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# ROARING SPRINGS NEWS

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## Trail Dust

The streets of Roaring Springs yesterday looked something like the ghost of a half forgotten yesterday. On the vacant lots South of the bank a large number of wagons and teams were hitched up as was the case from several years ago when the hitch-rack was one of the most popular spots in town on Saturday. The old hitch-rack has been swept away before the on-rush of automobiles, but the place of the wagon and team in rural life is showing a marked return. One can not grow gasoline, tires and oil on farming land.

The old time wagon has changed with the coming of the automobile, or rather the going of the automobile, which has left the trailing and automobile chassis. It makes a more practical wagon and is cheaper which reminds me that I have no desire to own stock in a wagon factory or a buggy whip factory.

Regardless of what you think of newspaper men, I have found that they are sympathetic souls and that they consider the problems of any one included in the fraternity as their own. Had it not been for the goodness, or the pity shown by neighboring newspapers, the News would have come out with its initial edition under new management, a blank sheet of paper. And maybe you think that would have been better but please do not blame anyone but me. My neighbors have done everything possible to help me.

This weather is depressing. Not that I do not like the Fall of the year but because of the fact that my clothing is so thin that I feel embarrassed every time the North wind strikes me. The trouble with my old suit is that it has already delivered more mileage than it was originally intended to deliver and it has no trade-in value.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Freeman of McAdoo are visiting in the home of Mrs. J. E. Freeman this week.

Mr. Dave Waldron of Clarendon was the week-end guest of W. C. King and family.

Dr. and Mrs. Hughes and family were Spur visitors Sunday.

Miss Margaret Nell Crews of Matador was the guest of Miss Puryear, Hughes this week end.

Miss Marion Gates spent several days visiting friends at Afton.

The Roaring Springs Junior Boys Foot Ball team was over the Matador Junior Boys here last Thursday.

George Ramirez and Sada Gabriel spent Sunday visiting their sister, Mrs. Alford Majour, of Rotan.

Mrs. M. D. Freeman and children are visiting relatives in Vernon this week.

W. S. Smiley of Duncan Flat was in town on business Monday.

Mr. Sam Pipkins of McAdoo was a Roaring Springs visitor Tuesday.



Franklin D. Roosevelt, Democratic Nominee for President.

## Trade Day Drawings Attracts Large Crowd

The Roaring Springs Trades Day drawing which is held every two weeks attracted a record crowd last Saturday afternoon. Five cash prizes of two dollars each were offered by enterprising merchants and business men to the five fortunate holders of lucky tickets. These tickets are given with each fifty cent purchase made between the drawings for stores belonging to the Roaring Springs Trades Day Association.

The News regrets that it is unable to print the names of the five winners of last week, but promises to print the names of the winners in the future.

Many numbers were called which would have won prizes had the holder of the corresponding number been present, but discarded by the judges because no one was present to claim the two new, nice one dollar bills.

## Man Injured In Car Accident Thursday Night

A light touring car driven by O. D. Waggoner and R. A. Fluatt of Kingsland, Texas, collided in a head-on collision on Highway 28, south of Roaring Springs Thursday night, with a truck belonging to John Alexander of McAdoo. Mr. Fluatt received several cuts and bruises, one serious cut above his eye, which was treated by Dr. Hughes in Roaring Springs. The automobile was almost completely demolished in the impact. The cause of the accident was imputed to faulty and blinding headlights.

Miss Lorena Hudson spent Saturday night with Miss Fern Marshall of Tee Pee Flat.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. King and Date were Spur visitors Sunday.

The Roaring Springs School closed for three weeks of cotton picking. Several school children are busy these days picking cotton.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hurst, accompanied by Marvin English of Matador, made a trip to Abilene, Texas, Sunday.

## Member Hollywood Movie Colony To Visit Here

(Telegram)

Hollywood, California, October 17th, 1932.—Ben D. Mesod, Editor Roaring Springs News, Roaring Springs, Texas.—Expect to arrive in Amarillo Thursday or Friday. Meet me if possible. Will wire you from Albuquerque exact time of arrival. Accept congratulations on newspaper connection. Best wishes.—Adolph Faylauer.

The management of the News is proud of possessing the friendship of Mr. Faylauer, and honored that he should make such a long journey especially to pay tribute to that friendship.

Mr. Faylauer is well known in the movie capitol as a character actor of outstanding ability and has been cited by several famous directors for his work. For a period of over seven years he devoted his entire time to freelance motion picture work, with the exception of several months in the past year in which he was a featured member of the "Grand Hotel" cast playing the principal cities of the Pacific Coast.

