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## Roaring Springs Man Found Dead Near Rice Texas

Si Nance, of Roaring Springs, was found murdered on a side road a short distance from Rice, Texas, last Monday morning. The body was in a badly decomposed condition and indicated it had lain there some three or four days.

Mr. Nance left his home Wednesday morning of last week for South Texas to secure cotton pickers. He had secured three 100-dollar cashier checks and fifty dollars in money from the Roaring Springs Bank just before he left. He still had two of the checks according to reports.

Instruction were wired to Rice and the body was prepared and shipped to Roaring Springs for interment.

Mr. Nance leaves his wife and children to mourn the sad bereavement.

### RED TOP CLUB MEETING

The Red Top Club met at the Church Building at 3 o'clock. The house was called to order by the president and the minutes read by the secretary and approved. There were five members present.

The discussion by Miss Gordon on the care of clothing, household linens and house dresses was very interesting.

The club adjourned to meet the first Monday in October at the church building.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

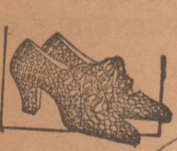
Elder D. F. Draper, of Fort Worth, will preach at the Church of Christ Sunday morning and evening. The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

## LAYNE-YATES COMPANY

PRESENTS

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FOR FALL

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who lived

in a shoe

And had so many

Children

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a pair of

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**Layne-Yates Co.**  
Spur's Progressive Store

### BRYANT-LINK COMPANY

The signs along the highways of Texas. Many of them read like this: "Cotton Pickers Wanted." We always have problems to solve. We now have a good cotton crop in this country. Also a fine feed crop, and the problem of labor must be solved. Every man will have to work out his individual problem. Chamber of Commerce can help in a general way. The Spur Chamber of Commerce is doing all it can—wiring and putting ads in the main newspapers of the State and other states, which will help direct attention of cotton pickers this way, and yet every man will have to find the way to get cotton pickers for his individual use. We are asked every day what we think of the price of cotton, and we are frank to say we do not know, but from a life of experience it is our opinion that the man who sells his cotton as he gathers it is best off and if we should pass our opinion on the cotton market it would not be worth a penny and our opinion is about as good as the average. It is our opinion that if all of us get on our jobs and do our very best the rough places will be smoothed out, and 1926 will end well.

We do not think it the time to buy things that are not necessities. Most of us need to pay debts, and teach our children to live on their incomes. We are going to expect our friends who owe us to pay up, and in the language of the street, "We don't mean maby." The liquidation period is here and this country is going on the rocks if debts are not paid. We are not on a sound financial basis, and this fact applies to the bankers, merchants and farmers. We had just as well wake up to that fact. We are buying too many autos on the installment plan and too big ones too. "Pride cometh before a fall." And it is time to call a halt. This is a great country. We have a wonderful harvest and the country will get on a sound financial basis if we will all live as the most of us lived in other days, in the safe and sane economical way. A man's biggest asset is his honor and when he fails to pay his honest debts he loses that asset. It is not the necessities of life that have involved so many of us but things we could easily have done without. It would be better for some of the big automobile companies to go out of business than for us as a country to fail to be honest and pay our honest debts.

Yes, we have a big stock of merchandise to sell. We are expecting a good fall business. Oct. 1 we put our store on a strictly cash basis. We will also quit giving Gold Bond Stamps on that date, but will give Blue Trading Stamps, which we think you will like better, so don't forget to ask for Blue Stamps.

The writer has been on two little trips this summer, one to Colorado and New Mexico, and one to the Rio Grande Valley of Texas. Enjoyed the trips, but came home satisfied with this country. We believe in it and its people and feel that by a system of economy and diversification, which is now being practiced by many, a great future awaits us.

Come on with the crowds and bring the children.

### BRYANT-LINK COMPANY

The need of hands in this country is becoming very great and a meeting of the local Chamber of Commerce was held Wednesday morning to make some provisions and assist the farmers as much as possible to secure hands. A committee composed of C. L. Love, Geo. S. Link and W. F. Godfrey was appointed to assist with this work.

Also it is ordered that advertisements be placed in the daily paper in order to let it be known that we need hands. The committee agreed to advertise in six different papers for 3000 hands for Dickens County, to be used as soon as they could be secured.

The Chamber of Commerce is as helpless as any other body when it comes to creating hands. However, with its cooperation with the farmers may bring hands for the cotton picking.

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## Dempsey Loses Title on Points to Gene Tunney

Gene Tunney outpointed Jack Dempsey in a ten round bout in Philadelphia last evening, and was proclaimed the World Champion Heavy Weight pugilist. Dempsey was groggy at the close of the tenth round, and the bell was all that saved him from a knockout.

Round 1. They shake hands, then clinch. They break. Tunney swings, and Dempsey ducks. Dempsey crowds Tunney; Tunney lands two blows to head. Tunney backs and Dempsey lands right to jaw, pounding Tunney badly. Bell.

Round 2. Tunney lands right and they clinch. Dempsey hooks two rapid rights pushing Tunney. Tunney lands light left to head. Dempsey drives Tunney to corner with right and left hook to body. Tunney lands left to head. Dempsey misses. Dempsey misses; Tunney lands six light ones to head.

Round 3. Dempsey misses left and right to head. Tunney swings Dempsey ducks. Tunney lands one to jaw and right to body. They exchange blows; Tunney right to body followed by another to jaw; Tunney right to head, backing Dempsey to ropes; Tunney right to head. Dempsey chases Tunney and land right to body but receives right to head.

Round 4. Dempsey left to head and drives left to body; chases Tunney; Dempsey misses; Tunney lands right to body. Dempsey rushes Tunney. Tunney lands three to head and one to body; Dempsey tries hard for opening.

Round 5. They circle. Tunney misses; Tunney lands fierce left; Jack ducks right and left. Dempsey boxes constantly and Tunney retreats. Jack leads left to body and receive three on head; Tunney right to head drove Jack to corner; Dempsey misses many; Tunney right to face; Dempsey spits blood.

Round 6. Tunney peppers left and right to head. Dempsey chases Tunney and lands left to chin. Tunney lands left to body and right to head; Tunney right and left to body, leading with right to head; Dempsey left to head; Tunney two left to face Dempsey weaves watching for opening, Tunney backs away.

Round 7. Dempsey drives into Tunney with left to chin; Tunney lands light left; Tunney lands left to chin. Dempsey left to eye cutting bad gash, chases Tunney to corner. Tunney right to chin, left and right to head. Dempsey left to chin; they trade blows.

Round 8. Tunney backs landing left to head; Tunney lands right. Tunney drives Dempsey five lefts to face. Dempsey right to head; Tunney land left hook; Jack lands both fists to body, Tunney complains; Tunney right and left to head; Tunney lands right uppercut and they clinch.

Round 9. Tunney lands right and backs; each lands blows at close quarters; Dempsey misses two; Tunney right to body and two left to head; Tunney two lefts to jaw; Dempsey misses two more; Tunney nails right to chin and right and left to jaw. Dempsey misses. Dempsey lands left to body; Tunney right to jaw and Dempsey goes to chair.

Round 10. Dempsey misses left and Tunney drives right and left to body. Dempsey retreating to corner. Tunney lands two short right and lefts to chin staggering Dempsey and lands another right to head, backing Dempsey to ropes. Tunney right and left to jaw leaving Dempsey groggy at the bell.

B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM, GROUP 2  
Sunday, Sept. 26.  
1. Introduction Leader.  
2. Figures showing foreign population.—Marion Jordan.  
3. Immigration in Early Years.—Miss Gordon.  
4. Changes Wrought by Other Causes.—Cleo Hazel.  
5. Location and Living Conditions. Dorothy Williams.  
6. Congress Checking the Tide.—Eleanor Harris.  
7. Song—"To Work."  
8. Christianize Them or they will Heathenize us.—Linnie Martin.  
9. Song—"Whiter Than Snow," illustrated by Miss Thornton.

All young people are invited to be present. We need you.

## Grant Hall Making Good Showing for Oil

The Mikels well on the Pitch Fork Ranch is making some excellent showing in the present sands. Mr. Mikels who came in from California Tuesday evening, went at once to his field and called for specimens of formation, which he eagerly tested out. These were furnished him by Morman and Young drilling contractors, and were taken from a depth of 2390 feet to 2407 feet. These specimens showed in the cuttings rich saturations of oil the sample being a sandy shale.

The well at the present time is waiting the arrival of the 6 5-8 casing which has been shipped from Ranger and will arrive within a few days. Just as soon as this casing arrives and is set, drilling will be resumed, and Morman states that we may expect a well within the next fifty or seventy-five feet.

If this is correct it will correlate with the new well south brought in by the Phillips Petroleum Company, and which is making 1200 barrels daily. Leases six miles from this well are selling for as high as \$200 per acre.

The Mikels well is located in one of the most approved formations in this State. The United States Geological Survey gives this location as the center of a great oil belt, and probably within a few days Mikels will be able to prove the correctness of this survey. Indications are looking the most favorable for a good, strong well close at hand.

