in Spur brings the highest market price.

Better be getting ready for the fair—it takes place next month.

A goodly number of our people are driving new Fords on the force of our crop outlook.

Somebody has predicted that cotton won't bring over 12 cents per pounds. If it don't somebody is going ragged and maybe hungry.

ded later on when the need becomes more urgent.

Orders have been placed for Plainview's new playgrounds. The grounds will shelter a pavilion, lunch tables, benches, and several sets of playground equipment for children.

The park will have a flag pole and at sundown each evening, the American flag will be lowered, with all the children present standing at attention.

LOVE IS THE BINDING TIE

Whoever put the words "Till death do us part" into the marriage ceremony understood life.

Whoever it was understood the difference between love and passion. Passion may be for a day, and usually is, and is often succeeded by indifferent contempt. Love is a different sort of thing.

Love is based upon other things than physical attraction. It is sometimes composed of esteem, regard and many other things that depend upon something else than proximity alone.

Human nature is so constituted that a man who swears to love a woman until death do them part is reasonably sure that if he behaves himself and controls himself love will be co-terminous with his life. It is upon this law that the promise rests.

When passion has disappeared after a few weeks, or months, love remains. It is more than the residuum of passion. It is something built upon character, and with reasonable culture it can be depended upon to endure.

In fact, love is one of the most enduring things in the world. It outlives hate. It is tough, and the more storms that blow upon it the stronger it grows.

This is noticeable in mother love which can live and endure the greatest disappointments. Long after a child has proven himself unworthy a mother's love will continue unabated.

Love does not depend altogether upon the action of the other party, but it is inherent in the person himself. Many a wife or husband keeps on loving despite all that is done to destroy that love.

If love were what many people understood it to be, a mere gust of passion or a wayward sentiment, there would be no sense in promising to cherish one another forever. Most of the objections to marriage are based upon the wrong conception of what makes marriage beautiful. It is not passion, but it is love.

Love often endures long after the fires of passion have expired.

Those who think that love is mere infatuation are likely to flit from flower to flower, while those who conceive of love as a child of loyalty will be able to be stable and dependable.

EUROPE'S ATTITUDE TOWARD THE UNITED STATES

In connection with the rough treatment of American tourists by French crowds, bear in mind that some American tourists are foolish. Many as a joke pasted the paper franc on the outside of their luggage, with hotel labels or threw french money on the floor to show how little they thought of it. The shrinking of the Franc being, financially, a matter of life and death with the French, they naturally resented the conduct of such American idiots.

On the the other hand, if you feel this country ought to be more generous with France, bear in mind the statement of Mr. Mellon and the President that they are not trying to collect one dollar of the money lent to France before the Armistice, while the war was on. All of that debt is wiped out, in the settlement proposed. But this not told to the French people.

Some European countries threaten to boycott American investors and borrow their money elsewhere. That would be a blessing to many Americans silly enough to invest in foreign bonds that may or may not be paid.

But it won't happen. Borrowing from good old Uncle Shylock, as the Europeans call him, will continue as long as Uncle will lend.

The wise American will invest in America.

THE VILLAGE THE CORNERSTONE OF NATION'S FOUNDATION

Let's hear no more about the decay of the American village.

C. Luther Fry, writing a report of the Institute of Social and Religious Research, says that, contrary to the general impression, the villages of America are growing in numerical and social importance.

In the past twenty years villages have increased from five to nine times as fast as the open country population and considerably more than the nation's population as a whole. In three out of eight regions, villages have grown faster even than cities. Since

village mothers have fewer children than those on the farm, the fact raises the question whether the trek from the open country district does not lead to the village as much as the city.
Mr. Fry's findings disclose the American village as the citadel of conservatism against the insurgency of farmers on one side and the radicalism of the big city wage workers on the other. Over 12,000,000 Americans, one of every eight live in villages. These people are not predominately farmers. In the middle western villages, for instance, only a little more than one-tenth makes its living on the farm.
The village of from 250 to 2,500 population, is primarily a small scale

manufacturing city, according to Mr. Fry's survey.

He shows that the largest single economic groups in villages are unskilled laborers, working in manufacturing plants, and proprietors, owners and managers," the latter having a proportion to the village 70 per cent greater than in the large urban centers.

The atmosphere of small proprietorship, usually distinctively conservative, dominates the village and is in little danger of disturbance. It is further intensified—and here's a major point in favor of the village—by the large population of home ownership and native white stock compared

with the city.
So the village is safe and sound, a good place to live in, and a good place for business, a pillar of honest Americanism. We are strong for the village and the villager.

Unless Farmer Jim does the unexpected he will bolt the party and endeavor to turn his support to the Republican nominee.

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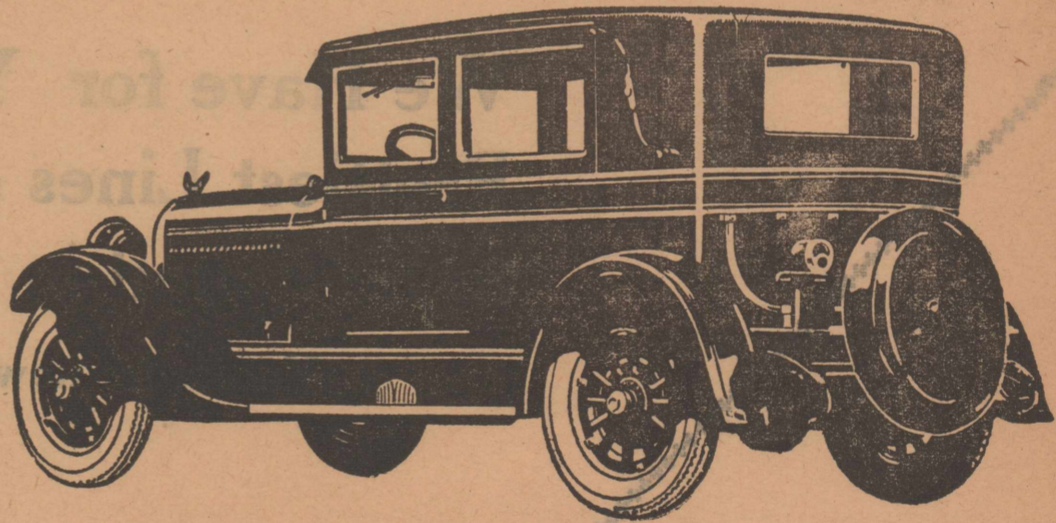
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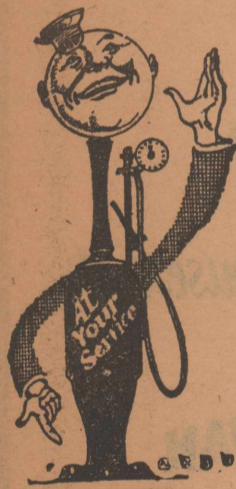
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ALL DRUGGISTS

Miss Dura Whaley spent the week in Anson with her parents.

