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## Senator Duggan Announces For Congress

Arthur P. Duggan, of Littlefield and State Senator from the 30th Senatorial District, was in our city the last of the week and stated that he expects to be in the race for Congress for the new 19th Congressional District.

The 19th Congressional District is composed of 25 counties taken from the southern portion of the old 18th Congressional District which had been so ably served by Congressman Marvin Jones of Amarillo. It is composed of the following counties: Lamb, Bailey, Hale, Floyd, Cochran, Lubbock, Crosby, Dickens, King, Haskell, Yoakum, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Gaines, Dawson, Borden, Scurry, Andrews, Martin, Howard and Mitchell.

### Will Fight For This Section

Senator Duggan has spent his life in this section of Texas; has given liberally of his time in the development of West Texas; he enjoys the respect and confidence of the people and has made an excellent record in the State Senate.

He said, "I shall not expect to make a lot of speeches sent out to the people at government expense, but I do expect to do a lot of hard work on the floor, in committees and before departments, getting for the people of this district the things to which they are by right entitled." In discussing the Roosevelt program for general improved conditions he said, "It would be my plan to support him wholeheartedly in his efforts to return normal conditions, to raise prices of farm products, and cut costs of governments. Taxes are still entirely too high."

### Speaks at Rotary Club

While here Thursday Mr. Duggan was asked to take part on the program at the meeting of the Rotary Club. He is a Rotarian and a past president of the Littlefield Club. In his talk he said,

"Having spent my life in this section of Texas I feel that I know its needs as well as any man could know them. The homes of our people constitute the foundation on which the safety and security of our government rests. They form the basis of civilization itself. In my judgment it is more important for our government to save the homes of this nation than to save the big corporations. We know that untold millions of dollars of our tax money are going to protect and save big business. The recent Congress passed laws, we were told to save our homes. The administration of these laws as well as the \$200,000,000 Commissioners' Loan Fund were placed with the Federal Land Bank. Through low values and appraisals placed on the lands of West Texas by the Federal Land Bank appraisers the purpose of the law is being defeated. The long time and low interest rates promised to the people, through such loans, are being denied them because the efficient to cover existing encumbrance of loans offered are not sufficient. Unless this can be changed, and a square deal given our people, there will be many foreclosures soon and many homes lost."

"I have been personally to see the officials of the Federal Land Bank at Houston recently and have made a trip all the way to Washington protesting unfairness being done our people and asking for justice. An example of the present situation is this: "The Federal Department of Agriculture is now paying the farmers of Lamb County \$17 per acre lease for plowing up cotton, based on an average yield of 239 pounds of lint cotton over a period of five years. The Federal Land Bank appraisers value the same lands at from \$20 to \$25 per acre and recommend loans of only \$10 to \$12.50. Down in the black land section of the state the average lease being paid is from \$9 to \$11 per acre based on 132 pounds to 159 pounds of lint cotton per acre and he same land bank appraisers value the black land at \$105 per acre and loan them \$50. Similar conditions exist in regard to Williamson County, a black land county, and Hockley County, a West Texas county. We, out in West Texas, produce more cotton per acre and get more lease money, but the old prejudice against West Texas exists and we are not getting a square deal."

Senator Duggan is an excellent authority on statistics and devotes much time to a study of conditions of the various sections of the state. He is a student of tax conditions and has given much time studying tax plans.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Lucy M. Rucker, two daughters: Mrs. Wade Wright of Girard and Mrs. Russell Hawley of San Angelo, and some brothers and sisters.

Mr. Rucker was an active member of the Church of Christ and took much interest in community affairs. His influence was felt in every civic activity of his community and generally he was looked upon as the leader in the community in everything. He was a good business man and did much in a business way to assist his neighbors.

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## GRAND JURORS SELECTED FOR AUGUST TERM

The jury commissioners have selected the list of grand jurors to serve at the next term of district court for Dickens County beginning Monday, August 21. The following is the list selected from which twelve men will be qualified by the court:

W. T. Andrews, E. V. Arthur, L. R. Barrett, J. A. Bell, L. S. Bilberry, J. A. Garrison, E. D. Chambers, L. G. Crabtree, L. A. Durham, W. J. Collier, W. S. Smiley, G. F. Harris, S. J. Hickman, M. L. Blakely, J. E. Poote, A. M. Lay.

## Dry Goods Merchants Agree On N. R. A.

The program of the National Recovery Administration caused some consideration among the dry goods merchants of our city Monday. A meeting was held at which George S. Link, local manager of Bryant-Link Company presided. It was agreed that dry goods stores in Spur would open doors at eight o'clock each morning and close at six o'clock each evening. Extra provision will be made for Saturdays.

The employees of the various stores will go on the industrial recovery hour schedule and arrangements will be made to meet the demands of the new recovery law. Spur merchants want to cooperate with the government in every respect to bring back prosperity. They feel it will be much better times for the whole country if cotton gets back to twelve and fifteen cents per pound, wheat take a rising scale instead of downward, and hogs, chickens, cream and other farm products increase in price on the market. This will be done as the men who are now out of work can secure jobs and be able to supply their families with the needed food and clothing.

## Spur Mutual Pays Claims Promptly

The Spur Mutual has been called upon to pay two death claims within a week. Both claims were paid promptly before the funerals were held.

The claim of the late T. A. Johnson was paid Wednesday afternoon of last week (two hours after death). This claim was \$1552.50, and the amount showed that every assessment against the policy had been paid promptly. Mr. Johnson never missed paying a call on time. \$52.50 of the amount of the check was for returned calls. Mr. Johnson had been a member of Spur Mutual since November 1921.

The other claim was a check of \$1554 paid to Mrs. Lucy M. Rucker on the policy of her husband. This was the largest claim ever paid by the Spur Mutual since the return assessment of every call since June 1930 was included. Mr. Rucker carried this \$1500 policy for three years for the net cost of \$9.00. He met every death assessment promptly and \$54 was the amount of these assessments returned to his widow, 36 consecutive calls paid promptly.

If your membership is in the Spur Mutual, you can count on your loved ones being paid promptly at a time when they need it.

## G. P. RUCKER DIES AT CISCO SATURDAY

G. P. Rucker, 46, of Girard, died in Cisco Saturday night after a few hours illness. He was enroute to Stephenville to visit a brother.

Funeral services were held in Girard Monday afternoon, Wright Randolph, minister of Floydada, reading the funeral rites. A very large congregation paid their last respects to the deceased.

Mr. Rucker, who was in the grocery business at Girard, left sometime Saturday afternoon enroute to Stephenville to visit a brother and enjoy a few days vacation. Mrs. Rucker was visiting a daughter in San Angelo at the time and Mr. Rucker had planned to return by San Angelo from which point Mrs. Rucker would accompany him home. He became ill on the road and stopped in Cisco to get medical attention and lived about an hour and thirty minutes after stopping there.

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## CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY ANNIVERSARY

Mrs. Reese McNeill, of North Parker Avenue, was hostess Monday to a number of little friends in honor of her son's, Frank, sixth birthday anniversary. About thirty little folk were present and enjoyed games. Each guest received a "fly-back" and were served with ice cream and cake.

## TEXAS RELIEF BOND ISSUE

On August 26 every qualified voter will have an opportunity to vote for or against a Constitutional Amendment giving the Legislature of Texas power to issue in the next two years 20 million in Bonds to be used to help provide for the destitute and to match Federal funds such as we have been getting from the R. F. C. If the amendment fails to carry all Federal Funds will be cut off from Texas and then what will come of the good people who from no fault of their own are hungry and begging for a days work to buy food for their families. Texas has received from the R. F. C. since March 1st \$7,355,177 this has been used to help those who signed statements that they were destitute, and I believe they were. What will these people do if all this money is cut off.

Sure, we are looking for things to be better but it would be more than a miracle if millions are not needed this winter and much is needed now. It is easy to criticise the folks who are destitute but we should be careful for many of these are men who have seen better days and men that are willing to WORK at the most menial tasks. Texas should do her part. 42 millions is being given to the farmers of Texas for plowing up cotton. The federal government is doing more than its part. Vote for this amendment and help the unfortunate of our state. If it is not needed no bonds will be issued. When we go to vote let us think of that great and true statement, "Blessed are the merciful; for they shall obtain mercy."

Your friend, GEO. S. LINK.

## Industrial Code Now In Effect

The temporary industrial code of employment and fair competition as outlined by the President of the United States to be used until each industry gets a code adopted and approved became effective Tuesday. Many people in Spur have made plans to carry out the code.

This is the requirements of the federal industrial recovery act which requires certain regulations of employment in order that more persons in the country may secure jobs. It is required of all business and industrial firms who employ as many as three or more persons. The act requires that no person shall work more than a certain number of hours per week and shall be paid not less than 40 cents per hour for the time.

The act is applicable in towns of a population of 2500 people or more. All business firms agree not to reduce wages below the scale set, and that they will not require their help to work longer than 35 to 40 hours per week, depending on the class and character of work.

Several Spur firms have signed to cooperate with the President in this work hoping to bring about better times.

## DICKENS BALL CLUB ORGANIZED THREE WEEKS

The Dickens baseball club was organized three weeks ago with K. W. Street as manager and Tod Wiley as captain. During the time they have played seven games and won six, having lost their first game to Paducah. They play at Ralls Saturday in a hot game. Tuesday they play Swenson at Dickens and will get a return game with Ralls next Thursday.

Friday and Saturday of next week they will play at the West Texas Old Settlers reunion at the old Hank Smith home near Crosbyton. They are expecting some fine games these two days and people who are attending the reunion will have an opportunity to see this club perform.

The following is a list of citizens who are supporting the club: Sheriff Arthur, Mr. Eskridge, Gulf Filling Station, Homer Petty, Mr. Borden, Grundy Crego, Henry Bilberry, C. A. Gladish, B. Street, Hale & Speer, Judge Cloud, Fred Arrington, Mrs. Twaddell, Mrs. Cobb, Jim Gibbons, Earl J. Harkey, Ben Overstreet, Meadows and Walter, Jean Carroll, Robert Worswick, Walter Edwards, Dickens Lumber Company, W. D. Street.

## MAN HELD UP ON HIGHWAY 24

Bob Wellington, of Lubbock, was held up by two highjackers Wednesday evening on Highway 24 between Dickens and Crosbyton.