TO OUR CUSTOMERS AND FRIENDS  
We desire to thank you for the excellent patronage you have given us all through this year. We appreciate you trade and we have done our best to merit it.

On account of having to meet our wholesale bills with cash, we are closing our books from Oct. 1st this year. This is done with no ill will toward anyone, but merely as a matter of business, as the wholesale people demand cash from us.

Bring on your nickles and dimes and dollars and trade with us. We appreciate a small purchase in the same proportion as a large one, and it requires all of them to make our business a success. Again thanking you, we are  
Very Truly Yours,  
Spur Drug Company

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Chapman write us they have moved from Vernon and are now located at Memphis, Texas.

Mrs. J. N. Wolfe, of Whitney, arrived here Monday and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wolfe.

Old Timers Organize Club Here  
A number of old time West Texas Cowboys held a meeting in Spur Wednesday evening for the purpose of perfecting an organization. The classification included all persons who were punching cattle during the year 1885.

Officers elected were: Bill Elliott, president; Chalk Brown, Secretary. A vice president selected from various counties were: Norman Rodgers, Garza County; Tom Montgomery Floyd County; Bill Hyatt, Dickens County; Billie Hancock, Kent County; Tom Mathis Stonewall County; Dip Hollinburg Cottle County; John Fullingim, Crosby County; Bill Tilson, Motley County and Bud Darrow King County.

Another meeting will be called during the fall for the purpose of selecting a name and looking after other business for the organization. Eligibility of the wives of person who punched cattle before the above date was approved by the meeting.

All persons desiring information about the organization are requested to write Chalk Brown, Spur.

Among those present at the meeting Wednesday evening were: White Moore, John Harrington, Bill Hyatt, Bert Jameson, Frank Goff, C. C. Halle, J. N. Zumwalt and Chalk Brown.

All old time cowboys are requested to watch for notices of future meetings.

## SPUR HARDWARE SECURES NEW MAN

Luther Garner, formerly of Stamford, has accepted a position with the Spur Hardware and Furniture Company. Mr. Garner will have charge of the undertaking parlors and will look after the furniture. He is an experienced embalmer and has had several years experience as a funeral director.

### CARD OF THANKS

The Red Top Club wishes to express their appreciation to those who supported their girls, Lois Fuqua, in the most popular girl contest during the Fair.—Red Top Club.

## Salem's Contest is Running Close

We have nine girls in the contest and we have other applications who's names do not appear this week. They are all ambitious workers and eager to reach the high goal. The contestants will be so arranged that there will be no conflict. One girl only will be allowed in each small community. Girls you have a vast territory to work in. It all depends on how bad you want this automobile and how bad you want to work for it. It is a Sport Model Ford Roadster. You know what a good car a Ford is. Seven other prizes will also be awarded according to the ones holding the largest votes.

Money is beginning to circulate and in a short time it will be plentiful. Your work will be easy. Go out and solicit now. If you do not get immediate results you will get promises and after all it is the result of the end.

The following are the different ones in the race and their standing in votes.  
Treva Marshall, Spur.....2225  
Ruba Dott McGoughy Spur 2050  
Leon Perry, Spur .....1475  
Iva May Cupp Spur .....1250  
Brunetta Shackley, Spur .....1100  
Maline Hunter, Spur .....1000  
Eula Mobley, Roaring Springs, .....1550  
Johnnie Mae Lanier, McAdoo, .....1475  
Beatrice Cupit, Spur.....1700

The race has just commenced. We want more girls on our list and new candidates are invited. Married women are also eligible. The 1000 vote entrance credit is still in force. Why not join.

EXTRA BONUS  
Ninety dollars will be allowed for every dollar turned in next week an extra bonus of 500 votes will be given the ones reporting with \$20.00 or more. You must report at least once each week not later than Friday. Be sure and not miss the benefit of this extra bonus.

\$25,000 New Goods  
We have purchased over \$25,000 worth of new merchandise. We are stacking goods to the ceiling on the floor everywhere. Each local coming to town brings us a big shipment. We are ready to take care of your business. Figure with us on your fall bill of goods.

New Arrivals  
Just received six dozen ladies hats. You can buy a stylish, snappy hat for \$3.95 or \$4.95 in velour felt, or trimmed hat. We have the prettiest line of silk dresses that has ever been in Spur. They are selling fast. It will pay you to select your fall frock early.

Kirschbaum Clothing  
We handle Kirschbaum clothing for men. 100 new and snappy models made out of the best virgin wool materials. They are hand tailored and made to fit. Let us fit you up. The price is small.

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## School Board Entertains Faculty at M. E. Church

The Board of Trustees of Spur Schools entertained the faculty Tuesday evening in the basement of the Methodist Church. This custom was started a year or two ago and has been decreed to be an annual affair.

As the guests arrived they were introduced to the different members present. Then the first number on the program was a game called "Get Acquainted." The party was then favored by a vocal solo by Rev. W. C. Craige, assistant Pastor of the Methodist Church. Miss Willie Richbourg of the Dickens school then gave a reading which was appreciated very much.

After the program was over the guests were invited to the dining room where a great feast was waiting them. The feast consisted of barbecued chicken and all that goes with it. The chief speaker of the evening was Dr. B. F. Hale, president of the local Board, who spoke on the subject, "What the School Board Expects of the Teachers." Dr. Hale was a little firm in his remarks on the subject.

Mrs. M. H. Brannen, High School Teacher, was then introduced and spoke on the subject, "What the Teacher Expects of the School Board", and was a little emphatic in her remarks. Both teachers and board laughed and enjoyed the humor of both talks. Miss Scudder favored the occasion with a piano selection which was very fine.

Both teachers and School Board obtained a better understanding of each others situation and will be in a better position to appreciate conditions as they appear. Every one proclaimed it both an enjoyable and beneficial occasion.

Those present were Misses Forbis, Higgins, Morgan, Anderson, Dabney, Elliot, Scudder, Whaley, Bowman, Richbourg. Messrs. Woods, Granbury, Thomas, Browning, Chapman, Wester, McAlpin, Craig, Potts, Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Watson, Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Brannen, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Godfrey, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ensey, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Twaddell, Mr. and Mrs. Baisden Mr. and Mrs. Jim Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Teague, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Hale.

SENIOR CLASS ACTIVITIES  
The Seniors of 1926-27 met Tuesday, Sept. 14 and elected the following officers for the year.  
Sponsor—Mrs. Brannen.  
President—Nellie B. Albin.  
Vice-President—Cleo Hazel.  
Sec.-Treasurer—W. B. Lee, Jr.  
Class Sargent-at-Arms — Richard Gibson.  
Yell Leaders—Dorothy Williams and Crete Snider.  
Reporter—Hazel Watson.

Later, on the seventeenth, through the selection of a committee, rings, diplomas, invitations and personal cards were ordered. Then on Monday following the seventeenth, Beth Harkey, in a charming manner, represented the Senior Class, in presenting to the Spur High School a Kimbol Piano, with an exemporaneous speech.

In the next class meeting on Sept. 23, the Seniors began two more activities. Those of the publication of a paper, "The Rowel", and an art gallery.

The following officers were elected for the "Rowel":  
Editor-in-chief—Jack Hogan.  
Business Manager—Beth Harkey.  
The following candidates were elected for the art gallery contest:  
Most Popular Girl—Nellie B. Albin.  
Most Popular Boy—Bill Davis.

This contest is being held for a dual purpose: First to secure material for the art gallery which is being started this year under the management of the Senior Class; Second to bear the expense of the piano.

The Senior Class is contemplating plans for further and greater activities than ever before in Spur High School, for the personell is gifted with intrinsic qualities, and is backed by an accomplished faculty.

The Times is in Receipt of a communication from Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Alger, who are traveling in the New England States. They stated they are enjoying a great time.

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## FALSE STORM REPORTS ARE HARMFUL TO GALVESTON

The following is an editorial which was clipped from the Galveston Daily News a few days ago, giving the opinion that the people of Galveston have for alarming storm reports, and especially those that have no foundation.

"Galveston has suffered untold harm through the circulation of exaggerated and frequently unfounded reports associating the name of this city with the movement of hurricanes, real or imaginary. Galvestonians know that the appearance of a tropical disturbance anywhere in the Caribbean or gulf is enough to plant Galveston's name in the headlines. Galveston is threatened with a storm! It is as though a nationwide conspiracy existed to keep alive a venerable but none the less damaging falsehood.

"Weather bureau reports may indicate that there is not the least likelihood of the storm touching the Texas coast, but that does not deter a great many newspapers and individuals from consigning the whole disturbance to Galveston. A belief seems to exist, though it is not infrequently fostered by those who ought to know better, that when a tropical storm originates anywhere in the northern hemisphere, nothing less than the intervention of Providence can keep it from steering a straight course for Galveston. Nor is this always the result of ignorant bent for sensationalism. It is definitely known that on one occasion a certain newspaper actually changed a map furnished by the Weather Bureau to indicate that a storm located several hundred miles away would strike Galveston, when the direct course shown on this map indicated a direction that missed Galveston 250 miles. On other occasions, when conditions have been absolutely normal at Galveston, reports have been published that the city was inundated.

