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MISS MAIZE ENTERTAINS

Miss Lucile Maize entertained a number of friends at her hospitable home in south Spearman on Saturday evening of last week. The evening was spent in playing games, while several members of the gay party furnished music. Refreshments were served and at a late hour the guests departed, after assuring their hosts that they had spent one of the most delightful evenings of the season. Those present were: Misses Bernice Burran, Oriene McClellan, Myrtle Balentine, Gayle Little, Aline McMurry and Lucile Maize, and Messrs. Autrey Ward, Rufus Raney and J. E. Rucker.

When you need coal be sure and try that famous Golden Glow lump just received at the WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Smith are rejoicing over the arrival of a fine boy at their home on Sunday, Aug. 26, 1923. Dr. Jones reports all doing fine.

TRIED A NEW FORAGE CROP

Samples Brought to the Reporter Office Show it to be an Excellent Grain Sorghum and Good Producer

Joe Close brought a sample bundle of hegira to the Reporter office on Wednesday of this week, which looks as though it is equally as good if not better than milo maize or kafir corn. This is a comparatively new crop for this section of the country, though a few farmers have grown it for years. Mr. Close says he planted it along with milo and kafir and that it has produced a much better yield, with the same amount of rainfall and cultivation. Mr. Close believes that it is a sure crop for this country and intends to plant it regularly hereafter. He will likely have samples of it at the Fair. And that is just what the Fair is for—to determine what is best for this country in the way of crops and the most economical way of producing the same; show what the country can do in the way of production, and to introduce the new products as fast as they are brought out.

Mrs. M. C. Head returned Saturday of last week from a several week's visit with relatives at Granite, Oklahoma.

Rex Westerfield is remodeling his residence in south Spearman, and when the work is completed, intends to occupy the same.

Wm. Donahue, who owns a fine farm out on the north flats in the Kimball community, is here from Oklahoma this week, looking over the same.

We have just received a car of sugar, Red Star flour, and salt. Let us figure your bills on everything to eat and wear.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends everywhere, who so kindly assisted us during the fatal illness and at the funeral of Benjamin VanCleve Andrews.

Mrs. B. V. Andrews and family. Mrs. J. V. Andrews and family. J. F. Andrews. Mrs. Racey.

FAIR BOOSTERS HOLD ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING ON TUESDAY NIGHT

Meeting at Womble Hardware Company Building Was Well Attended and Much Interest Manifested in Matters Pertaining to the Hansford County Fair, Sept. 20 and 21.

A large and enthusiastic crowd of farmers, business and professional men met at the Womble Hardware Company building on Tuesday night of this week to discuss the Hansford County Fair and other matters pertaining to the growth and development of Spearman and the Spearman country. The matter of raising funds for the successful conduct of the Hansford County Fair was one of the principal objects of the meeting. A budget had been prepared by the Fair executives and an estimate made of this worthy undertaking. This estimate was submitted to the meeting and practically all of the amount was subscribed within a few moments. The remainder will be subscribed by Spearman business firms which were not represented at the meeting. In many places the Fairs are supported mainly by state aid, but there is no provision for such a mode of procedure for the kind held here, so the expense must be met by popular subscription. The business men of Spearman are meeting this expense. They are calling on very few farmer-stockmen for help in a financial way, but they are asking the whole-hearted co-operation of everyone. They are asking the farmer-stockman to bring exhibits to the Fair; to come and help push the good work along.

CHAIRMAN CALLS FOR EXHIBITS

A. E. Townsend, in Charge of Agricultural Exhibit Committee, Asks Farmers to Help.

The executive committee of the Hansford County Fair Association have placed the Agricultural Exhibit in my charge and it is my desire that all persons interested in the coming fair lend me all the assistance possible. I suggest that in each neighborhood, the citizenship make the coming Fair the topic of conversation and begin at once preparing such Agricultural Products as you may have for exhibition. The Committee will have a splendid place in which we can make our display, and I hope to make it the very best ever seen in the North Panhandle. I can't do this without your interest and assistance, but I am persuaded that every Hansford County Citizen will co-operate with me in this matter.

Those of you who lived in this county twelve and fourteen years ago can remember some of the splendid exhibits we were able to gather up at that time, and that Hansford county exhibits taken from our local fair to the State Fair at Dallas and to the National Exhibits at Spokane, Washington and Chicago, Ill., attracted much attention and brought home the Bule Ribbons. We can do even better now because of the greater number of farmers in the county.

I wish every one of you would call and see me when in town and let me know what the prospect is for your own personal exhibit as well as any collection that may be possible in your neighborhood.

We want the very best of everything that grows out of the ground. The Fair is dated at Spearman for the 20th and 21st of September.

I ask that you begin at once gathering together any thing you may have for exhibition and take good care of it until the week of the Fair and bring it in Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday of the Fair week. This will give us ample time to prepare the different exhibits, get them classified and ready for display.

All choice agricultural exhibits at our Fair will likely be taken to Amarillo and to the State Fair at Dallas.

Yours for a successful Fair,
A. E. TOWNSEND,
Chairman of Agricultural Committee.

The Reporter is in receipt of the announcement of the arrival on Aug. 25, of little Miss Kathleen; weight 7½ pounds, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Greever.

J. F. Gerber, 78 years old, died at his home at Cameron, New Mexico, on Friday, August 24, and was buried there the following day. Owing to sickness in his family, J. E. could not attend the funeral.

J. C. Hancock and family arrived the first of the week from Arkansas, where they have resided the past several years, and we understand will again make their home in Hansford county. The many friends of this estimable family will be glad to welcome them back to this community.