Born of German parents in America, Mr. Faylauer has traveled extensively in Europe and America, studying, as a glorified hobby, the works of the world's greatest artists. He speaks fluently, five different languages. In the past few years he has added to his contributions to the arts, that of writing blank verse and prose.

## AFTON CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

O. L. Turpen, 38, a much respected citizen of Afton community died at the sanitarium in Spur about twelve o'clock noon Wednesday. Mr. Turpen became seriously ill Monday morning and Dr. Hughes of Roaring Springs was summoned. The doctor pronounced the case acute appendicitis but the condition of the patient was such that he could not be moved at that time. After working with him for several hours it was thought Mr. Turpen could be taken to the sanitarium for an operation. He was brought to Spur where it was found the appendix had ruptured and general peritonitis had developed. The operation was performed Tuesday evening, but the poison had spread too far to be overcome.

Mr. Turpen was born in Lamar County near Paris, June 8, 1894. He married Miss Vela Slaton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Slaton, January 7, 1917. He moved to Dickens County in 1921 and since that time has lived most of his life in Afton community.

The deceased is survived by his widow, five daughter, father, three brothers and three sisters, a number of other relatives and a great host of friends. His father, E. M. Turpen, lives at 804 Grand Avenue, Fort Worth, and is nearly ninety years of age. The brothers are: G. M. and Sam Turpen of Lubbock, and R. D. Turpen of Rochester. The sisters are Mrs. Ben Hancock of Clarksville, Mrs. P. L. Jobe of Lubbock, and Mrs. John Brannen of Courtney Flat, Okla.

Funeral services are scheduled to be held at Afton this afternoon in the event all of the friends from a distance arrive in time. Rev. H. T. Harris, his pastor will be in charge of the funeral services, assisted by Rev. Victor Crabtree. Interment will be in Afton Cemetery, Webber B. William, of Spur, acting as funeral director.



John Nance Garner, of Uvalde, the Democratic Party's choice for Vice President.

## To The Readers of The News

Many excuses are at hand that I might make for the appearance of the News this week and a great number of them would be justifiable, but it is not necessary. I am, regardless of my critics' opinions, more or less human and deserve the kindred right of humans which is to make mistakes. The News this week, under its new management, is far from perfect. It is not as I would like to have it, but it is the best of every effort I was able to put into it. I will try to make it better next and each issue following this one.

I have no just claims as an expert in the world of journalism, far from it. However, I do claim for my own, a desire to publish a newspaper of which you as members of this community will pride. My greatest reward will be your pride in your news medium which you have found to be dependable.

Humble as it may appear, this issue of the News represents to a degree the realization of an ambition which I have long cherished. The publication of my own newspaper from my own plant.

A newspaper that supports a community in every possible way can be of great beneficial influence, and that is the first duty of any newspaper that enjoys the support of the people. The News believes in Roaring Springs and Motley County, and it shall always offer every support to anything that will make this a better country.

I want you to feel that this is your newspaper and I need your help in making it the kind of newspaper you want. I want you to feel free to offer any suggestions that you think will make it a better paper. I will always appreciate any news that you can give because that is the life blood of a newspaper's popularity. Of course the one thing that makes any newspaper possible is advertising and circulation. If you like the News we will appreciate your telling others and also appreciate your subscription being renewed.

We need your help and our success rests entirely in your hands. We will be grateful for your consideration.

## Return of Prosperity Seen Here Saturday

As if awakening from an extended slumber, Roaring Springs displayed last Saturday a return of the much talked-about prosperity. In the afternoon the streets began to fill with automobiles, cotton wagons and a noticeable number of old-fashioned farm wagons. People filled the sidewalks and business places were filled with customers whose arms were loaded with bundles that indicated that the trip to town had not been made for pleasure alone. The general attitude was one of relaxed tension, a letting-up of restraint that has been too common for almost three years. Merchants displayed smiles of satisfaction at seeing again their places of business filled with customers. The customers were equally satisfied at being able to make their purchases.

## School Board Appeals For Taxes; Funds Low

The Roaring Springs School Board wishes to appeal to the tax payers of this District to pay all school taxes possible immediately. School funds are at such a low ebb that the suspension of school is inevitable unless drastic efforts to pay taxes are taken.

The Roaring Springs Schools were dismissed last Friday for an estimated period of three weeks, to allow the pupils to aid in gathering the cotton crop. It is hoped that each taxpayer will give due consideration to this vital problem, and exert every effort to pay his taxes as soon as the cotton is marketed, thus giving to the school children of Roaring Springs their deserved equal chance of education. No tax-paid are turned into a channel of greater causes than those going into the public schools of Texas. It is the paramount obligation of every community. The Roaring Springs School Board, the teachers of the Roaring Springs School and those who deserve and desire education make this appeal to you. Pay your School taxes first.

## SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED WED.

Mrs. W. C. Grisson and Mrs. L. D. Mitchell entertained the Young Married Women Sunday School Class Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Garrison. After many interesting games were played, delicious refreshments were served to the following guests: Mrs. Amy Havis, Jewel King, Mary Clendening, Minnie Davis, Gladys Moss, Lorena Ferguson and Lillian Thacker.

W. C. King was in Spur on business Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Nance of Floydada were visiting Mrs. Nance's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Marman, Sunday.



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paper to wrongly use or injure any  
individual, firm, concern or corpora-  
tion and corrections will be made  
when warranted as prominently as  
was the wrong published, reference  
or article.

"There is glory enough for any  
man to live and die a Texan."

**SAMUEL INSULL GOES  
TO GREECE**

Fear of extradition action Samuel  
Insull left Milan, Italy, last week for  
Athens, Greece, where he hopes to  
evade all legal procedure. Insull,  
who was considered the world's great-  
est utility magnate until his recent  
fall, has been indicted by the Cook  
County, Illinois, grand jury and two  
counts of larceny and embezzlement  
charges. His brother, Martin Insull,  
has been indicted on four counts of  
similar charges, the amount of charges  
being \$514,942.74 for both brothers.

The Insull brother, both of whom  
are British subjects, left the United  
States shortly after the Middle West  
Utilities Company went into the hands  
of receiver. Samuel went to Paris  
where he established a home and Mar-  
tin went to Canada. States Attorney  
A. Swanson of Illinois, asked both  
the Insulls to return to Chicago and  
give testimony on certain investiga-  
tion, but they ignored the request  
and both remained out of the States.

The indictments were based on  
charges that funds were taken from  
two financing companies in the Insull  
utility system and used to support  
a marginal stock market maintained  
by Martin Insull. Samuel Insull is  
charged in the indictment of having  
had knowledge of the withdrawals  
and to have endorsed a check for  
part of the abstraction.

Cook County grand jury returned  
indictments in open court after delib-  
erating less than one hour and hearing  
testimony of six witnesses.

Capitases were issued at once for  
the arrest of the Insull brothers. Ac-  
tion was started to extradite Samuel  
Insull from Paris where he had been  
since shortly after the financing  
machinery for his holdings collapsed.  
Also, similar action was instituted  
for Martin Insull from Canada. A  
bond of \$15,000 was set for Martin

Insull and \$50,000 for Samuel. Martin  
Insull made application to the courts  
of Canada for release on bond giving  
ill health as his excuse.

The first indictment charged Martin  
Insull with larceny of \$344,720 from  
the billion dollar Middle West Utili-  
ties Company which is an Insull  
branch. The second indictment charg-  
ed each of the brothers with embezzle-  
ment, larceny, and larceny by bailes  
of \$66,000 from Middle West Utilities.  
The third named both for alleged em-  
bezzlement of \$104,222.74 from the  
Mississippi Valley Investment Com-  
pany which is another Insull concern.

The Insull interests extend all over  
the United States and parts of Cana-  
da. West Texas is served by the sys-  
tem in many cities.

The results of the dealings of the  
Insull brothers has caused many peo-  
ple to lose money in stocks purchased  
from the Middle West and other sub-  
sidiary companies of the Insull sys-  
tem. It is estimated that the losses  
sustained by individual stockholders  
runs away into the millions of dollars.

There are no laws in Greece in re-  
gard to extradition and for this reason  
Samuel Insull feels reasonably  
safe from being called back to the  
United States. Just how long he will  
remain in that country is not known,  
but at this time it is a means of safe-  
ty to him.

**ORIGINAL GEORGE  
WASHINGTON PICTURES  
TO BE EXHIBITED**

The astonishing feat of collecting  
more than 100 original portraits of  
George Washington is being undertak-  
en by the United States George Wash-  
ington Bicentennial Commission.

Through the generosity of the patri-  
otic owners of these paintings which  
are being loaned to the Commission,  
this rare and valuable collection will  
be placed in the United States Nation-  
al Museum in Washington as a pub-  
lic exhibition.

Nothing like this exhibition has  
ever been attempted in the history of  
America, and such an assemblage of  
these pictures may never be possible  
again. In art interest, the exhibition  
will vie with its historical importance,  
and the thousands of persons who visit  
the national capitol during the Bicen-  
tennial Celebration will have an oppor-  
tunity to see them and remember a  
sight which should be prized the rest  
of their lives.

