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### DICKENS COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOCIATION ORGANIZED PAST WEEK; MISS BURESH ENDS WORK

At a meeting this past week of interested parties a Dickens County Health Association was organized. Miss Olga Buresh, State Health Nurse, who has been in this county for the past several weeks making a survey of health conditions among the school children sponsored the organization and aided in its organization. The following was outlined as its purpose and officers:

The official name of this organization shall be Dickens County Public Health Association. It shall be representative, co-operative and advisory. To study health problems in various communities, promote general health education, co-operate with all organizations interested in child welfare, and having for its goal a full time county health nurse.

To elect every two years a general chairman, vice-chairman and a secretary-treasurer, whose duties shall be similar to those of other organizations.

To have an executive committee composed of the chairman, vice-chairman, secretary-treasurer, county and city health officials as medical advisors, dental advisors, County and City superintendents of education, a representative of civic organizations, and four elective members: said members to be selected by the general chairman to serve as chairman of each Commissioners' Precinct. Names of members of executive committee shall be presented to the Commissioners' Court for appointment.

The chairman of each Commissioners' precinct shall appoint five members the first year for two years respectively. This sub-committee shall assist the precinct chairman in the conservation of public health in their various communities. The precinct chairmen shall conduct monthly meetings with her sub-committee to receive reports; the chairman shall make this report at the executive meeting.

The executive committee shall meet monthly for the purpose of carrying out such a program that would be beneficial to the health interests of the county, receive reports of precinct chairmen and give consideration to any other matters which come before the Association with the approval of the executive committee.

The following executive committee was appointed:

General Chairman—Mrs. R. R. Wooten.  
Vice-Chairman—Mrs. D. Y. Twadell.  
Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. J. M. Foster.  
Chairman of Precinct 1—Chas. McLaughlin.  
Chairman of Precinct 2—Mrs. Bob Littlefield.  
Chairman of Precinct 3—Mrs. Mace Hunter.  
Chairman of Precinct 4—Mrs. Blassegame.  
Chairman City Schools—Supt. Sam Z. Hall.  
Chairman Civic Organizations—D. L. Granberry.  
Chairman 4-H Clubs—Miss Jennie Osborne.  
Chairman Medical Advisors—Dr. T. H. Blackwell.  
Chairman Dental Advisors—Drs. M. H. Braanen and D. H. Zachry.

Miss Buresh has practically completed her month of health work in Dickens County which has proven of great benefit to the school children.

The project of the Association this term will be to put on a county wide health program at Spur, Friday, April 3, 1931 at the Fair Park. Dr. Paul W. Horn of Lubbock, President of Tech, and Mr. Bennett, State Health Supervisor, have been invited to this meeting and other interesting speakers of state importance will be on the program.

The executive committee will meet at Kelley School, (Spur) March 17 at 7 o'clock. The schools are urged to outline their programs for the county wide meeting and present them at this executive meeting committee meeting so that there will not be any two alike.

### News From Nichols Sanitarium

Mrs. George Austin, city, underwent an operation Monday and is getting along fine at this time.

Mrs. A. J. Johnston of Elton, arrived at the sanitarium Wednesday and will undergo a major operation today.

Miss Ressie Owens of Peacock, is in the sanitarium for medical treatment, arriving Wednesday morning. Her condition is critical and will require the best of attention for her to pull through.

### Program For County Meet Is Announced

At a meeting of the Interscholastic League Committee in Supt. Hall's office Saturday at 2:00 o'clock plans were laid for the schedule and program of the Interscholastic League Meet to be held at Spur, March 20-21st. The Committee was informed that the Spur National Bank is going to donate two nineteen inch cups to be given to the best all-around champions in Interscholastic League contests, Class B and Rural school. These cups are to be used from year to year for the same purpose and the school winning one for the third year will be allowed to keep it permanently.

It was decided to give ribbons for the first, second and third place winners.

All literary events will be held in the Junior and Senior High School buildings with the exception of the ones beginning Friday night, March 20th at 7:30 which will be in the East Ward Auditorium.

The schedule of time is as follows: At 10:00 Friday morning the following will begin: Story-Telling, both Rural and High School; Music Memory; all Spelling contests; all Essay-Writing, Modelling and Art Work; Play-Ground Ball; Tennis; Track and Field events for Junior boys.

At 11:00, Friday morning, the following events will begin: Arithmetic, Extemporaneous Speaking, Picture Memory.

At 2:00 Friday afternoon, will come declamations, Rural Juniors, High School Boys and Girls.

At 3:00 Friday afternoon, Declamations, Rural Senior Girls and Senior Boys.

At 7:30 Friday evening at the East Ward Auditorium, the declamations for High School Senior Boys and Girls and Quartet contest will be held. On Saturday at 10:00 A. M. the Junior Track and Field events will begin.

Beginning at 1:00 p. m. the finals for Junior Track and Field and the Senior Boys and Girls Track and Field. John H. Merchant, coach at Dickens High School, director of athletics is in charge of track and field.

We have plenty of programs printed giving contests, time, place director in charge and who goes to the district and will furnish same to those requesting. There will be no charges to spectators at any of the events. Owing to economic conditions there will be no gold medals given to individuals winning in these contests. Track and field events will be held at Fair Park. —Committee.

### Much Interest In Terracing Meeting

The terracing meeting held under the auspices of the Federal Land Bank and the Agricultural Department of the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad Company Friday night was one of great interest to those present. E. L. Tanner, County Agent, made a short talk explaining the purpose of the meeting and presided.

M. B. Oates, Agricultural agent for the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad Company, was introduced and confined his talk to the increased production induced by terracing. He stated in his talk that the interest of the Denver Railroad in this work was rather personal in that if farmers raised more feed and cotton and other farm products that the railroads would have more to haul. However, the farmer would prosper along with the railroads in this work.

M. R. Bentley of the A. & M. College, was introduced and gave a slide illustration of the advantages of terracing and some of the pictures exemplified the disadvantages of not terracing. The slides showed what was once good farms now washed and filled with gutters until the land was practically worthless.

A. K. (Dad) Short of the Federal Loan Bank at Houston, made a talk on the subject giving his actual experience and observation in this work. He stated why the Federal Land Bank is much interested in the farmers terracing, especially those farmers who have federal loans and expect to get such loan. The Land Bank wants to know the farm will be there 30 years hence.

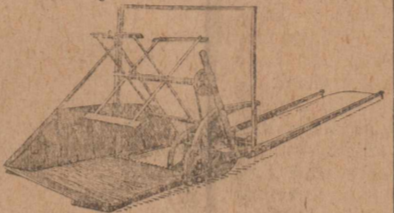
R. E. Dickson, Superintendent of Spur Experiment Station told of the experiments that are being carried on at the Spur Station at this time and gave a short account of the results. He said thus far terracing had proven profitable.

Saturday morning the meeting was continued at the Spur Experiment Station in the form of a terracing demonstration. Mr. Bentley, Mr. Oates and Mr. Dickson used the time discussing the best methods of terracing and how it could be done in the most economical manner.

Also, Mr. Dickson used some

### McCormick Reaper Celebration In Spur Wednesday

This is the year that makes the centennial of the reaper, that famous machine invented by Cyrus Hall McCormick in 1831. As a fitting means of commemorating this unusual event, the Spur Power Machinery Company, local McCormick dealers, have arranged a full day's program for next Wednesday, March 18, at their store in Spur. The program is given below, and this entertainment is for the enjoyment of every farmer and his family in this community. Every farmer is the invited guest of the above named company for the entire day, to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the invention of the greatest piece of farm machinery in history.



A full size working reproduction of the original 1831 reaper will be on display. Seeing this machine would in itself be worth a great deal for its educational and historical value. But there will be much more of interest to you. There will be thousands of feet of mighty interesting motion pictures, short talks on subjects of interest to every farmer, and a free lunch at noon for every one.

As a special feature of the centennial program, a five-reel motion picture, "Romance of the Reaper", will be shown. This picture was especially filmed to celebrate the 100th anniversary of this invention of the McCormick Reaper.

"Romance of the Reaper" is not a "staged" picture taken on an imaginary lot with built up scenery. It was actually filmed on Walnut Grove Farm, the old McCormick homestead, near Steele's Tavern, Virginia. Scenes showing the building and assembling of the world's first reaper were taken inside and outside of the old forge shop; the bellows and forge, and the old equipment used 100 years ago are shown. The homestead pictured was actually the home of the McCormick family, built by Cyrus' father in 1822. The building is still in excellent condition. Many of the characters are Virginians, direct descendants of the families who were neighbors of the McCormicks witnesses of the development and testing of young Cyrus' reaper. Carriages used in the picture are old carriages that were really in use in 1831. As near as it was possible to determine, the scenes shown in the first public test of the reaper were taken in the identical location where the original machine proved its worth to a doubting crowd of onlookers.

Following the testing of the first reaper is an epilogue picturing the evolution of modern grain harvest machines, from McCormick's reaper to the harvester-thresher of today. You will see the old sickle-reaper, the Marsh harvester, the wire binder, the twine binder, the modern tractor binder, and a fleet of harvester-threshers harvesting 640 acres a day! Never before has so much real history been packed into a single film of this kind.

From the first scene to the last, "Romance of the Reaper" is authentic. It is interesting and educational. It is romantic; it is thrilling.

The Spur Power Machinery Company invites all farmers and their families to spend the entire day as their guests. A full day's entertainment has been planned—a morning meeting, a noon lunch and afternoon program.

Program:  
9:30 to 10:30. Show 1831 reaper, new Six Speed Special truck, new Milker, and power farming machines on the dealer's sample floor.  
10:30 to 11:30. Show sound picture "Romance of the Reaper" at Palace Theatre.  
12:00 to 1:30. Free lunch in dealer's store.  
1:30 to 2:30. Talk on the invention of the Reaper.  
2:30 to 3:00. Red Baby will be given away to man whose enrollment card is drawn from box.

As each farmer comes in he will be given an enrollment card to fill out. After he has filled it out he will be given a Centennial medalion. No medalions will be given to those who do not fill out cards.

"Hail to the Bride!" See "The Poor Married Man."

5929 BLUE WAGON MEBANE COTTON SEED, Government tested. High percent Germination. \$1.00 per bushel. SPUR GRAIN & COAL COMPANY.

### Red Cross Makes Good Report

The local Red Cross Chapter has done a great part by the people of this section of the drought area. According to reports made by higher authorities the local workers have done well. The following is the report given this week by Mrs. T. H. Blackwell, president of the local chapter:

The Relief Committee met Saturday and in conference with Miss Ruth Alice Smith to discuss the general entrenchment program. Miss Smith in reviewing the work done in Dickens County spoke very highly of the wonderful way this stupendous relief had been administered. "All praise is due to the loyal workers in the country every where who had given their entire time to helping their more unfortunate brother," is the way Miss Smith expressed. Surely they have been the great pride of the Red Cross in this great task of disbursing food, clothing and medicine in such a creditable way.

"Mr. Robert Adkins, national auditor visited, the chapter recently and found the bookkeeping and records entirely satisfactory, and every penny spent accounted for. These records will be audited by the War Department later on."

Such is the fine report given us by Mrs. Blackwell. The great motto of the Red Cross, "Lighting the way to service and good will," has been carried out to the highest degree by this splendid group of volunteer workers who have given continuous service to feeding the hungry people in our county.

### W. Y. POND TO CONDUCT REVIVAL STARTING AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH NEXT SUNDAY MARCH 15

A revival meeting under the leadership of the First Baptist Church will start at the 11:00 o'clock services Sunday morning. The church has been looking forward to this meeting for several weeks, and have been making quite a lot of preparation in various ways for it. Rev. W. Y. Pond of Waco, will do the preaching at the meeting. Rev. Pond is a very able minister with many years of experience. At this time he is superintendent of the State Evangelistic work for the Baptist organization of Texas. In speaking of Rev. Pond's ability as a preacher, Rev. F. G. Rodgers the local pastor said, "Rev. Pond is at the top as an evangelist. He is one of the ablest men as a preacher this nation contains." Rev. Rodgers usually knows his man when he says such things about him.

The music will be in charge of M. D. Ivey, choir leader for the local church. Mrs. W. T. Andrews will be at the piano.

Services will be held each day next week, morning and evening. The morning services will start at 10:00 o'clock and will continue for one hour. The evening services will begin about 7:30 with a number of songs. Each day at 4:30 in the afternoon there will be a meeting of the booster band.

The pastor and church extend a welcome to everybody to attend all services during the revival.

plete cooperation and unity—town and country working side by side exactly as it should be.

And the results have brought their own reward. Families have been fed and clothed, and in illness have been supplied with medicine. Those who were interested have been taught relative food values.

More than \$13,000.00 in cash has been spent here, in addition to all of the supplies donated. 682 families have been assisted, representing about 3150 people. 400 garden seed packets have been distributed. A carload of clothing is now enroute for distribution.

But the available Red Cross funds have been spent, and the rehabilitation program must now be assumed by Federal, State and County Agencies in support of self effort. We must exert ourselves to the utmost in the way of home gardens and the home canning of meats and vegetables. We must recognize and profit by the "live-at-home" program which has been emphasized for years by our banks, County Agent and Home Demonstration Agent.

Let's remember the Red Cross in the prosperous time which will come again. It isn't charity you have accepted. Consider it a loan if you will.

On behalf of those who have been assisted we express the gratitude of an appreciative community for all the Red Cross has done and for what it would be glad to continue to do if only it had the means.

### Red Cross Aid To Terminate

We are requested to announce that Red Cross assistance to those eligible to the Federal Loan will be discontinued March 15th, and that nothing can be promised to drought sufferers beyond April 1st.

This decision is made imperative because of depleted funds and not because those in charge have grown indifferent or unsympathetic to the large existing need for assistance.

We must remind ourselves that the American National Red Cross is an emergency organization and cannot be expected to support communities longer than a reasonable length of time. As a matter of fact Dickens County has been assisted to a far greater extent than many other sections in drought affected territory, and we should be, and we are, deeply grateful.

The gratitude of this entire section extends not only to National sources which furnished large sums of money for distribution here, supplemented by generous local contributions, but extends also to the various agencies which made this assistance available.

Particularly should grateful public acknowledgement be made to the women and men of Spur who gave, and are giving, so largely of their time and effort in this crisis, at great personal sacrifice, and of course without compensation.

Many there are to whom this community is indebted in this respect, but especial mention should be made of Mrs. T. H. Blackwell, Mrs. E. L. Tanner, and Mr. Webster Williams, Chairman and Vice Chairman respectively, of the Dickens County Chapter.