Prof. and Mrs. J. A. Stark came from their home at Tahoka the latter part of last week for a visit with the Winder family, 12 miles west of town, and to attend to business matters. They are well pleased with their new home and like Tahoka and the south plains fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen King and Bill McClellan went to Canyon the latter part of last week, where they visited several days with old school mates of the State Teachers' College. Mr. and Mrs. King returned to Spearman Wednesday and Mr. McClellan went from Canyon to Arizona, where he will teach during the coming winter.

John Kinney, an employee at the Coble oil well, where a crew of workmen are moving the rig to a new location, was brought to town by W. I. Brockman, Thursday afternoon, suffering from the effects of a kick by a horse. Mr. Kinney was shoeing the horse, when the animal became obstreperous and kicked him on the forehead. Dr. Gibner dressed the wound and Mr. Kinney was resting easy at the last report.

PRAIRIE FIRES ARE DANGEROUS

Campers Should be Very Careful With Fire at This Season of the Year—Grass is Needed

Campers very carelessly went away and left a camp-fire burning in Mr. Jones' pasture up the Palo Duro one day last week, and as a result some beautiful trees, a string of fence and much grass was destroyed. No wonder the ranch people living on the Cold Water, Palo Duro and Canadian advertise the year round that hunting and fishing will not be allowed in their pastures. Who wants their beautiful trees, fences and grass destroyed by a person who is so negligent; so absolutely indifferent about other people's property as to light a fire and go away and leave it burning. A small puff of wind will start it on its path of destruction and it takes all the men in the country to fight it out. Some folks have no property of their own and are sore at everyone who has accumulated a competence. These people are a detriment; are dangerous to any community, and when they are caught in the act of being careless with fire and fire-arms, they should be prosecuted. The ranch people are too tolerant. They allow the trespassers to "talk 'em out of it." A few good healthy prosecutions would put a stop to a lot of this foolishness. A couple of years ago some carbucler went into Judge Cator's pasture up the Palo Duro and actually cut down trees in which bees had hived and were making honey. Of course the bees could not be relocated and were destroyed. A man who has no more sense of propriety than to do a trick of this sort should be shot at sundown.

A SMALL BLAZE

The oven at the City Bakery got so hot on Thursday afternoon that the floor underneath caught fire, and for a few minutes threatened to start a real fire. The floor was torn up and the fire extinguished with very little loss.

Dr. Adair, the dentist, at the Hillhouse Drug Company, September 3 to 8.

E. L. Maupin left Thursday morning for points in Missouri, Illinois and Iowa on a protracted visit. He has left someone to serve in his place as marshal. If you want to know who it is, start something.

Finis Frizzell was injured in the threshing machine of Bum Douglas and W. S. Frizzell on Wednesday afternoon. The injuries are not serious and Finis expects to be back on the job within a few days. This machine has made an exceptionally large run this year and is still going strong.

Mrs. John Keesey and son, Charles, arrived from their home at Las Animas, Colorado, the first of the week, for a visit at the W. S. Frizzell, Jerry Womble and John Graham homes. Mrs. Keesey will be remembered by Spearman folks as Miss Winnie Doyle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paddy Doyle.

Chas. McCarter has purchased a one-half interest in the Floyd Hays barber shop and will begin work there on Monday, September 3. R. L. Bailey, who has been barbering at this popular shop for the past several months, will return to his home at Mobeetie. Mr. McCarter was "sorter" thinking some of leaving Spearman, but has decided that he can not find a better town, and so made arrangements to make his permanent home here.

Deputy Sheriff Maupin, who is also serving as City Marshal and nightwatchman for the town of Spearman, discovered a small blaze at the rear of the John L. Hays store building on Tuesday night, which, had it been left, might have resulted in another disastrous fire for Spearman. Someone had been burning some trash and failed to see that the fire was completely burned out before they left it. This is a dangerous practice and is the cause of more fires than any other one thing, without it be cigarettes. Watch out for fire. Had it not been for the watchfulness of Mr. Maupin we may have had another big fire to report.

As Time Passes

We grow older in experience as well as in years. Experience is teaching the Farmer and Stockman of the Southwest that diversification pays.

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SPEARMAN, TEXAS

M. W. A. ORGANIZE CAMP AT SPEARMAN

Starts off With a Charter Membership of Twenty-Eight—Will Meet Regularly Hereafter.

J. R. Hickox and Thomas Lively, organizers of the M. W. A. lodge, who have spent the past two weeks in Spearman, have succeeded in organizing a lodge here and have everything lined up in a way that looks like there will be a lively camp of choppers here. A meeting was held on Tuesday night of this week at which time the following officers for the camp were elected:

Joe Close Counsel
E. L. Maupin Past Counsel
Everett Reynolds Advisor
R. E. Leitner Clerk
A. F. Barkley Banker
Chas. Francis Escort
Sam Faus Watchman
Jim King Sentry
M. C. Head, Watt Gilliam and C. W. King, Managers. Dr. Gibner and Dr. Jones physicians.

All of these officers have not been installed, but will be at a meeting to be held at an early date. The Perryton camp of the M. W. A. will be here on Saturday night, September 1, to confer the initiatory degree on all candidates, and it is expected that a lively time will be had. All M. W. A's. should be present. The meetings are held in the Odd Fellow's hall.

Hunting season is here. Get your license of the Andrews Hardware Company.

September 3 to 8 may be my last trip to Spearman for some time, so see me, at the Hillhouse Drug Co.
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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ralston are happy over the arrival of a fine boy at their home on Thursday morning, August 30, 1923.

Mrs. Mary Westerfield came from Glazier to spend Sunday at the home of her son Rex Westerfield in Spearman. Mrs. Westerfield was accompanied by her son V. L., and Miss Christine Murphy.

FAIR DATES

Spearman, September 20 and 21.
Tri-State, Amarillo, September 25 to 29.
Miami, September 20.
Guymon, October 16, 17, 18 and 19.
Perryton, October 2, 3 and 4.
Pampa, September 20 and 21.
Shamrock, October 4, 5 and 6.
Canadian, September 20 and 21.
Beaver, September 5, 6 and 7.
Canyon, September 20, 21, and 22.