All ball scores by radio and telegraph.—Red Front Drug Store.

Miss Kittie Powell is spending her vacation in Wichita Falls the guest of her aunt.

J. A. Legg, of the Croton Community was looking after business in our city Monday.

Take a Kodak with you.—Red Front Drug Store.

Bill Edwards, of Girard, was looking after business in Spur the past week.

B. F. Hawley returned last week from Borger and stated that business was very rushing in that part of the state.

Toilet articles to suit the most exacting person.—Red Front Drug Store.

HALL MUSIC COMPANY—We sell Gulbransen Pianos.—S. D. Rattan, District Agent, Matador, Texas. 872tc

The Times received a card from Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Miller, at Colorado Springs, which stated that they were having an enjoyable vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Farris and daughter, Mrs. Bill Leavitt, of Stamford, are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Toilet articles for the most exacting person.—Red Front Drug Store.

Bill Brown, of Schrimsher & Stack Barber Shop, left Sunday for San Saba, where he will spend a few days visiting and enjoying a vacation.

The Legg Brothers of Croton purchased a new Ford Coupe from Godfrey & Smart Monday, which shows their confidence in the future prospects of our county.

All ball scores by Radio and telegraph.—Red Front Drug Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Chalk Brown returned from their vacation Saturday. While away they visited Mr. and Mrs. Bert Brown, of Stanton, and points in New Mexico.

E. C. Edmonds returned last week from Borger, Texas, where he has been employed by the Woody Drug Company, and informs us that Edwin is meeting with great success in the oil field.

Take a Kodak with you.—Red Front Drug Store.

Mrs. Birl Hight has accepted a position with Salems and will have charge of the ladies ready-to-wear department.

Mrs. E. F. Laverty is with the Ritter Hardware Company while Mr. and Mrs. John King and Miss Tony Slaton are attending district court at Seymour.

BUSINESS LADIES ENJOY
OUTING

The business ladies enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon Tuesday at the Fair Park.

There was a short business session then the fun came. My, talk about lots of eats—they were there by the basketful, and those girls how they did fight over the pully bone, but—we think some of them are hopeless? Those partaking of the bountiful repast and enjoying the delightful occasion were: Misses Ila Bowman, Hickman, Hicklen, Powell, Gilly Slaton, Conklin. Mesdames Senning, Williams, Glasgow, Grimes and Starcher.—Reporter.

More than \$158,000,000 was expended for the support of state universities and colleges in the United States during the fiscal year of 1925. Salaries of professors and other employes took more than half the amount.

We're not much for prize fighting, but we would certainly get a front seat for the encounter between Rudy Valentino and the Chicago editor.

Twenty-three of the fifty-six signers of the Declaration of Independence were college bred men.

A PARTY IN THE OLD TIME WAY

Mrs. R. B. Johnston and Mrs. D. Y. Twaddell entertained members of the Entre Nous Club, the Friday Afternoon Club, the Methodist Young Ladies Missionary Society and other friends with a Southern Plantation Party on the lawn of the R. B. Johnston home north of town Tuesday evening.

As the guests arrived they were greeted by Mr. and Mrs. Johnston, and Mr. and Mrs. Twaddell, they were directed to a table where they were served punch by a little "colored lady". A number of real colored folk furnished old time plantation music, carrying out the chief object of the occasion.

When the time for games arrived the guests were told to find their names on the shopping bags which were hung on the chairs at the tables. By the time all had found their names they had met each other and passed the customary greetings. Then the games started, it being the chief object to see who was the best shopper.

As games were won and partners progressed their shopping bag had some kind of a green vegetable placed into it as a mark of distinction. This part of the entertainment still carried out the farm scheme and because the colored girl filled the bags, would make one feel that they were really back on the old Virginia plantation. At the close of the games an inventory was taken and it was found that Mrs. Roy D. Harkey was the best shopper, having secured more vegetables than any one else, and was awarded a big ripe watermelon for the effort made. Mrs. Starcher was found to have no vegetables in her possession and was awarded the "booby" prize which was a vegetable porcupine.

Some said that Roy Stovall should be ruled out of the next shopping event since he would not be fair. He had to pull the stunt of trying to swipe everything from other people. He took vegetables from other people, Bruce Johnston accused him of swiping the kick out of the punch, and last, but not least he tried to swipe the vegetable porcupine by seizing it by the tail, but the tail hold slipped and he had to be contented by securing the terminal appendage only.

The refreshments consisted of ice-cold watermelon which was served in old time plantation style by colored girls.

Those who were privileged to enjoy this social occasion were: Messrs. and Mesdames Roy Harkey, Robert Lea, Jack Rector, Murray Lea, S. H. Twaddell, W. J. Elliott, Jim Edd Hall, Cecil Hicks, Dillard, A. C. Hull, E. C. McGee, Leland D. Campbell, Faust Collier, Birl Hight, W. C. Flint, L. E. Lee, George S. Link Sr., M. E. Manning, Oran McClure, Wm. Manning, Isbell from Fort Worth, Jas. B. Reed, E. A. Russell, Roy Stovall, E. L. Adams, H. S. Wilkes, Carl Wester, Thurman Harris, W. D. Starcher, Mesdames J. H. Grace, Nellie Davis, R. E. Dickson, C. L. Love, Ella Mott, Pauline Clemmons, Ella Williams, Russell, W. F. Godfrey, Bill Leavitt of Stamford, Misses White of Baird, Ila Bowman, Anna Mae Hale, Margaret Elliott of South Africa, Peggy Elliott, Nell Higgins, Arlene Scudder, Leah Smith, Julia Mae Hickman, Martha Hicklen, Nina Grace of Dallas, Lera Albin, Kitty Powell, Dorothy Williams Eleanor Harris. Messrs. Jimmie Sample, Geo. S. Link, Jr., Henry Elkins, W. C. Craig, J. B. Richbourg, Hubert Karr, Spencer Browning and Hall Pendleton.