Countless others have helped in many ways. The use of the building occupied as office and as warehouse was donated by their owners; the draymen of Spur donated their drayage; our Fort Worth & Denver City Railway Company gave free movement to our cars of vegetables and clothing; the Telephone Company made no charge for its phone service; supplies in carload quantities were donated by distant Red Cross Chapters; and the churches, organizations and various committees all gave valuable help.

Except for its war service, this County has never shown such com-

WILL CONTINUE TO SELL CHEVROLETS

E. L. Caraway, who has made the Chevrolet car prominent in this community, has renewed his contract with the Chevrolet Motor Company and will continue selling these cars. This week he received two carloads of new Chevrolets and is now ready to take care of any one who is in the market for a new car.

### Watermelon Seed Free To Farmers

The Spur Chamber of Commerce has made arrangements to distribute a quantity of the Famous Tom Watson watermelon seed to farmers throughout this section who will agree to plant them. These seed will be available at the Chamber of Commerce office beginning at 9:00 o'clock next Saturday morning. The first fifty farmers who make application will receive enough seed to plant an acre of watermelons.

The purpose of this movement is to create a market for carload lots of melons. The farmers in Parker County have made much money raising and shipping watermelons and they have found that the Tom Watson is the best melon for this purpose. If a number of our farmers can raise an acre or more of watermelons this year and can realize \$40.00 to \$60.00 from the project, it might be the beginning of a new industry in the farming line here.

The Chamber of Commerce desires to give the farmers an opportunity to try out this feature of farming and are giving enough seed to each farmer to try it. Get the seed Saturday, there is just enough for 50 farmers.

### Coldest Night Of Winter

According to records kept by the Spur Experiment Station last Sunday night registered the lowest temperature of this winter. The thermometer stood at 17 degrees Fahrenheit. The night of January 14, the temperature was down to 19 degrees. The lowest temperature ever known in the history of this county was January 18, 1920 when the thermometer registered 8 degrees below zero. That is the lowest of which any record has ever been made.

Up until this time we have enjoyed a very mild winter. However much of the fruit which was in bloom has been killed by this cold wave. But during the winter people have enjoyed a great many vegetables from their winter gardens.

### Merchants To Hold Meeting Here Friday

The merchants of Dickens, Afton, McAdoo, Elton, Kalgary, Girard, Croton-Wichita, and all other merchants of this territory will have a meeting in Spur next Friday evening, March 13. The meeting is to be held in the Federal Seed Loan office next door to the Chamber of Commerce office.

The object of the meeting is for merchants to get together and talk over the best means of conducting their business and how best they can serve the public. Problems of the merchants are to be discussed and all are to try to co-operate in helping each other.

This is not a retail merchants association meeting but is for all merchants in this territory whether they belong to any association or not. The meeting is to be called at 7:30 in the evening.

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### JURY LISTS ARE CHOSEN FOR MARCH 30 TERM OF COURT; BIG DOCKET BEFORE THIS SESSION

The next term of District Court for Dickens County will open Monday, March 30th at Dickens. Hon. Kenneth Bain, District Judge, presiding. The jury commissioners met February 28th and selected petit jurors and grand jurors as follows:

Dickens; J. M. Aston, Spur; Homer Dobbins, Spur; Tol Merriman, Spur; Page E. Gollihar, McAdoo; D. M. Morgan, Dickens; W. A. Harris, Espuela Route; D. J. Harkey, Dickens; Fred Hisey, Spur; Harvey S. Holly, Dickens; Ned Hogan, Spur; B. J. Howell, Spur; J. D. Hufstetter, Spur; C. A. Hulsey, Dickens; G. W. Hutto, Spur; R. G. James, Spur; W. M. Stephens, Sr., Dickens; W. M. Hazel, Spur.

Certified Grand Jury List for March term of District Court: Felix Gipson, Dickens; W. J. Collier, Dickens; N. V. Cybert, McAdoo; J. O. Morris, McAdoo; G. L. Barber, Spur; W. B. Lee, Spur; W. F. Godfrey, Spur; S. L. Porter, Dickens; J. P. Goen, Dickens; James Reed, Spur; Albert Power, Afton; W. L. Thammisch, Dickens; F. F. Henry, Roaring Springs; J. Vernon Powell, Spur; O. L. Driggers, Gilpin; C. W. Stephens, Dickens.

### A BEAUTIFUL WATCH

For your ability to guess the time our big candle will burn. Somebody will get it.

Also, when you make a purchase at our store call for a ticket. Its worth money to you. We will tell you about it.

### THE SPUR DRUG STORE

THAT GOOD DRUG STORE ON THE CORNER



**THE DICKENS COUNTY TIMES**

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To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dickens County, Greeting:

**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** to cause to be published once each week for a period of twenty days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Dickens county, a copy of the following notice:

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

To all persons interested in the Estate of A. J. Thomas, deceased.

Clifford B. Jones, the Administrator of said Estate, has filed in the County Court of Dickens County, Texas, his Account for Final Settlement of said Estate and Application for Dismissal of Administrator, for the year ending on the 5th day of March 1931, which will be heard by our said County Court on the Fifth Monday in March 1931, the same being the 30th day of said month, at the Court House of said County, in Dickens, Texas, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said Exhibit, should they desire to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court on the said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Dickens, Texas, this, the 5th day of March, 1931.

ROBT. REYNOLDS, Clerk County Court, Dickens County, Texas.

By Neal Fortson, Deputy. (SEAL)

Second Sheets for sale at the Times Office.

**RED TOP AND CATFISH NEWS**

On last week end, Mrs. P. A. McClain of the Catfish community, made a trip in her car to Abilene, taking her mother, Mrs. J. Z. Smith of lower Red Mud to visit another daughter of Mrs. Smith's Mrs. Sumner, who is the proud mother of a little daughter, making Mrs. Smith 14 grandchildren.

Gene Fry and Matt Howell have been running races to see which can put up the best work in landscaping the past week. We have not seen Gene's work so far but it should be the best as he had a team and Fresno, while Mrs. Howell just uses the shovel and buckets to carry her dirt, it is all hard work but all will say the time is well spent when we can enjoy the nice walks, blooming flowers and shrubbery a little later.

I think every man in this neighborhood is turning the sod now for Riley Smith and Matt Howell are at work. They both started out walking to make the work lighter on the horses, but Matt has quit and gone to riding, but a good neighbor let him have a larger horse and he thought they could put him too. Matt had bought a good team but lost one of them before he got to use him any.

Wednesday was Red Top Club day. Mrs. Matt Howell rode with Mr. Fuqua's that far as they were going to town. Hubert Howell, wife and baby, and Mrs. Stoneman accompanied them to town. Mrs. Fuqua got 100 strawberry plants to put out.

Miss Charlotte Rucker, one of the Red Top school teachers, took her pupils on a picnic last Wednesday. Miss Ruby Scott went with her. They had a lovely day and the children had been looking forward to that picnic for some time.

Mrs. Matt Howell has gardened quite a bit this week, lengthening her hot bed about 8 feet and made several flower beds. Mrs. Childress and Mrs. Harrell say their English peas are up, also Mrs. Bailey has the peas growing. Ye writer thinks this is the earliest for peas to be up in this part of the country, at least, so perhaps they will do well and we can have peas to eat.

A short time back the wolves or coyotes got in among Hubert Howell's chickens and killed all but 15, the hunters have been out after the coyotes and got two or three but they say there are still three there as they came by their yard

**WEDNESDAY MORNING**

M. P. Smith and wife of the Red Top community, went to Lubbock Saturday to be with their little daughter, who is in the sanitarium there. Others had a letter from them Wednesday saying she was getting on nicely and if she kept improving would be able to come home in a week or ten days.

Curtis Childress, a son of J. C. Childress, his wife and little daughters, came back from New Mexico a short time back and are now at his wife's father, Mr. Jones on Spring Creek, but Curtis will work for Tom McArthur another year, living in the Red Top community.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Spencer and baby came from New Mexico too, went on to Oklahoma for a visit but are now at J. C. Childress' on a visit.

Robert Cannon passed through the Catfish community last Saturday en route to his mother's place. He was coming from the Swenson's Catfish camp.

Clark Howell spent the past week over on Saltfork near the Grassburg school house, visiting with his sister Mrs. Dick Cravy and family.

Leonard Ward of the Catfish country hauled out another span of mules from Spur last Thursday. They had lost two mules and had to get another team. There has been several horses and mules died this past winter in the surrounding country.

Ab Smith, Marvin Smith, S. Butler and another man, all of lower Red Mud, were in our midst with their hounds Monday hunting for the bothersome wolves. We hope they got some of them.

Theodore Fry, son of Albert Fry drove a Jersey cow and calf from his father's place up to his grand mother's this week.

Mrs. Matt Howell had company Monday evening, Mrs. Jennie Fry visited her and got her egg crate to use awhile.

We like to have had a regular New Mexico snow storm but don't seem to have hurt anything. A. E. McClain said it was bad enough to house him up all day so he just had to get out and see some of his neighbors Monday. So he came over by C. A. McClains and visited awhile on down to Ed Fuqua's and ate with him then on over to Matt Howell's and visited with his sister till milking time. A. E. and everyone else are about to lose their blue color since we are getting such a good season.

**SOLDIER MOUND CLUB NEWS**

The Soldier Mound Home Demonstration club met at the home of Mrs. Lewis Bowman on March 5. There were 15 present. The subject for discussion was gardening. All present reported a hot bed made except one. We meet on Thursday, March 19th at the home of Mrs. J. E. Berry at Spur. —Reporter.

C. A. Crites, representative of the Willard Hat Company at Dallas, was in our city Monday interviewing our merchants. He spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Presley.

I. J. Hurley of Dickens, was in our city Saturday attending to business matters.

**A LETTER TO THE FARMERS**

Dear Brother Farmers: I have not been able to attend all the cotton meetings here of late, but I cheerfully endorse the buying and planing of better seed, and growing better cotton and less of it. We should all agree to plant the same kind of cotton and keep our own seed at much higher price than the usual market price as we heretofore have sold them.

The cost to get good seed this year, and certified ones can be bought for approximately 90c per bushel where we buy our seed. Lets appoint three good reliable and successful farmers on our committee who absolutely know good seed and send them direct to the Mebane plantation and secure these seed for us as cheap as possible. If these seed cannot be bought direct from Mebane, they can be bought from some other breeder just as good, or better and probably at less money.

This is the time when every brother farmer should try to cooperate with each other as much as possible with just as little cost as possible. Not have a banker or merchant connected in our seed buying—do it ourselves we know what we want and cut out the profit. Bankers and merchants are not in business just for their health alone.

Do you suppose that should the Spur National Bank want to secure a large loan do you suppose they would call upon a farmer to transact the loan for them? No they would not. The farmer would not be capable of doing so. Neither is a banker in a position to know what kind of cotton is most prolific for our country. Seems like the Meane or ranches of Mebane seed, has been thrown before us, and I think such strains are most prolific and will grow off quicker here than most varieties. I have bought various kinds each year for years, and the Mebane strains have proven greater than others in quick growth and yield, and in various ways. I have out some literature and will have some prices from several breeders, and will publish them in this issue.

A. D. Mebane Cotton Seed Company, Lockhart, 200 bushel lots at \$1.25 per bushel prepaid.

Ed Kash, cotton breded, at 99 cents per bushel.

Let's buy together and buy for one third less. All farmers will have plenty of seed money.

Yours for better seed and better staple.

Sincerely,  
Tom Cross.

**CLAIREMONT NEWS**

Henry C. Turner purchased fourteen and a half acres of land in Claremont from Albert Ratliff on Monday of this week.

Thursday of this week J. B. Town send lost a fine work horse. The veterinary stated it was bloated caused by green wheat.

Whitehead Vickers was in Jayton Saturday buying repairs for his harness.

Warner McCombs was in Jayton Saturday trading with the merchants.

**BOB VARDAMAN WAS IN JAYTON**

Saturday transacting business. Saturday, G. W. Rogers and Bill Chaffin exchanged places so Mr. Chaffin's children would be near school.

The boys of Rising Star community met Sunday and organized a baseball team. —Reporter.

**A BEAUTIFUL PICTURE**

In the Times office there is a beautiful painting which was made by Miss Sibyl Clay of our city. Miss Clay is a real artist, and has placed much quality in this picture with her brush. The picture represents the vanishing of the old time ranch and shows how it has been converted into a beautiful farm home. Then on the mountain side is the cowboy on his pony looking don at the home and meditating over the events of the past. The painting is a real volume of history within itself.

If Miss Clay has the opportunity to develop along the lines in which her talent runs, in years to come we may expect to hear of her name being placed on the honor roll along with other great artists of our country.

We invite people to visit the Times office and see this beautiful painting. It will be here for a few days for your inspection.

**PRE-EASTER STYLE SHOW AT LUBBOCK**

The big pre-Easter Style Show will be held in Lubbock Tuesday, March 17. In connection with the Style Show there will be a big display of merchandise given by various wholesale firms over the Southwest.

Herbert B. Carpenter of Dallas, will be in charge of the Style Show and it will be through his skill and engineering that the show will be the great success anticipated. The show will include a display of ladies ready to wear, millinery, hosiery, and in addition a big display of clothing for men.

All merchants of West Texas are invited to be present and make selections at this time. There will be plenty of entertainment all the time for guests in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hyatt and children of Ralls, were in our city

**SUNDAY THE GUESTS OF MRS. ORAN**

McClure and children.

**HIGHWAY CLUB NEWS**

The Highway Home Demonstration Club met at the home of Mrs. Vernon Powell, Wednesday the 25th with seven members and two visitors present. The club agreed to meet the

**next day and can a beef for the**

Red ross at Mrs. R. L. English. Luther Jones furnished the beef.

Our next meeting will be held the 11th of March at Mrs. Walter Thomason's. —Reporter.

Mrs. W. W. Ellis and son, Harry left Monday for Swenson where they visited another son of Mrs. Ellis.

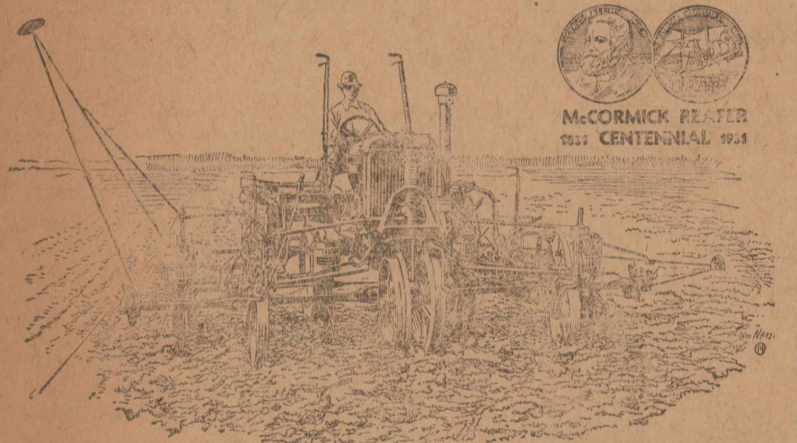
**A NEW MACHINE IN OUR SHOP**

We have installed a new Electric Art Welder in our shop and can do any kind of Welding, cast, steel, cylinder head, cylinder blocks, or any type of metal. See us for your welding.