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Better get your hunting license before you get into trouble. Get them of Andrews Hardware Company.

Cool weather is approaching and those affected teeth are going to give you trouble. Have Dr. Adair, the dentist, look after them for you.

J. M. Bonner, the new secretary-manager of the D-C-D, and Geo. Bruniga, passed through Spearman the first of the week on a tour of inspection of the route.

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The prairie dogs must go. That is the law. Yet it seems a little strange that the law must protect the game birds and yet require prairie dogs to be destroyed. Why does not the sport loving hunter shoot at the prairie dogs? It would do just as well because most of the time he misses anyway, and it is sport he is after, he cares little for the birds he kills as food.—Henrietta Independent.

And when it comes to eating the prairie dog is far from being a poor substitute for squirrel whose first cousin he is. It is probable that the main reason that prairie dogs are not used more for food is because of the name of dogs—any kind of dogs—do not enter to any great extent into the dietary of civilized people. The prairie dog does not belong to the dog family at all, but is a species of rodent as is the squirrel and rabbit. The flesh of a prairie dog is as sweet and good for food purposes as the flesh of "Mollie Cottontail" and there is no reason on earth why they should not be eaten except the prejudice against them for food because of the dog part of their name.—Iowa Park Promoter.

AUTO ACCIDENT

John R. Garner, 72, of Harper, Kansas, was instantly killed Tuesday afternoon at about 5 o'clock on the Southwest Trail Highway about 7 miles south of Shattuck when his Dodge car upset while attempting to cross a bridge. The party, consisting of his wife and 8 year old grandson were enroute to Spearman, Tex. for a short visit with relatives and had gone by way of Arnet, Oklahoma, to attend to some business matters, and on returning to Shattuck, met with the fatal accident. Considerable rain Tuesday afternoon caused the roads to be quite slick and it is presumed the car skidded off the bridge turning completely over, pinning Mr. Garner under the edge of the wind shield in such a way that he was choked to death. The wife and grandson managed to extricate with very little injury. It is presumed that Mr. Garner died almost instantly as travelers along the road arrived at the scene of the accident shortly afterward, removed the car and found him dead. The body was brought to the Mason Undertaking parlor in Shattuck, shipped to the home at Harper, Kansas, Wednesday night at 11:50 p. m.—Shattuck Monitor.

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SPEARMAN

FINANCING OUR SCHOOLS

Four years ago the State Board of Education made a per capita apportionment of State school funds for the succeeding school year of \$8.50; three years ago the apportionment was \$14.50; two years ago the apportionment was \$13; last year it was \$13 and this year \$12. Three years ago the Legislature convened in extra session by Gov. Hobby and an appropriation of four million dollars was made out of the general revenue fund of the State to supplement the available school fund. This extra appropriation made possible the jump from \$8.50 to \$14.50. Since that time appropriations have been made to supplement the available school fund each year and in order that the apportionment might not fall below \$13 the recent session of the Legislature transferred from the general fund to the available fund three million dollars for the last scholastic year; two million for the ensuing year and two million for the next year. In order to do this it was necessary to put the State on a deficiency basis amounting to several million dollars for two years. When the State Board of Education met a few days ago to make the apportionment for the ensuing year, and after setting aside \$1,500,000 for the purchase of free text books, it was agreed that the scholastic apportionment should be only \$12. This caused Superintendent Marrs to say that "the situation looks unusually bad and the public schools of the State will be able to operate for only about four months during the coming year."

The problem of financing our public schools is attracting the thought of the State's public spirited men and women. Some are contending that the State should directly finance the schools by a system of State taxation, while others contend that local districts should bear the larger proportion of the expense. In order that an intelligent solution of the problem might be suggested to a future session of the Legislature, provided for an educational survey of the State, which report, it is hoped, will be ready for the 1925 session of the Legislature and out of which legislation may result in a more equitable and adequate system of financing our public schools, as well as the higher institutions of learning. Public educators and other interested citizens of the State were in a conference in Waco this week looking toward a solution of these matters.

The present plan of financing the public schools is most or less unequal in its burden bearing, more particularly as to that portion providing by an ad valorem property tax. The State maximum ad valorem tax for public school support is 35 cents on the \$100 valuation of taxable property. In addition to this the Legislature, during the past few years, appropriates out of the general revenue fund for public school purposes, including rural aid an average equal to 20 cent ad valorem tax, a total of 55 cents ad valorem tax, or a total of about fourteen million dollars annually. This fund is equally apportioned. The inequality of this tax burden is in the large discrepancy in tax valuations. Some counties, according to the records, render their property for State tax purposes at an average of twenty per cent of a fair valuation, while others run as high as forty to fifty per cent. This inequality of tax values and State tax burdens can only be remedied through some central State power. An effort was made by the recent session of the Legislature to provide such a plan, but failed.

Not only is there inequality in the plan of providing the State's part of the public school fund, there is too much uncertainty as to the amount the Legislature may provide and too much politics mixed up in the appropriations. It causes a division between the public school forces and the higher institutions of learning, both groups depending upon the Legislature for appropriations out of the general revenues. For the public schools there should be an equalization of tax values and a sufficient ad valorem fixed as to provide ample funds as the State's portion in the support of the public schools.

Another interesting thing in connection with the financing of the public schools is the variance in local community interest. According to the records of the Department of Education at Austin, we find some counties providing a local tax equal to three, four and five dollars per capita, while others provide from thirty to fifty dollars. Carson county shows a local tax of \$53.82. Of course much of this variance is due to discrepancies in scholastics, but is largely due to the fact that local communities find it less burdensome to get their school funds from the State.