A QUIET WEDDING TUESDAY

Byron Perry and Miss Ruby Smith were married Tuesday evening at the home of the brides parents, Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith. Just the members of the immediate families were present for the occasion. Rev. W. C. Craig officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith and has lived in Spur for the past three years. She has gained a great number of friends since coming to our city, and her family is held in the highest esteem.

Mr. Perry is a son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Perry and is considered one of the finest young men of our city. He owns the battery repair station on Trumbell Avenue, formerly operated by J. J. South. He is a fine mechanic and is rapidly becoming established in his business.

For the present Mr. and Mrs. Perry will have an apartment with Mrs. T. H. Gilmore where they are now at home.

The Times joins their many friends in wishing them much success and

happiness along life's pathway.

TWO LAST ONES GO TO NORTH
PART OF THE COUNTY

The two last prizes of five gallons of oil given away by the King & Sample Filling Station went to citizens of Dickens and Afton. O. C. Arthur received the one given away July 26. H. B. Blakley received the one given away on last Monday.

This station will continue to give away a prize of five gallons of oil to the lucky one of each Saturday's trade. These are given away each Monday, but you have to do the trading on Saturday to get the prize.

C. R. EDWARDS LEAVES FOR
MARKET THIS WEEK

Keeping in line with the times and progress of the country C. R. Edwards leaves the last of the week for eastern cities to buy a big stock of goods for C. R. Edwards & Company. Mr. Edwards has already selected a fine stock which he is offering the people, but to be sure that he has the market completed he feels that it is best to make a personal inspection in order to supply his customers with the latest.

With the great buying facilities that Spur merchants have used this year, the people will have the greatest buying opportunity of their lives. In fact, our merchants have always had the best on the markets, but this is one time they expect to give the best on the markets and let out some of the best bargains ever known. C. R. Edwards & Company will be in line with these bargains and do their share for the people.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Haile and Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Roddy left Monday for Seymour where Mr. Haile will attend District Court. Also they will have a family reunion at the home of Geo. C. Haile in Seymour.



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Announce-
ment

We are taking this method of announcing to the public and our many customers who have traded with us for these many years, because of the fact that we carry the best advertised lines obtainable at the Eastern Markets, that we are now beginning to get our new fall stock of merchandise including men's shoes, hats and clothing and also our famous Ladies Ready-to-Wear line, including Peggy Paige and other similiar lines.

We expect a complete line of Ladies Ready-to-Wear within the next few days, so don't fail to come in and inspect our new merchandise before making your selections and purchases.

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THE BEST PLACE IN TOWN TO BUY SHOES - - J P WILKES & SON

THE OMNIPRESENT GOD

There is but one good, omnipresent God. There is but one source of all good, omnipresent God. Whatever of good there is in the life of an individual is from this source. All lack of good is lack of God. Good always manifests in every life to the degree that it has an opportunity. God is seeking at all times to manifest in some form—health, prosperity, joy. Good is seeking expression in all places where it is lacking, seeking to restore its likeness. Good is pressing on the one who needs, in whatever form he needs, saying, let me enter your mind, and I will change the condition of your body and affairs from what they seem to be to what I am—the good. Yet many remain deaf to this inner voice and continue to search without for their health, their prosperity, their joy; they continue to worry and fear because they do not find their good.

Our good is always seeking us, trying to express through us, to satisfy in their highest forms the desires and craving of our hearts. It is not the suit of the giver of gifts that all do have enough money to meet the need for food, for clothing, for rent, constructive pleasures and outer joy that the heart craves and the human mind needs. Lack is not in the play of creation but in the mind that sees good and evil. If we seem to lack, that fact is indubitable proof that somewhere, somehow, we are seeing lack, thus setting up a partition between us and our good. The more we see lack, fear it, worry over it, talk of it, the greater power do we give it to increase, for lack increases as quickly as supply—through recognition.

Many of us see appearance of lack more plainly than we see the good that we have. A greater seeing of that which is in manifestation, and praising and giving thanks for it, will cause more of it to appear. This applies to any need—health, supply, joy, business, harmony, friendship, love.

Good cannot fail to manifest for us when we realize that God is good, that good is God, and that good (God) is all there really is in the universe. If we would make God and good synonymous in our minds, and whatever we are seeking, realize that we are seeking God, the things that we seek would come into our lives more quickly and in higher forms.

All lack and all limitations are mental conditions that are common to all humanity, because all people have wandered away from God. Separation from God in the mental realm causes separation from good in the material realm. When we realize this and through affirmation and prayer united ourselves with God, we become one with the good which He is, and good takes form for us in the outer.

As the universe came forth from the unseen, so the universe of each person comes forth from the unseen. According to its outpouring man pronounces it good or evil. He forgets sometimes that the lack is not in the appearance. To bring forth any desire in the highest form we must contact the source of that desire in God, contact it in the created yet unmanifest realm within. In the beginning all the good that man can desire, even that which he has not desired or conceived, was created for his use. He may have it when he grows in consciousness so that he can sense it, bring it into visibility, and make the earth full of the glory of God.

The Moses consciousness, or the law in us, is always seeking fulfillment in the outer of our inward visioning, seeking acceptance of good and evil; the Christ consciousness, or love, is always seeking to wipe out (to forgive) our transgressions and draw us back toward our fathers house, our good. Were this not true man would destroy himself and his universe, for the results which come to us from the Moses law, or low visioning, are not to our liking, and we seek higher causes in order to manifest higher things. If there were not the Christ love which wipes out the effect and reestablishes perfection in the mind, repentance or turning away from error would be of no avail. Eliphaz, the Temanite, looked on Job—downcast, poverty stricken. Job—Job covered with sores and in ashes, but Job lived on a higher realm, hopeful of the eternal bliss promised by his Maker.