All of this is directly and enormously detrimental to Galveston. It is more over an injustice so flagrant, so monstrous we might say, that merely from love of fair play other communities should be willing to assist Galveston in rectifying it. We have suffered this injustice long enough! Facts at Galveston's command, if diligently and aggressively used, will overcome the myth that Galveston is peculiarly exposed to the assault of tropical storms.

The truth, which can be verified from Weather Bureau Records, that less than 3 per cent of all tropical storms have reached the Galveston-Houston section of the Texas Coast

during the past fifty one years. Galveston today has less to fear from the ravages of storms than any city from Charleston, S. C., south, including the east and west coast of Florida, Mobile, New Orleans and even our neighboring cities on the Texas coast. This statement is supported in every particular by the facts.

Galveston's safety comes not only from its location far from the normal hurricane track, but from the possession of unparalleled protective works. The elevation of Galveston by the building of a sea wall 17 feet high and seven miles long makes Galveston the safest place within a radius of 50 to 75 miles should another tropical storm touch the Galveston-Houston area. The Galveston sea wall is no looked upon by the world's greatest engineers as veritable rock of Gibraltar, from a protective standpoint, and from an engineering standpoint is second only to the Panama Canal.

It is the duty of every Galveston agency and every Galveston citizen to broadcast these facts when occasion offers. By that means we can eventually neutralize the activities of the liar and alarmist. Every irresponsible rumor should be challenged as soon as encountered, until the public at large learns to depend solely to depend upon information issued by the weather bureau. A weapon of great potential usefulness in this campaign is found in the Federal statutes, which recognizes the harm likely to arise from unauthorized issuance of forecasts or warnings of weather conditions. An act approved March 3, 1905, and incorporated in the penal code of 1909, section 61, is as follows:

"Any person who shall knowingly issue or publish any counterfeit weather forecast or warning of weather conditions, falsely representing such forecasts or warning to have been issued

by the Weather Bureau, or other branch of the government service, or shall molest or interfere with any weather or storm flay or weather map or bulletin displayed or issued by the United States Weather Bureau, shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and on conviction thereof, for each offense, be fined in a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars or be imprisoned to not exceed ninety days, or be both fined or imprisoned, in the discretion of the court.

"Very few persons have been brot under the above law—none that we know of in Texas—because the familiar storm scare does not need to be based on a counterfeit weather bureau report in order to gain credence. Prosecutions doubtless could be sustained in a number of cases, and we are inclined to believe that an example of one or two would have a salutary effect. When we consider with what blithesome unconcern sensationalists, to use no harder name, have poisoned Galveston's commercial reputation, we must feel that the punishment provided for in the Federal Statute would not be too severe. In the main, however, the condition is due to a combination of ignorance, thoughtlessness, and passive acquiescence, the latter on

the part of Galveston. Nevertheless nothing has been more detrimental to the material advancement of Galveston. It is worth a supreme effort to substitute the truth of Galveston's immunity from storms for the undeserved reputation under which our city labors in every corner of the nation where the name of Galveston is known. When the people are taught to think calmly and intelligently about tropical storms, the old myth will die."

Galveston is one of the best protected of coastal cities in the South. The storm of 1915 proved the strength and worth of the gigantic wall built along the gul side of the island on which the city is located. Prepare as safe in this city during the storm period as they are in any city facing the great pond. In fact, Galveston had suffered destruction but one time even before the great wall was built.

This alone proves that the city does not lies in the direct path of storms. Better rush that order for Christmas cards to the Times office.

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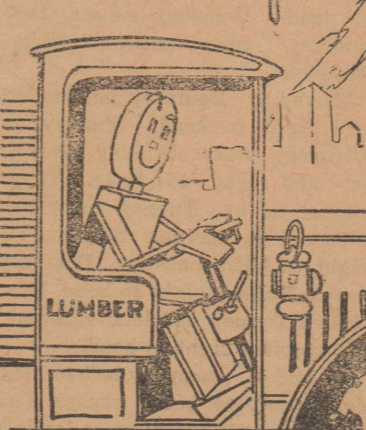
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It will pay you to get in the road that leads to Spur with your cotton.

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"Sit down." And the trembling youth obeyed. "Well, what is it. The unhappy young man cleared his throat. "I have come," he began in stammering accents, "to ask for the hand of your daughter." The old man leaned back in his chair and regarded his would be son-in-law. He said: "Does my daughter want you?" "Yes sir," replied the youth. "She sent me to you." The old man sighed. The whims of that child are unaccountable," he muttered. "It seems that a day or two ago she cried for a doll. Then it was a pony. Now it is a monkey. Of course she will have to have it if she wants it. That's all. Good day."—Ex.

### WEST TEXAS NEWS

Baird is in the midst of a big building boom. Nine new residences are going up in different parts of the city, which will be followed by still others. At present there is only one rent house vacant in the city, which is accounted for by the number of people who have come into the city for the school term. There is not a vacant building in the entire business district of the city. Rupert Jackson is having a new garage built on the Bankhead Highway, which has recently been completed in the section between Cisco and Baird.

Cisco is planning to have a big community day dinner as a means of starting off the fall work of the Chamber of Commerce with enthusiasm. Col. R. Q. Lee, former president of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, has suggested that this festivity be in the form of chicken barbecue. A day, preferably in October, will be set lat-

er and some prominent Texan will be invited to speak to guests on this occasion.

Arrangements have been made for the opening of the school at Deal, a new town on the Rock Island Railroad, according to Miss Laura V. Hamner, Superintendent of the Potter County Schools. Although the town was started only a few weeks ago it shows signs of permanency. Deal is located on the slopes of Antelope Peak, in the heart of a productive agricultural and grazing country, on the new survey of the Rock Island Railroad, thirty five miles northeast of Amarillo.

The Board of City Development of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce, and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce have moved into their new offices in the Municipal Auditorium. Carpenters have been at work on the offices, getting ready for the removal, which was made a few days ago.

An added feature of the new suite of offices is the lounging room, where visitors may rest and inspect literature of Amarillo and the Panhandle placed at their disposal. Officials of these organizations have made statements to the effect that they are well pleased with the change, and with the improvements already been made.

Automobile stickers are announcing the "Peddlers Judilee", to be held at Lubbock September 18th. This will be the fifth annual meeting of traveling salesmen from all over the Southwest, who will be guests of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce. A big street parade will be held, and a big baseball game has been scheduled which will fill part of the program after the Knights of the Grip have registered at the new Hotel Lubbock.

Bill Daniels and wife, of Jayton, were visitors at the home of Troy Morris and family since last issue.

A number of our people are attending the Fair at Abilene.

Judge yourself first and you won't be so prone to judge others.

### WATSON ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. C. Evans are again with us. We have certainly missed them in the Sunday School work. Mrs. Reed has returned from Cisco where she has been visiting with her daughter.

Oliver Crump has returned to Crosbyton where he will attend school. Sherman Robinett was carried to the Nichols Sanitarium Friday night where he was operated on for appendicitis. He was doing nicely at last report.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Love of Crosbyton were at Church Sunday.

Mr. Collins carried a load of Watermelons to Crosbyton last week.

George Crump was in Watson from Crosbyton after a load of wood for the barbecue at the Crosby County Fair.

Cotton is opening fast. Several are picking.

Rev. Wayne Grizzel was again called as pastor for the Watson church. —Chalet.

Read the Want Ads—there's a message there for you.

Cotton may be King, but don't neglect the cow, the sow and the hen.

# HOKUS-POKUS

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# Spur Grocery Co.

### PANHANDLE SOUTHPLAINS FAIR TO HAVE MANY ATTRACTIONS

Lubbock, Sept. 22.—The attractions of the Panhandle South Plains Fair will be the best this year that it has ever been, according to a recent announcement from the Fair Board. Five football games, Floydada vs Tahoka Wednesday, Plainview vs Slaton Thursday; Lubbock vs Post Friday; Littlefield vs Ralls Saturday morning and Texas Tech vs Schreiner Institute, of Kerville Saturday afternoon, are on the athletic card, according to Jas. H. Goodman, director.

Five big circus acts: The Five Flying Sisters, the Pallone Trio, Clown Act, Marvelous Daro and Betty's Pets have been booked. These acts are high class troupes that have scored success upon success at the leading fairs of the nation. They will be witnessed free by the Fair visitors.

The Thearle-Duffield fireworks will thrill both young and old with rockets that glare and shells that burst. Eminent American figures will portray a greater part of American History in flaming figures. The fireworks will likewise be free to fair visitors.