The Herald believes that our public schools should receive first consideration in the State's plan of public education and if there is to be any neglecting of either group let it be the higher institutions, but there is no need for either group to be neglected if the burden is properly and intelligently distributed. So it behooves every citizen of Texas interested in the welfare of our schools to give earnest consideration and support to those who are endeavoring to work out a plan that will give Texas a school system second to none.—Panhandle Herald.

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TOPICS IN BRIEF

The fellow we pity in the event of Mr. Ford's election is the dramatic critic who has to go to vaudeville performances.—Arkansas Gazette.

The League issue may be as dead as slavery, but men don't think it necessary to keep saying that the slavery issue is dead.—Memphis News-Scimitar.

Air travel at ten cents a mile is predicted at not far in the future, which is low considering how high such transportation would be.—Pittsburg Gazette Times.

Just when we begin to think the human race is becoming more intelligent, another song of that kind makes a hit.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Statistics show 75 per cent of the arms lost in the World War were left arms. That makes 75 per cent of right arms left arms.—Greenville Piedmont.

France is making it plain to Germany that continued evasion means continued invasion.—Washington Post.

It may be only a coincidence, but many negroes who left the South for the North and West with the expectation of better jobs and better food are making their way back as the watermelon season is opening up.—Birmingham Age-Herald.

The turn-over in which most people are interested is the one just after the alarm clock rings.—Judge.

The fact that so many Ford drivers are running over prospective Ford voters may become a serious political problem.—Boston Shoe and Leather Reporter.

It might help the demand for wheat if the breakfast food factories were outlawed from the lumber states.—Dallas News.

In Russia you can get a divorce for 20 cents. Luxuries are almost prohibitive everywhere nowadays.—Milwaukee Journal.

What puzzles the Old Guard is why, if wheat must drop, it has to drop on the Republican party.—Norfolk Virginia-Pilot.

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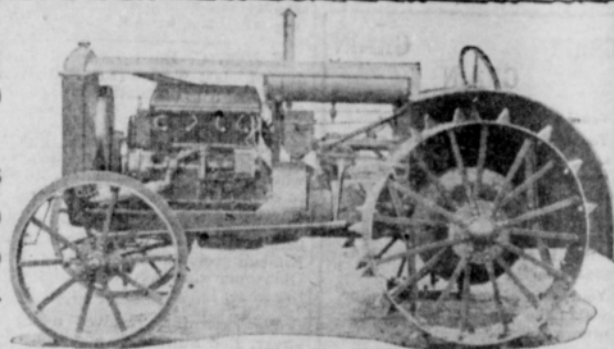
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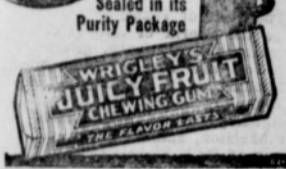


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TOPICS OF THE TIME

It is better to overcome our opponents with reason than to try to overwhelm them with noise.

A good honest cotton farmer who lives across the creek says he does not believe that all this talk about the great war had anything to do with the sudden appearance of the army worm.

"Call me Magnus" says the newly-elected senator from Minnesota. Don't you really want to Mag. to call you Magnanimous!

How exceedingly unfortunate it seems that those who really know how to solve the great problem of society and government, do not happen to hold office or to be running a newspaper.

A Georgia judge commenting on the floggings in that state, says that they are undermining the law and ruining the reputation of the Ku Klux Klan. This is bad. Should they continue, they might also have some effect on the reputation of the people where they occur.

Without boasting, it is true that the South is the home of the purest Americanism among us. How long will it be so? Just so long as we are able through the schools, the churches and the press, to counteract and destroy false propaganda and educate the people in the light of our laws and instructions.

A young girl driving a big automobile last week, ran over a man and killed him. Any one with common sense knows that there is more danger in a swiftly driven automobile, running, anywhere about the country, and the town, than there is in a locomotive on a carefully constructed, settled road. Yet the railroads of this country do not employ any twelve and fourteen year old engineers.

The state of Indiana has been active through its committee on mental defects to prevent the spread of insanity. A vast amount of research work has been done. One of the significant findings is that prohibition and the anti-narcotic laws have had a telling effect in reducing insanity. Another telling force could be realized in the hazardous disobedience of the prohibition laws could be eliminated and the people could establish habits of simple and right living.

We are constantly impressed with the fact that every boy and every girl should learn to do some one thing well. The other day a white man was arrested in Memphis for stealing a kit of tools which he sold to support his family. He is 29 years old, but has no regular trade and can seemingly do nothing well. He testified that he had tried to make a living doing odd jobs here and there. Everywhere there is a demand for labor at fair wages. Before we charge all of the misery and misfortune of the world to political and industrial conditions, it were well for us to consider whether we are capable of doing anything and doing it right.

The comparative birth rate in France and Germany is 1 to 16. Seven months ago the French marched into the Ruhr. The nerve center of German trade was thrown into a flutter. The spirit of discontent has grown steadily. It is no. at all certain that Germany is actually able to meet the payments on her war debt. In the meantime, we are threatened with another great war, by comparison with which, armed-guns were like the sting of a bee. Is it not time that the short-sighted politicians of France and of the world were recognizing the fact that under such conditions it is utterly futile to talk about permanent security on a military basis? The dogged determination of Germany to recreate herself and the spirit of German unrest and hatred which these things inevitably engender; the politicians of the Quai D'Orsay, will some day be forced to face.

One principle of government which we need not hesitate to assert at any time is that organized government must overcome mob rule or mob rule will overcome organized government. The governor of Oklahoma has been warned that his life will be the forfeit because he dared to assert the sovereignty of the law and suppress the mob. We do not undertake to vouch for the correctness of everything the governor of Oklahoma does, but he is within his proper sphere in undertaking to enforce the laws of his state. We need not be surprised or shocked at this logical development of mob rule, for the mob that overrides the judicial

and the legislative branches of the government will also override the executive. We have sown enough dragon's teeth already to begin to reap a fruitful harvest.