RECEIVED BY INDIAN TRIBE

The Iroquois Indians have paid official honor to Boy Scouting. Chief Clear Sky, Chief and active and titular head, has adopted for the tribe two California Scout Officials. The honored men are Field Executive Elroy A. Thomas, of Los Angeles, who was made a member and sub-chief, and Scoutmaster Cook, also of that city, appointed as medicine man, the first white man, it is said, to hold this posi-

tion in the tribe. The ceremony took place in a park in Los Angeles, and was witnessed by a huge throng of scouts and scout officials.

Only six other white men it is stated, have been adopted by the Iroquois. Two of these were the late President Wilson and the Prince of Wales. The adoption is the result of the activities of the two leaders in the Iroquois Scouts, stated a local report. "This group is an organization whose rites are based on Iroquois ceremonials. Chief Clear Sky is an honorary chief of this new organization."

EXPLORERS' CUT PACKS

Camp equipment has been cut to the minimum by Seattle Scouts' discovery party, now penetrating the unexplored regions of the Olympic peninsula.

The veteran hikers before leaving on their great trip, realized the necessity of overcoming the handicap of weighty duffel. Where pack horses cannot travel on their journey, the scouts must carry all the grub, bedding, clothing and equipment. By experiment and study the boys learned to lessen the burden.

Speaking of the camper's careful pack equipment, Staurt P. Walsh, Scout Executive of Seattle, in general charge of the exposition, stated:

"Where the old prospector or mountaineer went burdened with 75 or 100 pounds, scouts fully outfitted hike with ease, carrying duffel weighing 25 pounds or less per man. No one factor makes the difference, but carefully worked out stunts to eliminate a pound here, eight ounces there tells the story.

"A side of bacon, a sack of corn meal and a large frying pan were essential items of former days. Skeleton pack boards have replaced the heavy canvas bags and harness. Feather weight sleeping bags, covered with airplane cloth have replaced the heavy blankets. Extra clothing has been cut to the minimum, and repairs, washing, etc., can be done en route.

"Each scout's person outfit on the Olympic expedition will be as follows: one extra suit of underwear, or light payamas, one extra wool shirt, one pair of moccasins to rest the feet in the evening, two extra pair of wool socks, one extra bandana handkerchief, towel, soap, comb and tooth brush, compass, waterproof match safe, knife, spoon, tin plate and cup.

"All this will occupy only a small part in the boys pack and he will also carry his share of the grub, scientific equipment or cooking utensils. Some of the party will also bring flashlights, cameras and field glasses.

"The only fire arms carried by the party will be two revolvers, carried by the leaders and to be used for signaling purposes. No guns are needed as protection against wild animals, though many of the latter will probably be encountered.

A HIGHWAY GOOD TURN

Two hundred pounds of junk collected from the streets and highways in and near Colorado Springs, represent a Boy Scout Good Turn.

Scout Joe Kamionka, the collector of the vast assortment of broken glass, nails, sharp stones and kindred matter is the victor in a recent "Prevent That Puncture Campaign". All the scouts worked to make the campaign a success, but Joe's contribution

headed the list. In recognition of the scout's aid, the Colorado Springs Auto mobile Club presented the boy scout troop with a silver loving cup.

The junk collected in the Campaign was recently on display in the Window of the Chamber of Commerce.

LAWN PARTY FOR SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

The Primary Class of the First Christian Sunday School enjoyed a lawn party at the home of Miss Beth Harkey Thursday afternoon of last week. This is one of the best Sunday School classes in town and the efficient live teacher in charge is largely responsible for it. The occasion of this entertainment was in honor of little Frances Springer and Opal McGlathery. These two little girls were the first in the class to be able to name all the books of the New Testament in order, and they were due some consideration for this work—at least their teacher thought so.

As the little ones arrived they were served iced lemonade. Then a number of very interesting little games were enjoyed. After the social hour they were served with ice cream cones and cookies.

The following are the names of those who enjoyed this occasion:

Hersta Sue Davis, Sol Davis, Robert Hall Davis, Peggy Jane Teague, Constance Teague, Morris Denson, Marian Reed, Flora Love Morrison, Elizabeth Wolf, Charles Wolf, Jr., Lois Jo Fallie, Lanelle Falls, Mozell Powell, Sylvan Golding, Lillian Grace Dickson, Marian Hale, Ernestine Hale, Sammie Kelsey McGee, Helen Hale, Bill Caraway, Billie Putman, John Reynolds, Jane Reynolds, Julia Jo Reed.

THIS MIGHT BE TRUE

Sir James Cantlie, the famous surgeon, who died recently in London, was noted for his good humored philosophy. The following are a few of his characteristic sayings:

"Dance before breakfast—not a waltz, but a hornpipe."

"I would not smoke a cigarette for a five pound note and that is saying

a lot for a Scotsman. "Serious illness does not shorten life. I have had more serious illnesses than any other man of 70."

"The brainworker expends more of the vital principles of his body in half hours work than a man engaged in muscular exercises does all day.

ANOTHER NEW SHEET ON OUR DESK

This week we have enjoyed reading the Turkey Enterprise, Vol. 1, No. 1, which is the new publication for Turkey, one of the fine inland towns of our State. This new paper is edited and managed by Mr. A. M. West, who also owns and publishes the Bronte Enterprise.

From the line up of business secured by the Enterprise, Turkey must be a very progressive place, and we wonder why they have had to wait so long to secure a paper. Every business in the town must be represented, and if all are not represented, then it is a big town. However, we feel that all are mentioned in the new publication, and those that are not are not worth considering. The cooperation and welcome extended the new paper by those good people is enough to make the editor walk around with dignity and be a competitor for the Dallas News.

Good luck, Bro. West, and may the Enterprise grow and assist in making Turkey a city of many thousand.