Mr. Wellington had been in Spur and sold an automobile to Mr. Chastain at the Sanders Pharmacy. He received a check of \$106.00 as a payment on the car and went to the Spur National Bank and cashed it. It appears that parties consummating the deed must have been in the bank and saw the amount received for the check. Mr. Wellington was stopped on the highway, but the men found something more than one dollar on him. They used abusive language and told him that he had \$106.00 in Spur, but they failed to find it.

The sheriff's departments of both Dickens and Crosby counties were notified, but no one has been taken into custody at this time.

Sheriff Arthur has made some investigations but nothing is conclusive at this time.

## ASTROLOGY READING

Advise on Occupation—Business—Love—Marriage—Family Life. How to Overcome Your Defects. Strictly Confidential. WILSON HOTEL—MADAM HART ROOM 25

Fred C. Haile, of the Spur Mutual, attended the game conservation meeting in Dawson County Friday night of last week.

## Spur Golfers Join In Lockney Tournament

A number of members of the Esplanade Golf & Country Club were in Lockney Sunday playing in the first of a series of tournaments being held by the Cap Rock Golf League.

The players started early on the 36 hole tournament which was divided into flights. Rain interfered with the closing round and those in charge did not have time to announce the winners in the various flights. It was thought that E. C. Stearns of Matarador, would be winner in the first flight. He had a score of 140 for the 36 holes, shooting 68 the first 18 holes and 72 on the last 18. It was thought that Oran Crump would be a close second.

Those from Spur were: W. T. Andrews, J. F. Clouse, Leonard Culbert, Charlie Powell, Clinton Barrett, T. A. Parrish, Bennie Adams (did not enter tournament), W. M. Bumpus, Geo. Hankins and Monk Rucker.

## BARBECUE FOR CLIFFORD B. JONES

A number of friends of Clifford B. Jones, administrator for the public works administration for District 7, gave a chicken barbecue in his honor at the Albin ranch Friday evening. Inviting Mr. Jones to be present at the appointed place and time they kept him in ignorance of what the program would be. They arrived at the place about seven o'clock and found the barbecue in first class condition and ready for service.

After everybody had eaten all the chicken they felt reasonably to eat, the remainder of the evening was spent in singing songs, telling stories, and making talks. Everybody proclaimed it an evening of real enjoyment, and the honoree was the central figure in the program.

Those taking part in the festival were: Hill Perry, John King, Fred Jennings, L. E. Lee, Dr. M. H. Brennan, Dr. Blackwell, Sam Z. Hall, W. B. Lee, G. J. Lane, F. G. Collett, E. S. Lee, M. D. Levy, W. T. Andrews, W. F. Godfrey, John A. Moore, Ned Hogan, J. P. Carson, L. R. Barrett, T. C. Ensey, Leland Campbell, V. L. Patterson, George S. Link, Jr., E. F. Laverty, H. O. Everts, M. C. Golding, W. E. Putman, W. P. Simpson, Cap McNeill, Reese McNeill, Dr. P. C. Nichols, A. C. Hull, Henry Alexander, H. O. Albin, James B. Chapman, W. M. Hazel, Alton B. Reed, Fred C. Haile, Wessler Williams, Geo. S. Link, E. A. Russell, L. R. Burrow, Dr. B. F. Hale and M. E. Manning.

This entertainment was staged at a very good time since Mr. Jones was called away Sunday. It is not known just where he went, but it was on official duties either to Washington or some other point. It is not known when he will return.

## ANNOUNCES MARRIAGE

Miss Neal Fortson, County Clerk, and Mr. W. K. Fowler of Dallas, were married at Clovis, New Mexico, Monday night, July 3. In speaking of their marriage Mrs. Fowler stated that it was July 3 in New Mexico but July 4 in Texas as the ceremony occurred at 11:30 in the evening.

Mr. Fowler, who is a brother to Zeke Fowler at Dickens, is a business man in Dallas. As soon as Mrs. Fowler regains her health enough she is going to Dallas to be with her husband while recuperating. After then she will return to Dickens to take charge of the affairs of her office. Mrs. Green is doing the work in the clerks office at this time.

## LEAVE FOR CHICAGO FAIR

Archer Powell, Marshall Formby, Spencer Campbell and Bernard Golding are leaving today for Chicago to attend the Century of Progress exposition for a few days. They are going by car overland and have not said just when they will return. They expect to spend several days studying the fair.

## STATE BOARD SETS PER CAPITA AT \$16

At a meeting of the State Board of Education in Austin Monday the scholastic apportionment for the year of 1933-34 was set at \$16 per capita. The amount to be paid was based on 1,570,365 scholastics.

This was the same as was allotted for the last year. However, six dollars of last years appropriation remains unpaid, but it is thought that three dollars will be liquidated by September 1. The Attorney General's Department has ruled that before any part of the 1933-34 apportionment can be paid all of the 1933 apportionment must be cleared up. W. O. Morrison, of Cameron, urged the board to ignore this ruling and arrange to pay next year's apportionment.

## Barbers Meet And Agree On Hours

The barbers in our city held a meeting Monday evening and agreed to observe the code adopted by the National Recovery Administration until they could get their regular code adopted. The meeting was one of harmony throughout and everybody concerned seemed to be anxious to cooperate with the President in his work of recovery. They agreed to open shops at eight o'clock each morning and close at six o'clock each afternoon except Saturdays on which days they will close at nine o'clock in the evening. This will enable each barber to have one day off during the week.

The barbers agreed on a price scale for Spur. The scale is higher than the depression prices but they are trying to carry out the "New Deal" and get prosperity back. See their combination advertisement on prices in this issue of the Times.

## A Review of the Short Course

The short course just closed was by far the best I have attended. People learn to do by doing; naturally it would follow that a short course conducted on the demonstration basis when farm men and women have an opportunity to do things the results are going to be more educational and lasting. Then I think the lectures and messages were especially helpful and timely.

Director Martin's opening message was the first high peak of the week's programs. He has added to the slogan of the past three years, 'Live-At-Home', four other axioms: 'Strive-At-Home', 'Save-At-Home', 'Invest-At-Home'. 'Farmers must be reorganized on that basis', he says.

Mrs. Leloise Skelley of Austin brought messages to each group of the girl's programs and to the women Monday morning on manners. "The Kindest Way", she says, "Hospitality is a mark of the degree of civilization". Her message was on the duties of the hostess included introductions, table service, and charm. "Consideration of others is the foundation of all charm," she said.

One of the most interesting lectures of the week was that of Dr. R. H. Montgomery, professor of economics, University of Texas, before the Texas Agricultural Workers' Association at the luncheon Monday when he told him the causes of the so-called depression and the way out.

Representative J. P. Buchanan, the speaker in the general assembly Tuesday morning told of devoting his entire time in the House to the cause of agriculture. "Agricultural education is the most important branch of education in the state. We need real homes in our rural districts. We are living in the most selfish age in the history of the world. We must inspire men with the great principle of the fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man."

Dr. T. O. Walton, president of A. and M. College, expressed his appreciation of the work of the farm men and women in Austin in April. Then he talked of the new propaganda concerning the support of education that is spreading over the nation. "I have no concern about the Democracy if the citizens are informed," he said. He admonished us to see with a clear mind; to be patient, with each other and with the people we come in contact; be willing to go more than half way.

Miss Bess Hefflin of the home economics department of State University, brought a message on the present trends in home economics. She said, "The most important trend is that of co-education in home-making" and left the question, "Are we helping homemakers with their family relationships problem?"

Judge Otis Miller of Jones County, discussed his new plan of county government, Wednesday morning. He says two things most needed are greed out of private business and graft out of public service.

Dr. Jessie W. Whitacre, of the Extension Research, made a report of her recent study of the diet of Texas school children including whites, negroes and Mexicans.

Director Martin, in his message to the agents, said, "The home is the nursery of education and the workshop

## First Monday To Be Big Day

The New Deal is on. It will be well to visit Spur next Monday and see how the new program works. Farmers will have an opportunity to bring in what they have to trade and get on swapping terms with their neighbors. It is announced that there is to be a program rendered, D. L. Granberry, Secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, will be in charge of that. Just what it is has not been given to the press but everybody will know Monday.

The merchants will have some attractive prices for those coming to Spur to trade. Spur merchants have always sold the best for less. They believe in good merchandise.

A hearty welcome awaits all who came Monday. The good rains have fallen, all should feel better, let's forget our troubles and get business going. Cotton is ten cents now and probably will go higher soon. Looks encouraging, don't it. Let's feel that way about it just for a change. Be in Spur Monday and help on with the New Deal.

## Nichols Sanitarium

Mrs. O. L. Kelley, city, operation last week is getting along fine.

Miss Polly Clemmons, city, operation last week, is doing fine.

Mrs. W. K. Fowler of Dickens, operation ten days ago, is getting along fine at this time.

Mrs. W. V. Carter, of Highway, underwent an operation Monday and is doing fine at this time.

Mrs. A. T. Martin, of Red Mud, operation some weeks ago, continues to improve.

Kirt Bingham, of Jayton, broken leg, continues to improve and is able to return home.

Mrs. D. I. Loe, of Steel Hill, underwent an operation Wednesday. Conditions seem to be favorable for her.

S. E. Shearer, of Girard, a tonsillotomy Tuesday, is getting along fine.

Jesse Gregory, of Gilpin, a medical patient, is getting along fine.

Terrell Hale, manager of Lander's Store here, returned from Colorado Monday where he had been in conference with Mr. Landers. Mr. Landers is building a summer home near Lamar, Colo., and probably will not be back in Spur for two or three weeks.

of industry. The work Extension agents are doing—the foundation on which it rests—is serving millions."

Miss Horton, state home demonstration agent, said, "Texas farm folk made an important date in the history of the state in Austin, April 17. That day farm folks were recognized more than ever before." She insisted that home agents were still meeting too many clubs too many years; that more responsibility must be developed; The agents need to take time to analyze the county and the work being conducted in it.

Miss Onah Jacks, Extension Specialist in Landscape Curdening, said we need to impress upon the demonstrators the principles of good yard work, "Concentrate your efforts with the cooperators."