THE JOY OF WORKING WITH MANY

It is a common observation that creative artists enjoy their work. Some of them have been known to work with a kind of exalted fury because of the sheer ecstasy of creative effort. We see comparatively little of that among factory workers, though there is more pleasure in their work than some of our pessimistic writers are willing to admit. With an unerring instinct of getting the cart before the horse, some of the pessimists have asserted that the factory system has taken the joy out of work. As a general observation it is probably true that artists who work alone with simple appliances really enjoy their work more than machine tenders in large factories enjoy theirs. It does not follow, however, that all the blame is to be laid to the factory system. The difference in men may have something to do with it.

It is an old and correct observation that genius is the capacity for taking infinite pains. All creative work, whether of the artist or of the man of science, requires the most patient, prolonged and painstaking attention to minute details. The man who is not something of a genius, instead of getting pleasure from that kind of work, finds it irksome beyond his power of endurance. He simply cannot force himself to keep at it. Only the genius can keep on. The rest of us find simplified tasks—and every specialized task is a simplified task—much less irksome or more pleasurable. Give the ordinary man who is not a genius his choice between the complicated and the multifarious work of making a complete product and the simplified work of making a small part of it and he will choose the latter, if the wages are equal. Bench workers are usually eager to get a factory job.

As to working alone, few men like it; and unless a man is really a great artist he gets no more delight from making a complete product than he does from making a part of a larger product. The musician is no less an artist when he plays in an orchestra than when he plays alone, nor is his work any less "creative." To have a small part in a large creation is as satisfying to a real artist as to have the sole part in a smaller creation. This is not saying that the soloist in an orchestra may not have a more important part than one of the other members, but if so the reason is because he is a greater artist and not because he plays alone.

It probably takes more breadth of mind and strength of imagination for the artist when he plays in an orchestra to appreciate that he is a creator of something fine than he does when he plays alone; but if he realizes that the greater creation can only be produced by the combined work of many, he will be satisfied, unless he is a hopeless egotist.

Similarly, in a factory it doubtless takes more breadth of mind and strength of imagination for the worker to realize that he is a creator of something excellent than it would take if he worked alone; but if he is capable of seeing that vastly better and larger results can be had from working with others than from working alone he will be satisfied to work with others; in fact he will get an even greater thrill or sense of worth by realizing that he is contributing an essential part of a greater and better result than he could contribute if he were the sole producer of something smaller and not so good. —Youth's Companion.

FIGHTING THE BATTLE OF LIFE

If we could stand on some great mountain top and gaze across the broad plains and the wide bodies of water of this mystifying universe, and there get a view of man and of every animal in the animal kingdom, and of every fowl in the air and every living creature down under the sea; there we would see a struggle far greater than any struggle in all the history of the battle of life; not just man against man, beast against beast, and fowl against fowl—but we would see every living creature on earth, from the smallest insect to the head that wears the golden crown—one against another—fighting in the never ceasing battles of life.

Then, if we stood and continued our gaze, we would see in the midst of this universal struggle the great complications of the fight. We would see the swift footed deer, or the meek little hare, dodging the shot from the hunter's gun; the butterfly trying to escape the eager eye of the mocking bird; the little worm fighting to free itself from the mouth of the hungry ant, and the smaller fish of the sea rushing toward the shallower waters to avoid the whale-like fish. Oh what battles are these! The battles of life!

It is a fight of individuality—a fight that every living being must fight alone. To those that possess easy fight. To those that have no will power nor confidence, we be unto them for they shall be the slaves of the brave.

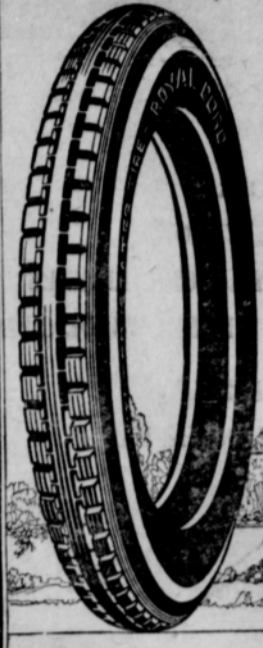
Why not be brave? Use your will power—gain confidence in yourself—then fight and keep fighting. The battles of life are never over.—Russ Long.

NOTICE

All parties knowing themselves indebted to the Jones Implement Company of Spearman are asked to call and make settlement of their account by September 1, as the firm has sold out and must close their books. 35t2.

Phone in the news No. 10.

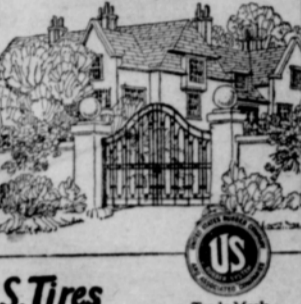
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NO TRESPASSING

The public will please take notice that I will not allow hunting or fishing in my pasture on the Palo Duro, west of Spearman. Please observe this notice and avoid trouble 20116p Mrs. J. W. JONES

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

I will sell wood for \$5.00 per four horse load. It will be necessary to either phone or come to headquarters before getting the wood, other wise you will be treated as trespassers.

Positively no hunting allowed. W. T. COBLE, Owner of the Turkey Track Ranch

NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC

No hunting or fishing will be allowed in the Diamond C pastures on the headwaters of the Palo Duro These lands are posted and trespassers will be prosecuted.

JAMES H. CATOR & SON, Manager

HUNTERS TAKE NOTICE

Hunting will not be allowed in the VZ pasture, on the Palo Duro. Hunters will please take notice and avoid trouble, as I will positively prosecute all such as trespassers.