SAYS WEST TEXAS HAS BEST CROPS IN STATE

S. L. Terry, of Plainview, and S. S. Frayar, of Shamrock, passed thru our city Tuesday enroute to Plainview after spending some time in East Texas looking over the cotton situation of the State. In conversation with Mr. Terry he stated that West Texas had by far the best crops of any portion he had visited.

In referring to Fannin, Lamarr, Red River and other eastern counties he said that the cotton was a great big weed with no fruit. There is a little formation in the top, but at this time a year ago people were beginning to

sell cotton.

When speaking about feed, Mr. Perry said there would be cheap feed this year. All the way back to Arkansas and Louisiana lines there is fine corn and feed crops. It will be a good time for Texas to try feeding out some cattle and reap the profits that the northern states have been making off us.

Deaths from automobile accidents have increased 50 per cent since 1920, two fifths of those killed being children under 15 years of age.

AN EXHILARATING EFFECT

A bottle of Herbine on the shelf at home is like having a doctor in the house all the time. It gives instant relief when the digestion gets out of order or the bowels fail to act. One or two doses is all that is necessary to start things moving and restore that fine feeling of exhilaration and buoyancy of spirits which belongs only to perfect health. Price 60c. Sold by

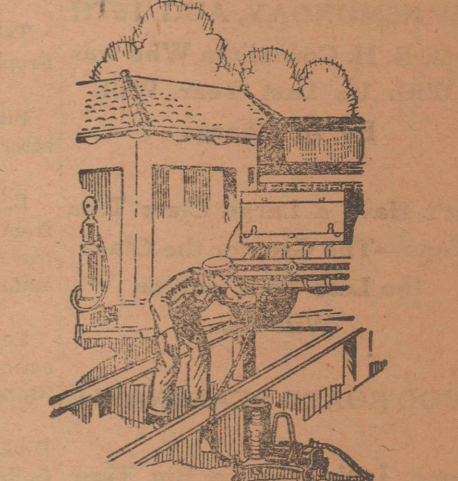
FOR SALE By All Druggists

Peace in Texas



Mrs. M. J. Ferguson, first woman governor of Texas, is going to meet with Dan Moody—her husband—late in October—by re-election. Mrs. Moody, her principal opponent in the Democratic primary, has resigned as Attorney General.

On again—
Off again—
Gone again!



With Our New Air-Driven, Automatic

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Gun, we can lubricate all the vital chassis bearings on your car with greater speed and thoroughness, and get you "on your way" again quicker than ever before.

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Children Cry for
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MOTHER:—Fletcher's Castoria is especially prepared to relieve Infants in arms and Children all ages of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic and Diarrhea; allaying Feverishness arising therefrom, and, by regulating the Stomach and Bowels, aids the assimilation of Food; giving natural sleep.

To avoid imitations, always look for the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*. Absolutely Harmless—No Opium. Physicians everywhere recommend it.

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WHITE SWAN TEA
Delicious COLD!

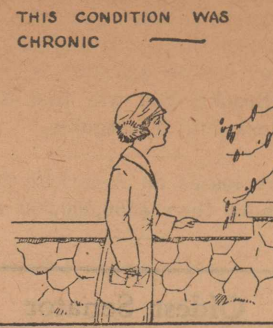
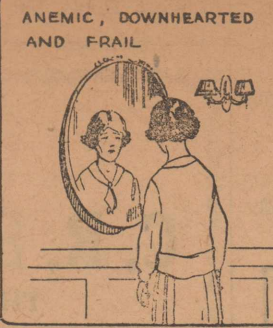
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CONCRETE WORK DONE BY
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OIL, GASOLINE, WASHING
MOTOR HOSPITAL
SPUR, TEXAS

SMILES BY MILES



On Sunday, July 25th his body was laid to rest in the Dickens cemetery. At the cemetery were gathered together friends and loved ones to render whatever assistance they could and to pay their last tribute of respect to a dear one.

One of the most beautiful floral offerings I have ever seen was given by those who loved him. Beautiful flowers, coupled with kindly deeds and acts often speak louder and more impressively than words. It is so fitting that flowers should be given in memory of the dead. Jesus was the rose of Sharon and the lily of the valley. How much like a flower is the life of beauty seen one of God's children here as flowers wither and die, so has life closed thus ending one of the most beautiful careers. But God will one day pluck this flower of immortality and cause it to bloom in the garden of heaven with glory and honor.

D. R. cannot come back to us but we can go to him, if we live faithful until death. That pleasant smile will be missed, yes, indeed, and we cannot help but weep, but let us not weep nor sorrow, but look to our heavenly father who doeth all things well.—His friend, Fred Arrington.

Mrs. I. C. Morrison and daughter, Flora, accompanied by Mrs. C. A. Love motored to Haskell and will be the guest of relatives.

M. C. Golding, manager of B. Schwarz & Son left Monday for the Eastern markets to buy goods for that store.

it goes through the cleaners which removes the dirt much better from dry cotton than from wet cotton. After this the cotton is ginned. As the cotton has been dried there is a much better sample turned out. This gives the cotton a much better grading and the farmer therefore receives a much better price for the lint. The cotton is not knapped as is done when the wet cotton is ginned.

Mr. Love stated that he expected to give the people the very best ginning service this year, and the machinery he has installed looks like he will make his word good.

BOY KILLED NEAR STAMFORD

Ack, 17 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gandy, of Stamford, was fatally injured in a gravel pit about two miles east of that city at ten o'clock Monday morning. With his right arm broken in several places, one leg broken and internal injuries taxed the young man beyond physical endurance.

He was rushed to the Stamford Sanitarium but lived only a few minutes, which prevented the use of medical aid.

Funeral services were held and burial took place at Moran Tuesday afternoon.

LITTLE GIRL BREAKS ARM

Nedra, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan, fell from a horse Tuesday afternoon and fractured a bone in her left arm. She was out riding and in some manner lost her balance, and when she fell landed on her arm and shoulder.

Dr. Blackwell examined the arm and advised an X-Ray picture be made, which was done at the Nichols Sanitarium. The fractured member was placed in a cast, and the little girl is resting very well at this time.