More than twenty artists painted  
George Washington from life, and a  
number of these made numerous cop-  
ies of their work. Thus Gilbert Stuart  
made about 70 copies of his famous  
Athenaeum portrait, perhaps the  
most familiar of all the Washington  
likenesses. Besides the portraits them-  
selves the exhibition will include a  
large number of miniatures of George  
and Martha Washington, together  
with silver, jewelry and other mem-  
entoes.

The idea of this collection and ex-  
hibit was first suggested some months  
ago by Hon. Sol Bloom, Associate Di-  
rector of the United States George  
Washington Bicentennial Commission.  
Mrs. Rose Gouverneur Hoes was asked  
to assume the task of organization.  
As many of the most valuable of the  
portraits were in the possession of  
private owners, the difficulty of as-  
sembling this exhibition is great. But  
Mrs. Hoes reports a willing response  
from all owners of these Washington  
Paintings, both public and private.

Members of the diplomatic corps  
have already volunteered the loan of  
several little-known Washington por-  
traits. It is probable that one by A.  
U. Wertmuller, which is now hanging  
in the Museum of Stockholm, Sweden,  
will be added to the collection. It is  
hoped to have in the collection the

Gilbert Stuart portrait owned by the  
Boston Athenaeum, and such treas-  
ures as the especially valuable por-  
trait owned by Senator Frelinghuysen  
of New Jersey.

In gathering these pictures and ob-  
jects of art, and arranging for their  
display, Mrs. Hoes has the assistance  
of an active committee, among whom  
are Mrs. McCook Knox, author of a  
work on Sharples portraits of Wash-  
ington, Dr. Alexander Wilbourn Wed-  
dell of Virginia House, Richmond,  
Va., F. Lamont Belin, and George B.  
McClellan of Washington.

In addition to these authorities,  
Mrs. Hoes has the sponsorship of an  
honorary committee composed of the  
Vice President of the United States,  
Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, Secretaries  
Stimson and Adams, the Speaker of  
the House, the Ambassadors to Italy,  
Germany, Poland, Great Britain and  
Sweden.

Others on the committee are the  
Governor of Maryland, the Governor  
of Virginia, Major General Douglas  
McArthur, Admiral William V. Pratt  
and other notables.

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for you.



Mrs. M. A. Thacker, Lourens  
Ferguson, Audys Matliff and  
Joice Marie Thacker were Spur  
visitors Sunday.

Mrs. M. C. Forebay  
Adoo visited relatives  
Friday.

**Form B-70 Official Statement of Financial Condition CO**

**THE FIRST STATE BANK**

at Roaring Springs, State of Texas, at the close of business on the  
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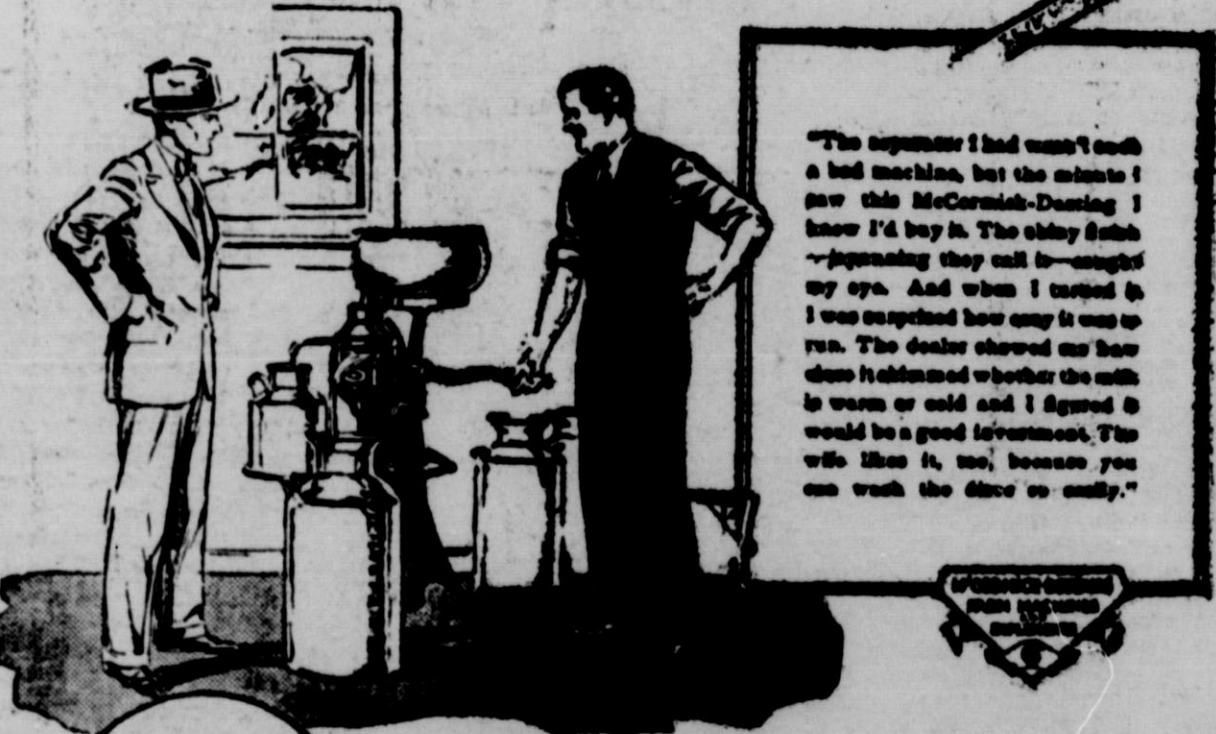
RESOURCES	
Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	25,100.00
Loans secured by real estate	4,000.00
Overdrafts	71.00
Securities of U. S. any state or political subdivision thereof	1,071.50
Other bonds and stocks owned	700.00
Banking House \$6,000.00, Furniture & Fixtures \$2,800.00	8,800.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	10,000.00
Cash in bank	1,410.00
Due from approved reserve agents	1,010.00
Due from other banks and bankers subject to check on demand	820.00
Other resources, claims & judg \$00.00 pl. est. seed \$55.00	455.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>67,000.00</b>
LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	25,000.00
Undivided profits, net	100.00
Due to banks and bankers, subject to check	3,000.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including deposits exp in 30 days	51,000.00
Cashier's Checks outstanding	200.00
Bills Payable	2,440.00
Rediscouunts	10,000.00
Other Liabilities, assumed on other real estate	2,010.00
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>67,000.00</b>