We have just received two carloads of new Chevrolet cars. It's a real car for the money. Let us demonstrate it to you.

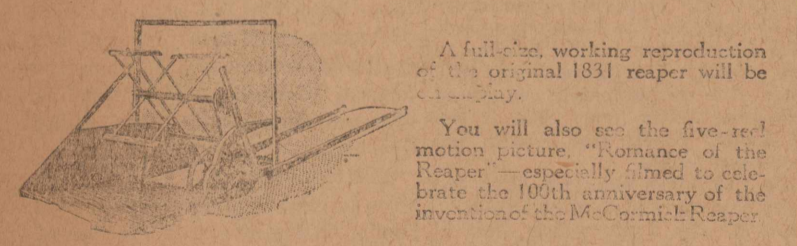
**E. L. CARAWAY**  
Chevrolet Sales and Service  
New and Used Cars

**McCormick Reaper Centennial Celebration and Power Farming Entertainment**



JUST one hundred years ago Cyrus Hall McCormick gave the world its first reaper. That was in 1831. Now, in 1931, we celebrate the centenary of that great event.

We want you to come in and be our guest for a day. A special program has been arranged for your complete enjoyment. Two miles of mighty interesting motion pictures—short talks on subjects of interest to every farmer. Plan now to be with us!



A full-size, working reproduction of the original 1831 reaper will be on display.

You will also see the five-reel motion picture, "Romance of the Reaper," especially filmed to celebrate the 100th anniversary of the invention of the McCormick Reaper.

Come, and be our guests all day Wednesday, March 18, and enjoy the following program:

9:30 to 10:30. Show 1831 reaper, new Six Speed Special truck, new Milker, and power farm machines on our sample floor.

10:30 to 11:30. A free show, all talkie picture, "Romance of the Reaper", at the Palace Theatre.

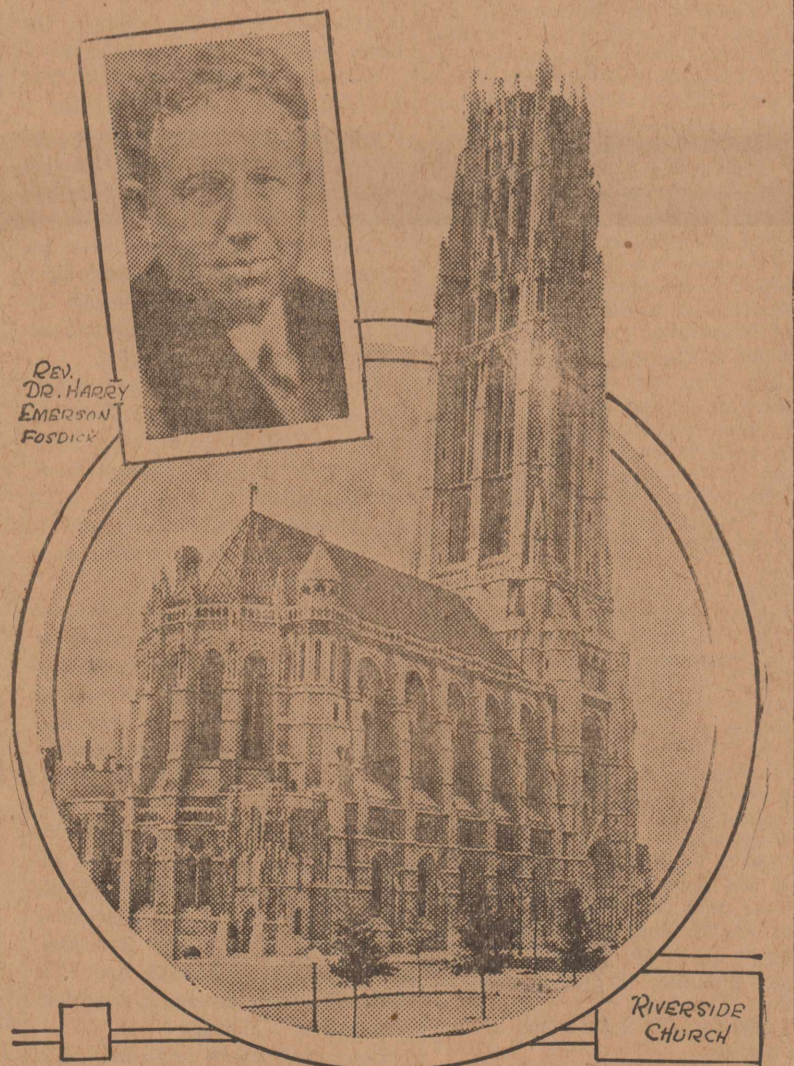
12:00 to 2:30. A free lunch at our store.

1:30 to 2:30. Talks on the invention of the Reaper.

2:30 to 3:00. A Red Baby Truck will be given away. As each farmer comes in he will be given a nonrollment card to fill out, and when he has filled out the card he will receive a Centennial Medallion. No medallions given to those who do not fill out cards.

**We Are Looking For You Next Wednesday**  
**Spur Power Machinery Company**

**Old World Lends Inspiration For Famous Riverside Church**



Beautiful Riverside Church, overlooking the picturesque Hudson River, is completed. While already used for services, the formal dedication will not take place until early in 1931.

Adapted from famous old cathedrals of France and Spain, the Gothic structure is a modernized inspiration in stone. The Rockefeller Memorial Tower, patterned from one of the towers of the Cathedral of Chartres, rises sheer 400 feet, from which lofty belfry peals the music of the largest and heaviest carillon in the world.

Both exterior and interior of the church, including a beautifully carved pulpit, are built of Indiana limestone. More than 600 carloads of stone from the quarries of the Indiana Limestone company, Bedford, Ind., have been used in this outstanding temple of worship which will be a mecca for the followers of the Rev. Dr. Harry Emerson Fosdick, for whom the church was erected.

**LADIES**  
Allen-A Full Fashioned Highly Mercorized Lisle Golf Hosc. Self-Embroidered. Clock. PAIR \$1.00

**A GOOD SAFE PLACE TO TRADE**  
**B. SCHWARZ & SON**  
SPUR, TEXAS  
The Store Of Little Profit

**LADIES**  
Allen-A Full Fashioned Highly Mercorized Lisle Golf Hosc. Self-Embroidered. Clock. PAIR \$1.00

**Announcing New Low Prices For Allen-A Hosiery**

These Prices Are Permanent—In Effect Every Day

If every woman knew what we know about Allen-A Hosiery . . . we couldn't take care of the business we would get. For is it selected with the utmost care . . . embodying every advance feature to assure satisfactory service . . . We guarantee every pair of stockings we sell to be **First Choice . . . First Quality** in every sense of the word . . . and perfect when sold to the customer.

**No Better Hosiery in America For the Price**

<b>\$1.00</b> pair	<b>\$1.50</b> pair	<b>\$1.95</b> pair
3 pairs . . . \$2.75	3 pairs . . . \$4.25	3 pairs . . . \$5.50

This hosiery is the quality formerly sold for up to \$1.50 a pair. We offer two numbers—Flat Tone Chiffon, Number 3785 Flat Tone Chiffon, 45 gauge, 4-thread construction . . . full fashioned. Number 895 Service Weight, a stocking which has the absolute confidence of the public. Full fashioned.

This is hosiery which formerly sold for up to \$1.95 a pair. We offer three splendid numbers—Number 3785 Flat Tone Chiffon, 45 gauge, 4-thread construction . . . full fashioned. Number 895 Service Weight . . . with silk plaited sole and new panel heel. Full fashioned and 4300 Service Sheer.

A comparison of this number will convince women that here is an unapproachable value. Our Number 4275 . . . a full fashioned genuine Grenine Chiffon Stocking . . . 48-gauge, 3-thread picot edge, all silk foot. A wonderful stocking and, quality considered, at a wonderfully low price.

**HERE'S A LOVELY AND PRACTICAL MATERIAL FOR SPRING FROCKS**

**Eyelet-Embroidered Imported Silk Honan**

**SHANTUNG**  
**\$1.49 yd.**  
Sold Elsewhere For \$1.95 yard

Blouses, tunics, jacket suits, children's dresses—this material is charming for any of them. Colors: white with blue, White with green, eggshell with brown. See this beautiful New Material.



7 BIG DAYS BE HERE ON TIME

# CLOSING OUT

## the C. E. STONE CO.

### STOCK OF DRY GOODS

This stock has been purchased by a new company at Bankrupt Prices. The old stock must all be sold by Sat. night Mar. 21

BE HERE SATURDAY, MARCH 14

ONE LOT LADIES SILK DRESSES

**\$1.49**

BUY 3 OR 4  
OTHER PRICES  
\$2.99 - \$4.99 and \$7.99, None Higher

Ladies Full Fashioned Hose

Our regular \$1.95 seller

**Only 99c**

BUY 3 OR 4 PAIR  
All other Hose Reduced

Ladies Spring Hats

Large Assortment

**29c and 49c**

Shoes! Shoes Shoes!

One lot Ladies Shoes

**98c**

Kiddies Oxford 1.19

We can really save you some  
REAL MONEY on shoes

Cotton Checks

While they last, per yard

**5c per yd.**

36 in. Outing. 9c yd

Ladies Hats

Large Assortment  
NEW STYLES

Formerly \$3.95 and \$5.95  
NOW

**99c and \$1.49**

Printed and Solid Color

Silk Materials

**89c, \$1.10 and \$1.49**

DON'T FAIL TO VISIT  
OUR PIECE GOODS Dept.

WASH DRESSES

GUARANTEED FAST COLORS

These dresses formerly sold for \$1.95 and \$2.95, but they must be sold.

**First 98c, Second 25c**

TO MAKE ROOM FOR

the Easter

Opening

March 27

OUR BUYERS ARE IN

THE EASTERN

MARKETS NOW BUYING

NEW STOCKS FOR ALL

DEPARTMENTS

EVERYTHING MUST GO

EVERYTHING MUST BE

SOLD TO MAKE ROOM

FOR THE NEW

EASTED

MERCHANDISE

FOR

THE NEW

STORE

BE HERE SATURDAY, MARCH 14

MENS SUITS

Special Lot with 2 pair pants

**\$7.95**

All other suits greatly reduced

"Hanes Unions"

Colored Striped, size 36 to 48

**59c**

Mens and Boys  
dress Shoes and  
work shoes are cut  
to the bottom Come  
See for yourself

Men's Trunks

Fast Color, size 28 to 40

**39c**

Silk Under Shirts

\$1.00 sellers, Close out AT

**59c**

DRESS PANTS

1/2 Price

Think it over

Mens and Boys  
Hats and Caps

1/2 Price

Now is the time

To Buy

Mens Work Pants

In Powder Blue, Sand, Hong  
Kong and Olive.

**\$1.09**

GUARANTEED QUALITY

MENS DRESS SHIRTS

Every dress shirt in the house has been CUT below Wholesale  
Cost. Just to give you and IDEA about the prices.

**One Lot Fast Colors 69c**

TIES TO MATCH ..... 25c

ENTIRE STOCK MUST GO!

BUY A YEARS SUPPLY

**SALE**  
Begins  
Saturday  
March 14

# STONE

## DEPARTMENT STORE

(Incorporated)  
**SPUR, : TEXAS**

**SALE**  
Begins  
Saturday  
March 14

DONT MISS A DAY HOUSE FULL OF BARGAINS!



## Is The Coconut Cow Robbing Robbing You of Health?

A recent survey shows that there are approximately one pound of oleo sold to every two pounds of butter. In other words one out of every three people are being robbed by the Coconut cow camouflage with palm oil to make you think you are eating butter.

The house of Representatives on January 10 made a ruling that the War Department shall not feed the enlisted men oleomargarine as a substitute for butter. By doing this they are improving the health of the soldiers. If Uncle Sam finds it best to feed butter to his soldiers for health's sake, why don't we do likewise and eat no substitute for butter. Butter, good butter is the best and cheapest food we have next to milk.

Some time when you are not busy drop around some creamery, no matter what town you are in, you will find the operator or someone there to show you through. Ask them to explain how the butter is processed or if they are churning they will be glad for you to stay and watch. A butter maker is always glad to show you their plant, for they are proud of their plant and their product.

### WICHITA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert were shopping in Spur Saturday. Robert Thannisch of near New Mexico, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Thannisch Saturday and Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Giddens visited Mrs. Giddens' sister, Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Tooley of Amherst, Saturday and Sunday. Dick Perrin of Tech, spent the week end at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Perrin. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Lovell of near Lubbock, spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Lovell Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson of the Foley Ranch, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert Monday. Miss Vernor Beechley of Dickens spent Saturday night at home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Beechley. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harkey were in Dickens Monday. Lonnie Lewis of Deer Lake was in Dickens Monday. Miss Ala Price of Amherst, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. D. H. Giddens.

Mrs. T. S. Lambert and Miss Ella Lambert spent Wednesday with Mrs. J. J. South of Spur. D. H. Giddens was in Spur Wednesday. Mrs. W. L. Thannisch is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. H. E. Barnes of Dry Lake, who has a new boy. Bill Sauls of the Pitchfork Ranch was in Spur Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Murchison and Miss Ella Lambert went to the show Thursday night at Spur. Mrs. Fred Harrison of near Dumont, were in Spur Thursday. Mrs. I. A. Rainholt is very sick. We had a big rain and snow Saturday night and Sunday. The F. T. A. had a program at the Croton school house Thursday night. The civics class of Croton school was in Spur looking over the experiment station Wednesday. Ernest Thannisch has been sick but is improving now. Mrs. Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Harris were shopping in Spur Wednesday.