In the demonstration on the making of grape juice, conducted by Mr. J. F. Rosborough, we found that the best flavored grape juice came from a combination of the Black Spanish grapes and the Herbmont using equal parts of each.

In the syrup making demonstration which was given each day with C. F. Walton of the U. S. Bureau of Chemistry and Soils, Washington, D. C. in charge, molasses were made from Hastings Sugar Sorghum, Honey Sorghums, Orange Sorghum, and Goose-neck Sorghum.

Three rug making demonstrators from different parts of the state assisted Miss Mamie Lee Hayden, Home Industry Specialist, in the demonstrations making hooked rugs and mats. A beautiful exhibit of rugs and mats was on display all week.

Dr. Bradford Knapp addressed the general assembly Thursday morning. He said, "It is a privilege to have lived through this period. The opportunities for service are great that lie just before us. There can be but little happiness to those who contribute nothing to the happiness of others."

In the meeting of the Texas Home Demonstration Association, Mrs. Ben Anthony, president, reported that there were 40,000 club women in the state this year, that there were 708 club delegates and 79 council delegates at the Short Course this year.

Each day Mr. Thomas and Mr. Renner of the Extension Service, conducted demonstrations on the making of butter, American and cottage cheese Friday was given over to achievement programs in the woman's work, including bedroom improvement, wardrobe, and farm food supply.

We would not forget the music and games when Miss Mary Wilson, San Antonio, had charge of the general assembly programs and the night programs. It was a great short course and one that will live long in the lives of those who attended.

—Miss Clara Pratt, H. D. A.

## MARRIED SEVERAL WEEKS AGO

Miss Lizzie Morgan of Spur and Mr. Robert Boyer of Clovis, New Mexico, were married June 6. They became acquainted with each other while Miss Morgan was working in Borger.

They are citizens of Spur being engaged in the cafe business. They are changing the name of their cafe to "Queen Cafe". Mr. Boyer has had much experience in the cafe business, and they ask their friends to visit them and try out their service.



**The College Problem**

College is no "snap." It is a real task. It has its definite problems which challenge the best in every youth. Can you solve them? Here they are:

**Problem One—GOING.** Can I go? Yes, if you have the money. Many thousands young men and women do not have the money nor can they find a job, thus they will be denied the ad-

vantages of higher education. **SOLUTION:** Here is an EASY and effective solution. GET A BUSINESS EDUCATION. Many who are attending our school at this moment are doing so as a means to a six-year professional education. Several of our graduates are now in college successfully earning their board, room, tuition, and in some instances, maintaining a cash reserve. Not a few of the most successful professional men and women of the Southwest have used our commercial training courses as a means to securing their education. A business education will double the average person's chances to go to college—it will make going EASY.

**Problem Two—STAYING.** Can I Stay? Maybe you can, but the chances are against you. Only ten per cent of those who enter ever graduate. Ninety per cent fall by the wayside—pathetic expensive! Though you can GO, ask yourself a hundred times, can I stay? College values are assured only to the STICKERS.

**SOLUTION:** Train yourself to be ACCURATE. Some students stumble, blotch, blur, and blunder themselves out of college. They are literally knocked out with a red pencil. Many others cut their grades to the minimum passing grade. The Business School furnishes a preparatory disciplinary training in accuracy, which is not only necessary in life's later battles, but which makes the details and technicalities of future college work delightful and EASY.

Many students quit college because they cannot KEEP UP. They never leave college. College leaves them. They lack the "double-quick" step. They are short in speed. Business Schools specialize in SPEED TRAINING. They prepare one for the college race, as well as for the split-second age. They emphasize speed with the pen, typewriter, figures, speedy decision and execution. They put wings on one's words by the latest shorthand methods, so that every phrase of the class room lecture may be preserved. Several of the most illustrious men have been experts in the use of shorthand and have recommended it to all prospective college students.

Thousands of students do not stay in college because they lack DEFINITE PURPOSE. Upon entering they have no idea of what they can do best, or even want to do. Thus, school becomes monotonous, boring, hard and they quit. They need general orientation, specific direction, a breathing spell, contacts with the great pulsating business world and men of affairs. They must find themselves and have a purpose, or they will be numbered with the ninety per cent who DROP OUT.

**Problem Three—GETTING.** Can I Get the Most? Hundreds of thousands of young people will enter college this year. Of those who pursue their courses for a while, some will receive no

benefit whatever, many will be moderately helped, but only a few will receive the maximum blessing. The predominant and final question, therefore, of every college student should be: How can I get the most out of my course?

**SOLUTION:** Train yourself in business first. Until recently slight emphasis has been placed upon business training as a means to a more adequate preparation for effective college work. Students have been advised to go to college and then take a business course. This is but another illustration of "PLACING THE CART BEFORE THE HORSE". College records will show that, other things being equal, the business trained college student makes better grades. Such students are not only able to KEEP UP but to KEEP AHEAD, and this is part of the glory of college life.

College is impossible for some, hard for many, easy for a few. Our specially arranged Business Training Course will make it EASY for you. With it you can go to college, stay in college, and get the most out of your work while there. A few months of intensive training with us will solve your four year college problem. Write for our catalog. It tells you how.

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**HIGHWAY**

Mrs. Vernon Powell has been in Fort Worth the past week with her mother who is very ill at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cox and children of Matador, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pen Howell this week.

We are rejoicing over the fine rain that fell Sunday night. The West End community had received practically no rain since crops were planted.

Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Futtrell and two daughters, Pauline and Valera, of Lamesa, visited his sister, Mrs. Bob Hahn and family over the week end.

Mrs. John D. Huffstедler had two of her friends, Mrs. Archer and Mrs. Bird of Hood County, to visit her last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hahn visited his aunt, Mrs. F. M. Hahn at Girard Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bilberry have had as their guests this week, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tisdale of near Houston.

Mrs. John D. Huffstедler is visiting her sister in Fort Worth who is ill.

Hugh Denson has been in the Nichols Sanitarium the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Hinson returned to their home at Kalgary Sunday after a two weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pen Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Bilberry visited relatives on the plains Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree announce the arrival of a fine grandson, Carl, Jr., The young man arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tree of Jayton on Saturday, July 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Robinett of Kalgary, were visiting relatives here last Wednesday.

A good crowd was out to Sunday School Sunday.

A large crowd enjoyed the play at the school house Friday night. The characters were well chosen.

Jim Foster moved some of his cattle from his farm to other pastures last week.

Most of the Highway folks were visiting and shopping in Spur Saturday.

**RED TOP—CATFISH**

I just wonder if all will be glad to again see their names in print? If so try to help me by handing in bits of news.

Not any use for me to make excuses for not writing the past month or so as all the neighbors know I just failed to write and get the write up in on time.

And to tell the truth I hate to write blue news and everyone was so blue that nothing was happening but growls and complaints and we could hear enough without reading in the paper.

But we in these parts at least have been blessed with some good rains, which has made their crop efforts look so much better and the cotton acreage reduction is going over, just makes every one feel so much better.

The Catfishites decided two or three months ago to all get together and learn to play together as well as work and they have been meeting once a week on Friday or Saturday night and really enjoying each other's company in the old time plays and games.

We are having church every third Sunday afternoon and now we have organized a Sunday school for every Sunday morning. Met last Sunday with a good crowd and hope to do as well every Sunday. Every one come on and fill their place and we will have a Sunday school some one else will be wanting to come and take part in.

Plowing up cotton seems to be the order of the day, and every one is plowing it up to where the cotton is so large sure is a job but then the men want to earn their money and they know it must be plowed up before any ray comes.


Mattie Howell went to town Saturday found a way to Lower Red Mud so is getting to attend the meeting which Brother Bilberry is holding.

Ray Stoneman, wife and little son, of Peaceful Hill, were down in Catfish community last Saturday night and Sunday visiting in the Ed Fuqua home. Mr. and Mrs. Fuqua are Mrs. Stoneman's parents. The little son was quite sick while here and have not heard since, but hope he is better by now.

Another Catfish neighbor is sold on caponizing, so Jake Jones come for Mrs. Howell to show him how to use the instruments and they caponized 20 Plymouth Rock chickens.

Despite the plowing up of cotton, Red Top and Catfish were both well represented at Spur Saturday.

Melvin Rankin got to drive Mrs. Bruce Ford's car to Arizona, saved him the expense of a trip as he meant

  
Stated Conclave of Spur  
COMMANDERY  
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Second Tuesday in each month.  
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Daily	Sun	Fare	Fare	Daily
AM	Only		Only	PM
10:00	1:30	.00	Ar 3.00	11:00
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**THE FAIR STORE**

"TRUE TO ITS NAME"

Our Mr. Gabriel is in Chicago and St. Louis buying Fall Merchandise. But we advise you to visit THE FAIR STORE at this time. You will pay more later and our store is stacked with merchandise you will need this fall. We bought everything we could in advance of the rapid rise in prices, we did that to save you money, so buy your needs before the tax goes on September 1. Remember we are selling you merchandise at the Old Prices. Make out your list and fill it at THE FAIR STORE.

**Specials for Friday, Saturday, First Monday**

AUGUST 4, 5 and 7th.

**LADIES HOUSE DRESSES**



One Lot of Print House Dresses, guaranteed fast color, lovely styles. Your choice for only

**49c**

**NEW FALL FELT HATS**

Hat and scarf to match, one of the nifty sets for school and sport wear. Special—

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All shades, full fashioned ONLY

**49c pr.**

**LADIES HATS**

One lot, all styles and colors, your choice

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**Mens Overalls**

The best work overall you ever wore, all reinforced, triple stitched for only—

**49c**

**Boys Overalls**

Boys OVERALLS all same quality for only

**49c**

**MENS SCOUT SHOES**

One of the best work shoes, guaranteed to be all leather, insole outsole sewed and tacked soles. SPECIAL—

**\$1.49**

**MENS WORK SHIRTS**

Extra good quality of Work Shirt, triple stitched. Your for ONLY—

**39c**

**NEW FAITH!**

Faith is wonderful, without faith little would be left.

It is a delightful thought that we all have new faith in the

**NEW DEAL**

Capable leaders have planned this new deal and we are entering into it with confidence and enthusiasm.

We believe before a great while every thing will look better for everybody and then life will be better worth while.