**STATE OF TEXAS,**  
County of Motley.

We, S. W. Weatherall as Fred and William Thacker as Cashier  
said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is  
true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

S. W. Weatherall, President  
William Thacker, Cashier  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 18th day of Oct. A. D. 1932  
(Seal)  
LOUISINA FERGUSON,  
Notary Public, Motley, County, Texas  
Correct Attest M. S. Thacker C. R. Whittan, Mra J. E. Martin (Seal)

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bearings at the four high  
speed points, and positive,  
automatic oiling that makes  
McCormick-Deering Cream  
Separators so easy to turn.  
Try the one on display at  
our store and see for your-  
self how easily and quickly  
you can make the bowl run  
full speed.  
Examine the scientifically  
designed discs that skim  
warm or cold milk with maxi-  
mum butterfat recovery.  
And remember to take notice  
how readily the glossy ja-  
panned finish wipes clean of  
splashes and grease.  
McCormick-Deering Cream  
Separators come in six sizes—  
48, 60, 80, 100, 144, and 180  
gallons milk (350-1500 lbs.)  
per hour. Every one will  
positively skim rated capaci-  
ty. Ask us to demonstrate  
the McCormick-Deering on  
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## 10 FAMILIES HELPED BY RED CROSS

### Free in All Areas Met by Giving Food, Clothing and Other Aid.

More than 3,000,000 families throughout the nation were given relief of these types by the American Red Cross in the past winter, to aid them in their distress caused by unemployment, disaster or other misfortune.

A major relief task, due to unemployment and other unusual conditions in the bituminous mining counties in the West, was met by the Red Cross chapters alone, or participating with other agencies. In these 143 counties the Red Cross aided 30,000 families through giving groceries, school shoes, clothing, flour and other necessities to combat privation.

Four million from government wheat and over to the Red Cross by Congress was given to 16,000,000 persons who perished from March 8 to June 30, 1918, of the fiscal year. Flour will be given through the winter of 1932-33, and Red Cross chapters will give cotton clothing, made in government cotton turned over to the Red Cross for distribution.

The Red Cross faces the busiest year since the days of the World War. Chairman John Barton Payne said: "It is organized in virtually every one of the 48 states in the United States and will co-operate with all agencies to meet distress wherever it is. The flour has proved of great help, and the cotton clothing will be in wide distribution."

While carrying on nation-wide these employment and other relief measures, the Red Cross also was engaged in regular peace-time activities in health nursing, service to convalescent men and their families, tuberculosis hygiene, life saving, and first aid. The Junior Red Cross, composed of about 7,000,000 school children, also aided to the support of the society's efforts, and the children aided in their own practical ways, such as sewing and food canning, and were of great assistance in chapter relief work.