The Bill H. Haines Carnival Com-

pany, West's best carnival company will set up with an aggregation of splendid proportions and colorful magnificent, a diadem of diversion by day and a luminous, sparkling array of brilliance by night.

Big free band concerts are scheduled for morning, afternoon and evening each day. Several Plains bands will be here during the fair to offer visitors the best band music available on the plains.

The dates are September 29-30, Oct. 1-2 at Lubbock.

### MISSIONARY SOCIETY

On Monday afternoon the ladies of the Missionary Society met with Mrs. J. I. Hayes in a social meeting.

The afternoon was spent pleasantly in contests and guessing numbers.

A lovely plate was served each one consisting of tea, sandwiches and salad.

It was with regret that we accepted our president's (Mrs. W. W. Sample) resignation. Our vice president, Mrs. M. A. Lea will preside.

Those present were Mesdames Lea, Samples, Fite, Snodgrass, Rogers, Payne, Layne, Morris, Whitener, Manning, Keene, Smith, Hayes, Perry, Campbell, Wosher Morris and Misses Ella Fite, Stokes and Thelma Hayes.

H. P. Edwards and little granddaughter, Mary, of McAdoo, were in our city Monday. Mr. Edwards is a merchant of that thriving little inland town, and he reports that cotton on the Plains has commenced to move and says that business is picking up. West Texas' cotton crop is now coming on the market, and it promises to be one of the largest harvested in many seasons. This has been an exceptional year for our country and feed has yielded far above the average, thus placing our farmers in an enviable position. Anything like a good price for the staple will give us a boom the like of which this country has never before known. Watch the cotton roll and watch Spur grow, expand and prosper.

Misses Johnnie Mitchell, Allene Bryant, Mesdames Raymond Stark and Mitchell, of Roaring Springs were here Monday shopping.

### FOR WORKING PEOPLE

The best of workers get out of sorts when the liver fails to act. They feel languid, half-sick, "blue" and discouraged and think they are getting lazy. Neglect of these symptoms might result in a sick spell, therefore the sensible course is to take a dose or two of Herbine. It is just the medicine needed to purify the system and restore the vim and ambition of health. Price 60c. Sold by

ALL DRUGGISTS

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Ar. 8:45 and 11:30 P. M. Lv. 8 A. M.

THROUGH FARE \$12

LEAVE:  
STAMFORD ----- 12:30 P. M. 4:00 P. M.  
Aspermont ----- 2:00 P. M. 3:30 P. M.  
Jayton ----- 3:10 P. M. 6:40 P. M.  
SPUR ----- 4:00 P. M. 7:30 P. M.  
LUBBOCK ----- 10:00 P. M.

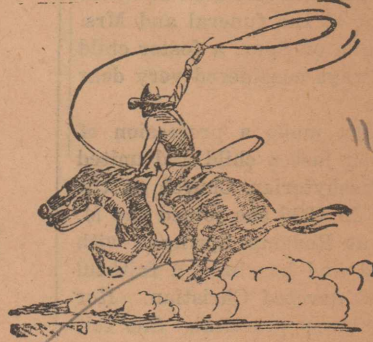
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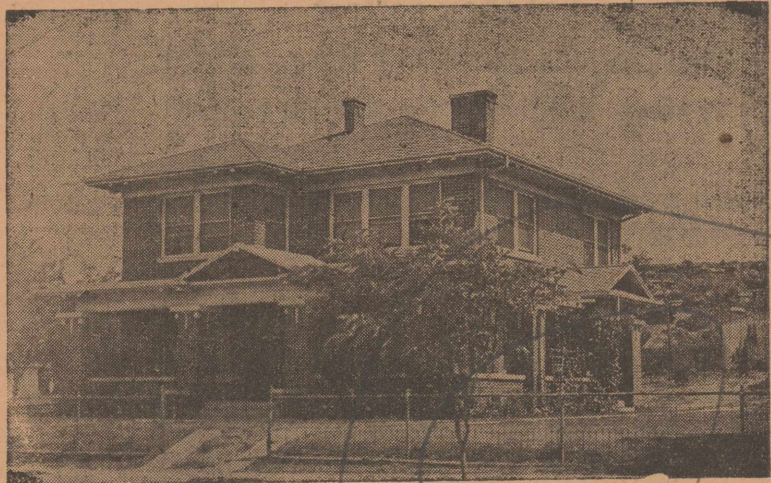
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### Creola Jordan Wins Popularity Contest

The race for popularity honors given the second day of the Fair commanded much interest not only with those who entered but with many other people. The young ladies in the contest were very busy all day canvassing the crowds for votes.

Miss Creola Jordan was winner and was awarded the \$75.00 in gold by the Fair Association.

The vote was as follows:

Miss Creola Jordan	393
Miss Leona Hoover	325
Miss Ethel Lawson	299
Miss Lois Fuqua	249
Miss Essie Denson	225
Miss Iris Borden	140
Miss Rosemary Hickman	91
Miss Earl Pettigrew	82
Miss Iris Howell	75
Miss Oneta Bell	41
Miss Mildred Terry	36

The race was conducted nicely, every candidate desiring to win honestly. Every one was courteous to each other and the best of feeling prevailed.

### PIONEER OF WEST TEXAS LADY PASSES AWAY

Mrs. James C. Collett, 59, departed this life at four-thirty o'clock Tuesday morning at her home three miles south of Roaring Springs. Mrs. Collett became ill September 4th, awaking that morning with an attack of bronchial pneumonia. Her health had been weakened in 1920 by an attack of influenza and she had not been strong since then. In addition she had suffered from dropsy, asthma and a weak heart also. Her illness being very complicated made it difficult to control the fatal disease.

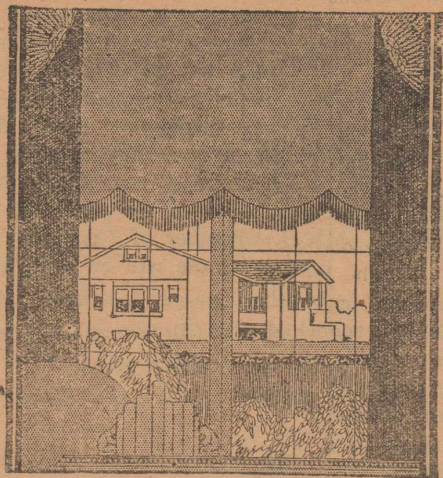
Her maiden name was Rebecca E. Hines. She was a native Texan having been born at Dangerfield, Titus County, in October 1865. She was married to James Columbus Collett, July 29, 1881. They had enjoyed each others lives for forty-five years. To this children ten children were born, eight of whom are still living and were present with their mother when she died.

The children are: J. H. Collett, of Spur; Fred Collett of Hereford, Gus Collett, of Lorenzo, Mrs. E. L. Bourland of Idalou; Mrs. L. H. Clifton, of Roaring Springs; Mrs. C. L. Martin of Spur; Sidney J. Collett and Mrs. Ola Mae Thomas both of whom are living on the home place at Roaring Springs. Mrs. Collett had two brothers: Andrew Hines who lives in Louisiana and John Hines of Floydada. There are twenty-five grandchildren, all of whom were present at the funeral and Mrs. Homer Cargile of Spur, a foster child that was always considered very dear in the home.

Mrs. Collett made a profession of religion when just a child and united with the Presbyterian Church at the age of 18. In 1906 she joined the M. E. Church at Roaring Springs with her husband and has been a faithful member and devoted Christian. Her religion was very practical. She felt if she could not use it to make people happy it was worthless to her. It is said that no one ever went to her home that did not receive the kindest treatment. It was her custom to portray a motherly attitude of kindness to all young people.

Mr. and Mrs. Collett moved to Crosby County early in 1891. In 1900 they moved to their present home just south of Roaring Springs where they gave their influence and assistance in opening up the new country. They have lived on the same farm for 25 years, reared their family and were a father and mother to to all the young people of the early days. It

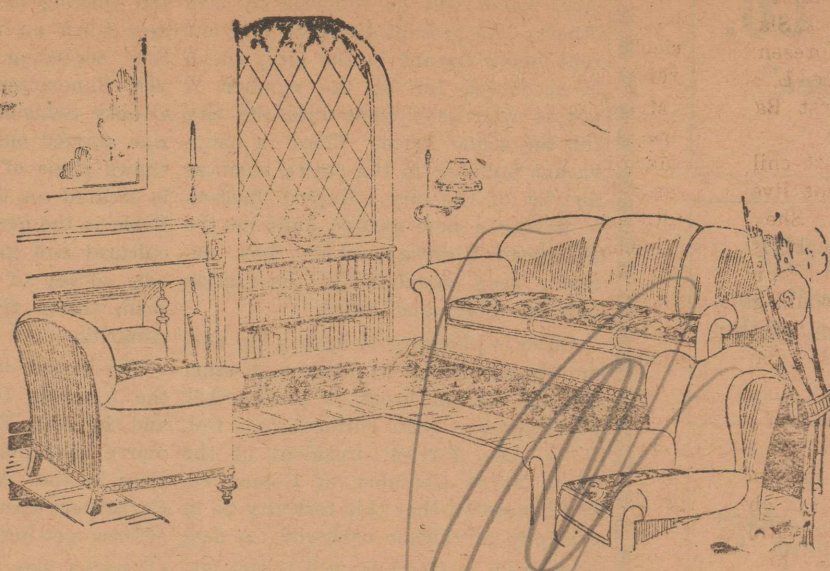
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has always been the delight of the young people to go to this home where they knew that "Mother Collett" (familarly known) would always have a good dinner and they could enjoy a great time. When cowboys of early days would go to this home, Mrs. Collett never asked them if they were hungry. It mattered not what was the hour, she excused herself, prepared a meal and invited them to eat. Her life and influence was felt in many ways and always for the right.