RUTLEDGE HENDERSON, S. C. TYLER, Owner.

TO THE PUBLIC

Having posted my ranch lying in the northeast corner of Hansford county, along the Palo Duro creek as required by the law of Texas, this is to specially call attention to any one fishing, hunting or trespassing in any way therein, that they will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

GUS B. COOTS, 36t52* Owner of Palo Duro Ranch

TO TRESPASSING

Trespassing will not be allowed on the Simmons ranch on the Palo Duro. Fishing and hunting is positively forbidden.

SAM ARCHER, Owner

NOTICE TO PIG CLUB BOYS

All Pig Club boys are notified to bring their pigs to Spearman on Saturday, September 1,—the day of the M. A. Shuler hog sale—when the pigs will be judged and prizes awarded. The judges selected are M. A. Shuler, Ernest Spivey and Hayden Hart. Bring your pig in early as the judging will take place at 10 o'clock.

M. MAJOR, J. G. B. SPARKS.

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I have 1500 bushels of absolutely clean Turkey Red seed wheat for sale. If you want pure seed for next year's crop. See me at once VERNON COMPTON Spearman, Texas

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Hansford Lodge No. 1040 A. F. & A. M., Spearman, Texas. Regular meeting Saturday night on or before the first full moon in each month. Visiting brethren welcome. P. A. LYON, W. M.

I. O. O. F.

Hansford Lodge No. 785, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, meets Thursday night of each week at hall. Visiting brothers are accorded a royal welcome.

J. E. WOMBLE, N. G. BURK BOLLAND, Sec'y. W. E. Caldwell Rebekah Lodge No. 23 meets every Friday night. Mrs. VIRGIL WILBANKS, N. G. Mrs. L. S. CATOR, Sec'y.

W. O. W.

Palo Duro Camp No. 3353 meets the second and fourth Monday nights of each month. V. W. WILBANKS, C. G. J. E. WOMBLE, Clerk.

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I make Farm and Ranch Loans, and will give you prompt service. I also buy Texas Vendor's Lien Notes. When you need anything in this line, call me on the telephone or write me, and I will give you immediate service.

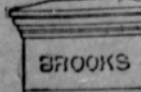
WILL CROW
Attorney-at-Law
CANADIAN, TEXAS.

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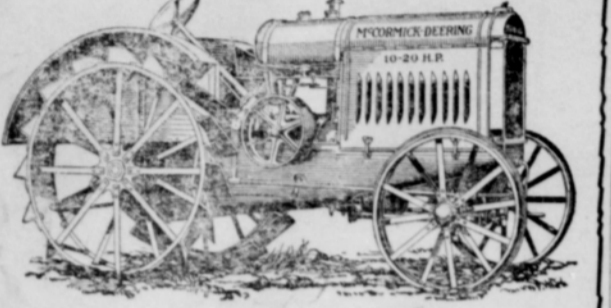
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SPEARMAN

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hutchinson county, greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to
summon Alfred Davis, and the un-
known heirs and legal representa-
tives of such named person, and W.
H. Johnson and Rachel E. Johnson,
by making publication of this cita-
tion once in each week, for four con-
secutive weeks, previous to the re-
turn date hereof, in some news-
paper published in your County, if
there be a newspaper published
therein, but if not, then in the near-
est County where a newspaper is
published, to appear at the next regu-
lar term of the District Court of
Hutchinson County, Texas, to be
held at the Court-house thereof in
the town of Plemons, on the 2nd
Monday in October, A. D. 1923, the
same being the 8th day of October,
A. D. 1923, then and there to an-
swer a petition filed in said court on
the 21st day of July, A. D. 1923, in
a suit numbered on the docket of
said Court Number 521 wherein E.
B. Johnson, Neil R. Johnson,
Graham B. Johnson and Mont-
ford T. Johnson are plaintiffs
and Alfred Davis, and his unknown
heirs and legal representatives, and
W. H. Johnson, and wife, Rachel E.
Johnson are defendants; said peti-
tion alleging that on July 1st, 1923,
they were lawfully seized and pos-
sessed of Survey or Section Number
three (3) in Block Number 1, Cer-
tificate 268, Brooks & Burleson
Original Grantee, situated in Hutch-
inson county, Texas; that on said
dates defendants, and each of them
entered upon said lands and
ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and
now withhold the possession thereof.
Plaintiffs further allege a chain of
title from the State of Texas, to
themselves, through various deeds
and instruments, and that they are
the owners and entitled to the pos-
session of said land.

Plaintiffs further plead specifically,
that they have had and held pos-
session of said tract of land, under
color of title from the State of Texas,
with peaceable, continuous, and
adverse possession for a period of
more than three years, and that they
have likewise held such possession
for a period of more than five years,
paying taxes thereon and that they
have likewise had such peaceable
and adverse possession for more than
ten years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature the title under the
three years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land that their title
be quieted and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said
lands, had or claimed by defendants,
be divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