While the wheat and cotton were being raised by the U. S. Government, no help was provided to pay for the necessary work entailed. The Red Cross met this expense of almost \$1,000,000 from its treasury. Citizens aided by joining as members of the Red Cross chapters during the relief from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day.

### Clothes for the Needy

Women volunteers sewing for the Red Cross under the direction of the Red Cross made 100,000 garments last year, and will produce millions of garments in the winter of 1932-33. These will be distributed by the national Red Cross from the 500,000 bales of cotton turned over to the organization by the government. Cloth was sent to all chapters requesting it, and later it was used to send some simple ready-made garments, including trousers, shirts, undershirts, stockings and hats.

### Much Task of Nurses

Red Cross public health nurses, who are in hundreds of communities, are facing the greatest demands in their history for their services, due to the depression. Visits in maternity cases, being the health of infants and children, and aiding mothers in distress, due to unemployment of the fathers, have taken them into hundreds of homes. The nurses made 1,000 visits to or on behalf of individuals, and inspected 249,000 school children. More than 28,000 adults were treated in home hygiene and care of the sick.

### Kind Readers Get Books

Books in braille for reading by the blind are made by women under Red Cross direction. Last year 2,318 such books were produced in single copy, 1,159 in double copies. Fiction, history, biography, economics and other books were among those printed in braille. The Red Cross gives to libraries for free distribution to blind readers.

### JUSTIFICATION FOR PROHIBITION

W. D. Bradfield, Dallas, says: "The only justification for prohibition is that it is found in the nature of the thing. If it is harmless there should be no regulation nor prohibition. The only content of all intoxicating liquors, to get which they are drunk, is alcohol. Alcohol is not a medi-

cine. The best physicians of today do not prescribe it. Were I to list their names here there would be few exceptions. Neither is it a stimulant, but the opposite—a narcotic. It is classed with opium; chloroform is made from it. Our government prohibits the traffic in opium.

Alcohol is also a deadly poison. It paralyzes the nerve centers controlling the respiratory organs or the heart. Death ensues instantly. It is reliably reported that 98 percent of our deaths from so-called "poison liquor" is from liquor containing no other poison than alcohol.

It is also a slow poison. As a slow poison it damages the cell-substances that form the basis of physical existence and vitality. Here the poison is in direct proportion to the amount taken. It may be in moderate doses not causing drunkenness, yet, if regularly taken, stores up death against the day of a crisis in health, as an accident or disease, being the determining cause whether the patient shall live or die.

It will be noticed that this chronic form of alcoholism may result from the moderate use, if regular, as under the saloon regime. During Prohibition days, a distinguished actuary Mr. E. B. Phelps, after a thorough

investigation, reported that 68,000 of our people died annually from liquor, or 7.7 percent of all the deaths.

Government license a traffic in such a poison? If it licenses it, it must necessarily protect it and tacitly recommend it. Can our government afford to be bribed for the tax it may collect thus to sponsor the traffic and use its endorsement to encourage our people to drink it?

Mr. J. A. Goodwin of East Austin was attending to business here Tuesday.

**Red Cross to Enlist Great Army of Members to Fight Distress**

Last year 4,004,456 men and women joined the American Red Cross as members during the annual year-end, Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day. A peace-time army much greater than this will be needed in 1932-33 to support and carry on the nationwide relief work of the Red Cross. There are 6,000 Red Cross Chapters and they have 10,000 branches.

**NATIONAL TIRES TUBES BATTERIES FREE INSURANCE**

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**Thacker SERVICE STATION**

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Your grocer each week offers Friday and Saturday prices that give you an opportunity for real cash savings—provided you buy for the whole month and are able to keep the perishables in fresh, healthful condition. Many times these savings amount to more than 25%... always they will aggregate several dollars each month!

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See one of our Trained Representatives for an interesting and valuable demonstration—or call in at your Electrical Dealer's... Your investigation will involve no obligation, of course.

Do you know that your increased use of Electric Service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule... and adds only a small amount to your total bill?

**West Texas Utilities Company**

**Statement of the Ownership, Management, Circulation, etc., Required by the act of Congress of August 24, 1912.**

of Roaring Springs News published weekly at Roaring Springs, Texas for October 6th, 1932.

State of Texas  
County of Motley.