MUCH PAIN CAUSED BY THORN

Wedon, the nine year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Delisle, of Espuella Community, stepped on a thorn Sunday afternoon which went into his foot, causing a great deal of pain. Mr. Delisle tried for sometime to pull out the thorn but was unsuccessful, and brought the little fellow to the Nichols Sanitarium, where Dr. Nichols removed it.

It was an old mesquite thorn which had become very brittle and would break off when they would get hold of it instead of pulling out. Dr. Nichols dressed the wound and the little fellow is getting along all right now.

DUCK CREEK NEWS

We had a good Sunday School Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Haggins, May Pearl and Olan, were at Sunday

School for the first time in two or three months.

Mrs. Hettie Ethridge is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. P. Bennett.

Misses Lorene, Mary Jane and Audrey Simmons, their brothers Phil, George and Harold took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Driggers.

Misses Gladys Johnston, Oree Moore and Gladys Hagins was the guest of Eula Mae Gregory Sunday.

Misses Edna Bowen and Evelyn Bennett was the guest of Miss Beulah Took Sunday.

Mr. Lofton Bennett is attending the singing school at Antelope this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Carlisle spent last week visiting Mrs. Smith and his father, Granddad Carlisle.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Booth spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stovall from Como, Texas, is visiting here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bennett took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bennett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pink Pope from Spur, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bennett and Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hagins, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hagins Sunday.

Mr. Virgie Smith bought some musk mellons Sunday and poor old Virgie had to throw them away. He sure is down and out about losing a little on them.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hawkins from Breckenridge stopped awhile with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bennett.

Oh gee, it is hot. I must get my bonnet and see if I can find a cool place.—A Farmer Girl.

IN MEMORY OF D. R. HARKEY

"Man that is born of woman is of few days and full of trouble. He cometh forth like a flower and is cut down; he fleeth also as a shadow, and continueth not. For we are but of yesterday, and know nothing, because our days upon the earth are a shadow. They are as sleep; in the morning they are like grass which groweth up. In the morning it flourisheth and groweth up and withereth; if by reason of strength our days be four score years, yet is their strength labor and sorrow, for it is soon cut off, and ever fly away. It is even a vapor that appeareth for a little time, and then vanisheth away."

Such is life. Sometime we linger along upon the bed of affliction, and monster death creeps upon us gradually. Sometimes we are rapidly snapped away without a minute's warning, leaving behind us our loved ones and friends with bleeding hearts, sorrow follows after. And one by one we are walking through the valley of the shadow of death. While time is swiftly passing by and we think of a year only as yesterday, yet human-

FRESH MEATS IN THE HOTTEST WEATHER

WEATHER



Meats you buy here are FRESH! They are freshly butchered and kept safe in our zero refrigerator. Even on the hottest of days Scott Bros. assures you of the sweetest and purest cuts at lowest prices. Uncle Henry's Hot Roast is ready for you to serve. It's the best in Spur.

Scott Bros. Meat Market

SPUR LODGE NO. 771

Meets every Monday night. Visitors Welcome.

C. H. PERRY, Secretary



ROTARY CLUB OF SPUR

Meets every Thursday at 12 o'clock Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome.

CLIFF JONES, Pres. DODGE STARCHER, Secy.



SPUR LODGE NUMBER 1043

Meets Thursday nights on or before the full of the moon. Visitors always welcome.

H. P. GIBSON, W. M. JACK RECTOR, Secy.



SPUR CHAPTER NUMBER 340

Meets Monday nights after the full moon. Break in visitors.

R. E. LEE, H. P. JACK RECTOR, Secy.

MEETING AT DUCK CREEK

The meeting for the Baptist Church at Duck Creek, will begin at the School house tonight. Rev. H. M. Reed is pastor of the church at this time, having been called a few months ago. The people are arranging to have open air-meetings at the night services.

Rev. W. C. Bennett, who has been practically reared in Dickens County and son of Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Bennett, will do the preaching. However, he could not be with the people the first few services, but will be present on Monday evening of the 9th, and continue on through the week. Rev. Bennett is pastor of the Emanuel Baptist Church at Paris Texas. He is one of the able men of Texas. He held a meeting for his home church with thirty-nine additions at the time the meeting closed and there have been eight since as a result of the meeting.

Rev. Bennett will speak on the following subjects during his work at Duck Creek: "What is the Matter With Duck Creek"; "Compromising"; "Selling Out Too Cheap"; "The Devil's Angels at Duck Creek"; "Hell"; "Sign Boards on Road to Hell"; "Blockades on Road to Hell"; "God's Remedy for Sin"; "The New Birth", etc. Rev. Bennett expects to hold three service a day.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend by invitation of the Pastor.

DICKENS GINNER INSTALLS NEW MACHINERY

B. Y. Love, the progressive ginner at Dickens, moved a new 150 horse power Primm Oil Pull Engine from Spur, which he is installing in his gin at Dickens. This is one of the latest model engine and has all the latest improvements on it. The engine complete weighs 38,000 pounds, the fly wheels alone weigh 10,820 pounds.

The crank shaft is eight inches in diameter and is set in a bronze bearing of the highest character. Through its high mechanical efficiency the engine is capable of developing its full capacity of 150 horse power. It is estimated that the new engine will develop only 1-13 of the expense of the old time steam power. The original cost of the engine is nearly \$9,000.

Another great feature that Mr. Love is attaching to his gin plant is a cotton dryer. This is one of the greatest improvements of modern times, and is the only one in this part of the country. One of the great needs of the times is an apparatus that will dry cotton before it is ginned. That is the purpose of this new dryer.

When wet cotton is brought to the gin it is first sent through the dryer, which removes the water from it. Then

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A Good Safe Place to Trade

THE STORE OF LITTLE PROFIT.

THE CLEAN-UP

Every fine dress in the house must go regardless

\$17.50, \$19.50, \$24.50, \$27.50 Dresses for only

\$5.00

One Hundred and Fifty Dresses All Told

The Materials: Crepe Prints, Dotted Crepes, Fancy Georgette, Frost Crepes, Chiffon prints, Polka Dot crepes, Plain Crepes, Plain Georgettes, Dotted Georgettes, Plain Radiums, Heavy De Chene, and lace combinations. We have never offered better values. Strong talk. But we will back it up price for price, and value for value. We believe you will agree with us. One hundred and fifty garments. Styles almost without number. Sizes and colors to meet the demand of every miss and woman in Spur. Frankly we must admit that we want to clean up stocks within the next week, and we have taken drastic measures to accomplish our purpose.