as to mature the title under the
three years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land that their title
be quieted and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said
lands, had or claimed by defendants,
be divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hutchinson county, greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to
summon E. C. McGinley, T. B. Cox,
T. B. Weathersby, J. H. Powell, J. S.
McElroy, J. N. Olds, Mrs. Mary
Finkelston, administratrix of the es-
tate of D. J. Finkelston, and the un-
known heirs and legal representa-
tives of each and all of said named
defendants, and also the heirs and
legal representatives of D. J. Finkel-
ston, the names of those de-
fendants referred to, as heirs or legal
representatives being unknown, by
making publication of this citation,
once in each week for four consecu-
tive weeks, previous to the return
date hereof in some newspaper pub-
lished in your county, if there be a
newspaper published therein, but if
not, then in the nearest county where
a newspaper is published, to appear
at the next regular term of the Dis-
trict Court of Hutchinson County,
Texas, to be held at the Court-
house thereof in the town of Plemons
on the 2nd Monday in October, A.
D. 1923, the same being the 8th day
of October, A. D. 1923, then and
there to answer a petition filed in
said court on the 21st day of July,
A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered on the
docket of said court number 523
wherein E. B. Johnson, Neil R. John-
son, Graham B. Johnson, and Mont-
ford T. Johnson are plaintiffs, and
E. C. McGinley, T. B. Cox, T. B.
Weathersby, J. H. Powell, J. S. Mc-
Elroy, J. N. Olds, Mrs. Mary Finkel-
ston, and the unknown heirs and
legal representatives of each and
all of said named defendants, as
well as the heirs, and legal repre-
sentatives of J. D. Finkel-
ston, are defendants. Said petition
alleging that on July 1st, 1923, they
were lawfully seized and possessed
of survey or section number twenty-
eight (28), Block Y, certificate num-
ber 51, Abstract number 536, Arnold
& Barrett Original Grantee situated
in Hutchinson County, Texas; that
on said date, defendants and each of
them entered upon said lands and
ejected plaintiffs therefrom and now
withhold the possession thereof.
Plaintiffs further allege a chain of
title from the State of Texas, to
themselves, through various deeds
and instruments and that they are
the owners and entitled to the pos-
session of said land.

Plaintiffs further plead specifically,
that they have had and held pos-
session of said tract of land, under
color of title from the State of Texas,
with peaceable, continuous, and
adverse possession for a period of
more than three years, and that they
have likewise held such possession
for a period of more than five years,
paying taxes thereon and that they
have likewise had such peaceable
and adverse possession for more than
ten years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature the title under the
three years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land that their title
be quieted and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said
lands, had or claimed by defendants,
be divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

Gerard Cox, and Robert Lamb
and the unknown heirs and
legal representatives, of each and
all of said named persons, are de-
fendants; said petition alleging that
on July 1, 1923, they were lawfully
seized and possessed of survey
Number 37, Block Y, Certificate 56,
Arnold and Barrett, original grant-
tee, situated in Hutchinson county,
Texas. That on said date defend-
ants, and each of them entered upon
said lands and ejected plaintiffs
therefrom and now withhold the pos-
session thereof. Plaintiffs further
allege a chain of title from the State
of Texas, to themselves,
through various deeds, and that they
are the owners and entitled to the
possession of said land.

Plaintiffs further plead specifically,
that they have had and held pos-
session of said tract of land, under
color of title from the State of Texas,
with peaceable, continuous, and
adverse possession for a period of
more than three years, and that they
have likewise held such possession
for a period of more than five years,
paying taxes thereon and that they
have likewise had such peaceable
and adverse possession for more than
ten years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature the title under the
three years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land, that their title
be quieted and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said lands,
had or claimed by defendants, be
divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

adverse possession for more than ten
years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature the title under the
three years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land that their title
be quieted and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said lands,
had or claimed by defendants, be
divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hutchinson county, greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to
summon John W. Mead, George Ad-
dison Cox, James Cox, Gordon Ger-
ard Cox, Thomas Cecil Cox, Mrs.
John W. Mead, Albert M. Huston,
Mrs. Albert Huston and Robert Lamb
and the unknown heirs and legal rep-
resentatives of each of such named
persons, and the unknown heirs and
legal representatives of James Hus-
ton, by making publication of this
citation once in each week for four
consecutive weeks, previous to the
return date hereof, in some news-
paper, published in your County, if
there be a newspaper published there-
in, but if not then in the near-
est county where a newspaper is pub-
lished to appear at the next regular
term of the District Court of Hutch-
inson County, Texas, to be held at
the court-house thereof in the town
of Plemons, on the 2nd Monday in
October, A. D. 1923, the same being
the 8th day of October, A. D. 1923,
then and there to answer a peti-
tion filed in said court on the 21st
day of July, A. D. 1923, in a
suit numbered on the docket of said
court number 526, wherein J. F.
Weathersby and wife Maggie M.
Weathersby, are plaintiffs and John
W. Mead, Mrs. John W. Mead, Albert
M. Huston and Mrs. Albert M. Hus-
ton, the unknown heirs and legal
representatives, of each of such four
named defendants, and the unknown
heirs and legal representative of
James Huston, are defendants; said
petition alleging that on July 1, 1923,
they were lawfully seized, and pos-
sessed of survey number 39, Block
Y, certificate number 1-23, Morris
& Cummings Original Grantee, John
W. Mead, patentee, by Patent No.
515, shown in volume 23. That on
said date defendants and each of
them entered upon said land and
ejected plaintiffs therefrom and now
withhold the possession thereof.
Plaintiffs further allege a chain of
title from the State of Texas to
themselves, through various deeds,
and that they are the owners and
entitled to the possession of said land.