### WHITE RIVER NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Peterson visited Mr. and Mrs. Buran Jones of the Red Mud community Wednesday. Edd Martin was in Spur Wednesday. Mrs. Bob Rucker attended the funeral of Oran McClure at Spur. The women of White River held a party at Mrs. White Moore Wednesday for the Red Cross. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Springer and family of Kalgary, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rankin and family Sunday. Miss Oattie Maud Lassetter spent the week end in Spur with her parents. Leland Rankin was in Spur Saturday. Miss Pansy Smith spent the night with her cousin, Miss Hope McClain of Red Mud. Ross Cannon of Lower led Mud visited in the community Sunday. A. L. Walker was shopping in Spur Saturday. Orville Springer of Kalgary, spent Saturday night with his cousin Leland Rankin. Edd Martin visited F. C. Martin of Highway Monday getting some feed crushed while there. Ross Cannon and Misses Ophelia and Velma Cozby visited in Floydada Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lassetter were in the White River community from Spur Sunday afternoon. Mrs. J. J. Rogers and sons, Travis and Norville were in Spur Monday. —Reporter.

Miss Barrett says that Mr. Neilson is a dense, deep, double-dyed villain—but it's said in the play "Poor Married Man" See it—hear her—she acts natural.

W. A. Taylor of the Pitchfork Ranch, was transacting business in our city Saturday. Rev. Hutto of Walters, Okla., was visiting his father G. W. Hutto of our city the first of the week. Rev. Hutto is pastor of the Baptist Church at Walters and returned to his home Wednesday. Gus Martin of Afton, was transacting business in our city Tuesday. Mr. Sisto says, "I'm going to the wilds of Arizona and there, surrounded by fleas and Indians, I may forget you, Miss Buster" but he is only talking to Zoie in "The Poor Married Man". Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Love and Mrs. Pat Watson left Tuesday for Dallas where they will make selections of new goods for the Love Dry Goods Company here. A. J. Johnston of Afton, was in our city Tuesday transacting business. Mrs. Joe Kellam was a guest of her brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Leaverton of Lubbock, Tuesday. Mrs. W. D. Starcher was visiting relatives and friends in Matador the first of the week. Weldon McClure of the Texas Spur office, left Tuesday for the Rio Grande Valley to look after business matters. Miss Buster says, "I've always wanted to live on a ranch!" to Mr. Sisto—Imagine it—but it's only the Faculty Play: "The Poor Married Man". Rev. Luther G. Roberts, pastor of the Church of Christ at Post, was visiting his friend, Claud Reid of the Stone Department Store Tuesday. S. H. Nalley of Soldier Mound, was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday. W. H. Harris of McAdoo, was looking after business affairs in our city Saturday. Mrs. V. V. Parr of the Pitchfork Ranch, was in our city Saturday doing some shopping. Miss Haralson says she's "Perfectly Innocent" but it's said in the play as Rosalind, the college Reporter.

V. W. Stephenson of McAdoo, was in our city Friday looking after business matters. G. D. Williamson of Steel Hill country, was transacting business in our city Saturday. W. T. Lovell of Wichita, was in our city Saturday greeting his many friends and looking after business. He says he thinks he will not be in politics until conditions change. Miss McNeill says, "Now, big man, I'm going to take you for a little spin"—but she's only talking to the "Poor Married Man". Sims Moss of Elton, was transacting business with our merchants Saturday. W. T. Harris of Dry Lake, was doing some trading in our city Saturday. J. F. Christopher of Soldier Mound, was greeting friends and trading in our city Saturday. B. F. Simmons of Elton, was transacting business with our merchants Saturday. Dr. Kelley meets a dashing young widow—Miss Barrett—but wait! It's only the Faculty Play. Seales Ernest of Espuela, was attending to business matters in our city Monday. Lewis Daniel of Duck Creek, was attending to business matters in our city Saturday. Be careful and don't let Miss Barrett feed you lobster salad—as three husbands have already disappeared—Faculty Play.

### OFFER PRIZE FOR OLDEST PIECE OF HOME FURNITURE

Have you a mohair-covered chair or sofa in your home? If so, you may be two hundred and fifty dollars the richer for it. The Dickens County Times is in receipt of a message from the Household Science Institute, Chicago, asking for help in locating the oldest piece of mohair upholstered furniture in the United States.

The Institute feels that there is a possibility of fits being found in this section. The style of the sought for furniture or its use or non-use at the present time are not important, providing it is in good condition. The owner of the piece selected will be awarded two hundred and fifty dollars and the piece itself will be exhibited with other old-time furniture during the World's Fair at Chicago in 1938. Back of the Institute's offer is the desire on the part of Grace Viell Gray, its director, to ascertain the longevity of mohair. Although innumerable pieces of mohair covered furniture and mohair rugs have seen many years of hard daily service, it is claimed that unless deliberately injured no instance has yet been found of a mohair fabric ever wearing through. The people of Dickens and adjoining Counties who feel that they have something of interest should communicate with Mrs. Grace Viell Gray, Household Science Institute, 7 S. Dearborn St., Chicago, Illinois giving the history of the piece they have in mind and all facts concerning age, color, condition and other pertinent information Mrs. Gray will then decide whether the article is the one wanted and make arrangements for shipping it to Chicago.

History does not tell just when it was first discovered that mohair—the long, silky fleece of the Angora goat—made exceedingly beautiful and durable fabrics. But this is known: mohair fabrics are of great antiquity and have always been looked upon as rare and valuable. Prior to 1881, when George B. and Louis B. Goodall of Sanford, Maine, perfected a process for weaving mohair on power looms, the manufacture of mohair velvet was largely confined to Germany and France, where it was made by hand. Especially famed is mohair velvet or velmo as it is called for short, as an upholstery fabric. Years of hard day in and day out service leave the deer, rich pile unmarred, its colors fresh and undimmed. Unless one willfully cuts or burns it it is nearly indestructible as any woven material can be. This is due largely to the fact that all the rub and wear comes on the top ends or loops of these pile fibres, whereas in smooth surfaced materials the rub comes on the sides of the individual fibres. Also, because the mohair fibres are smooth surfaced, the dust and dirt do not easily collect on them and usually a light brushing is all that is required to keep mohair fresh and clean. Housewives fear of moths has been ended by the recent perfection of a mill mothproofing process that makes mohair fabric immune to damage of these pests. Aside from its use in furniture, mohair velvet is the favored fabric used in the upholstery of automobiles, railroad cars, in the making of fine rugs, robes, draperies, clothing and many other articles.

### ROTARY AND BUSINESS

During the early years of the Rotary club, Rotarians did not demand nor indeed expect their fellow members to deal exclusively with each other in business matters, for according to Chesley E. Perry, secretary of Rotary International, writing in the February Rotarian, "it was early agreed that the best exemplar of the Rotary idea was not the one who was trying to get all he could out of his fellow members but rather the one who was trying to be of greatest helpfulness to them."

Thus a mooted point in the basis of the origin of Rotary is cleared up, for it is seen that service was a dominant keynote from the start. Rotation in business was achieved, for A gave business to B, and B to C, and C to D, who might give it to A. Thus each member helped his fellow member, but demanded nothing in return. However, because criticism arose claiming that Rotarians were self centered even with this rotation of business, the Rotary club very early engaged in civic and social work. Such activities were a vital portion of the program of Rotary, according to Mr. Perry, and the work of developing citizens who should be more active in community affairs attain-

ed a very great momentum.

Dan McMahan of Dry Lake, was looking after business matters in our city Saturday.

F. B. Crockett, manager of our hatchery, was in Abilene Saturday and Sunday visiting friends and looking after business matters.

J. S. Etheridge of McAdoo, was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.

## Finds Way to Make Non-Tranish Silver

CHICAGO—Housewives throughout the world doubtless now will breathe a sigh of relief.

After many years of research, a process of producing silver-plate tableware that will not blacken or tarnish has been discovered by Raymond W. Sheets, Rockford, Ill., silverware manufacturer. It is announced here.

Leading jewelers and silversmiths declare this discovery is one of the most important developments in the history of the industry, as chemists and manufacturers have been seeking a method to make silver plate tarnish-proof ever since it came into universal use for silverware many years ago.



R.W. SHEETS

## Penny Candies Stage Big Comeback As Kids Scan Their Sweets Budget



A SWEET TIME

CHICAGO—Five hundred and twenty thousand dollars a day in pennies are spent by American children for the purchase of candy, according to F. A. Bunte, of Bunte Brothers, Chicago candy manufacturers, in an address here before a meeting of confectioners.

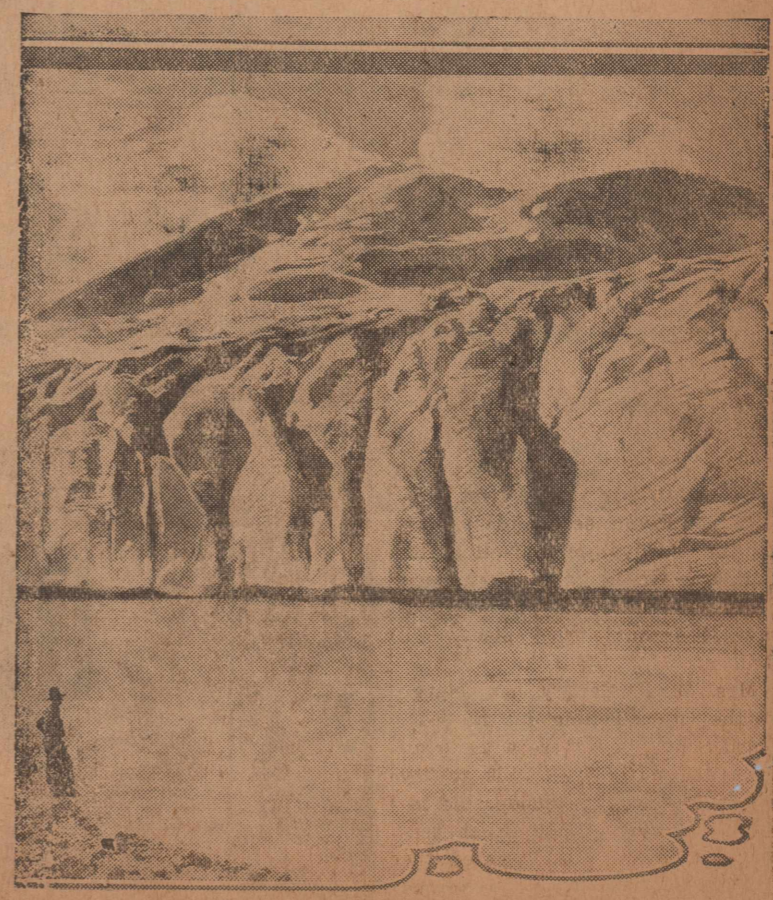
"The purchasing power of the one cent piece has become a vital concern to the nation's kids," Mr. Bunte said, "ever since the financial depression made parents scan the family budgets more closely. It is estimated that nearly \$200,000,000 was spent on penny candies in 1930.

"Youngsters who are shrewd judges of candy values have found that in

caramel suckers and other sweets that may be purchased for a penny they are getting the same pure ingredients found in more expensive varieties of candy. This is because mass production and quick turnover enable the big candy manufacturers to use materials of the highest quality for these penny confections.

"The popularity of penny candies among boys and girls is having a noticeable effect in promoting the sale of these sweets among grown-ups. Candy stores are reporting increased demand for mints, lozenges, and licorices by men and women who use their odd change for these purchases."

## Do You Know?



—Photograph Canadian National Railways.

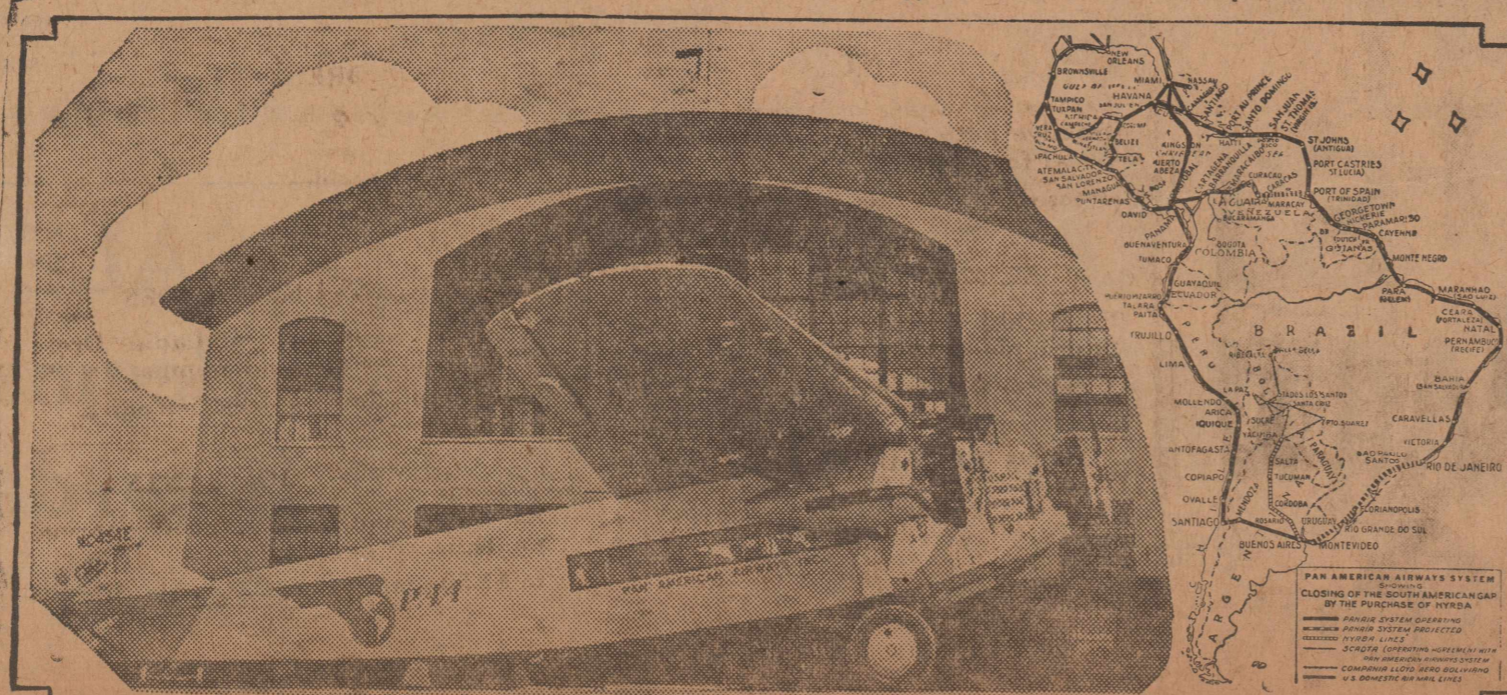
THAT from the Columbia Icefields in the Canadian Rocky Mountains three great rivers flow to three different oceans? They are: the Columbia which flows into the Pacific Ocean; the Mackenzie which flows into the Arctic Ocean and the Saskatchewan River which finds its outlet through the Nelson River into Hudson Bay and thence to the Atlantic Ocean.