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Sidney Glendining, who having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the Publisher of the Roaring Springs News and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management, etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of Aug 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, Editor, Managing Editor, and business managers are: Sidney Glendining, Roaring Springs, Texas.
2. That the owner is: Sidney Glendining
3. That the known bondholders, mortgages, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: M. S. Thacker.
4. That the two paragraphs above, giving the names of the owners, stockholders, and security holders, if any, contain not only the list of stockholders and security holders as they appear upon the books of the company but also, in cases where the stockholder or security holder appears upon the books of the company as trustee or in any other fiduciary relation, the name of the person or corporation for whom such trustee is acting is given; and that the said two paragraphs contain statements embracing affiant's full knowledge and belief as to the circumstances and conditions under which stockholders and security holders who do not appear upon the books of the company as trustees, hold stock and securities in a capacity other than that of a bona fide owner; and this affiant has no reason to believe that any other person, association or corporation has any direct or indirect in the said stock, bonds or other securities than as so stated by him.

Sidney Glendining

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 6th day of October, 1932.

Lourea Ferguson, Notary, Public Motley Co Texas  
My commission expires June 1st 1933.

**CHURCHES**

**METHODIST CHURCH**      **BAPTIST CHURCH**

Sunday School 10.  
Singing 11 and 7:45 p.m.  
Intermediate III League 7:00.  
W M S Monday 3:30.

You have a cordial invitation to all services.  
"The church of 'The Friendly crowd'"

Services Sunday, 10 o'clock Sunday School, J. D. Mitchell Supt. All BYPU's will meet at 7, J. B. Clifton director.

Read the News.

**SINCLAIR P. D.**

**KILLS**  
Flies, Mosquitoes, Moths, Roaches, Bedbugs, Ants, Fleas, Gnats, etc.

Before leaving the factory, every batch of Sinclair P. D. must kill 1,000 flies under conditions more severe than those in your own home. Only strong, healthy flies from the Sinclair "fly farm" are used in these tests.

—Agent Sinclair Refining Company (Inc.)—

**F. C. KING**  
Local Agent



**DEMOCRATS URGED TO  
CONTRIBUTE TO CAMPAIGN**

Austin—In a statement issued Saturday through State Democratic Headquarters, T. W. Davidson, former Lieutenant Governor, who was the pre-convention Chairman of the Roosevelt forces in Texas, called upon all Texas Democrats to contribute liberally and promptly to the campaign fund. The statement follows:

"The next President of the United States will be a Democrat. A Democrat in fact as well as in name. The next Vice-President of the United States will be a Democrat and a Texan. Our adversaries can call upon men of the Mellon type for large sums of money. Our Party must call upon the average man for modest sums of money. It is the duty of the Texas Democrats to make these contributions generously and liberally. We should make them as a matter of pride because John Garner is from our own State. We should blot out the mistake that Texas made four years ago. One dollar spent for our candidate is as good as five spent for the other fellow, but we need that one dollar.

"We shouldn't wait upon those who expect patronage to contribute the money. Honest Government is worth more than jobs. Let every man and woman contribute.

"Roosevelt's administration will be one of the most brilliant in the history of our nation. It will make the Democratic Party again the majority Party and the popular Party."

Roy Miller, Director of the Democratic Campaign in Texas, expressed hearty approval of the statement. "Governor Davidson, who is a member of the State Advisory Committee, has clearly expressed the duty of all loyal Democrats, and I am sure his statement will be of great assistance to us in making our Medallion drive a success," Mr. Miller said.

**CONTACTORS' NOTICE  
OF TEXAS HIGHWAY  
CONSTRUCTION**

Sealed proposals for constructing 18,386 miles of Caliche Gravel Base Courses from Matador to the Cattle County Line on Highway No. 28, covered by F. A. P. "E" No. 529-A-U-II in Motley County will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9 A. M., October 25th, 1932, and then publicly opened and read. Special labor provisions in force on this project: First, to use hand labor whenever expedient to employ the same; second, to employ local labor, where available; third, to pay unskilled labor a minimum of thirty (30) cents per hour with a maximum of thirty (30) hours per week; fourth, to pay skilled labor a minimum of forty-five (45) cents per hour with a maximum of (30) hours per week, except where sufficient skilled labor is not available; fifth, to give preference, where they are qualified, to ex-service men with dependents; and sixth, complete special provisions concerning employment of labor and carrying out of work are included in proposals on this project. Plans and specifications available at office of Jno. B. Nabers, District Resident Engineer, Matador, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved.

**COLLAPSE OF HOOVER SEEN  
BY DEMOCRATIC CHAIRMAN**

Austin—Collapse of the Hoover candidacy was seen by Roy Miller, Director of the Democratic campaign in Texas, in the totals shown in the third straw vote summary published in the Literary Digest.

"Two hundred and forty-four electoral votes for the Democratic ticket to a puny fifty-five for the Republicans is more than was expected at this stage of the campaign by the most sanguine Democrat," Mr. Miller said Friday.