She leaves her husband, children and brothers to mourn her going. Funeral services were conducted at the Methodist Church in Roaring Springs

A correspondence from Miss Bessie Barber, formerly of the Spur Inn, but now with the Westmoorland College of San Antonio, stated that she and her neice, Miss Bessie Raby, are liking their new location very much.

### Spur Service Station

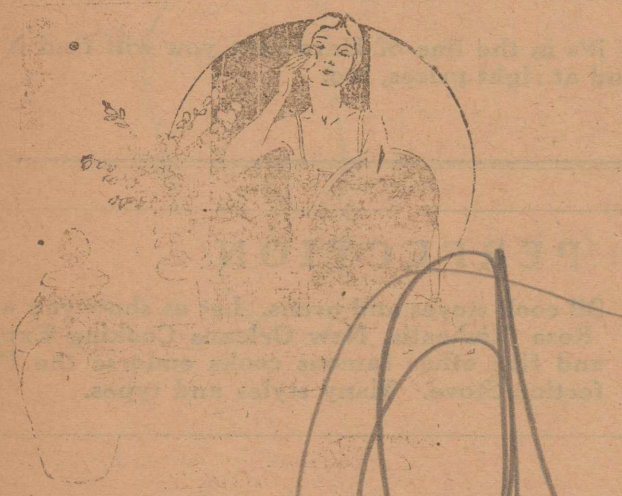


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The delicate art of make up may be practiced safely without fear of detection, with preparations purchased at the Spur Drug Company. Feminine beauty will be greatly heightened and enhanced by a careful selection and use of cosmetics. Let Dorothy Perkins whisper to you the entrancing secrets of beauty.

We carry only the highest quality face creams, Lotions, powders, rouges, Lipstick, perfumes, etc. Prices are extremely low.

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# \$1,200.00

## In Prizes--Some one will get them

We are anxious to grow larger—not just to bloat up like the toad did—but accomplish a growth that is progressive and in tune with our country. We appreciate our subscribers very much, so much that we want the old ones back again and some new ones added to our list.

Also, we want to train some young people to meet the public—let them get the experience while they solcite these subscribers either to renew or become new ones. We feel that this will be good for the ones who get the subscribers, and for the ones who subscribe and for us. The field will be open October 1st and will continue for a period of days.

We are putting this on the contest plan. The person who gets the subscribers will be allowed a certain number of votes for each subscription. To the one who gets the most votes in the contest we will give

### A BAND NEW ESSEX COACH A NICE 6-CYLINDER CAR

The one who gets the next highest number of votes will get

### ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS IN CASH

and ten per cent of the money they collect.

The one who gets the third highest number of votes will get a

### \$100.00 DIAMOND RING

and ten per cent of the money they collect.

The person who wins fourth place will get

### FIFTY DOLLARS IN CASH

and ten per cent of what they collect

All others will receive ten per cent of what they collect.

All of these are nice presents and will be worth considering.

We want you to come in and talk the plan over with us, see the rules for the contest for we know that you will want to enter it.

The field is open to all except those who work in this office and kinfolk. No kinfolk will be allowed to enter the contest. Yes, we could be honest with them, but someone might feel it was a set-up game. If you do not want to be honest in the contest, then don't enter it. Fair play to all is our motive, and no dishonesty will be countenanced one minute.

See us before long and get your name on the dotted line, then get the subscription, then the votes, and then a present if you can.

# DICKENS - COUNTY - TIMES

**CLASSIFIED ADS**

LOST Wednesday, Sept. 15 between town and the Fair Park, a bill folder containing some currency and papers with my name on them. Will give reward for return. Leave at Riter Hardware.—L. S. Wilson.

LOST—Tire on rim somewhere between Rotan and Spur Sunday. 29x 4-40 Ballon with fishbone cover. Reward. Notify Mrs. King at Bryant-Link Company.

MULES IN MY POSSESSION—Two Iron Grey horse mules 6 and 7 seven years old. Small pasture bill and advertisement. Call July 24—Hart, Rush McLaughlin Farm, Adoo. 89 2t-p

FOR SALE—Two farms in the Spur trade territory and some resident lots and residences in Lubbock. I will be here most of the fall looking after the insurance business. See me before you buy.—J. P. Middleton, either Spur Street. Will sell or trade. Will sell on long terms or will trade for small house and lot as first payment, or trade for farm land.—Mrs. Kate C. Buchanan.

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 SALE—One John Deere Row Binder. Been used three years. Sell very cheap for cash. See P. F. Pope one mile south of the Experiment Station.

For Sale or Trade—Good five room house, with bath, garage and good location. See Jess Fletcher.

FOR SALE—Good practice piano at Furniture Department at Bryant-Link Company. A bargain.—N. T. Cochran.

LOST—Red Top Secretary Book. Finder please return to Miss Daisy Gordon, County Demonstration Agent.

FOR RENT—Large nicely furnished bedroom, also living room with heater, furnished extra. Phone 111. 90-4f

FOR RENT—One room furnished nicely. Phone or see Mrs. Sam T. Clemmons.

For Sale—Good Reo Truck and teams. See Chas. Whitner.

PIGS FOR SALE. See J. J. Albin or E. C. Edmonds. 87 tfc

Loyd Wolfe was a business visitor in Dallas this week.

**MARRY AND LEAVE ON HONEY-MOON**

A very quiet home wedding occurred at seven o'clock last Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Seale, when their daughter, Miss Lourine was married to Mr. Jack Slayton. Just a few friends were present to witness the ceremony. Rev. L. L. F. Parker, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiated.

The bride is the youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Seale and has lived in Spur the past six years. She is a graduate of the Spur Schools, is accomplished in music, and possess many of those rare traits that would grace any home. She is a good Christian girl and a member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Slayton is a young man of good habits. He is a graduate of the Spur Schools and is at this time a student in pharmacy. He expects to obtain his certificate in pharmacy within a few months and make that his life profession. He has been associated with the Red Front Drug Store in Spur for many years and has made good in all lines of drug work.

Mr. and Mrs. Slayton left immediately after the ceremony on their honeymoon trip. They will visit relatives and friends in Vernon, Wichita Falls, Sulphur, Okla., Oklahoma City and other points. They will return to Spur about October 1st and make their home here.

Mr. Slayton has bought property in the Highway addition to Spur and will probably build a residence there.

The Times joins their many friends in wishing them a prosperous and happy life together.

Dr. and Mrs. W. R. Spow, of Abilene called on Mr. and Mrs. Starcher Wednesday evening. They were on their way to St. Louis, where the Doctor will spend a few weeks doing some special work and Mrs. Snow will review general hospital work.

W. L. Hyatt, C. P. Harris and Roscoe McCombs went to Roaring Springs Wednesday to attend the funeral of Mrs. J. C. Collett.

Lewis Mason, of the Smart Motor Company of Jayton, was greeting friends in our city the last of the week and taking in the fair.

**R. B. JOHNSON LEAVES SPUR**

This week Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnston moved their household goods to Swenson where they will make their future home. Mr. and Mrs. Johnston have been in our county for more than five years and have made many warm friends among our people, who regret to see them leave us.

Mr. Johnston was County Agricultural Agent for Dickens County more than four years where his influence was felt for the betterment of agricultural conditions. It was under his influence and work that the Boy's Club Work of the County was started. In this work Mr. Johnston placed farming ideals with the boys that will mean much to their success in life.

Another great work of Mr. Johnston while he was County Agent and which is having great influence, was inducing the farmers to buy more and better dairy cows. Hundreds of high grade Jersey cows have been brought to our country and sold to farmers through Mr. Johnston's influence. As a result Dickens County has made much progress in dairy lines and the people have so thoroughly found out the value of the industry that they are making a great effort to put the dairy business over in a great way.

We regret to lose Mr. and Mrs. Johnston from our town, but hope they will meet with the best of success in their new home.

**DAVIS SERVICE STATION NOW OPEN FOR BUSINESS**

The Davis Service Station is now open for business. This new station is located in the Sullivan building, formerly occupied by the Spur Bakery just east of the postoffice, and is owned by D. A. Davis, who is who is well known in the Spur country.