## 70,000 Barrels Ready To Ship



SAVANNAH, Ga.—A scene of unusual business promise is this view at the Naval Stores Rosin Storage Yards at the great Hutchinson Island Depot of the Seaboard Air Line Railroad. As far as their eyes can see, Doris Curry and Rory Cole see some 70,000 barrels of rosin awaiting shipment to all parts of the world. Savannah is one of the world's largest naval stores centers, the big port being a scene of constant activity.

## A 1950 Dream Come True—World's Largest Airline in Operation



MIAMI, FLA.—Carrying more than 80,000 passengers 3,522,000 miles in one year over its 18,000 mile route between South and Central America and the United States, the Pan American Airways here, world's largest air line has

reached a peak in air travel service and luxury surpassing anything in this or European countries. The daily schedule of arrivals and departures call for more than fifty large multimotored ships to operate with military precision between Miami and the

Bahamas, Cuba, Haiti, Porto Rico, the Dominican Republic, Honduras, Panama, Brazil and 15 other Latin American countries. U. S. Customs, Health and Immigration authorities stationed at the Miami depot and check over the arrivals daily. All at-

tendants, pilots and stewards are in full uniform and are under the strictest discipline. It is a veritable Jules Verne dream come true. Here is a view of the Pan American Airway passenger terminal and one of the giant air liners.



# The Poor Married Man

## WHO'S WHO

Professor John B. Wise, aged 27, A poor married man,  
R. B. Neilson  
Doctor Matthew Graham, aged 54, A Country  
Physician O. L. Kelley  
Billy Blake, aged 20, A Popular College Boy Mr. Sisto  
Jupiter Jackson, aged 23, A Black Trump, H. L. Barber  
Mrs. Iona Ford, aged 43, Some Mother-in-law, Miss Barrett  
Zoie, aged 20, Her Charming Daughter, Miss Buster  
June Graham, aged 13, A Little Freshman, Miss McNeil  
Rosalind Wilson, aged 19, A College Reporter,  
Miss Haralson

PLACE—A Small College Town in the Middle West.

Friday March 13—7:30—East Ward Auditorium

ACT I. Interior of Professor Wise's pretty little bungalow. "Hail to the Bride!" A distant thunderstorm.

ACT II. Same scene as Act I. Too much mother-in-law. It never rains but it pours.

ACT III. Same scene, two years later. A happy little home. After a storm comes a calm.

ADMISSION 25c and 35c

## Declamation Contest Held

On Monday night of this week, the local declamation eliminations contest was held at East Ward Auditorium. Prior to this event eleven of the best had been selected by local judges out of about seven teen of the junior girls and boys of the Junior High School. In the contest Monday night there were seven junior girls, four junior boys, four senior boys, and seven senior girls. All showed splendid ability and the following were selected as the three first place winners in each event: In Junior girls, Nell Arthur, first place; Nedra Hogan, second place; Lorena Rawlings, third place. In Junior Boys, Wayne Vaughn, first place; Junior Russell, second place; Kelley Marsh, third place. In Senior Boys, Walter Dunn, by unanimous vote, first place; Dudley Wooten, second place; Alfred Payne, third place. In Senior Girls, Margaret Koon, first place; Eva Rae Falls, second place; Dorothy Brown, third place.

Mrs. Ada McAlpine, English instructor, in the Junior High School has been training the juniors. They reflected a training by one who knows her business. The judges were Mr. Doss, Miss Putnam, and Miss Whitworth of the Matador School Faculty. The first and second place winners of each division will represent Spur in the County Meet to be held here the 20-21st.

## Story-Telling Eliminations

The very interesting Story-Telling Contest at the East Ward School was held Tuesday night. The decisions were made by judges from the Girard Faculty as follows:

First Grade Girls: first place, Archinelle Hogan; second place, Helen Dodson; third place, Ardelle Pierce.

First Grade Boys: First place, Billy Jo Applegate; second place, James Franklin Laverty; third place, Harmon Smith.

Second Grade Girls: first place, Peggy Jane Hogan; second place, Bonnie Campbell; third place, Lavarise Lee.

Second Grade Boys: first place, Sam Z. Hall, Jr.; second place, Fike Godfrey; third place, Teddy Brannen.

Third Grade Girls: first, Naomi Sherrod; second place, Grace Foster.

Third Grade Boys: first, Billie D. Bell; second place, W. D. Blair.

Fourth Grade Girls: first Dorothy Don Flynn; second place, Ruth Cowan; third place, LaNell Falls.

Fourth Grade Boys: first place, Carl Arthur; second place, Woodrow McArthur; third place, Bill Gruben.

Mrs. D. H. Zachry had charge of the Story-Telling in the East Ward School and there were in all upon beginning about 125 to try out in this work. Considerable interest was manifested. Each teacher in her room eliminated the try outs down to about six to the grade. The first place winners in each grade will represent Spur school in the County Meet to be held March 20-21st. The Story-Telling for the High School Division in which Spur is classified will begin Friday morning at 10:00 in

the Senior High Auditorium. The public is invited to attend

## County Meet March 20-21

BY WELTON HORNER  
The Interscholastic track meet will be held at Spur March 20 and 21. According to information obtained from Coach Taylor, Spur will have a good track team this year.

The boys have been working hard when ever the weather would permit and are getting into the best of condition as quickly as possible. The track eliminations were held recently and some real track men were discovered.

The literary teams are also working hard. The declamation try outs were held on Monday night of this week at the East Ward School.

The tennis eliminations are also under way and the prospects for a winning team is in evidence. The boys' doubles team consists of J. P. Carson and Eldon Rawlings; the singles have not been determined yet. In the girls tennis Sylvia Hazel is our representative and Lucille Harris and Leale Howell are the doubles team.

Spur has a bright outlook for an all round county championship in the literary, track and field events for this year.

## THINGS GETTING BETTER

Business conditions are improving—this is not a case of the wish of the father of the thought. World conditions are improving. Italy and France have reached an agreement and the Five Nation Limitation Naval Treaty—an accomplishment of President Hoover—now goes into effect.

The present government of the German Republic has weathered its fiercest storms.

Great Britain has settled its age long dispute with India.

Russia and China have come to an agreement.

South America has finished its last revolution.

Mexico is humming in a new era of peace and prosperity.

And Congress has adjourned.

The New York World, the mouth piece of the Roman Catholic Church and Tammany Hall, that made the most vicious attacks on President Hoover, has gone out of business.

The drouth is ended and the best general rains the country has witnessed for years.

We have had the mildest winter in the history of the country—a man won \$1250.00 in Chicago on a bet that there would not be a zero day in Chicago's winter.

The finest grass ever witnessed on the range and the cattle are not likt Pharaoh's seven lean kine but are fat for the scales.

The greatest prospects ever witnessed for a bumper fruit crop—the largest strawberries ever grown are already on the table and peach trees are in full bloom. The old timers say the brilliant moonlight nights are a sure sign that the fruit will not freeze, and I believe in what the old folks say.

## COLLEGE TO BROADCAST FRIDAY NIGHT

Bethany-Peniel College will broadcast over station WKY, Oklahoma City next Friday night, March 13, at 11:00 o'clock. Also, this same college will broadcast Friday night, March 20, at the same hour. Both programs will be of a nature that the public will appreciate hearing them.

## J. W. DAVIS SELLS FARM

J. W. Davis, just north of Spur, sold a farm of 102 1-2 acres Tuesday. This farm lies along the Duck Creek just west of Mr. Davis' home place. A. P. and Val Smith of Pam pa, were the purchasers.

Both of the Mr. Smiths will move onto the place as soon as they can get a residence built. They are listing contracts this week for a 5-room residence, garage, and other buildings on the place.

Cash was paid in full for the farm and cash is being paid for the erection of the improvements now going on.

## FORMER SPUR GIRL A WINNER

Likely some of the Spur people will be glad to know that Oneda Fern Dobbins won first prize in piano ensemble at the Lubbock music festival last week.

She is studying under a very fine teacher this year and is making arrangements to study under the great musician, Frances Moore at Lubbock this summer. Oneda has been in Spur all her life until in November when the family moved to Levelland.

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P. J. Tackett, representative of the Graham Paper Company, was in our city Wednesday interviewing our merchants.

W. J. Price of Lubbock, representative of the Acme Life Insurance Company at Houston, was interviewing people here Wednesday.

You will laugh off your buttons if you go to see the "Poor Married Man"

W. H. Smith, one of the hustling Kent County citizens, was transacting business in our city Wednesday.

"The Poor Married Man" will be rendered Friday the Thirteenth—Non wonder he had Mother-in-Law trouble



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Sizes 8 1-2 to 2. A good solid calfskin Black stitchdown Oxford for boys or girls, rubber soles The Pair Only 98c

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Full width French Gingham in very desirable patterns for Spring Wear for Children or Grown Up 10c

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A special assortment of Ladies Dress slippers in straps and pumps. Good styles and all sizes. See'em 1.98

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An assortment of Boys good wearing pants, in all sizes, value to \$1.50. Sale price 79c

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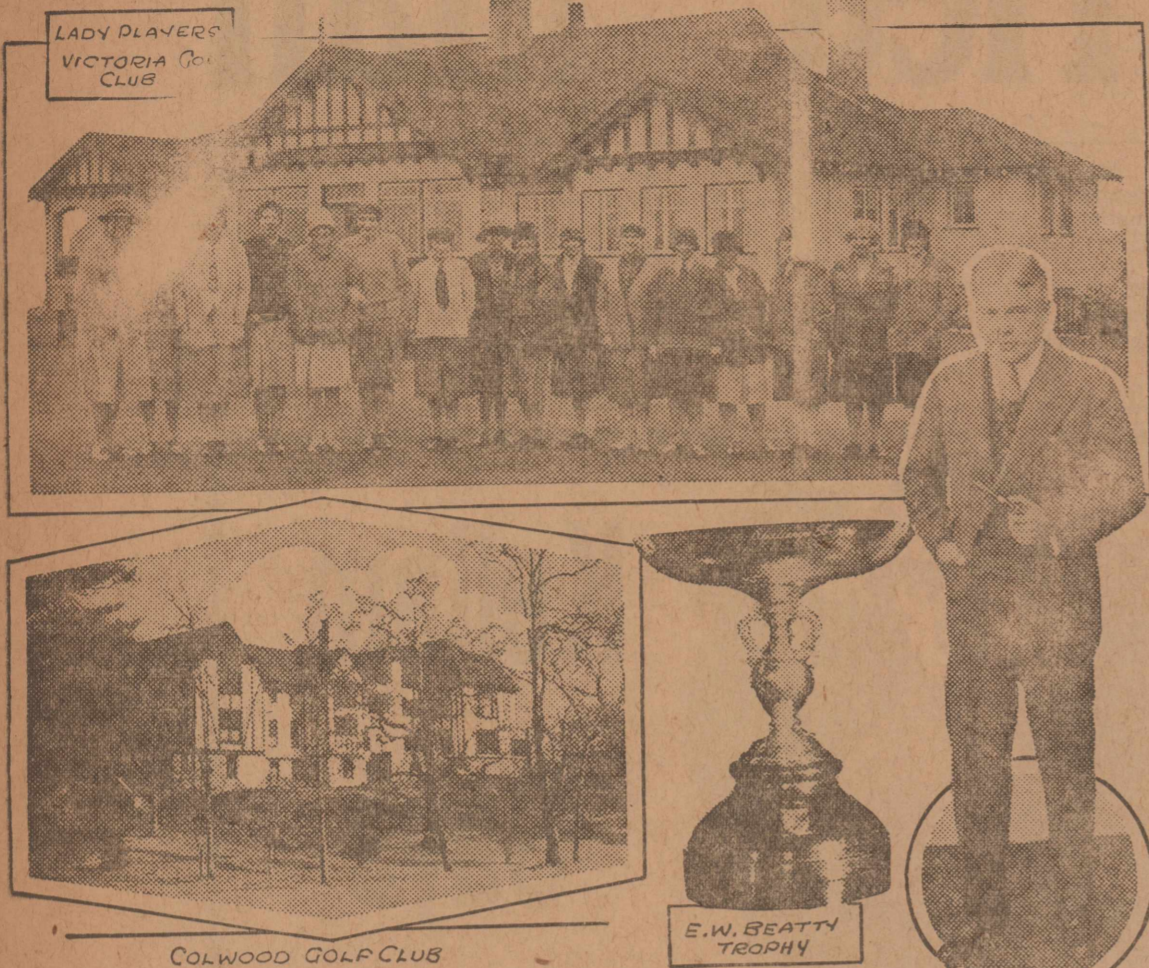
—Photograph Canadian National Railway.

THAT all the "Battles of the Century" are not fought in the squared circle? Here is one between two elk in the shadow of Pyramid Mountain in Jasper National Park, Alberta, Canada, before an uninterested audience.

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Mid-Winter Golf Tournament Will Attract Players To Victoria, Canada's Evergreen City, Feb. 23-28



Devotees of the royal and ancient game of golf will be playing daily thereafter until the finals are reached. There will also be consolation and other flights for the remaining contestants. The principal award will be the E. W. Beatty Challenge Cup, presented by E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The Victoria Golf Course is a 18-hole seaside links overlooking the Straits of Juan de Fuca and the mountains in Washington state, including the famous Mt. Baker. The course is open to all guests of the Empress Hotel and members of clubs in Victoria City, will be divided into classes for both ladies and gentlemen. The first sixteen in each class will form the

championship flight, and eighteen holes will be played daily thereafter until the finals are reached. There will also be consolation and other flights for the remaining contestants. The principal award will be the E. W. Beatty Challenge Cup, presented by E. W. Beatty, Chairman and President of the Canadian Pacific Railway.