**TRADES DAY**

Next Monday is trades day and hundreds of people will come to Spur. We invite you to our store for many good values.

**PRICE TREND**

The trend of prices are upward—this is well known and while it will be our policy to sell in all cases as low as consistent.

**MARKET TRIP**

Our buyers are leaving this week for Chicago and St. Louis markets to prepare for this Fall's business. Much care and thought will be used in selecting merchandise that will sell and please the people of Spur and trade territory.

**Henry Alexander & Co.**

"The Friendly Store"

to go prospecting. Mrs. Ford's daughter, Mrs. English, lives out there.

Charlie McLaughlin, of McAdoo, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Carl Randolph, of Afton, was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

D. G. Simmons, of Duck Creek, was looking after business affairs here Monday.

M. E. Franklin, of Prairie Chapel, was looking after business matters and greeting friends here Saturday.

D. W. Sims, of Afton, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

H. C. Eldridge and family, of McAdoo, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

Bob Allen, of Croton, was greeting friends and looking after business matters here Monday.

Miss Estelle Harkey, of Dickens, was shopping in our city Saturday.

**Are YOU HAPPY After Meals**

Or Do Gas on Stomach and Sour Stomach make you Miserable?

Too much food, or the wrong kind of food, too much smoking, too much beer, make your body over-acid. Then you have distress after eating, gas on stomach, heartburn, sour stomach.

ALKA-SELTZER relieves these troubles promptly, effectively, harmlessly.

Use Alka-Seltzer for Headache, Colds, Fatigue, "Morning After Feeling," Muscular, Sciatic and Rheumatic Pains.

Alka-Seltzer makes a sparkling alkaline drink. As it contains an analgesic (Acetyl-Salicylate) it first relieves the pain of everyday ailments and then by restoring the alkaline balance corrects the cause when due to excess acid.

Alka-Seltzer tastes like carbonated mineral spring water—works like magic. Contains no dangerous drugs... does not depress the heart... is not laxative.

Get a drink at your Drug Store Soda Fountain. Keep a package in your home medicine cabinet.



For COLDS HEADACHE NEURALGIA FATIGUE RHEUMATISM SOLIDIO NEURITIS PERIODIC PAINS



Claude Atkinson, of Chandler, was looking after business matters here Monday.

**GIRARD**

M. Yandell of Jayton, was greeting friends here Sunday of last week. Alf Parks and family spent last week in Kerrville.

The young folks enjoyed a musical and cream at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Gilbert Tuesday night.

Mr. Jones of Seminole, spent part of last week here. Several of the young folks attended the social at Mullins Saturday night.

Samintha Beaver spent the first of last week in Lubbock. Otis Peek of DeLeon, is visiting relatives here at this writing.

M. L. Luna made a business trip to Jayton Tuesday.

Mrs. Burrow is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. Peek.

Mrs. Bill Vencil has returned from a two weeks visit in Carbon.

Sanford Cooper has returned from a two weeks vacation in Stephenville.

Clinton Edwards, of Jayton, was visiting here Sunday.

Jimmy Koonsman is visiting at Seminole at this writing.

Alvin Luna was a Jayton visitor Tuesday.

Miss Maxine Maxwell of Carbon, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Vencil.

Grandma Langford of Snyder, spent part of last week here with John Langford and family.

Uncle Marion Hahn made a business trip to Aspermont Wednesday.

John Langford and family made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday.

Raleigh Beaver was a Spur visitor Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Boland spent last week in Stephenville with relatives.

F. T. Whitaker of Jayton, was attending to business here Friday.

Misses Grace Langford and Lola

Mae Oiliff made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday.

Supt. Rogers and wife spent several days here last week.

W. L. Coons of Abilene, spent the week end here with friends. Mr. Coon taught school here in 1930.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Turner of Ranger, spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. Barnett.

The Baptist meeting is now in progress. Everyone is urged to attend.

Carney and Pete Sherer were Spur visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boland spent Sunday in Swenson.

Mrs. M. Yandell of Jayton, spent Monday here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cooper and children of Erick, Oklahoma, were visiting relatives here the first of the week.

**HOW THE DOMESTIC ALLOTMENT PLAN WORKS**

A rough idea of how the domestic allotment plan for aiding wheat farmers is intended to work out in practice is given by Texas A. and M. College Extension Service officials in the case of the well known John Doe.

John's three year average (1930-31-32) of wheat production has been 12 bushels per acre on 100 acres. If he signs the three year contract with the Government to reduce his acreage for 1934 and 1935 as directed by the Secretary of Agriculture he will be paid this fall and next spring an extra 90 cents per bushel on the domesticated and humanly consumed portion of 1200 bushels—the three-year average production. John's wheat, however, blew out in the high spring winds and he harvested no wheat at all this year. That doesn't matter. He will get his payments just the same, for the wheat plan includes this crop insurance feature. The Administration has decided that 50% is the portion of the 1933 crop that will go into domestic human consumption. This means that John would be paid 30 cents per bushel for 600 bushels, \$120 soon after September 15th and the remaining \$60 next spring.

Now suppose in the fulfillment of his contract, the Secretary orders John to reduce his planting this fall 20% under his three-year average. John's three-year average has been 100 acres, yield 12 bushels, and production 1200 bushels. Cutting off 20% would indicate a 1934 yield of 960 bushels. If 50% is declared again as the portion domestically and humanly consumed in the United States, John's allotment—the part on which he would be paid in the fall of 1934 and spring of 1935 the equivalent of any processing taxes levied next year—would be 480 bushels. He would have to plant enough acres to produce this amount, 40 acres at 12 bushels per acre, and as much more as he desires up to 80 acres. His 1934 payments would be made on this 480 bushel allotment. What they would be no one can say for no one knows what the processing tax for the 1934 crop will be. That point will be determined by the cents per bushel that will have to be added to the 1934 wheat price to bring wheat prices up to the general price level.

The same process would be repeated in 1934-35. At no time can the Secretary of Agriculture order a cut of more than 20%. It is said that the cut this fall will probably be 15%.

Now when John signs his three-year contract (it gives three years of benefits in exchange for two years of acreage production) he at once becomes a member of his county wheat production control association. He would have a part in electing the executive committee of this organization. He would report his three-year average yield and acres to the committee and they would have it published along with all the others in the local newspaper. If John's neighbors protest that he is out of line in his statements the committee would have to check up on him. If the sum of all individual farm allotments in the county (unsigned acreages taken into account) exceeds the county allotment, the association would have to make adjustments of all acreages. The cost of all this local work is estimated to amount to an average of about 2 cents per bushel, and would probably be deducted in some way from John's payments.

Should John fail to keep his contract next year the Government would declare his 1933 payments liens against his future crops and collect it back. If he should sell or rent his farm his successor would have to carry out the contract. But if John is loyal in living up to his contract and farms his allotted acres in a workmanlike manner he will get his payments whether he makes a crop or not.

Extension Service officials point out again that the plan in its present form would discriminate against many Texas farmers because state and county allotments are based on five-year averages while the individual farm allotment is based on three years. Wheat acreages in Texas are increasing, they explain, and hence Texas would have to reduce an average of 28% under the 1932 acreage if a 20% cut were ordered. In 45 of the 65 counties that produce 100,000 bushels or more per year, farmers would have to cut 25% or more if a 20% cut is ordered. A brief has been filed with the Administration pointing this out and asking for readjustments of the plan.

An educational campaign to explain the plan and organize county wheat production control associations will probably be started by county agents sometime about mid-August, Director O. B. Martin of the Extension Service says.

**SERVICES AT SOLDIER MOUND SUNDAY**

Rev. Jesse Terry, of Plainview, will preach at Soldier Mound church Sunday morning and evening. People are invited to hear him. The membership of that church are preparing for a revival to begin in the near future. The date may be announced next Sunday.

F. L. Byars, of Prairie Chapel, was transacting business in our city Monday.



**S.ated Meeting of SPUR LODGE**  
No. 1023 A. F. & A. M.  
Thursday night on or before each full moon. Visitors welcome.  
JIM CLOUD, W. M.  
W. R. KING, Secretary.

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Suffer no more! Here's real relief at last for all forms of Piles—Blind, Bleeding, Itching and Protruding. Pazo Ointment does all the things necessary, in the manner necessary. First, it soothes—relieves the soreness and inflammation. Second, it heals—repairs the torn tissue. Third, it absorbs—dries up excess mucus and reduces the swollen blood vessels which are Piles.

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**RALLY BEHIND PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND ADOPT THE BLANKET NATIONAL RECOVERY CODE**

This necessitates shorter store hours, and at a meeting held Monday, the following resolutions were passed and adopted:

In consideration of the promises of others: we, the undersigned, agree to open our establishments not earlier than 8:00 a. m. and close them not later than 6:00 p. m. each working day, (with the exception of Saturday) on Saturday, we agree to open our stores not earlier than 8:00 a. m. and close not later than 9:00 p. m.

We also agree not to open our establishments on Sunday, except in case of emergency, due to death or sickness, etc.

It is understood and agreed that for the two weeks previous to Christmas Holidays, this agreement may be changed.



**N. R. A. MEMBER**



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SPUR, TEXAS  
The Store of Little Profit

**Bargain Days**  
Friday, Saturday and First Monday

**NOTICE**

Please take advantage of your opportunity to buy at our present Prices, as they are still very low. These Low Prices will hold through Bargain Days.

Everything we have in our Big Store is still very low, that they are likely to be higher soon, that the advanced prices on labor and raw material make substantial advances in the Price of Goods inevitable within a short time.

**Open Your Eyes to These Values**

**Every Ladies SUMMER HAT**

Value to \$3.95. Bargain Days. All this year's styles

**49c**

**Heaviest OUTING**

36 Inches wide. Bargain Days.

**10c yd.**

**BEST QUALITY SHIRTING CHEVIOT**

**10c yd.**

**Solid Color BROADCLOTH**

36 inches wide. Every wanted Color. Bargain Days

**10c yd.**

**8 oz. FEATHER TICKING**

This is the last time at this Price. Limit 20 yards.