The new business will have in stock a complete line of Frigidaire cooling systems, Delco products, Magnolia gas, Goodyear Tires and will be headquarters for the Oldsmobile Sales Agency for this territory. A new supply of Oldsmobile care will arrive here the last of the week and Mr. Davis will be ready to demonstrate the merits of his products.

Mr. Davis invites the public to visit him and let him demonstrate to them the merits of the Delco and Frigidaire. He says that every country home

can now have city conveniences and get them cheaper than the people can in the city.

Mr. Davis will be in charge of the business personally, and will probably move his family to Spur in the near future. He is a brother of J. E. Davis who was once a resident of Spur, and is a son of the late J. E. Davis, who was one of the most respected citizens of this county.

**MRS. S. C. FALLIS ENTERTAINS**

On Tuesday afternoon, August 31, Mrs. S. C. Fallis gave one of the most interesting, novel and cunning parties of Spur social record. Mrs. Herbert S. Wilkes was the honor guest.

The guests wore knee dresses, socks and bows of ribbons on their hair and in various way resembled small school girls. Some of them brought along their dolls.

While seated on the floor the children dressed their all day sucker dolls in variously styled blue and pink crepe paper dresses, a part of these costumes were painstakingly constructed as a reward had been offered for the best. Mrs. Crockett won a hand paint-

ed powder puff doll. Mrs. Leonard Joplin was first in solving a puzzle and was awarded a box of animal crackers which those present immediately fought over in child-like fashion.

During the games, the hostess brought in sack lunches consisting of delicious tuna fish sandwiches, olives, potatoes chips and nut cake. There was also a bottle of soda water for each little girl.

After much playing, the game of "Pleased and Displeased" gave rise to a program of readings by Miss Willie Richbourg; Piano Music by Miss Lourene Seale and singing by Miss Nellie Goff and Willie Richbourg.

The last displeased person requested Mrs. Wilkes to stand in the front bed room closet. In there she found a many beautiful and dainty presents with her name on them.

Among those enjoying the occasion were Mesdames J. E. Sanders, Mrs. Lee Davis, Foy Vernon, Chas. Wolfe, Lloyd Wolfe, Leonard Joplin, Earl Joplin, Crockett, J. J. Fletcher, T. J. Seale, Abernathy, Jack Rector, Stack, McCombs, Eric Ousley, Edgar McGee,

John Hazelwood, S. H. Twaddell, Otto Mott, and Lois Lee. Misses Willie Richbourg, Nellie Goff and Laurine Seale.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hampton, of Whitney are guests of their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Wolfe.

**SWENSON MAN HURT IN GIN THURSDAY EVENING**

J. C. Niblett was caught in the Farmers Gin at Swenson about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon and his foot and the lower part of his limb was badly mangled. Mr. Niblett was up over the cleaners oiling the machinery when his foot broke through the top over the clearers.

He was rushed to the Nichols Sanitarium where, after a thorough examination, it was found the only means to save his life was to amputate the limb. Dr. Nichols did the work, severing the limb about midway between the ankle and knee.

Mr. Niblett is very weak as the result of the loss of blood, but it is thought he will get along all right if given careful attention.

**A Good Safe Place to Trade  
B. SCHWARZ & SON  
The Store of Little Profit**

**ANOTHER FAMOUS DRESS SALE**

Mr. Golding has just returned from a week's buying trip and has searched every source in obtaining frocks of quality and style to offer at a price that is ridiculously cheap, and we will let you be the judge in this special selling of

**NEW WOOL DRESSES \$7.95**

These dresses should sell for \$22.50 to 29.95 and up.



We have in this lot of dresses an assortment which will prove most popular during the fall and winter days. Dresses that have been bought at a price really unbelievable, and it is always the policy of B. Schwarz & Son to pass this saving on to our many loyal customers.

Come early folks and I guarantee you wont be disappointed. Don't Ask us how we do it, the dresses speak for themselves. No approvals, no alteration, no phone orders, every sale final.

**Central Meat Market  
8th Anniversary**

Eight years ago in a little wooden shack we bought a meat business with two meat blocks and a wooden counter. With that we started to build a meat business in keeping with the progress of Spur. With no protection from flies, with no protection from filth and dust, with losses from trimming and spoilage, we planned and labored in every way to get your good will with the little service and stock we had to offer you.

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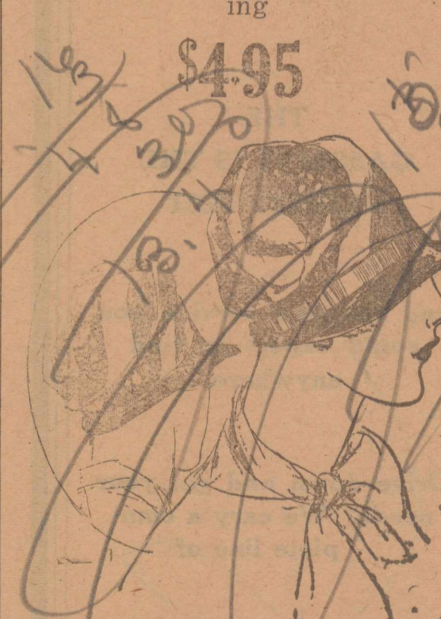
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<p><b>Advance Sale</b></p> <p><b>New Sport Coats</b></p> <p>\$15.95 and \$24.95</p> <p>Regular price \$22.50 to \$35.00</p> <p>Undoubtedly the most interesting event we have offered for months Fashionable plaid mixtures, new coats with their fine fabrics, luxurious furs and fashionable lines, a delight to wear and a treat to look upon.</p>	<p><b>100 NEW METLIC CLOTH HATS</b></p> <p>At a price that is a wonderful saving</p> <p><b>\$4.95</b></p>  <p>Hat values that are the talk of the town. An exceptional purchase enables us to offer these hats at these low prices.</p>	<p><b>New Tom Boy Charleston Skirts</b></p> <p>\$4.95 &amp; \$6.25</p> <p>The young girls of this town want what they want and they want the new Tom Boy Charleston Skirt, hip pockets and everything. Girls get yours. All wool flannel.</p> <p><b>Tom Boy White English Broad Cloth Shirts</b></p> <p>to match</p> <p><b>Price \$1.50</b></p>
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Those that hold God responsible for our calamities, our joys and sorrows, have seen his handiwork in the divastation of Florida, where from the open seas the god of the wind storm with his legions swept down on the puny works of man and in a breath turned the works of years and months into rubbish and twisted iron for the junk heap and people caught in the midst of the terrific "blow" had their life snuffed out like we would step on an ant. In the face of the elements whether the hand of God be there or not, man's work to say the least is weak and frail and once it comes in contact with the gigantic forces of nature his handiwork crumples and scatters like a house of cards when smote by the playful hand of a child. 'Tis catrosphes like that just befell Florida that makes us realize how puny we are when compared with the scheme of things.

Down in Scurry County Monday of this week a farmer became suddenly insane and beat the brains from his wife and eldest child, then with one barrel of the gun he slew the remaining child, and with the other released his own soul. Which moves us to say that now, even as in the days of old, some people become infested with devils, and do their will. Such incidents as this reminds us, indeed, that we live in a "veil of tears", where it seems at times, that the joy and laughter are out numbered by the sorrow and tribulations. However, somewhere we have read that man is but a beast with a very thin coating of civilization, and incidents that come to our notice from day to day made us believe that many of our number wipe the veneer off and regenerate until our brains are filled with the fires of hell—let us pray.

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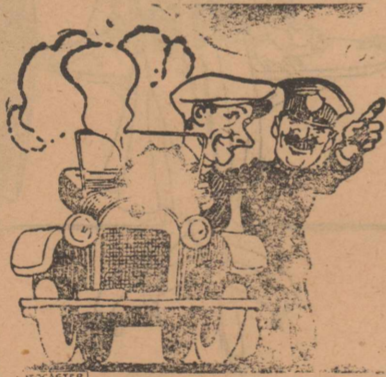
The surest sign of worms in children is paleness, lack of interest in play, fretfulness, variable appetite, picking at the nose and sudden starting in sleep. When these symptoms appear it is time to give White's Cream Vermifuge. A few doses drives out the worms and puts the little one on the road to health again. White's Cream Vermifuge has a record of fifty years of successful use. Price 35c. Sold by **FOR SALE By All Druggists**

By the time this paper reaches you the heavy weight championship pugilist bout will be history—possible a new man will wear the crown and Dempsey will be relegated to the past, but again, the champ may remain the champ, and put his opponent to sleep with ease. That be as it may, what we wanted to say was that such bouts remind us that though with even our boasted civilization, a part of the past clings to us, that even hundreds of years have been unable to throw off—in the great arena our ancestors saw the gladiators fight with Javelin and spear; saw the warm blood of man paint the sawdust a crimson hue, and the beaten contestant writhe in the agonies of death, and they cheered lustily. The prize fight is but a milder form and appeals to but the brute that yet remains in us.