HIGHWAY NEWS

A big rain fell over the entire community Monday. B. M. Blackmon was in Spur Monday. Bernice Morgan spent Monday and Tuesday in the Peaceful Hill community. Mrs. T. S. Lambert and daughter Miss Eola, and Mrs. Earl Murchison, all of Wichita, visited Mrs. Lambert's brother-in-law and Mrs. Murchison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sparks Wednesday. The club met at the home of Mrs. J. Vernon Powell Wednesday afternoon. J. E. Sparks was in Spur Thursday. The ladies of the community canned a beef for the Red Cross Thursday. M. E. Tree was in Spur Wednesday. Austin Frazier and daughter Annabelle, visited his daughter on the plains Sunday and Monday. John D. Huffstader was in Spur Saturday. J. B. Tree of East Texas, who has been here visiting his uncle M. E. Tree and family, returned

home the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Bristow and son attended the play at Red Mud Friday night. J. Vernon Powell was in Spur Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and children were shopping in Spur Saturday. Miss Bernice Morgan left Saturday for Stamford where she will enter nurse's training school there the first of March. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hahn and Billie visited their daughter Mr. and Mrs. Casey Aldridge and children of Spur Saturday. Miss Rhem Richey visited her sister Mrs. C. W. Beene of Spur Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Martin and children attended the play at Red Mud Friday night. J. E. Spars was in Spur Saturday night. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier were visiting friends and relatives in Spur Saturday. Miss Mable Lois Boren of McAdoo, spent the week end with her sister Mrs. George Shaw and husband. F. C. Martin was in Spur Saturday.

day. Miss Lola Beth Green was shopping in Spur Saturday. Miss Zola Morgan, who is going to school in Spur, spent Friday night at home with her mother Mrs. Bob Morgan and children. Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Bristow and son were shopping in Spur Saturday afternoon. T. L. Denson was in Spur Saturday. A. C. George was visiting his son Ernest George and family of Spur Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Moore and son were visiting and shopping in Spur Saturday. Miss Viola Morgan, who is teaching at Peaceful Hill spent the week end at home with her mother, Mrs. Bob Morgan and children. The health nurse and Mrs. Twaddell visited our school Wednesday. A big snow fell over the community Saturday night. Enal George was in Spur Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Thomason and Edna, were shopping in Spur Saturday. Miss Mabel Boren, who has been here visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo.

Show, returned home Monday night. H. J. Parks was at Spur Monday attending to business. Mrs. Buster Roberson is suffering with her hand caused from sticking a thorn in it Wednesday morning. Mrs. H. C. Boren of McAdoo is here visiting her daughter Mrs. Geo. Shaw this week. Several of the women have planned their gardens. Mrs. G. W. Shaw and Mrs. H. C. Boren of McAdoo, visited Mrs. J. E. Sparks Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. Vernon Powell and children at Lafayette Roberson went to Spur to the show Thursday night. J. E. Sparks was in Spur Thursday.

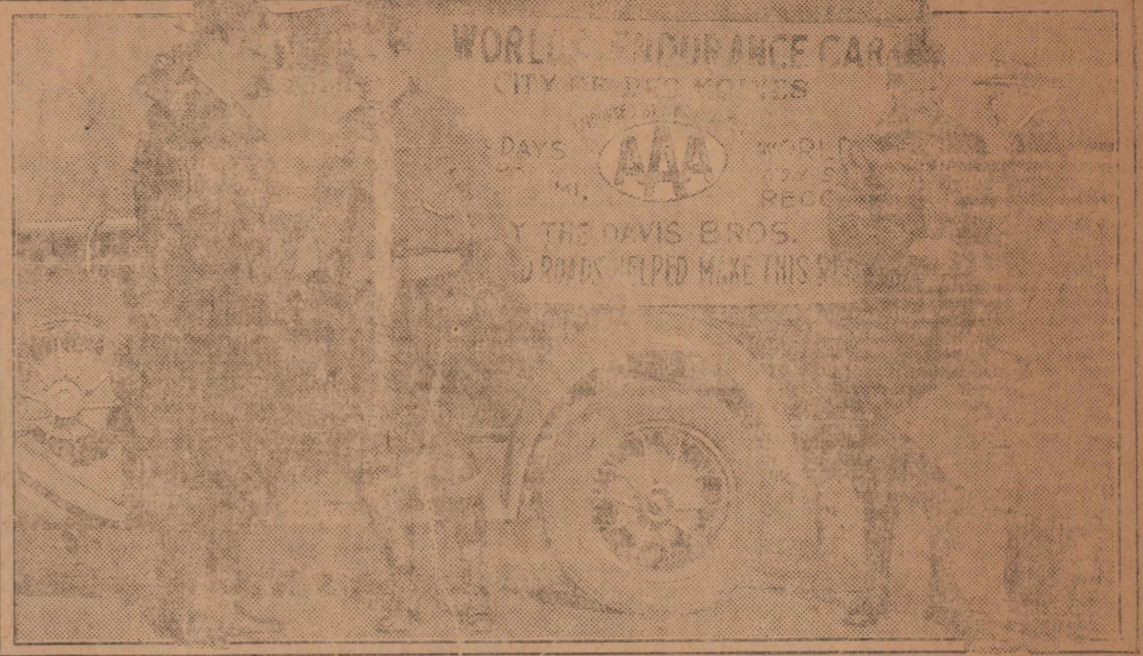
M. E. Tree and Leonard Blackmon were in Spur Thursday. Miss Elsie Forman's cousin of Espuela is visiting her this week. A banquet was given to the Highway Senior basketball boys and girls Friday night at the school house. A number of speeches were given by the teachers and trustees. After these Harry Martin gave a toast to the Senior girls and Sybil Martin to the boys. Raymond Powell gave a toast to the parents and Loretta Sparks to the guests. Response was given by the captain of the boys team, Wilbur Tree and of the girls team Oreta Walked. After these numbers, hot chocolate, sandwiches and cake were served to the following: The Senior teams both boys and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Powell, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. English, F. E. Walker, Bud Williamson, Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Bristow, and Misses Lola Beth Green and Rhem Richey. Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Price and Winona and Mrs. Bell Martin were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Misses Lola Beth Green and Rhem Richey were visiting and shopping in Spur Saturday. Miss Ada Mitchell, who has been visiting here sister, Mrs. Milo Thompson and husband of Benjamin the past two months returned home Saturday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Conelley Smith were in Spur Saturday. A large number of people from here attended the funeral of Mr. Oran McClure at Spur Wednesday. Mrs. McGlathlin of New Mexico, who has been here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Wesley Frazier and husband returned home the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier and Annabelle were visiting in Spur Saturday. Miss Viola Morgan spent Saturday night with Mrs. Clarence Rawlings of Spur. Mr. and Mrs. Buster Roberson were in Spur Saturday to have Mr. Roberson's hand dressed. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Shaw are visiting Mrs. Shaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Boren of McAdoo, this week. Mr. and Mrs. Milo Thompson of Benjamin, visited Mrs. Thompson's sister, Mrs. Lela Morgan and children Saturday and Sunday. B. M. Blackmon was in Spur Saturday. Miss Loretta Sparks is suffering this week from a sprained ankle. Mrs. Raymond Rucker, who is teaching at Catfish visited the school here Monday. The Highway school boys played the outside boys a game of baseball Tuesday. The school boys lost by a score of two. Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Roberson and son were shopping in Spur Saturday. B. Billberry filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. Mrs. Johnston of California, is here visiting relatives.

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Iowa Brothers Set New World's Record in Ford



Governor John Hammill of Iowa (left) and Walter Ferrell, executive secretary of the Iowa chapter of the American Automobile Association (extreme right), congratulating the Davis brothers on the establishment of a new world's non-motor, non-wheel stop automobile endurance record.

IOWA state officials and civic leaders witnessed the establishment of a new world's non-motor, non-wheel stop automobile endurance record recently, when Ralph and Roland Davis, brothers, brought their Model A Ford to a halt at the east entrance of the state capital in Des Moines after 2,775 hours and 45 minutes of continuous driving.

than 2,335 hours the American non-stop endurance record which, theretofore officially recognized, was made by a much heavier car under almost ideal conditions on the Indianapolis speedway. In the course of the endurance run, the car, known as "The City of Des Moines," covered practically the entire state of Iowa. Engineers who examined the Ford at the completion of the run asserted that neither engine nor chassis showed evidence of the grueling strain to which they were subjected during the 115 1/2 days of continuous driving. Both apparently, according to the engineers, would have been good for another 50,000 miles or more.

cattle consigned, and a sale of clover calves and pigs will be held March 28.

The show will be a big factor in helping further the "live at home" movement that is progressing in such a satisfactory manner over West Texas and other sections of the Southwest.

LOWER RED MUD NEWS

Sunday everyone came to Sunday school in a fine spirit that seemed to put their whole soul into their lessons and enjoy the morning service. Then all came back to league and heard the topics discussed and then they all sang a while and on to prayer meeting.

Mrs. G. W. Grubbs was on the sick list the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Tankersley came home Sunday from a visit at the Matadors.

Miss Alma Nixon's cousin was visiting her Sunday. J. Z. Smith received word Saturday evening that his brother was to be operated on at Abilene. Alfred Fuqua set out three hundred onion sets Monday. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. McClain and Mrs. John Smith went to Abilene Saturday morning to see Mrs. Smith's daughter, Mrs. Sumner and her girl baby. L. B. and Alfred Fuqua were in

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ADDED EXTENSION COURSES

Austin Texas, Feb. 23—Courses in commercial aeronautics, anthropology, economics and education have been added to the curriculum offered by the Extension Teaching Bureau of The University for the summer and next year, according to Miss Julia Vance, registrar. These new courses may be strated by correspondence students about May 1.

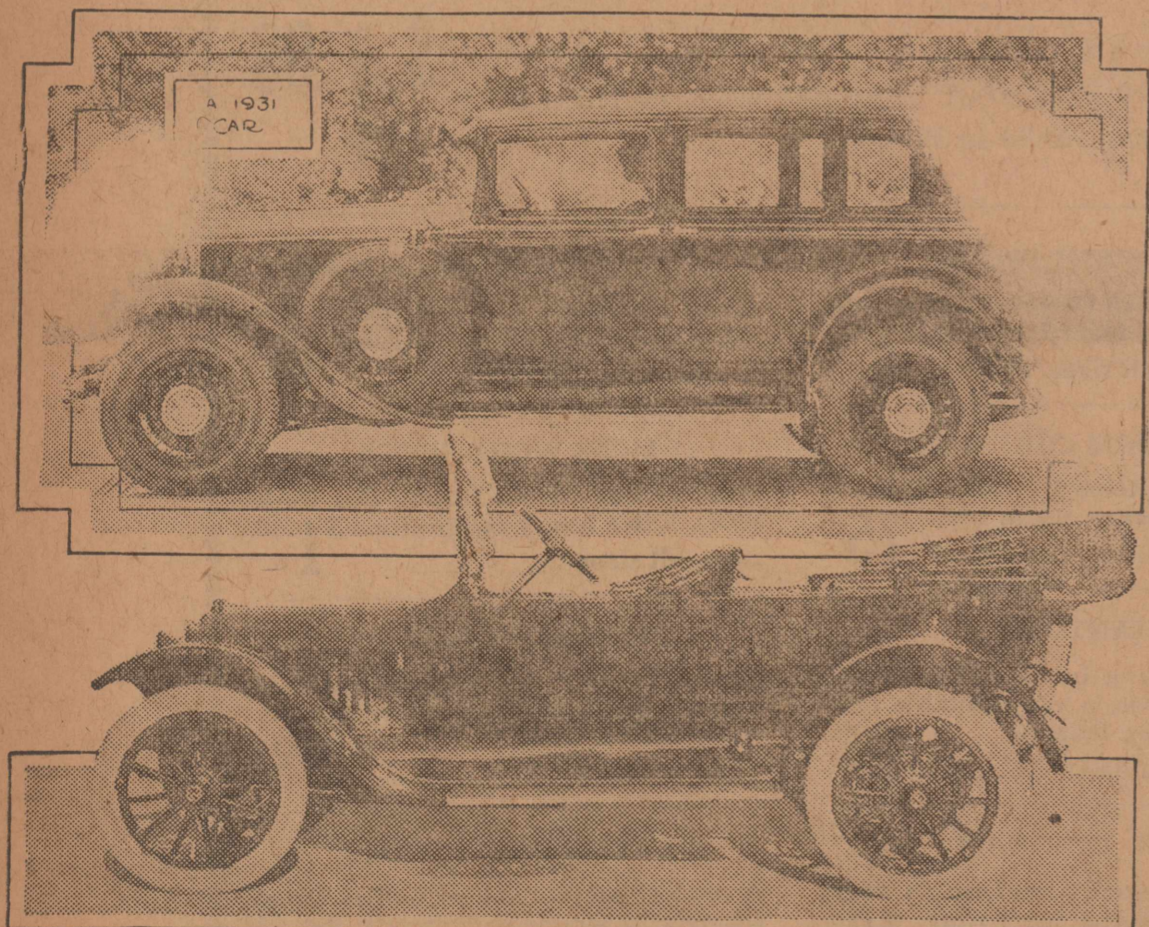
CARD OF THANKS

We desire to thank Dr. Nichols for his untiring efforts our pastor for his words of comfort, our relatives, neighbors and friends for each and every word of kindness spoken to us during the illness and death of our precious baby and sister, Joyce La Nelle. May Heaven's richest blessings be yours. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Gray and children.

J. L. Battles of Espuela, was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

G. F. Harris of McAdoo, was greeting friends and looking after business matters in our city Saturday. Tyler Cagle of Abilene, is in our city at this time visiting his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Starcher.

Miles Added to Average Auto's Life in Last Decade



NEW YORK—Evidence that automobiles are avoiding "old age" with 50 per cent more success than formerly has been discovered through a series of tests made periodically during the last ten years, the final results of which have recently been announced by the Sinclair Refining Company. "Our tests have revealed that the average automobile will run 80,000 miles before new piston rings become necessary, as compared with an estimate of 25,000 miles three years ago and 20,000 miles ten years ago," explained C. M. Larson, supervising engineer of the company. He added that every American-made car had been included in the tests and that all

"degrees of wear" had been covered. "The clearance between piston rings and cylinder walls is now increased more slowly than in years gone by and in most cars there is little 'blow-by' through this space,—except when driving at excessive speeds,—until after a recorded mileage of 3,000 to 2,000 miles as compared with 1,000 to 2,000 miles three years ago. At this clearance, we have found that in the average passenger car a heavier bodied oil is desirable at this point in the motor's life. "Heretofore, our recommendations in most instances have called for a still heavier oil at about 12,000 miles; but we now find it is safe to delay this second change until the car has traveled 15,000 to 20,000 miles, assuming

normal driving conditions have been encountered. "When new piston rings are installed and the cylinders rebored, the oil originally recommended for the car then it was new should be used, shifting to the next heavier grade after an additional 3,000 to 5,000 miles. "Among reasons listed by Mr. Larson for these findings are improvement in the quality of gasoline, improvement in carburetion and ignition systems, adoption of thermostatic control of radiators and crankcase ventilators, improved highways, better designed lubricating systems, and the fact a larger percentage of owners drain their crankcases at regular intervals, replenishing with clean oil.