**14c yd.**

**FAST COLOR PRINTS**

36 in. wide, new and large assortments of Fall Patterns. Bargain Days

**10c yd.**

**80 Square PRINTS**

36 in. wide. Fast Colo. This is the highest grade print cloth made

**12c yd**

**PURE SILK FLAT CREPE SLIPS**

**\$1.00**

**Pure Silk All FLAT CREPE**

All summer and new fall shades. Should sell for 79c

**49c yd**

**All White BERETS**

Value to 79c. Bargain Days. Some slightly soiled

**10c**

**Bird Eye DIAPERS**

Last Time at This Price Hemmed 12 to package Sie 27 by 27. Last time Price

**79c pkg**

**BEST QUALITY Premium SHEETS**

Size 81 by 90. Bargain Days. Worth more at wholesale

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**BEST QUALITY FULL STANDARD SHEETING**

9-4 Bleached. 10-4 Brown Bargain Days

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A real Bargain worth much more. Premium and Druid quality. We have sold this sheeting as high as 45c. We reserve the right to limit. Last time at this price.

**Ladies & Childrens LINEN SANDALS**

Leather soles Bargain days

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**36 in. White INDIAN HEAD**

**16c yd**

**Boss Ball THREAD**

BOX OF 30 BALLS

**30c box**

**ALL SILK ROUGH CREPE**

**49c yd**

**Full Fashioned SILK HOSE**

Service and Sheer Weight

**49c**

Last time at this Price

**Every Men's STRAW HAT**

Bargain Days

**49c**

**Boys Heavy OVERALLS**

All sizes to 18 years. The last time Price

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**Men's Blue OVERALLS**

All sizes to 44. The last Time Price

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**MENS AND BOYS CAPS**

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**MENS AND BOYS BETTER CAPS**

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**Boys Blue and Grey Stripe Work Pants**

Heaviest and Best Quality

**75c**

**MEN'S BEST QUALITY WORK PANTS**

**79c**

Blue, Gambler stripe, grey and tan. Covert Cloth.

**Boys PLAY SUITS**

Sizes up to 8 years

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**300 YARD SIX STRAND SEWING THREAD**

3 Spools

**25c**

**Rayon Bloomers and Stepins**

All sizes

**19c**



### A New Cotton Marketing Plan

A new cotton marketing plan which will shift control into the hands of county units, as compared to the previous statewide control, is receiving the enthusiastic approval of West Texas growers, as expressed in a series of mass meetings during the latter part of July.

More than twenty-six hundred farmers took part in the gatherings at which C. O. Moser, vice-president of the American Cotton Cooperative Association, explained the new set-up. Mr. Moser said that the local offices of the Texas Cotton Cooperative Association at Lubbock last year handled cotton at a cost of 21 cents a bale, but that on account of the average costs for other parts of the State coming to \$1.45 a bale, the Lubbock members had to pay that higher amount.

"Under the plan of local organization being set up in West Texas," Mr. Moser said, "the Lubbock members

would have paid only 21 cents of their local costs, plus a district cost of probably less than that, making their total cost around a dollar a bale less than under the state-wide plan.

"Local organizations which had higher expenses than Lubbock would have carried the burden themselves, rather than putting part of it on the Lubbock office."

Under approval of the state association, the West Texas Cotton Growers Association was chartered February 4, with T. E. Alvis, of Roby, a director of the state organization, as its president, and B. Walters, Rule, also a T. C. C. A. director, on the board of the association. When the West Texas Association was recognized in July by the American Cotton Cooperative Association, G. Y. Lee, Eden, was elected to serve as the West Texas body's representative on the board of the national. In addition to those named, the directors of the West Texas Association include the following, all veteran cotton growers: R. D. Buchanan, Colorado; J. L. Carroll, Snyder; S. E. Clark, Abilene; Hugo B. Haterius, Avoca; C. W. Lee, Bomarton; and J. L. Wilkinson, Coleman.

Clyde Daniel, formerly district manager at Abilene for the T. C. C. A., has been elected manager of the new association, and V. A. (Pete) Taylor, member of the A. C. C. A. sales force for a number of years, has been made A. C. C. A. representative in charge of purchases, sales, classing and financing. The West Texas association has contracted with the A. C. C. A. to sell its cotton to the national agency, as long as the latter's price is in line with competitive prices, otherwise the West Texas association being at liberty to sell where it pleases. On cotton sold to A. C. C. A., members of the West Texas association will receive one-half the re-sale profits, if any, the remainder going into the A. C. C. A. members.

At most of the meetings which Mr. Moser recently addressed, the audience was asked to express itself by a show of hands as to approval or disapproval of recent policies and activities of the American Cotton Cooperative Association, and the response was unanimously in approval. At a meeting in Colorado, attended by growers from several counties, a resolution was adopted calling attention to the service which the co-ops rendered at Washington in the past few years, and "pledging support in further activity along the same line, particularly in preparing and carrying out a plan for control of cotton acreage next year.

### N. R. A.

In accordance with the National Recovery Administration we have instituted the following office hours effective as of August 1, 1933.

Week days (except Saturday) Open 8:00 a. m., Close 5:00 p. m.

Saturday open 8:00 a. m. Close 1:00 p. m.

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## Spur Barbers

### BEHIND PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT AND ADOPT THE BLANKET NATIONAL RECOVERY CODE

In adopting the N. R. A. code it means shorter hours, and at a meeting held Monday night it was agreed to open our shops not earlier than 8:00 a. m. and close them not later than 6:00 p. m. each working day, (with the exception of Saturday). On Saturday we will open not earlier than 8:00 a. m. and close not later than 9:00 p. m.

Our shops will not be open on Sunday.

ALSO IT WAS AGREED THAT OUR PRICES WOULD BE CHANGED TO MEET THE 8 HOUR CONDITION AND IN ORDER TO CARRY THE NEW DEAL THROUGH. WE ASK THE PUBLIC TO GIVE US THEIR COOPERATION.

- Hair Cuts ..... 40c
- Shaves ..... 25c
- Plain Shampoo ..... 40c
- Massage ..... 40c
- Neck Clip (use clippers only) .. 15c
- Fitch Shampoo ..... 50c
- Any Medicated or Oil Shampoo. 75c
- Neck Shaved ..... 15c

### WE WILL DO OUR PART

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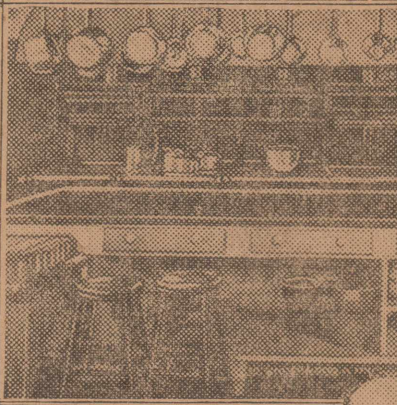
# THE Camrrol



JIMMIE MATTERN dined on beefsteak with Ralph Hitz, president of the Hotel New Yorker, the night before he left for the first lap of his solo world flight. News of his progress cleared through his headquarters at the New Yorker Hotel.



HARRIMAN IN COURT with Physician—Former chairman of the Harriman National Bank at New York Federal Court Building. The banker's trial was postponed to June 19.



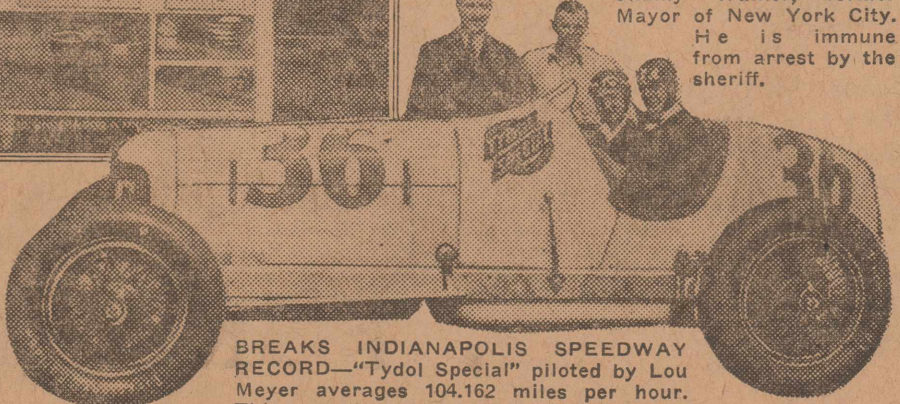
HAM AND FOR F. D.—The first exclusive photo of the White House kitchen, where Mrs. Roosevelt is said personally to supervise the preparation of meals for the President and family. No other first lady has permitted photographers to enter these hitherto sacred premises.

A good number in the garage—and that goes for the weather, doubt!

BEER HELPS US TURN THE CORNER—The thirteen million dollars poured into the public treasury in April in beer taxes was only a drop in the bucket and in two years Federal revenue from beer bill exceed \$300,000,000 annually, is the forecast of C. D. Williams, secretary of the U. S. Brewers' Association.



RUSSELL T. SHERWOOD and his bride in New York, as he appeared before the Federal Grand Jury. He had been sought to testify before the Seabury Commission in regard to the business deals of Jimmy Walker, former Mayor of New York City. He is immune from arrest by the sheriff.



BREAKS INDIANAPOLIS SPEEDWAY RECORD—"Tydol Special" piloted by Lou Meyer averages 104.162 miles per hour. This was the only car in the race using Tydol gasoline and Veedol motor oil and the first time that a straight 100% Pennsylvania mineral oil had been used in a Miller racing motor.

In order that improvement in price obtained this season may be preserved and increased, the resolution said that many cotton producers of West Texas have profited \$15 to \$20 a bale through the delayed payment of seed loans and collateralization above market prices, obtained through influence of the cotton co-ops, and also that the co-ops were "largely instrumental in preparation and passage through Congress of the acreage plan now going into effect, and turned over to the federal government the cotton through which the option feature of the plan was made possible."

### BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

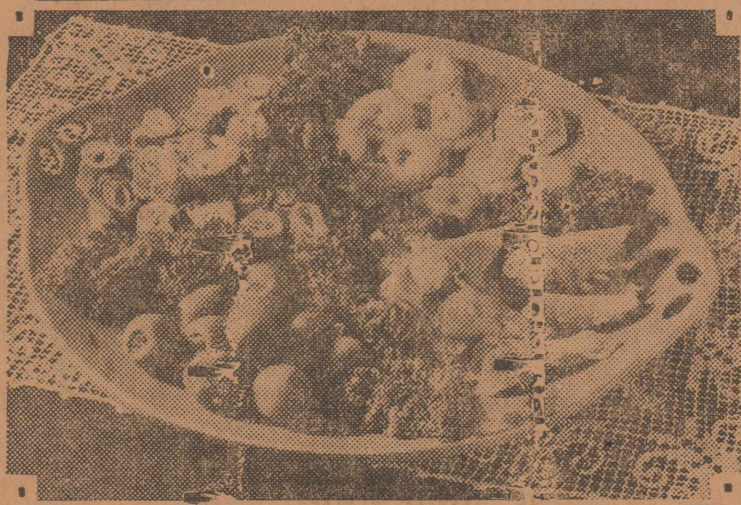
July 16 the following members of the B. S. U. of Simmons University were present: Miss Carpenter, Mrs. Smith, Misses Callie and Bess Ross, Lottie Ingram, Wesley Atkins and R. T. Barton. At the eleven o'clock hour service they brought an interesting and helpful message on Christian service. In the evening they presented a pageant on missions, representing America, Japan, Mexico, and the Indian people. The last three named are looking to America to bring the message of the cross. Are we doing our duty towards them?

The pastor has been in a meeting with the church at Flomot since Sunday night, July 16. On last Sunday morning Rev. Harder, pastor at Flomot, filled the pulpit here. Bro. Rodgers will return the latter part of the week to be here at the beginning of our meeting. Let each of us be ready to give our time and service to the meeting. All services will be held at the regular hours Sunday.—Reporter.

### SUPERINTENDENTS ATTEND SHORT COURSE

Mrs. Madge D. Twaddell, county school superintendent, returned from College Station Monday where she had been attending the summer short course of school superintendents. She stated that State Superintendent L. A. Woods and about 25 others from the State Department of Education were present and the attendance by County Superintendents was greater than ever before. Like all others who attend the summer short course, Mrs. Twaddell paid her own expenses. The state does not make any provision for funds for this work. However, she stated that it was well worth the time and money as she considers this work far

### APPETIZERS DON NEW DRESS



By Marye Dahnke, Kraft Cheese Institute. Food fashions come and food fashions go—from truffles to hot likker! Dishes that have had lowly beginnings occasionally attain distinction on our better tables; and many a socially elegant dish has lost caste in a few generations. But the service of cheese appetizers is one food tradition which has been the fashion down the ages. Tid-bits prepared with the smooth-textured cheese of early Roman civilization graced the banquet tables of Lucullus. This most enduring food fashion is popular today as it was centuries ago. Although the cheese appetizer is almost as old as the history of culinary art, there are some intriguing new variations of the age-old specialties. A survey of the fashionable debut

of the year in Chicago reveals the fact that the one indispensable item was the cheese appetizer—in either a familiar or new form. Here 4'Oeuvres CHIPPED BEEF ROLLS Spread large thin slices of chipped beef with "Philadelphia" Cream Cheese which has been slightly softened with milk. Roll up each slice like a jelly roll and place in the refrigerator for several hours. When ready to serve, cut the rolls into three-quarter inch crosswise slices. HAM CORNUCOPIAS Cut very thin slices of baked ham into two-inch squares. Spread each square generously with "Philadelphia" Cream Cheese which has been slightly softened with milk. Roll each square into a cornucopia, or tiny horn-of-plenty. SHRIMPETTES Marinate whole cooked shrimps in French dressing for several hours. Drain, and place each shrimp on a small hexagonal cracker.

## THE SPUR NATIONAL BANK

### PLEDGES ITS WHOLE-HEARTED SUPPORT TO THE N. R. A.



The Spur National Bank is in sympathy with our President and the National Recovery Administration in a supreme effort to rid our nation of devastating unemployment.

We are glad to cooperate in this momentous drive which will mean so much to the happiness of loyal American citizens and all employes in Spur trade territory, in Texas and in the United States.

Count on us in every way to do our bit in assisting to bring prosperity back, to assist farmers to get better prices and to secure employment for all laborers.

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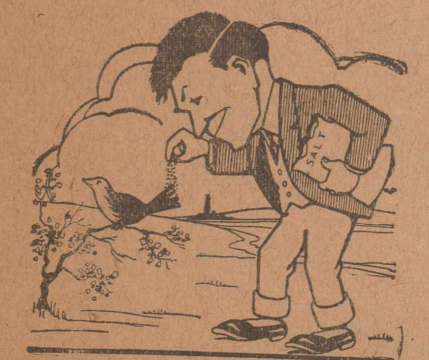
JOINS IN BANDIT HUNT IN NEW MEXICO

Sheriff W. B. Arthur returned from New Mexico Sunday morning where he had been assisting with a raid against bandits in Lincoln County. The raid had been prompted as a result of killing five peace officers within the

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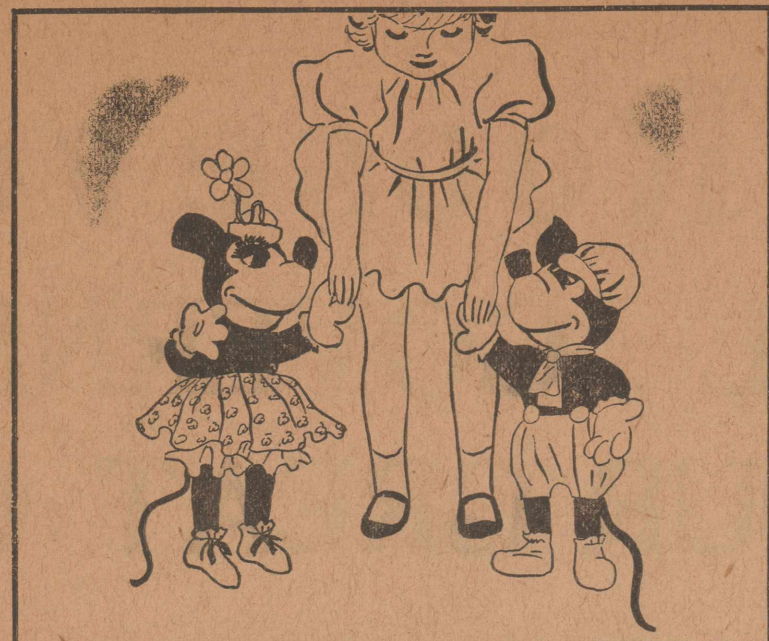
on a bird's tail to believe that old fashioned home washing methods are economical. Figure up your casts in material, work and time and we'll guarantee to do your rough dry work at lower cost. Our rough dry service is easier on your clothes, too, because we wash them instead of scrubbing.

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strings . . . or narrow strips of rubber. These Mickey and Minnie stuffed dolls come in three sizes, 9, 14 and 18 inches. They make happy-go-lucky daily playmates for little girls and boys . . . and adults like them, too, tucked into a corner of the davenport or sofa. (McCall Pattern No. 91). By courtesy of The McCall Company.

past four weeks. In giving an account of the raid Mr. Arthur stated that the sheriff of Lincoln county made an SOS call on sheriffs and deputies of eastern New Mexico and West Texas. The officers met at Fort Sumner and were mobilized Friday. They spent part of the night at Vaughn, New Mexico, and next morning began their perilous journey in search of bandit hide-outs. They were in the mountains near Ramon on the Stanton ranch and 22 other ranches where Glenn Honeysucker had been killed a few days before and where "Perchmouth" Stanton had been captured. Stanton and Honeysucker were the alleged slayers of Swisher County, Texas, sheriff, of Deputy Sheriff Brown of Wise County and three other men.

Sheriff Arthur stated that there were 32 officers from the Texas side who volunteered their service in the raid. One man who had been wanted on several charges was killed in the raid. Headquarters of the bandits was believed to have been discovered. It was an old rock corral which had been changed into a fort provided with avenues of escape and lookouts in the walls. Sheriff Arthur stated that there was but one way to approach this fort and since it was located on a hill approaching cars could be seen for miles away. The officers discovered signs showing that the fort had recently been occupied, but the bandits had made a get away farther back into the mountains.

The country surveyed by the officers was carefully mapped and locations marked. Mr. Arthur feels that the raid will have much influence and that banditry in that section will not be so pronounced in the future. The sheriff of Lincoln County who led the raid is E. C. K. McCament, a former Dickens County citizen. He

was in this section of the country during the 90's and is known by a number of the early settlers here.

**WHITE RIVER**  
Mrs. Norvelle Rogers returned home the past Saturday from Dickens where she had been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Havens. H. C. Peterson and A. L. Walker were trading and transacting business in Spur one day the past week. Neville and Anna Mae Slack were Calgary visitors Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and little son of Red Mud, were in the community Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rankin have relatives from Austin visiting them this week. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin and little children were in Spur Saturday. Ophelia Cozby and Ross Cannon were at Calgary Sunday afternoon and night. J. T. Cozby and Norville Rogers were in Crosbyton Wednesday. Willie Rogers was at Calgary Thursday. Mrs. Sid Richards has been spending the past week with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cozby and daughters. R. M. Slack and son, Orville and Mont were in Crosbyton Wednesday. Odie Smith and Ed Feaster of Peaceful Hill, were in the community Sunday. Orie Smith of McDonald, was in the community Monday.

**CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS**  
ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH  
The revival held by Rev. A. E. Whitworth was a great success. The fellowship meeting and basket dinner Sunday was enjoyed by all. There were people present from McAdoo, Dickens, Girard, Jayton, Clairmont, Peacock and other places. All reported a good time and a great spiritual uplift. The meeting closed Sunday, but will begin again August 3 with Mrs. Frances Whitworth, the girl evangelist, of Artesia, N. Mexico. Miss Jewel Kimball, of Artesia, will do the special singing. Miss Jewell James, of San Angelo, will direct the choir. About August 10 Evangelist E. C. Wilson, of Eric, Okla., will arrive on

**SUNDAY DINNER SUGGESTIONS**  
By ANN PAGE  
NOW that school is out and boys and girls have all day to play in the sun and get up big appetites, it is time for mother to plan ways to spare herself Sun suits, overalls and play suits adapted to such games as "cops and robbers" or "cowboys and Indians" simplify the laundry problem and simple, wholesome meals can be easily and quickly prepared. Long days of unbroken heat quickly ripen fruits and vegetables and just as quickly wilted or spoil them. Wash and store vegetables in refrigerator, spring house or cool cellar. Do not wash fruits but keep all but bananas in a cool place. In addition to fruits, there are many delicious and healthful desserts which can be quickly prepared including gelatin, cornstarch and tapioca puddings and egg custards. The Quaker Maid Kitcher offers these timely menus

**Low Cost Dinner**  
Tomato Soup  
Cold Sliced Pork Potato Salad  
Bread and Butter  
Chocolate Pudding Top Milk  
Coffee or Tea Milk

**Medium Cost Dinner**  
Fried Chicken, Maryland Style  
Boiled Rice  
Currant Jelly  
Hot Biscuits Butter  
Cherry Bavarian  
Coffee Milk

**Very Special Dinner**  
Melon Cup  
Roast Beef Potato Balls  
Boiled Onions  
Mustard Pickles  
Corn Bread Butter  
Stuffed Tomato Salad  
Coffee Lemon Pie MILK

the scene and will be in charge thru the remainder of the meeting. Special attention will be given to the aged and the afflicted who desire to attend these services who have no way to go. Please notify the pastor at 428 North Trumbull Avenue. He will gladly assist you by bringing his car for your conveyance. A hearty welcome to everybody. Come one come all. N. C. Whitworth, Pastor.

**McADOO GOLFERS VISIT SPUR COURSE**

A number of members of the McAdoo Golf Club were guests of the Spur Club Sunday afternoon. H. D. Nickels acted as captain for the visitors and arranged the players, Spur boys selected members to complete foursomes and the fireworks began. There was not much said about who were winners. The main object in the minds of the players was the fine social time they were enjoying. Everybody spoke of a good time and how much they enjoyed the games. McAdoo Club has extended an invitation to Spur to visit McAdoo next Sunday, and probably there will be a number from Spur at McAdoo as a result of this invitation. Those of McAdoo here Sunday were Formby, Brantley, Cherry, Everts, Byrd, Frazier, Nickels, Orman, and two players whose names were not reported.

Prof. H. L. Groner, of Croton school was transacting business in our city



**ROTARY CLUB OF SPUR**  
Meets every Thursday at 12:00 o'clock at Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome.  
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Saturday. Commissioner E. N. Johnson, of Afton, was looking after business matters in our city Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams of Dickens, were doing some trading in our city Friday. Mrs. Zola Noland, of Elton, was doing some shopping in our city Friday.

Earl Johnson, Walter Johnson and Mrs. Thelma Johnson, of Chandler community, were in our city Monday doing some trading. J. L. Turpen, of Afton, was transacting business in our city Monday. Willow Street, of Dickens, was attending to business affairs here Monday.

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# The New Deal

Is changing things, for example, shirt makers were being worked as low as \$2.00 per week from that to \$9.50 for 60 hours work they will now work 36 hours and get \$12.00 to \$16.00 per week and similar conditions have existed among many factory workers and the factories were not to blame as they were not making any profit even at the low wage. Any one can see Merchandise must be higher, in order to carry out the N. R. A. program. We have raised our employees 10% and they had been working 10 to 12 hours a day, now they work 6 to 8 hours. We want to do our part. We are putting on more employees. This is working a hardship on us, but it is a part of a great plan to help put people back to work and raise prices. And we are hopeful its going to work.

As to Merchandise, we have good stocks and can truthfully say this is one time we believe we would make more profit by keeping all our staple merchandise for 30 days than to sell it. We are advancing our prices on some items, and they are still way below what we could replace them for. This we will have to quit doing for the New Deal says merchants must sell goods at least 10% above replacement value. Now some may criticize merchants for advancing goods they have in stock but if you have a hundred yearlings to sell and you offered them at \$20 a month ago and it would cost you \$25 to replace them now, wouldn't you raise your price to \$25.00? If you had your crib full of maize that was worth \$3.50 a ton last spring. Are you going to wait until you produce a new crop to raise your price?

You can buy dry goods cheaper now. You can buy Furniture cheaper now. Your groceries, too, the processing tax goes on Flour August 7th. After that date your 50 lb. sack of flour will cost you 33 cents more. We appreciate your business.

COME ON WITH THE CROWDS AND BRING THE CHILDREN

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It is with our whole heart that we pledge our support to carry out the National Industrial Recovery Act. It is with hope and sincere belief that this act, properly carried out will bring ultimate employment to all and at wages that will allow them to live on a true standard of American living; that it will be the most important instrument in restoring happiness and prosperity to our great people.

We ask you, (the consuming public) to lend your assistance and support to the firms who are co-operating with the government to bring back prosperity.



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| City Drug Store                      | Spur Hardware & Furniture Co.    | Speer's Variety Store            |
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| Queen Cafe, Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Boyer | Dickens County Times             | Sanders Pharmacy                 |
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Our store is full of high grade merchandise and every item is marked at a sacrifice for, we are selling them cheaper than we can replace them. Really you have read so much about prices going higher until you may think it bally-hoo. But don't sleep on your rights for we have a few more days of grace.

August 7th is Trades Day in Spur and our special will only be for Friday, Saturday and Monday Come to Spur and make it a great day.

## Childrens Anklets

All sizes and colors. Your choice per pair—

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## Blousettes

Quality can't be beat and for style they have it, just what you would want for sport or dress wear.

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**25c to 49c**

## Mens White Caps

Just the cap for sport, golfing or street wear. All sizes. each

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## Boys Wash Suits

All sizes, cute styles—guaranteed fast color.

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## Purses

Different color bags to match your dress. See our leather, cloth and patent ed bags. Special, each

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## School Tams

All the wanted light shades. Come early and get your choice.

**15c, 25c, 39c, 49c**

## White Gloves



All styles, some stitched in different colors and solid white. All sizes. Special

Per Pair

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## White Shoes

Our White Shoes are just what you want to wear with your new print dress

Special for

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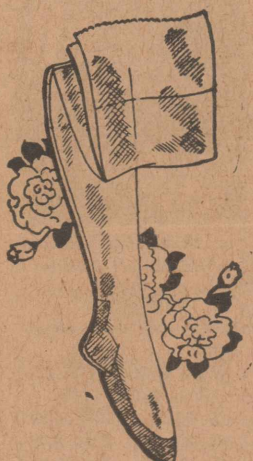
## Towels

20 by 40 lovely towels. All fast color borders.

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## Ladies Hose



The new wanted fall shades in Silk Hose, full fashioned—while they last—

Per Pair

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## Mens Ties



All shades and very attractive. Your choice

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## Mens Shorts



Extra quality cut full and very comfortable. Your choice, each

**.15**

### RED TOP CLUB NEWS

The Red Top Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday July 28th at the school house, four members were present and one visitor.

Vice Chairman Fuqua had charge of the meeting in absence of Chairman. House was called to order and roll call was answered by giving the names of Texas governors. Followed discussion on the lesson, "Preparing Canned Foods for the Table." Ways of using canned foods by demonstrator Mrs. J. C. McArthur, foods tasted and compared by the club. Arrangements were made for attending camp 8rd and 4th of August. Not having any other business, we adjourned to meet second Wednesday in August.

Come on club folks and lets turn out in goodly numbers at the encampment, not saying anything of the enjoyment all will have who attend, we will get to hear the reports from Short Course and that should be more interesting than ever before as they were to do things they got the lessons on. All Red Top club members make an effort to be present at the encampment and club too as it is necessary for each club to turn in the demonstrators names in Class I and II so we will be on time to get all the help handed out and so the individuals can start at the first to keeping her record.

Visitors are always welcome.—Reporter.

### Methods For Restoring Life From Drowning

This is the height of the season for water sports and many are foolhardy enough to venture too far and tax their strength beyond endurance or run unnecessary risks in or on the water. It is tragedy enough to have a drowning accident, but far greater tragedy if no one present knows how to save life by artificial respiration.

Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer, states that the "Prone Pressure Method" is the accepted method for restoring life from drowning. It includes the following steps:

Place patient stomach down, one arm stretched above the other bent, with face resting on it.

Rescue measures should begin at once and continue rhythmically until natural breathing is established—this may take four or more hours.

The procedure is:

1. Kneel, and straddle the patient below the hips placing hands on small of the back with fingers over the lowest ribs, tips of fingers just out of sight.
2. With arms straight, while counting one, two, swing forward bearing weight on body firmly but not violently.
3. Swing backwards while counting one, straightening up and thus relieving pressure—this allows air to be drawn into the lungs.
4. Rest in this position for two

### YOUR TEETH

Their Relation to Your General Health

By the Educational Committee of the American Dental Association

#### GOLDEN IVORY

Every American child should be worth \$32,000 before he comes of age.

Dentists say that every good tooth in an adult mouth is worth \$1,000. We should have thirty-two.

Some of us have only a few. Others have none. But if our children are given the right food and are taught to clean their teeth regularly, they will have all thirty-two teeth when they grow up, and will have to see a dentist only occasionally.

If they do not realize the value of good teeth, it will probably cost them even more than \$32,000 dollars. It may cost them their lives. Serious complications—often fatalities—result from infected, unclean teeth. The welfare of the entire body is threatened.

Just as children are saved future expense, ill-health and annoyance by being taught to care for their teeth, so are taxpayers saved expense by caring for the teeth of the school children. Superintendent of Schools W. H. A. Sutton of Atlanta, Ga., states that after six years of intensive dental and health education in Atlanta schools, the average percentage of repeaters dropped more than half. He estimates conservatively that his school dental program saves taxpayers approximately a quarter of a million dollars annually. That does not include what the individual child is saved in increased efficiency and more rapid transition from grade to grade.

Childhood diseases often develop because the body has been weakened by bad teeth. Sometimes children are labeled stupid or incompetent simply because foul mouths have poisoned their systems.

It today's children are not taught mouth hygiene, the teeth of tomorrow's adults will not be sound. All the dentists in the United States, working twenty-four hours a day, cannot care for the bad teeth that there will be.

But if a child is taught that he his own best dentist, and is given the proper food, his teeth problems will be largely solved. If he learns to clean his teeth regularly and to eat wholesome foods, he will be healthier and happier all through life.

(This newspaper will be glad to receive questions from readers about teeth, mouth hygiene or dental health. The questions will be answered authoritatively but anonymously by outstanding dentists selected by the American Dental Association. Enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope for reply.)

counts.