Growing forage crops and grazing them with hogs is a very desirable way to improve rundown land, according to numerous hog raisers and experiment station workers. Practically all of the fertilizing elements except that stored in the animals body is returned to the soil in the manure and litter. The only danger to the injury of the soil is in th trampling by the animals on heavy clays when they are wet, and this easily avoided where there is a permanent sod pasture available. Furthermore hogs when turned into new field, frequently clean up a number of different kinds of weeds. They make good use of waste plants and tend to eliminate them from fields grazed.

The music of the cotton gin is playing a regular tune, as much cotton is being ginned.

The Times subscription contest opens at an early date—better get in.



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**YOUNG CHICKENS AS WELL  
AS OLD SPREAD "TB" TO HOGS**

It is generally believed that chickens under one year of age seldom develop tuberculosis to the extent of becoming spreaders of the disease. Hence, it is thought that culling all birds above that age from flocks would soon eliminate the disease.

To determine whether or not this disease is well founded, Dr. T. S. Rich of the United States Department of Agriculture in charge of the tubercul-

osis-eradication work in the State of Michigan, conducted a general culling campaign covering all the poultry flocks in one township in the state. Every chicken on 151 farms were individually examined, or a total of 15,377. From this number 1,494 were removed as culls, and 84 were found up on post mortem examination to be infected with tuberculosis. The disease was demonstrated to exist in about 38 per cent of the flocks examined. Three generalized cases were birds under 1 year of age. This was conclusive

proof to Dr. Rich that young chickens as well as old are a source of danger in spreading tuberculosis to hogs and should be removed along with the rest of the flock when infection is discovered.

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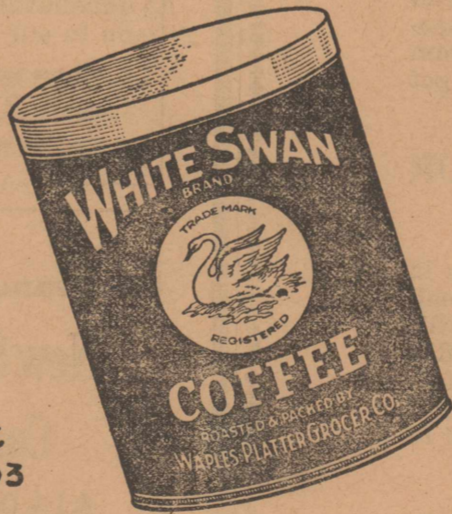


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J. W. Smith, of near Jayton, mingled with the large Fair crowds here Saturday.

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### In the Kitchen with 6 Famous Cooks

#### BREADS AND BISCUITS AS 3 EXPERT COOKS MAKE THEM

(Ed. Note: This is one of a series of articles on cooking which 6 famous cooks are contributing to this paper.)

Bread can be much more than the uninteresting, prosaic "staff of life." It can be made so delicious that you eat it because you want to, not because you think you ought to.



MRS. SARAH T. RORER

Famous cooks have unearthed many delicious bread and biscuit recipes from various parts of the country for you. Follow their recipes for pleasing variety in breads.

#### Easy Bran Muffins

Mrs. Rorer, the Philadelphia cooking expert, recommends her bran muffins for breakfast. "They are very nutritious and healthful," she says. "One might paraphrase the old saying into a bran muffin a day keeps the doctor away." It would hold just as true.

"These muffins are easily made," she affirms. "Beat one egg, add a cup of milk, a half teaspoon salt, one tablespoonful sugar, and one tablespoonful melted butter. Sift one cupful flour with three level teaspoons baking powder, and bake in a hot oven, in greased gem pans for 20 minutes."



#### Nuts for Nourishment

Mrs. Rorer has a very appetizing and nourishing nut bread, too. Here's how to make it:

Chop enough pecans to make a half cupful. Put two cupfuls flour in a bowl, add four level teaspoons of baking powder, half a teaspoon salt, and two tablespoonfuls of sugar, and sift. Mix in the nuts. Beat one egg, add one cupful of milk, mix and add the flour. Beat well, and turn at once into a greased bread pan.

Let stand 10 minutes. Light oven 3 minutes before bread is light. Bake half an hour at medium heat. Raisins may be substituted for nuts.

Nut bread makes very good sandwiches if spread with butter. Cream cheese may also be used for a simple, delicious filling.



#### Southern Corn Bread

Corn bread, that favorite of the South, is another nutritious change from the every-day white bread. Made with the recipe of Miss Rosa Michaelis, famous New Orleans cook, it's a welcome part of any meal.

Here are the ingredients:  
3/4 cup of sugar  
4 cups cornmeal  
1 1/2 teaspoons salt  
3 eggs  
2 tablespoonfuls baking powder  
1 1/2 tablespoonfuls shortening  
2 cups water (or milk, or the two mixed)

Sift corn meal, salt, sugar, and baking powder together. Add water or milk. Add yolks of eggs and shortening which has been beaten. Add stiffly beaten whites of eggs. Put into a hot greased pan, and bake in hot oven. This can be served with butter or with syrup.

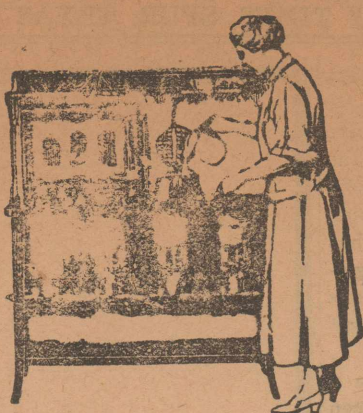


#### Real Beaten Biscuits

If you have a patient right arm, you are bound to make successful beaten biscuits. This is another old southern recipe of Miss Michaelis.

1 quart flour  
1 1/2 teaspoons of lard  
1 pint of milk  
1 teaspoon salt

The little girl says schools is a beastly bore but she reckons it has to put up with.



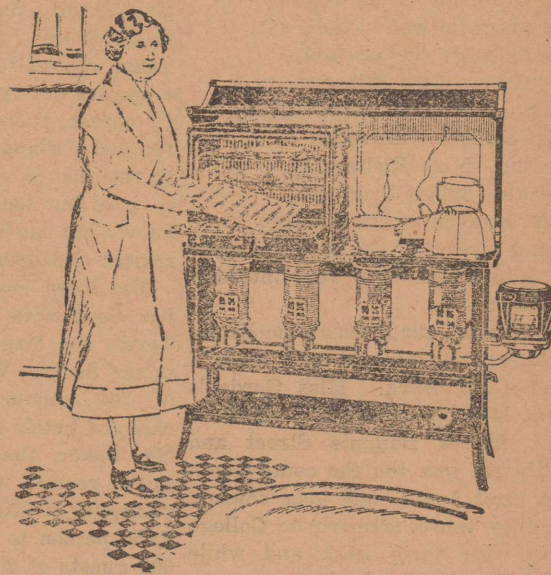
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By MRS. SARAH TYSON RORER  
Philadelphia Cooking Expert



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"I cooked many things at once. For boiling beef I used a very low flame. I French-fried potatoes over a hot flame with yellow tips about 1 1/2 inches high above the blue area. I cooked white sauce over a medium flame.

"I used all grades of heat at the same time satisfactorily.

All flames remained steady and even. They did not creep or 'crawl.' This is a real blessing to the cook. She can forget her stove and keep her mind on her cooking.

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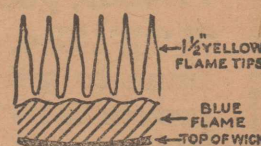
See the complete line at any dealer's today. All sizes, from a one-burner model at \$7.25 to a large, five-burner range at \$130.00.

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MRS. RORER is one of the six famous cooks who just completed a novel cooking test on the Perfection Stove. Others are: Miss Lucy G. Allen, Boston; Miss Margaret Allen Hall, Battle Creek; Miss Rosa Michaelis, New Orleans; Mrs. Kate B. Vaughn, Los Angeles, and Mrs. Belle DeGraf, San Francisco.

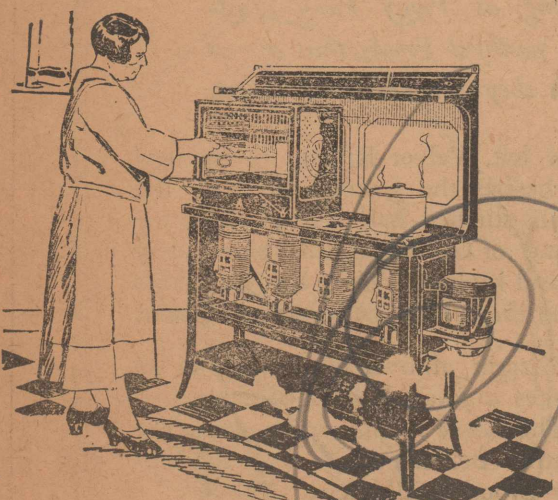
Send today for our free booklet, "Favorite Menus and Recipes of 6 Famous Cooks." Contains many of Mrs. Rorer's.