QUALITY MEAT SHOW AT LUBBOCK MARCH 27

LUBBOCK, Texas.—The first annual "Quality Meats" Show at Lubbock, March 27 and 28, will go a step further than any other livestock show in the Southwest, by having exhibits of cured and canned meats, scrapple, sausage, liver paste, and soap in addition to the livestock. The show is attracting attention over the entire nation, due to this unique feature. Three outstanding purposes of the show are being kept in mind by officials of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, Panhandle South Plains Fair Association and Texas Extension Service, sponsors of the show.

The purposes are: 1. To encourage the breeding and feeding of more livestock on the South Plains and adjacent territory. 2. To encourage the finishing of the livestock here at home, using home produced feeds in this program. 3. To encourage the killing and preserving of these meats for home use, and to educate the people in standard methods of preserving meats. Over \$1,500.00 is being offered in prizes in the show, included in the premium lists is substantial prizes for cured hams, sides of bacon, cured whole shoulder, cured picnic shoulder, cured sausage, lard, scrapple, roast, liver paste, and soap.

A large number of agricultural leaders and agricultural authorities will be here for the show. A "Quality Meats" banquet is to be held on the evening of March 27, at which time O. B. Martin, director of the Texas Extension Service; Frank P. Holland, Jr., president of the Texas Breeder-Feeder Association; and Amos G. Carter, publisher of the Fort Worth Star Telegram will be speakers. On March 27, the Texas Hereford Association will have an official association sale with 47 head of

Lucerne-in-Quebec, Lure of the Great Out Doors



One hundred years ago the Lord of the old Papineau Signiory, at Montebello celebrated Christmas in the good old-fashioned way, surrounded by his family and dependents through a series of festivities lasting several days. The Yule-log crackled in the great fireplace; the merry voices of men and maidens rang through the great halls of the manor house; carols, so old that the origin of some of them was even then untraceable, were sung; bright garlands of evergreen decorated the apartments and corridors—and in a word—Christmas was King. Then, for a century, the song of the minstrels and laughter of the guests was hushed and only the falling snow told the historic seat of the Papineaus of the advent of the Christmas season. This year, however, Lucerne-in-Quebec has stretched its magic wand over the historic site and the ancient glories are to be revived, with the Log Chateau as head-

quarters, 83,000 acres of beautiful countryside will be thrown open to visitors to the unique hostel. Bobbing on one of the longest runs on the continent; ski-ing; ski-touring; ski-jumping; skating; snowshoeing and dog-sled drives will be offered to the devotees of winter sports, while the most complete comforts and appointments of up-to-date hotel-keeping; good food and bright entertainment will await the guests at close of day. Among the special features arranged for the Christmas festivities are the rendering of carols by The Children of His Majesty's Savoy Chapel Choir (London, Eng.); old-time songs by Charles Goulet's troupe of French-Canadian artists and the interpretation of Yuletide dances by experts from the Margaret Eaton School of Dancing. Thus, once again, will the old walls of the historic mansion hear the strains which roused them to Christmas celebration a century ago, and before that. Lucerne-in-Quebec is ideally situated, on the northern bank of the Ottawa River, about half way between the Canadian Capital and Montreal, and only an overnight run from the great cities of the Eastern United States.



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 Jack Rector, W. M.  
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 OF SPUR  
 Meets every  
 Thursday at 12  
 o'clock at Spur  
 Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome  
 Elvis C. Edmonds, President.  
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Stated Conclave of Spur  
 Commandery No. 76 K.  
 T. Second Tuesday in  
 each month. Visiting Sir  
 Knights welcome.  
 Jimmie Sample, E. C.  
 T. C. Ensey, Rec.

Stated Meeting Of  
**SPUR CHAPTER**  
 No. 340 R. A. M.  
 Monday night on or  
 after each full moon. Visitors  
 welcome.  
 W. D. Wilson, H. P.  
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**SPUR LODGE**  
 No. 771 I. O. O. F.  
 Meets every Monday night.  
 Visitors welcome.  
 Jerry Ensey, N. G.  
 C. F. Applegate, Sec.

### BLACK KAT KREEPS

The Black Kat saw you the other  
 night Nina Mae. You can't do any-  
 thing with out the Kat seeing  
 you! Watch Out!

I heard some over grown boys  
 talking about shooting some fire-  
 crackers in school the other day.  
 I wouldn't do anything like that  
 if I were you for you might get  
 caught.

I think Andy would be a good  
 track man. How about the race to  
 the Post Office the other night?  
 Dick, you go one block east

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from your house, then turn north  
 and go over the hill, then go west  
 about two hundred yards to that  
 little gully. There you will find the  
 Black Kat. Do this next Wednes-  
 day afternoon, Feb. 18, at four o'-  
 clock. I want you to explain where  
 you were the other night. You  
 went get hurt, BUT you are liable  
 to if you are not there!

Eldon we hear that you went to  
 a little party the other night with  
 somebody else's girl. Look sharp!

I wish you students would quit  
 trying to guess who I am, for  
 some of you might guess it and  
 I wouldn't tell. Some of you have  
 been getting pretty close anyhow,  
 for I heard one boy say that he  
 would bet that I was a boy or a  
 girl and he is entirely right

INTERESTING CHAPEL TALK  
 Friday afternoon at the regular  
 chapel period the student body was  
 honored with a very pleasant talk  
 rendered by Mr. C. B. Jones.  
 Mr. Jones gave us a very interest-  
 ing account of the history of  
 West Texas. He pointed out to us  
 many things that I am sure none  
 of us have ever thought of. One of  
 the most interesting things of the  
 address was about a map of Kent  
 and Garza Counties drawn by O.  
 Henry.  
 West Texas and our country

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have a very picturesque history;  
 one that not many others can equal  
 and we should be proud of it and  
 try to learn more about the country  
 in which we live when ever we can.  
 Everyone enjoyed Mr Jones talk  
 and would be delighted to have  
 him with us again at any time.  
 When ever it is said that C. B.  
 Jones is to talk to us everyone  
 knows that we are to learn some-  
 thing of real value, and we have  
 never been disappointed. Mr. Jones  
 has proved to us beyond a doubt  
 that he is our friend, and we cor-  
 dially invite him to come and be  
 with us at any time.

We would like to have others of  
 our city to come be with us each  
 week, for we always get a good  
 out of anything that may be said  
 by our well wishers.

**LOS FELICES ENCUENTARON  
 UN OTRA VEZ**  
 Last Monday evening the Span-  
 ish Club met and enjoyed a very  
 good program. Era Belle Hogan,  
 Truett Hutto and Truman Moore  
 were in charge of the program.  
 The program was as follows:  
 Dos Reyes—Daisy Franklin.  
 Un Judío de Verdad—Elizabeth  
 Keen.  
 Lo Liebre Y La Tortuga—Him-  
 allaya Swafford.  
 Se Alegre Y Trabajado—Weldon  
 Bell.

Several other numbers were play-  
 ed on the portable and every one  
 had a fine time.

A party was planned and the  
 members are looking forward to  
 the next few meetings that are in  
 store for us.  
 Es todo, no mas—  
 Adios, hasta la semana que venga  
 —Reporter.

**HOME ECONOMICS**  
 How many of you are interested  
 in the questions that the Home Ec  
 girls put in the paper last week?  
 We feel sure that everyone found  
 at least one question that they did  
 not know so we are going to an-  
 swer every one of them so as not  
 to leave out the one that you  
 might not know.

1. How do you introduce one  
 person to another?  
 Ans. The boy is always introduc-  
 ed to the girl, the girls name  
 being spoken first. For example—  
 Miss Blank may I present Mr.  
 Blank?

2. Which speaks first in meeting  
 on the street?  
 Ans. Upon passing a boy on the  
 street the girl speaks first.

3. How should a boy escort a  
 girl down the street?  
 Case I—The boy always walks  
 on the outside.  
 Case II—When the street is  
 crowded the girl holds to the  
 boys arm.

Case II—The boy assists the  
 girl by holding her arm when  
 crossing the street or getting in  
 or out of a vehicle.

4. Who should lead the way to a  
 seat in church or in a show?  
 Case I—When there is an usher  
 the girl follows him and the boy  
 follows the girl.  
 Case II—When there is no usher  
 the boy leads the way and when  
 he comes to the seat he steps a-  
 side and lets the girl go in first.

5. Who makes the first move to  
 shake hands when first introduc-  
 ed?  
 Ans. The boy should never make

the first move to shake hands.

6. Who should be seated first in  
 a restaurant?  
 Ans. The woman should always  
 be seated before the man. If ne-  
 cessary, he should fix her chair  
 for her to sit in.

7. Who should first suggest leav-  
 ing a party, the girl or boy?  
 Ans. The girl should make the  
 first move to leave a party. If the  
 boy is ready to go before the girl  
 is he should not show it, unless  
 very necessary.

8. Why a girl does not make a  
 date with a boy.  
 It is a custom for the boy to  
 make the date with the girl.

A box will be placed in the hall  
 and any time that you think of a  
 question on manners place it in  
 the question box and it will be  
 answered in the Rowel in the near  
 future.

### DO YOU KNOW?

1. How to act in a show?  
 2. What a boy should do if he  
 desires the friendship of certain  
 girls?

3. What a girl should expect of  
 a boy?  
 4. What should a girl do if the  
 boy thoughtlessly or disregard-  
 any of the marks of courtesy?

5. Whether or not you should  
 criticize your friend in manners by  
 teasing and laughing at them?  
 6. Whether or not you should  
 encore anyone or not?  
 7. How should you act when you  
 are in an assembly?  
 8. Should you turn around when  
 anyone is speaking if some one  
 enters from the side or rear doors?

T. T. T.  
 (Three Terrors)

Dick, why weren't you and Al-  
 fred at league Sunday night?  
 TTT  
 Virginia, its none of your busi-  
 ness what Mr. Sisto does with the  
 little red chair on his desk—I  
 would kinda like to know.

TTT  
 We would like to know who  
 will be "the poor married man" in  
 the faculty play, bet it's keeno!!  
 TTT  
 Oh yeah, Grace we saw you at  
 church Sunday night—your good.  
 TTT

Sybal, we saw you at the party  
 Friday night, and after the party  
 in a certain little coupe.  
 TTT  
 Well, well, well, after a long  
 parted friendship, Morris and Wel-  
 don were seen together at a party.  
 TTT

Oh Selbia, we heard about you  
 and your latest catch.  
 TTT  
 John Payne, weren't you just  
 a little afraid some one was watch-  
 ing you and going to beat your  
 time Friday night.  
 TTTT

Carl, you had better go slow  
 with your paper wads, yes, we  
 watch.

### VAIN WANTS OF THE HIGHER CLASSMEN

I want to be a freshman,  
 A grand and noble freshman,  
 So that all the higher classmen  
 Will "how" as I go by;  
 I want to feel the honor,  
 The delightful sort of honor,  
 That will make a freshman  
 Hold his head so high!

I do not want to be a Junior  
 A "flunky, bashful" Junior,  
 And have to stay  
 In this unimportant class;  
 I want to live in dignity,  
 That will even make the teachers  
 Cower from me as I pass

I would hate to be a sophomore,  
 A giddy headed sophomore,  
 Who only think of writing notes,  
 And never think of staying at home  
 And studying in to the night.  
 I want to be a freshman,  
 A hardboiled handsome freshman  
 That everybody has to say is very  
 very bright!

I do not want to be a senior,  
 An unexperienced senior,  
 For I want to live in glory,  
 A freshman's land of glory.  
 —Selbia McCully.

I remember once when I was a  
 little kid, I wanted to get mar-  
 ried and Dad wouldn't let me be-  
 cause he said I wasn't wise enough  
 And when did he think you  
 would be wise enough?

When I got over the idea of want-  
 ing to marry.

Policeman: Use your noodle  
 Ma'am, use your noodle!  
 Old Lady: What, where is it,  
 I've pushed everything on this car

LOOK SHARP! If you want to



you should  
see 'em!

Every day we get letters  
telling us of the excellence  
of our long distance tele-  
phone service. Use your  
home telephone to keep  
out-of-town contacts alive.

kiss me, squeeze my hand. If you  
 don't want to kiss me, don't  
 squeeze my hand. If you want to  
 kiss me and don't want to tell me,  
 squeeze my hand!

Ouch! Hey! get off my foot!

**DANGER.** Marriage is like a  
 railroad sign. When you see a  
 pretty girl you stop, then you look  
 and after you are married you lis-  
 ten.

Doctor: Did the other doctor

take your temperature?  
 Jimmie: I don't know, I  
 missed anything but my w

Mr. Neilson: Rowena, trace  
 circulation of the blood  
 Rowena: Lord help.  
 Neilson: Why don't you call on  
 somebody that knows you.

Mr. Taylor: Dial, in what respect  
 was Ben Franklin, America's first  
 man of letters?  
 Bright Soph: Well, he originated  
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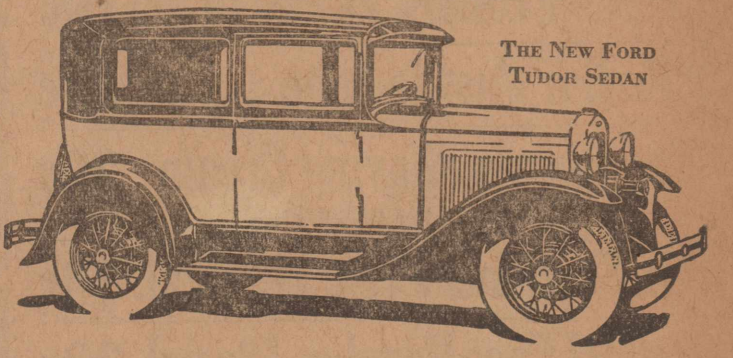
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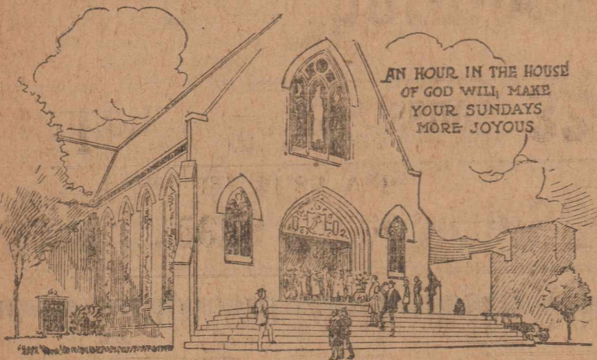
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# At The Churches



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## FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The First Baptist Church has just closed a week of B. Y. P. U. Training which was very successful. More than one hundred persons taking different study courses, and the greater number of these passing examinations and receiving diplomas or seal to apply on diplomas already received.