5. Repeat these movements rhythmically, forward and backwards, with out interruption, about twelve to fifteen minutes, until natural breathing is restored.

6. Meanwhile, if assistance is at hand, a physician should be sent for, patient's tight clothing should be loosened at neck, chest or waist, and patient should be kept warm.

Patient should not be moved from this spot until he is breathing naturally and then should be carried in a lying position to a place where he can be kept warm and receive expert medical attention.

### SAYS ADVERTISING IS INTERESTING

G. M. Cox, one of the good farmers living northeast of Spur, was in Monday and paid the Times office a visit. During the conversation he stated that people in town are mistaken when they think the people in the country do not read advertisements. He stated that the advertisements in the papers are the first parts which are read. People want to learn about the week end bargains, etc., and after that they read the news. He stated further, "That the business man who advertises in the paper is the one who gets the business. People do much of their buying by reading the advertisements in the local paper."

Mr. Cox is a loyal supporter of home merchants.

### ENTERTAINED

Robert Hahn entertained his Sunday School class on his 8th birthday, Sunday afternoon, July 30th from 2:00 until 5:00 o'clock.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served at 4:00 o'clock to the following: Nona Carol Smith, Pauline George, Lula B. Everett, Eldon Ray and Billy Smith, Marvin Reece, Glen Dale and Robert Hahn.

Lee Mimms, Commissioner of Precinct No. 4, was attending to business

matters here Monday.

Tom Black, of Prairie Chapel, was attending to business matters in our city Monday.

W. D. Thacker, of Croton, was transacting business in our city Monday.

Mrs. M. S. Favor, of Prairie Chapel, was doing some shopping in our city Monday.

O. E. Minix, of Wichita, was attending to business affairs in our city Monday.

S. L. Porter, of Croton, was greeting friends and looking after business affairs here Monday.

### Marfak Grease

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- 1—1929 Plymouth Coupe.
- 1—1933 Chevrolet Pick Up
- 2—1929 Ford Coupes
- 1—1932 Chevrolet Truck
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Town and State \_\_\_\_\_



## Have You Planted A Garden?

These fine rains have been ideal for starting fall gardens. Since our spring and summer gardens have been so nerly a failure we should double our efforts for good fall gardens. Growing a fall garden is a different problem from that in the spring. In the late summer the moisture supply in the soil is limited and care must be exercised to conserve it in every way in order to get the vegetables up and growing. To do this the ground should be free of all weeds and plants that are left from the summer garden. Plowing under this material at this time is a bad practice, because it will prevent the moisture from rising to the upper soil surface, and the seed will not germinate. Then, too, the unrotted plant material seriously interferes with the cultivation of the young fall vegetables and the heat resulting from the turned under vegetation dries out the soil. The soil for the fall garden should be plowed shallow to a depth of four or five inches, or thoroughly disced. Immediately following the breaking of the soil it should be harrowed and the seed bed made as firm as possi-

ble to reestablish capillary attraction of the soil particles and to bring the moisture, if possible, to within 1-2 to 2 inches of the surface. In purchasing seed for the fall garden it is advisable to secure one-fourth more seed for this planting than for the spring garden. The germination of the seed at this season is poor; consequently, the extra quality of seed will ordinarily be necessary to secure a good stand. The following vegetables may be planted in this section during August: cucumbers, Chicago pickling or Boston pickling; English peas, stragem cream peas; pinto beans; Irish potatoes, Bliss triumph; squash, bush Hubbard. During September the vegetables to plant are: cabbage, flat Dutch radish, white icicle; cauliflower, dry weather; carrots, Danvers half long; beans, bush bountiful; beets, Crosby Egyptian; Swiss chard, Lucullus; spinach, Bloomsdale savoy; turnips, white globe; lettuce, iceberg; mustard, southern curled; parsley, Hamburg rooted; and onions, Australian brown. The last seven named may be planted any time in October and give good results in this county. Many are depending on the fall gardens to complete their canning budgets and will therefore plant more than will be needed for use fresh. For successful fall gardens much depends on the condition of the soil when plant-

ed and upon the cultivation after the little plants are up. Insect pests are one of the limiting factors in fall gardening. For those biting insects which feed upon the foliage of the plant it will be necessary to dust or spray the plant with poison material. Calcium arsenate of lead, when dusted over the surface of the plants, will control the plant eating insects. When mixed with water at the rate of two pounds of calcium arsenate to 15 gallons of water good results will be obtained. Poison applied to vegetables at this rate does not make them unfit for table use. For lice which suck the juice of fall vegetables, best results are secured dusting the plants carefully with 1-4 pound nicotine sulphate (Black Leaf 40) and 5 lbs. slacked lime, thoroughly mixed. Kerosene emulsion is good for all sucking insects, too. —Miss Clara Pratt, H. D. A.

### WRESTLING MATCH AT PALACE THEATRE

The Palace Theatre is staging a novelty in entertainment to appear Thursday night of next week, August 10. This new entertainment is a wrestling match by some home boys who will share in the receipts. One match is to be between Arthur Watson of Dickens and R. A. Hook of Elton. These boys are about the same weight. Watson weighing 152 pounds and Hook 146. They are trained men in the business. Another match scheduled is between Vernon Ferguson, 136 pounds, and Clayton Hook, 140 pounds. There may be other matches during the evening, but these two are slated and will be worth the money. A good clean sport that anybody will enjoy. The Palace is giving the people some excellent programs each week end including Monday nights. The program last Monday was excellent being historical and instructive. The picture was entitled "The Sign of the Cross" and was a Bible story.

### SPUR CIRCUIT

We begin our meeting at Red Mud next Sunday, August 6. At Duck Creek, August 27 to September 4. Rev. J. W. Watson will do the preaching in this meeting. We will be at Girard September 3 to 10. Bro. Boyd, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Spur will do the preaching in that meeting. You are invited to attend all these services. S. A. Sifford, P. C.

### MRS. GOLDING HOSTESS

Mrs. M. C. Golding entertained the 1925 Bridge Club and a few guests at her home on Second Street last Thursday morning. The appointments laid were very attractive and cut flowers were used as decorations. Tallies were in the summer time. Mrs. Fred Jennings received a silver salad fork, Mrs. L. H. Perry, Medra napkins, and Mrs. Charlie Powell received a lovely guest towel. There were twenty guests who enjoyed Mrs. Golding's hospitality. A very refreshing salad plate with fruit punch was served. Every one present enjoyed a very pleasant morning.

### McADOO PEOPLE LEAVE FOR CHICAGO

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lay and a number of other persons of McAdoo are leaving today for Chicago to attend the Century of Progress exposition for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Lay have arranged their truck and are going overland. Preshing Lee, Ray Dickson, and Sylvan Golding, all of Spur, will be with Mr. and Mrs. Lay. The boys are looking forward to many thrills before they return.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this way of expressing our thanks and appreciation to our many friends who have been so nice to us through the death of our husband and father. We especially want to thank those who sent the beautiful floral offering and the lovely dinner. May God's richest blessings ever be with you. Mrs. G. P. Rucker. Mrs. C. W. Wright. Mrs. W. R. Hawley.

Little Cash Caraway Wilemon, who had been visiting his grandparents, Mr and Mrs. J. L. Wilemon at Stamford, returned home Sunday. His father and mother went to Stamford Sunday and he accompanied them home.

G. S. Dowell, superintendent of schools at Dickens, was in our city Wednesday looking after business Lubbock where he had been doing matters. Recently he returned from work in the Texas Technological College.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Speer are in Dallas this week buying a consignment of merchandise for the store here. They say they expect to have the merchandise for the people when they want them.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Simpson were in Lubbock Tuesday night attending an N. R. A. meeting. They state that their beauty shop in Spur is going to cooperate with our President one hundred per cent.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan and daughter, Miss Mary Elizabeth, left Tuesday for Dallas to consult a specialist. Miss Hogan was in a car accident sometime ago and it is feared a growth is starting in her head.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Alexander left this week for Chicago where they will attend the Century of Progress exposition and buy a consignment of new merchandise for their store.

R. B. Neilson, our high school principal, who has been in McKinney during his vacation, was here the first of the week greeting friends. He went to Abilene to visit friends a few days.

Misses Pauline and Katherine Buster, of Abilene, were in our city Monday visiting friends. Miss Pauline is English teacher in our high school and Miss Katherine teaches in McAdoo school.

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SATURDAY, AUGUST 5th and MONDAY, August 7th

Fred C. Haile made the principal address at a meeting of the Junior Democratic League at their meeting in Lubbock last week.

Robert Butler, of McAdoo, was transacting business in our city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Everts left for Abilene Tuesday where they visited relatives and friends.

A. B. Hogan, county tax assessor, announces that the tax books will be completed at his office in Dickens as soon as the rate is set. The county is holding up the rate pending action of the state bond board.

G. H. McKinney, general manager, and J. C. Bryant, chairman of the board of directors for Bryant-Link Company, were in our city the first of the week looking over the business of the local store.

Miss Floria Garrett, of San Angelo, was visiting her parents in Dickens Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Vance Hughes and little daughter, near Roaring Springs, were in our city Monday doing some shopping.

Miss Mae Blakely, of Elton, was in our city Monday doing some shopping.

J. Y. Stone, of Dickens, was transacting business in our city Monday.

C. O. Parker, of Elton, was attending to business affairs here Monday.

Buck Hawley of Dickens, was on our streets Monday greeting friends.

Ray Dickson and Alfred Payne who have been at A. and M. College the past six weeks, arrived home Sunday and report they had a great time. They say they will return to A. and M. in September.

C. M. Jackson, of Croton, was greeting friends and attending to business here Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. O. C. Boone, of Lubbock, were in our city Sunday the guests of their children, Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Boone, at the Hotel Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Baker, of Wichita Falls, were visiting friends and attending to business matters here the last of the week.

L. P. Hale, of Greenville, is in our city this week the guest of his brother, Dr. B. F. Hale. Mr. Hale has been in the University of California for some time completing work for his Ph. D. Degree. He has been principal of the Central High School at Greenville the past fourteen years.

Judge H. A. C. Brummett and Atty W. D. Wilson, of Lubbock, were in our city the first of the week attending to professional matters.

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