"Use this flame for pre-heating the oven for cakes. It has yellow tips about 1 1/2 inches high above the blue area," says Mrs. Rorer.

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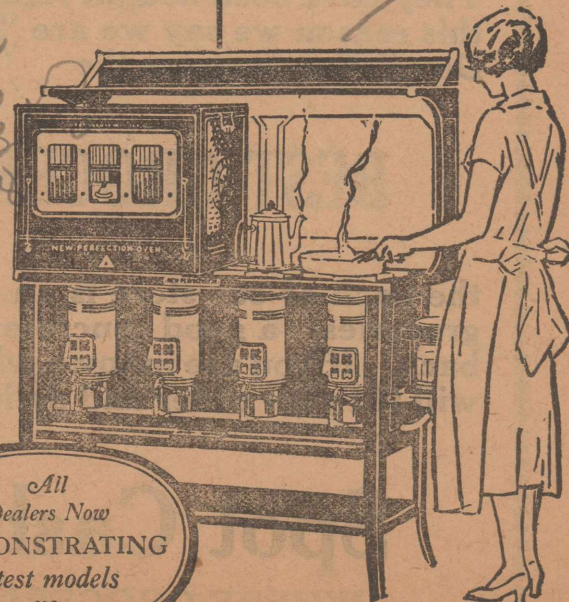
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### Dickens School Opened Monday of Last Week

One of the most impressive school opening was had at Dickens Monday Morning.

A large crowd of patrons were present, which showed that they were really interested in the school.

The program was as follows:  
 America—By the assembly.  
 Invocation—Rev. Bilberry.  
 Opening Address—Supt. Speer.  
 Talk—Judge Warswick.  
 Reading—Miss Richbourg.  
 Address—Judge Brummett.

Each member of the faculty, Trustees, and several of the patrons, made short talks which were very interesting to hear.

Miss Gordan, our Homes Demonstration Agent was present and made a talk on Club Work. Miss Gordon's class at Dickens has done excellent work. Misses Dannie Street and Opal Harris won the county contest in first and second year sewing, which they won a free trip to College Station with their work and while there Opal won third place over the State on Sewing. This speaks well for the Dickens Club work.

Our faculty is composed of the following teachers: Frank Speer, Supt.; Eugene McCloud, Fred Arrington, D. C. Waldron, Mrs. D. Y. Twaddell, Miss Fannie Kelley and Miss Willie Richbourg, Music and Expression.

The Dickens School is already recognized to be among the best high schools in West Texas, and we hope to be better known.

We had a number of new pupils from Afton, Duncan Flat, Midway, Prairie Chapel and Spur, which we are glad to welcome among our boys and girls.—Reporter.

### BAKER HOTEL MAN VISITS OUR CITY MONDAY AFTERNOON

Curtis A. Keen, General Publicity Director of the Baker Hotels of Texas, operating the Baker, Dallas, Texas, Fort Worth, Stephen F. Austin, Austin, Austin, Gunter and Menger, San Antonio, and who have recently announced a 300 room resort hotel for Mineral Wells and a 1200 room, 40 story hotel for Houston, spent some time Monday in Spur meeting old friends and making new acquaintances. Mr. Keen was formerly manager of the Lubbock Chamber of Com-

merce and Panhandle South Plains Fair Association and founder of the Plains Journal at Lubbock.

"Things certainly look right for this section of Texas," declared Mr. Keen, who accompanied by Mrs. Keen was returning from El Paso, where they attended the formal opening of the Hotel Olndorff as personal representative of Mr. Baker, president of the Baker Hotels. "Crops throughout West Texas are uniformly good. The feed crops are nearly all good and matured. Of course, there is some of this new fangled 'Flapper Cotton' here and there—that is, cotton that looks mighty good but has very little on it, you know—but most of the cotton is well fruited and opening rapidly."

Mr. Keen since leaving the Plains has been with the Baker Hotels of Texas, the largest hotel organization in the South. With the completion of the announced addition to the chain of hotels now being operated by Mr. Baker, the organization of 4100 guest rooms, with a total property valuation of \$2,500,000 and employing 2,350 person to take care of the 750,000 guests of the hotels per year.

#### Good Word For the Times

"Funny thing about Mr. Starcher, of the Times," said Mr. Keen, "the first time I ever heard of him as a newspaper man was that he had turned down a contract for over \$500 worth of advertising offered his paper by an advertising firm in Dallas. The contract was for one of the mail order houses and Mr. Starcher wrote the agency like this: 'I am running a newspaper in Spur to help build up the town and county and I do not believe business from local merchants and the people of this town and county. I am doing everything I can to build up the town and county and I do not believe the mail order business helps any town—nor do I believe that the man who buys goods from them gets dependable values year in and year out as he gets with his own local merchants and for that reason I am returning the contract unsigned.' The advertising agency almost passed out—for it is not every day that a newspaper turns down a \$500 contract for advertising."

Mr. Keen was very complimentary in his remarks with reference to the organization of the Rotary Club and the past reputation of the city for taking part in every movement for the

good not only of Spur but of all West Texas.

"The feeding experiments that have been conducted in Spur during the past few years have been worth untold thousands of dollars to the cattlemen of West Texas and the work that has been done through the schools, agricultural clubs and other organizations along this line have all been worth while," he said.

We feel the Baker Hotels have a fine booster in the person of Mr. Keen and wherever he goes he leaves a fine feeling for the Baker holstries.

#### NICHOLS SANITARIUM

R. L. Kelley, who has been taking treatment for some time, underwent an operation this morning for Gall Bladder trouble.

Miss Mary Pearl Hagins, who underwent an operation last week is getting along nicely. This was a pus case.

Mrs. B. M. Dickson, of Aspermont, underwent an operation last week and is doing fine.

Mrs. G. T. O'Guinn is now able to be up after a very serious operation some weeks ago. Will be able to leave for home soon.

Miss Pauline Foreman underwent an operation Friday for appendicitis, a drainage case, and is getting along all right at this time.

Mrs. W. B. Dillard underwent an operation Sunday for appendicitis and other troubles. She is doing fine.

Miss Maree Harris underwent an operation the last of the week as a result of a knife wound. She is improving now.

Mrs. A. H. Ussary, of Clairemont, who has been here for an operation, was able to return home Wednesday.

Joe Robinett, of Watson, who underwent an operation last week for appendicitis, is getting along fine at this time.

Joe McCoy, of Jayton, who received injuries during the football game at the Fair, and thought he had sustained broken bones, underwent an X-Ray examination Friday. He was found to be all right except some bad bruises.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Fowler, are the proud parents of a fine new boy, born last Tuesday.

Mrs. Loyd Wolfe returned Monday from a visit with friends in Cisco.

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SALE



During the next two weeks we are going to give you some very extra snaps in small lots in shoes. In this line we will offer you good styles and values that are worth twice the price we are asking. Nearly all sizes are in the line. They come in womens childrens and a few pair in mens and boys. If you expect these snaps in your size come early and get first pick.

THIS WEEK BROUGHT US A  
**MILL SHIPMENT IN HOSE**  
 IN THIS LINE WE HAVE A  
**LADIES HOSE AT 75 CENTS**

that is equal to any dollar hose sold. Come and ask to see it. Stocks are getting stronger every day, and we feel that it will pay you well to get our prices in advance of your purchase.

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are arriving daily and priced very cheap for good clothes. New hats for men, shirts, hosiery, ties and other items of interest

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**Specials in Ladies and Flapper Dresses \$5.95 up**



The Bloused Silhouette  
 Is A New Paris Fashion

Vastly becoming, as Peggy Paige illustrates, in two youthful frocks that are as individual as they are new and smart.

In the Frock at the left, Velvet Ribbon in the new Valencia Blue emphasises the graceful folds of the Skirt—with its plaits stitched half way to retain the slender line. A band of Gold and Blue embroidery outlines the neck and hipline. Velvet Ribbon makes the narrow Belt, and the cuff of the long tight Sleeve.

In the Frock at the right, all-over Embroidery in an intricate design makes a smart Jumper of more than ordinary interest. The sleeve is long and wider at the wrist. A narrow leather Belt fits snugly over the hips and gives the new Bloused Silhouette. The Skirt is widely box-plaited in front.

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## Still Giving Them Every Day Too

Friends, you have always got the best grocery bargains at our store, and that is just half the song—you will continue to get them. The excellent patronage received proves to us that you appreciate these bargains. We are not quoting prices for we want you to get the thrill by coming in to see just how cheap you can buy good groceries here. We are not boasting,

**But We Are Not Going to Allow Any Store to Sell For Less Than We Do This Fall**  
 If you will investigate you will see why.

Our groceries are fresh all the time. Nothing stays long enough to get stale. We like to see you, so come in and see our line of good flour and other good groceries. They have been bought right and will be sold right. For this reason we say we are "Still Giving Them Every Day." Yes, they are the

### BEST GROCERY BARGAINS

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