You will have a full sixty days to wear them and here's an opportunity to fill that need. Dresses for street wear, for sport for afternoon and high type garments for Summer evenings.

There will be no approvals, no mail orders, no exchanges, no refunds, no alterations. Cash only. Please do not ask us otherwise.

August Clearance of all Summer Footwear—We Offer 250 Pairs of High Grade Shoes, this Seasons Choicest Styles

Values \$6.95 and \$8.40 all at One Price

\$3.45

All materials, all heels. Colors: Kid, Parchment, Saturne, Patent Leather, High heel, Junior Heel, and low box heel. No exchanges, no refunds, no mail orders. Every sale must be final.

GOES EAST TO BUY GOODS

Joe T. Salem left Wednesday for St. Louis, Chicago and New York to buy ne wtock for his store. He will return by the way of Dallas where he will pick up a few home commodities and save the long freight hauls. There will be a much large stock at Salems this year as the floor space has been increased a great deal by the removal of a partition. Hence, Mr. Salem is making the trip to the eastern markets to secure the latest and most up-to-date stock of goods, thereby giving the people of the Spur territory just what is found in the larger cities.

People of Dickens County and all adjoining counties can buy city stuff in Spur and secure it at greatly reduced prices than it can be had in cities. Joe says he is going to hand out the bargains to the people this year.

MESDAMES NED AND C. HOGAN ENTERTAIN

A very pleasant evening was enjoyed last Friday with Mr. Ned Hogan and Mrs. C. Hogan as hostess to a lawn party given to the club members of our city, their husbands and a few friends. The nice lawn at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan was efficiently lighted where a great number of tables were placed for the convenience of the guests.

The famous game of "Forty-Two" was played and much merriment was displayed in the gleeful attitude of those present. People were made to feel welcome, and the cool, pleasant evening and fresh air added greatly to the comfort of those present.

Delicious fruit punch was served during the progress of the evening. The main refreshments consisted of Cantaloupe a la Mode which was very appropriate for the occasion.

A number of fine musical selections were given by Mr. Henry Elkins, which were a great pleasure to all present.

Those who were privileged to enjoy this evening of pleasure were:

Messrs. and Mesdames W. D. Wilson, F. W. Jennings, S. H. Twaddell, R. B. Johnston, G. H. Snider, J. E. Watson, Carl Wester, Hodges, E. L. Adams, W. R. Lewis, E. C. Edmonds, G. R. Elkins, M. E. Manning, Murray Lea, Oran McClure, William Manning, Jas. B. Reed, Bob Lea, E. A. Russell, W. W. Sample, Roy Stovall, Paul Johnson, M. A. Lea, A. C. Hull, E. F. Laverty, J. E. Morris, L. H. Perry, Mesdames L. E. Lee, Kate Senning, Newt Harkey, Nut, Pauline Clemons, Glasgow, W. F. Godfrey, Paul Vivkers of Midland, C. L. Love, Nellie Davis, H. P. Gibson, Noblett of Dallas. Misses Ariene Scudder, Fay Jameson, Ella Mae Hogan, Mary E. Era Belle Hogan. Messrs. J. B. Richbourg, Henry Elkins, Lamar Chapman Jack Hogan, and W. D. Starcher.

MRS. R. H. HILL UNDERGOES OPERATION HERE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. R. H. Hill, who lives in the Duncan Flat community, underwent a major operation at the Nichols Sanitarium ednesday morning for a complicated condition. She stood the operation fine and is resting very well at this time.

Mrs. Hill underwent an operation at Plainview just a few weeks ago, and for some reason the surgeon failed to detect the present trouble, which had been coming on for sometime.

Mr. Hill is here with his wife and will remain with her until she begins to recover.

ATTENDED MARRIAGE OF SON

Mrs. J. C. McNeill returned last week from Evanston, Ill., where she had been visiting and attending the wedding ceremony of her son, Jordan Reece McNeill. The McNeill family are among the leading people of West Texas and are time honored throughout this country. We are publishing the account of the wedding as given by the Evanston News-Index, which is as follows:

"Only relatives and intimate family friends were present at the marriage of Miss Florence Virginia Manley to Jordan Reece McNeill which took place yesterday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Austin Manley, 719, Judson Ave. The ceremony was performed in the sun room, which was beautifully decorated with bouquets of summer flowers and fern.

Dr. Ernest Fremont Tittle read the service at 8:30 o'clock.

The bride wore a white crepe gown, lace trimmed, and carried a large shower bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. After the ceremony the couple received the guests informally. They left for an automobile trip in the South and will make their home in Texas.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Colvin McNeill of Spur, Texas. Mrs. McNeill came to Evanston for the wedding and is a guest at the Manley home. Mrs. E. J. Long, of Wyoming was among the out of town guests at the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. McNeill are graduates of the University of Illinois.

C. HOGAN & COMPANY BUYERS LEAVE FOR THE MARKET

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hogan and Mrs. G. R. Elkins, left Wednesday morning for markets to secure a big stock of goods for C. Hogan & Company big store. They did not have any particular city in view, but had a well outlined stock which they expect to secure regardless of location.

This big store has made some changes in the arrangement of stock especially in the Ready-to-Wear Department, which has been partitioned off to itself. This was done for the convenience of the trade and to better accommodate the large stock which will be installed for the fall trade within the next thirty days.

This firm is only joining in with other mrchants of our town to give the people a fine complete stock of goods to select from this fall. The best is none too good for the people here, and no one realizes this better than does the management of C. Hogan & Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Pen hugar, of the Spur National Bank left Tuesday for a two week's vacation in New Mexico and Colorado. They expect to visit Colorado Springs and other Summer resorts before returning.

KOLONIAL KARD KLUB

Miss Pauline Brown was hostess to the K. K. K. and a few guests on Thursday, July 30. Bridge was the diversion for the evening. At the end of four games Miss Dorothy Love was awarded high score prize, a lovely tapstry done in pretty colors.