We are holding prayer meeting every day this week. There will be a prayer meeting near you, and we trust you will join with some group and pray for our revival which is to begin Sunday March 15th. We are striving for a great number in Sunday School Sunday morning to begin the meeting with. We want this number to hear the Gospel Message that will be brought by Bro. W. Y. Pond, and there will be services morning and evening every day while the meeting continues. We will welcome every body who can possibly come, to these services and know that you will receive good from being there.

Don't forget Sunday School Sunday morning at 9:45. —Reporter.

The society is glad to have Mrs. Robinson as a new member.

Following very interesting contests and games a delicious salad course with violets as plate favors was served the following: Mesdames John Mims, Hinze, Hooper, Stack, Dyess, Robinson, Tidwell, Hall, Rector, Hart and Briley.

—Reporter.

## NOTICE

Percy Jones will hold service in Spur on Sunday March the 15th. At eleven A. M. The service will be held in the Director's Room of the Spur National Bank. The public cordially invited to attend.

## WOMANS MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Womens Missionary Society had the regular monthly social at Mrs. S. H. Twaddell's, Mrs. M. A. Lea and J. P. Simmons assistant hostesses. Sewing for the Red Cross and the new game of Bible dominoes were the diversions for the afternoon. A St. Patrick's color scheme was carried through out the house decoration and service plates. Dainty three leaf clovers marked places for twenty six members, when the refreshments consisting of hot chocolate cake, salad and crackers were served.

—Reporter.

Too much Mother-in-Law. See the Faculty in "The Poor Married Man."

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# Arabian Thoroughbred Stars Bring Unexpected Realism to "Beau Ideal"

DIRECTOR Herbert Brenon and some other sensitive members of the troupe who invaded the Sonora desert, near Yuma, Arizona, for location shots for "Beau Ideal," R-K-O's forthcoming talking sequel to "Beau Geste," claim that Rudolph Valentino's spirit rides with the production.

Brenon's demands for realism included even the mounts used by the principals and arrangements were made with the celebrated W. K. Kellogg Arabian Horse Ranch at Pomona, Calif., for the use of two of these rare pure-breeds, "Jadaan" and "Raseyn," whose family trees trace back in every line to the finest horses bred by the Bedouin tribes of the Arabian desert, were selected.

"Jadaan" already had established a name for himself in motion picture history. He was the magnificent steed Valentino rode in his dashing manner when the late star made "The Son of the Sheik." He also was the last horse ever ridden by Valentino. The attachment between the star and the horse was unusual. It is recalled that Valentino personally had "Jadaan" insured for twenty thousand dollars during the periods they were together.

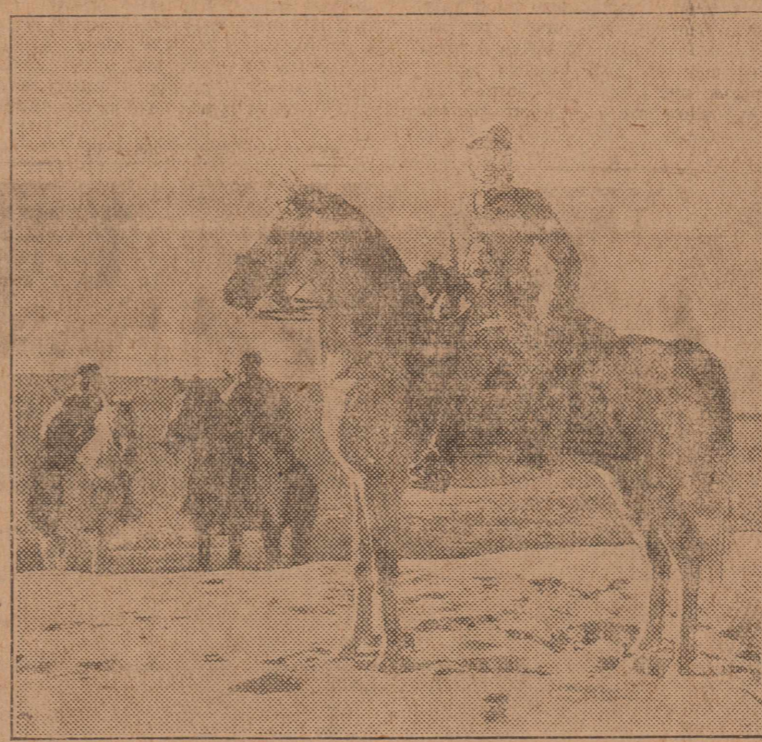
All those who rode "Jadaan" in "Beau Ideal" were unanimous in declaring that they experienced an uncanny feeling that Valentino somehow was among the company.

## Famed for Intelligence

During the filming of this newest release from R-K-O there was an incident which involved "Jadaan" and which gave evidence of the stallion's remarkable intelligence and the instinctive qualities that for unknown centuries have made the Arabian the most prized possession of the desert tribes and the most sought horseflesh in the world.

One of the best shots of the production is a vicious fight between the legionnaires and tribesmen. The realistic qualities injected into this battle by director Brenon are indicated by the fact that nineteen of the players were injured.

The script called for the wounding of "Jadaan's" rider at the height of the hostilities and there was some concern over what might happen to the riderless stallion since no one could be on hand to catch him. The dappled gray took care of the situation, however. Just as illustrious ancestors of his have performed on real battlefields, when his master fell Jadaan made a small circle, returned and stood



JADAAN PLAYS A STRONG LEAD IN HIS NEWEST FILM ROLE

by the prostrate figure of his rider. Despite the terrific din of rifle and machine gun fire and the frenzied action of the field he refused to be driven away.

At this, as soon as the scene was taken, some Arabs who played the role of the hostile tribesmen rushed to Jadaan exclaiming: "He's a real Arabian! Wouldn't leave his rider!"

Jadaan's staminate and fellow-actor, Raseyn, one of the latest champions belonging to the Kellogg Ranch, also has a colorful story. There is no finer blood line in the world than his. Raseyn was sired by the English champion, Skowronek, whose owner, Lady Wentworth of Crabbet Park, Sussex, England, refused \$250,000 for him.

Skowronek and his sire were owned by a great Polish family at the time of the World War. When the Communist revolutionists swept into power they hanged the sire of Skowronek on a scaffold, as they would a man, because they associated the royal line of horse heritage with that of kings. But Skowronek, plastered with mud and dirt, was smuggled out of the country and so saved from hanging.

The original source from which all modern light horses throughout the world derive most of their beauty and virtues, the pure Arabian, celebrated since Biblical times in a thousand songs and stories, is threatened with extinction in his native home.

## Saving Pure-Breds

American sportsmen and horse lovers are devoting every effort and large sums of money to perpetuating the pure Arabian strains. It is estimated that in a horse population of about 18,000,000 there are only 200 pure Arabians in this country today. About one-third of these have been assembled on the 300-acre Kellogg Ranch in one of the fertile California valleys where natural conditions are ideal for re-establishing the breed.

Owned by W. K. Kellogg, of Battle Creek, Michigan, chairman of the board of the Kellogg Company, leading manufacturer of cereal foods, the ranch is outstanding among the world's few establishments for the preservation and breeding of these beautiful and fleet-footed horses.

## NEW DOCTOR IN TOWN

Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Wylie, formerly of Bridgeport, have cast their lot with Spur people. They are living in the W. M. Hazel property on West Harris Street and will be glad for friends to call on them.

Dr. Wylie is assuming the work of the late Dr. Morris and has his office at the Red Front Drug Store where he may be found by those needing his services.

Dr. Wylie has a splendid record as a citizen and is a fine physician. He is a man of much experience in his profession and is ethical in his practice.

## TENNIS TEAMS GO TO JAYTON MONDAY

The Spur tennis teams went to Jayton to play a return match with the Jayton boys Monday afternoon. The Spur double team consisting of Eldon Rawling and J. P. Carson won over the Jayton team with three straight sets, 6-1, 6-2 and 6-3. Morris Collett won in singles with a score of 6-2 and 7-5.

Spur's outlook for a winning tennis team grows as the days pass by. This is the second match that they have won from the Jayton boys.

"Well, I'll be doggoned!" See Mr. Barber as Jupiter, the Black Trump

## LITTLE JOYCE LANELLE GRAY DIES

Joyce LaNelle, little 5-weeks old infant of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Gray died last Friday afternoon. The little one contracted a cold which developed pneumonia.

Funeral services were held at the home a few miles northwest of Spur, Saturday afternoon, Rev. F. G. Rodgers, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiating. Interment was in Spur Cemetery.

Friends join in extending sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Gray and children in this sad hour.

## RECITAL

Mrs. J. W. Henry will present her music and expression pupils in a recital tonight, Thursday, March 12, at 8 o'clock in the East Ward school building. The public is invited to attend.

See the "Triangle of the leap in the dark"—Faculty Play.

## WANT ADS

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## NOTICE OF ELECTION

Notice is hereby given for an election to select four trustees for the Spur Independent School District, to serve the ensuing three years. Said election to be held on Saturday, April 4, 1931, at the Directors Room of the Spur National Bank. Foy Vernon is hereby appointed judge of the election. Candidates may file their names with the secretary of the school board, or upon petition of five or more voters of the district with the consent of the candidates names will be printed on the ballot.

L. E. LEE, President of the Board of Trustees.  
A. C. HULL, Secretary.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hale, who have been sojourning through Oklahoma the past few weeks, returned back home Friday.

After storm, a calm. See Poor Mr Neilson as "The Poor Married Man"

## OUTLOOK FOR POULTRY AND EGG PRICES GOOD

According to government reports sent a few days ago there is good indications for a better market for eggs and chickens in the future. Eggs already have taken an advance and this is the time when the price on this commodity usually takes a decline. As for poultry the records show that there is a great decline in the amount of storage at this time over a year ago.

At this time there is a decline in the amount of frozen poultry in storage of more than 40,000,000 pounds the past year. In regard to broilers in storage there is a decline of nearly 9,000,000 pounds over of that one year ago. Fryers there are 2,338,000 pounds less in storage today than one year ago. Roasters have declined in quantity nearly 11,000,000 pounds.

The above figures show that there is a decline in the present supply of poultry, and those people who devote a little attention to the raising of chickens this year, may be able to secure a reasonable compensation for their labor this fall. Eggs in all probability will be a good price later on in the year. Whoever profits by this will be those people who are prepared to take advantage of the opportunity.

Stone Department Store opens

## STONE DEPARTMENT STORE OPENS

What has been the C. E. Stone Company store has been closed out and a new store known as Stone Department Store is opening doors for business Saturday. A big price reduction sale is on and there are many real bargains being offered the people. See their full page ad on another page of this issue. Mr. Reid is in charge of the new business and is conducting the sale.

It never rains but it pours. See "The Poor Married Man".

## PROSPECTS LOOK BETTER FOR POULTRY

According to government reports for February there is now 40,229,000 pounds less poultry in storage now than there was one year ago. Eggs are going up in price. Indications are that both eggs and poultry will be selling at good prices by last of summer or early fall.

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Bee Brand Talcum Powder, 19: two for	.35
Hippo Washing Powder, 6 for	.25
Gold Dust Scrubbing Powder, 3 for	.25
Sunbright Cleanser, 3 for	.25
Mortons Free Running Salt, 3 for	.25
Assorted Spices, 3 for	.25

## HARDWARE

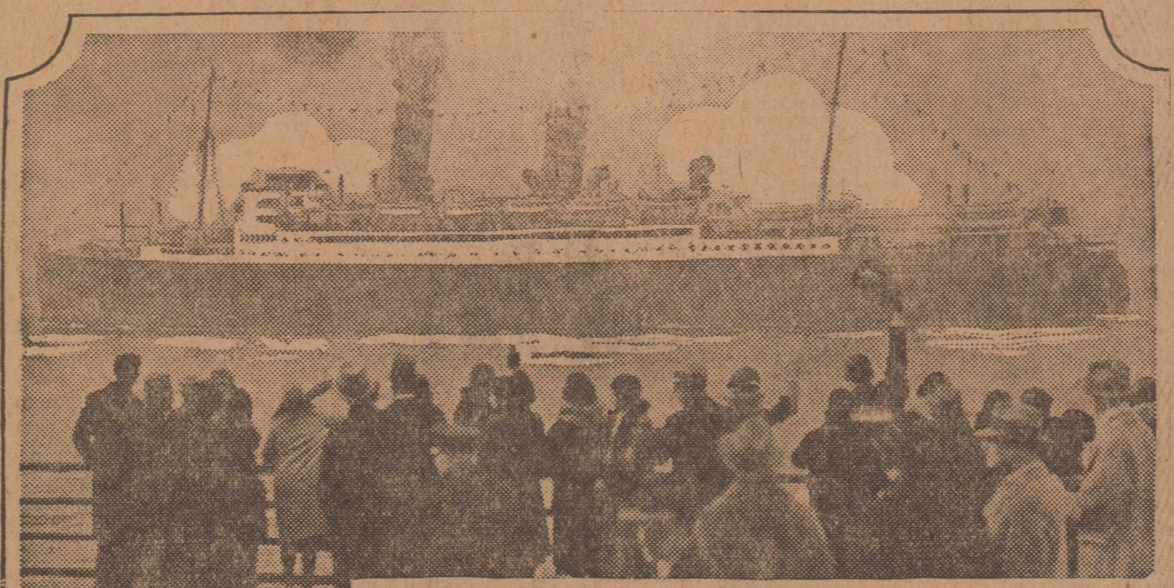
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shows the 20,000-ton Canadian Pacific liner Duchess of Bedford, a vessel well known to transatlantic travellers on the St. Lawrence route to Europe, just after she had started to the West Indies on her first 1931 cruise—a 29-day trip to the sunny Caribbean, famed for its tales of pirates in days of yore.

The Duchess of Bedford will make another trip to the West Indies, sailing from New York February 11. Her lucky passengers will visit Bermuda, Isles of Lilles and coral-built houses; San Juan, Porto Rico; the ancient and romantic port of Fort de France, on the French island of Martinique; Bridgetown, Barbados; Fort of Spain,

Trinidad, noted for its huge Pitch Lake, source of most of the world's asphalt; Havana, Paris of the New World, with its gay casinos and sidewalk cafes; and many other fascinating ports and places. She will return to New York March 12, whence she will depart for Liverpool to resume her regular transatlantic crossings on March 14. The Duchess of York, a sister ship of the Duchess of Bedford, will be seen leaving New York more frequently than the last-named vessel, for on January 31 she will enter the New York-Bermuda service, sailing regularly every Saturday until the middle of April.

# March Money Saving Specials

## EXTRA SPECIAL

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