"The crushing blow to the Hoover hopes dealt by former Governor Alfred E. Smith when he joined forces Albany with Governor Roosevelt will be of tremendous help to the Democrats of the East, which was the only portion of the country in which the

**At the Helm—In Time of Need!**



**SIXTY DISASTERS  
IN 1932 ADD TO  
NATION'S DISTRESS**

**Red Cross Spends \$2,760,000  
To Help Victims of  
Catastrophes.**

In a year of great misfortune caused by economic depression, in which the American Red Cross assumed heavy burdens of relief for the unemployed, the organization also responded to emergency needs in 60 disasters in the United States and its insular possessions.

During the twelve months ending June 30, 1932, the Red Cross gave aid to 75,000 families totalling 338,000 individuals, with expenditures of \$2,760,788. These people were in distress because of drought, flood, forest fire, tornado, snowstorm, mine explosion, or other similar great disaster.

Prolonged drought caused the Red Cross to go with help to 58,000 families in the northwest. Here in 144 counties in North and South Dakota, Montana, Nebraska, Washington and Iowa the Red Cross spent \$1,950,000 from its own treasury to feed and protect people through the winter and spring.

Other grave disasters were floods in southeastern states, where the organization spent \$192,000 from its treasury and \$66,000 local contributions to help 13,000 persons.

More than 50,000 people were homeless from floods in tributaries of the Mississippi river and again the Red Cross faced a long relief task, aiding these people. The national organization gave \$108,000 and local contributions were \$10,000.

The Red Cross always maintains a state of readiness to meet these sudden emergencies, and funds and other essentials to this work are supplied, in part, by the annual roll call, held each year from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day. Every citizen can support this worthy activity through joining as a member in the local Red Cross chapter.

result seemed to be in doubt.

"The Democratic ticket will surely be elected, thus fulfilling the fond hopes of millions of John Garner's fellow citizens.

"We feel that the sale of Roosevelt-Garner Medallions in Texas will be aided greatly by the feeling of certainty that our nominees will be overwhelmingly elected," Mr. Miller said.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Goodwin were Spur visitors Monday afternoon.

Mrs. O. J. Day and son, James Lee, and Mrs. Bert Edmondson of Matador, visited their sister, Mrs. Joe Tom Jackson, of Afton Sunday.

Mrs. Freeman Thacker is visiting her mother, Mrs. L. B. Bullock, of Morse, Texas.

saved many homes which were foreclosed. Mr. Hoover's phrase of, "Prosperity is just around the corner," is of no avail any longer he is going to have to give the people an example of prosperity, rather than a promise. Criticizes Roosevelt

The President criticized Governor Roosevelt for saying he would break down the great tariff wall of the country and promote trade among the nations. The President stated that labor would be lowered and named several countries where the labor scale is much lower than that of the United States. The President forgets that lower tariff rates would force competition among the manufacturers and place

**AFTON GINNER HURT**  
L. C. Goodwin, working at the Goodwin Bros. Gin at East Afton, suffered a very bad injury of his right hand Wednesday evening last week. Mr. Woodwin was attending the gin stands and got his hand caught in a saw, ripping open two fingers and suffering bad cuts on the other fingers. The accident occurred about seven o'clock in the evening.

He was rushed to the Sanitarium Spur where Dr. Nichols dressed his wounds. The hand was found to be in bad condition. Mr. Goodwin was taken to town Friday morning and stated he had not been able to rest any since his hand was hurt.

**SPECIALS!!!**

FOR  
**SATURDAY  
AND  
MONDAY**

**PRINTS 75c**

**DOMESTIC 75c**

**MEN'S  
OVERALLS 50c**

**HEAVY  
BLANKETS \$1.99**

**THREAD, POOLS 25c**

You will Find in our Store a complete stock of New and High Grade Dry Goods, and the Greatest Values you will ever be able to obtain.

**WATCH NEXT WEEK'S NEWS  
FOR OUR SPECIALS**

**G. GABRIEL  
DRY GOODS**

**To ROARING SPRING'S Football Fans**



Friday of this week the Matador High School Football Squad will play Lockney in its first Conference game. It will be Quitaqua Friday of next week, and Floydada Friday, November 4th. These three games will be played at Matador at 3:30 p. m. on each date. The Matador High School has one of the most able and distinguished coaches in the high schools of the state, and his club is giving the spectators real colorful football. Admission for the next two games will be 10 cents for children and 35 cents for adults. We cordially invite all Roaring Springs football fans to join us at these games.

**Matador High School**