Delicious cantaloupe a la Mode was served to the following members and guests: Misses Dorothy Love, Lera Harris, Flossie Hawley, Willie Richbourg, Mildred Williams, Lera and Annis Albin, Mrs. S. B. Scott, Jr., and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Cas. Montgomery of Archer City, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lea this week.

E. D. Chamber and daughter, Miss Lorene, of Afton, are spending a vacation on the Pacific coast. They have been visiting in Los Angeles, San Francisco and Portland and will probably visit cities in Washington before returning home. They expect to arrive back in Dickens County about the fifteenth of the month.

Our business is growing. There is a reason.—Spur Drug Store.

Dr. and Mrs. Hale are out of town this week on their vacation.

For rent—a Ford—apply at the Sun Shince Service Station.

Miss Pauline Gamblin, of Stamford, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ralph Jackson, this week.

Miss Eugene Todd, of Stamford, is a guest of her sister, Mrs. Cecil Hicks this week.

Don't fail to see the stationery special at the Spur Drug Store this week.

J. B. Simpson and son of Duncan flat were looking after business in Spur Thursday.

For rent—a Ford—apply at the Sun Shince Service Station.

J. P. Middleton, of Lubbock, was here Thursday looking after business.

Miss Ila White of Baird, and Mrs. Ashby White, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lea.

Alarm clocks, guaranteed for one year, only 99c—Spur Drug Co.

S. I. Powell, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Nichols Sanitarium, is reported very low.

Europe seems to enjoy harmony in one respect, if we are to believe reports that the entire continent hates us.

Careful Consideration

In regard to preserving the fiber and lengthening the life of your clothes should be considered in selecting a tailor.

Try our shop and see how you enjoy the service we give Not a scrubbing process, but real tailoring.

Quality Cleaners
Otto Mott's Shop

With His Father



The body of Robert Todd Lincoln 83, last of President Abraham Lincoln's immediate family, will soon be placed in the Lincoln tomb, near that of his illustrious father, at Springfield, Ill. He passed away while asleep in his summer home at Manchester, Vt., last week.

ENTERTAINS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS WITH CHICKEN DINNER

Mrs. Geo. M. Williams entertained the Phidelis Sunday School Class with a delicious chicken dinner served in her home last Sunday.

Mrs. Williams has been teacher of the class for a number of years and has become greatly attached to them. Also, the members of the class greatly appreciate her as a teacher. Many have expressed their pleasure for the hospitality given last Sunday, feeling a greater appreciation for Mrs. Williams.

THANKS

I take this means of extending my sincere thanks to the voters who supported me in the recent primary.—Jess Fletcher.

Miss Elaine Rector, of Stamford is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Smart.

Something special at the Spur Drug Store every week. Watch for bargains.

J. W. Clark, of McAdoo, was looking after business and buying supplies. in our city Wednesday of this week. He reports every thing flourishing in his "neck of the woods."

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gipson, and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Edmonds left Tuesday for Junction, where they will enjoy a fishing and outing.

Stationery at half price at the Spur Drug Co., that real good drug store.

WARNING To the neighbors of Roy Stovall. You had better lock your chickens house, and keep loose things gathered and out of sight. We know something on him.—Billy Bix.

We understand that they are using the reamer on the Jones No. 1, in the Davis Lease, lowering the casing to cut off a small inrush of water. Work is going day and night on this well. We have not learned what operations are in progress at other wells.

Guaranteed 18 inning baseballs at only \$1.35 at the Spur Drug Co.

R. D. Clancy, of Clancy & English, left yesterday for Cisco and probably to Dallas where he is taking Mrs. Clancy on account of her health. People will regret hearing of Mrs. Clancy illness and trust she will be able to be back home soon.

Mrs. James Hill Perry, and son James Hill, Jr., left Thursday for San Francisco, where she will place her son in school. Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Golding, we understand, will have charge of the Perry home.

Highway Cafe

The Cafe where you will always find those good eats. THE ONLY CAFE ON THE CORNER OF MAIN STREET

Eat once with us and you will eat again

Highway Cafe

Mrs. and Mrs. D. P. Brooks and Children, of Silverton, were in our city yesterday and while here they bought quite a bill of fall merchandise. B. Swartz & Sons were the ones who furnished the goods and the bill was approximately \$200.00. Come again Mr. Brooks, you will find that Spur is chuck full of bargains.

Fire losses on American farms total more than \$150,000,000 annually.

Oldest Senator



The oldest member of the U. S. upper house is Senator Warren of Wyoming. He is 82 years old and has spent 34 of them in the Senate. His recent birthday was celebrated by his associates who cut a huge cake in his honor.

A Great American



Thomas A. Edison, electrical wizard and great American inventor, from a most recent photo taken at his East Orange, N. J., laboratories where so many years have been devoted to tireless experiments.

WONDER IF A HOME LIKE THIS WOULD BE A WIFE-INSURANCE POLICY

Benjamin Franklin realized that time lost could never be made up. There are many people in this community who can build homes this year.

Your frugality and pride of ownership will be justly rewarded through building right now.

Come in, inspect our plans and obtain estimates. We'll gladly cooperate with you in every way to make your investment profitable.

TRI-COUNTY LUMBER COMPANY

E. C. Robertson, of McAdoo, was looking after business in Spur Wednesday. Mr. Robertson is a new comer to West Texas, but the short time he has been here makes him a boost for this section. He praised the Times as a newspaper, and said to give him a dose of it every week.

C. R. EDWARDS & COMP'Y
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Where you will always find the
NEW MERCHANDISE
at the
RIGHT PRICE

Our Mr. Edwards leaves this week for the eastern markets. You will miss a treat if you do not visit our store during the coming season.

IT IS WORTH SOMETHING TO KNOW THAT YOU ARE USING A PRODUCT MANUFACTURED BY AN INSTITUTION THAT IS THE OLDEST OF ITS KIND WEST OF THE MISSISSIPPI, HAVING BEEN IN BUSINESS FOR THE PAST 70 YEARS.

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STILL ON AT SALEMS

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WE WILL NOT HAVE ANOTHER SALE FOR A LONG TIME

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