Plaintiffs further plead specifically,
that they have had and held pos-
session of said tract of land, under
color of title from the State of Texas,
with peaceable, continuous and
adverse possession for a period of
more than three years, and that they
have likewise held such possession
for a period of more than five years,
paying taxes thereon, and that they
have likewise had such peaceable
and adverse possession for more than
ten years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature title under the three
years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land, that their title
be quieted, and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said land,
had or claimed by defendants, be
divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hutchinson county, greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to
summon W. D. Morris, and the un-
known heirs and legal representa-
tives, of such named person, by mak-
ing publication of this citation once
in each week for four consecutive
weeks, previous to the return date
hereof, in some newspaper published
in your County, if there be a news-
paper published therein, but if not,
then in the nearest County where a
newspaper is published, to appear at
the next regular term of the District
Court of Hutchinson County, Texas,
to be held at the Court-house
thereof in the town of Plemons, on
the 2nd Monday in October, A. D.
1923, the same being the 8th day
of October, A. D. 1923, then and
there to answer a petition filed in
said Court on the 21st day of July,
A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered on
the docket of said Court, Number 525,
wherein E. B. Johnson, Neil R. John-
son, Graham B. Johnson, and Mont-
ford T. Johnson are plaintiffs,
and W. D. Morris, and his unknown
heirs and legal representatives, and
James B. Wilks, and Laura A. Wilks,
are defendants; said petition alleg-
ing that on July 1, 1923, they were
lawfully seized and possessed of
Survey or Section Number 46, Block
Y, Certificate 57, Arnold & Barrett
Original Grantee; Section Number 4,
Certificate Number 268, Block Num-
ber One (1) Brooks & Burleson
Original Grantees; Section Number
Six (6) Certificate Number 129,
Block Number 1, Brooks & Burleson
original grantee, Situated in Hutch-
inson County, Texas. That on said
date, defendants and each of them
entered upon said lands and ejected
plaintiffs therefrom, and now with-
hold the possession thereof. Plaintiffs
further allege a chain of title from
the State of Texas, to themselves,
through various deeds and instru-
ments, and that they are the owners
and entitled to the possession of
said land.

Plaintiffs further plead specifically,
that they have had and held pos-
session of said tract of land, under
color of title from the State of Texas,
with peaceable, continuous and
adverse possession for a period of
more than three years, and that they
have likewise held such possession
for a period of more than five years,
paying taxes thereon, and that they
have likewise had such peaceable
and adverse possession for more than
ten years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature title under the three
years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land, that their title
be quieted, and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said land,
had or claimed by defendants, be
divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hutchinson county, greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to
summon W. D. Morris, and the un-
known heirs and legal representa-
tives, of such named person, by mak-
ing publication of this citation once
in each week for four consecutive
weeks, previous to the return date
hereof, in some newspaper published
in your County, if there be a news-
paper published therein, but if not,
then in the nearest County where a
newspaper is published, to appear at
the next regular term of the District
Court of Hutchinson County, Texas,
to be held at the Court-house
thereof in the town of Plemons, on
the 2nd Monday in October, A. D.
1923, the same being the 8th day
of October, A. D. 1923, then and
there to answer a petition filed in
said Court on the 21st day of July,
A. D. 1923, in a suit numbered on
the docket of said Court, Number 525,
wherein E. B. Johnson, Neil R. John-
son, Graham B. Johnson, and Mont-
ford T. Johnson are plaintiffs,
and W. D. Morris, and his unknown
heirs and legal representatives, and
James B. Wilks, and Laura A. Wilks,
are defendants; said petition alleg-
ing that on July 1, 1923, they were
lawfully seized and possessed of
Survey or Section Number 46, Block
Y, Certificate 57, Arnold & Barrett
Original Grantee; Section Number 4,
Certificate Number 268, Block Num-
ber One (1) Brooks & Burleson
Original Grantees; Section Number
Six (6) Certificate Number 129,
Block Number 1, Brooks & Burleson
original grantee, Situated in Hutch-
inson County, Texas. That on said
date, defendants and each of them
entered upon said lands and ejected
plaintiffs therefrom, and now with-
hold the possession thereof. Plaintiffs
further allege a chain of title from
the State of Texas, to themselves,
through various deeds and instru-
ments, and that they are the owners
and entitled to the possession of
said land.

Plaintiffs further plead specifically,
that they have had and held pos-
session of said tract of land, under
color of title from the State of Texas,
with peaceable, continuous and
adverse possession for a period of
more than three years, and that they
have likewise held such possession
for a period of more than five years,
paying taxes thereon, and that they
have likewise had such peaceable
and adverse possession for more than
ten years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature title under the three
years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land, that their title
be quieted, and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said land,
had or claimed by defendants, be
divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 21st day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of the District court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hutchinson county, greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to
summon N. C. Young, Marie Jeanne
Young, H. P. Moncla, Lucile Marie
Moncla, the unknown heirs and legal
representatives, of each of such
named persons and unknown stock
holders of the Hugo & Schmelzer
Company, the names of such heirs
and legal representatives, and stock
holders, being unknown, by making
publication of this citation, once in
each week for four consecutive
weeks, previous to the return date
hereof, in some newspaper pub-
lished in your county, if there be a
newspaper published therein but if
not then in the nearest County
where a newspaper is published, to
appear at the next regular term of
the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas, to be held at the
Court-house thereof in the town of
Plemons, on the 2nd Monday in
October, A. D. 1923, the same being
the 8th day of October, A. D.
1923, then and there to answer a
petition filed in said court on the 21st
day of July, A. D. 1923, in a
suit numbered on the docket of said
Court, Number 522, wherein E. B.
Johnson, Neil R. Johnson, Graham
B. Johnson, and Montford T. John-
son are plaintiffs, and N. C. Young,
Marie Jeanne Young, and H. P.
Moncla, Lucile Marie Moncla, the
unknown heirs and legal representa-
tives, of said named persons and the
unknown stock holders of the Hugo
& Schmelzer Company, a defunct
corporation, are defendants; said
petition alleging that on July 1, 1923
they were lawfully seized and pos-
sessed of Survey or Section Number
5, Block 1, Certificate 129, Brooks
& Burleson, original grantee, situated
in Hutchinson county, Texas; that
on said date defendants and each of
them entered upon said lands and
ejected plaintiffs therefrom, and
now withhold the possession thereof.
Plaintiffs further allege a chain of
title, from the State of Texas, to
themselves, through various deeds,
and a judgment of the District
court of said county and that they
are the owners and entitled to the
possession of said land.

Plaintiffs further plead specifically,
that they have had and held pos-
session of said tract of land, under
color of title from the State of Texas,
with peaceable, continuous, and
adverse possession for a period of
more than three years, and that they
have likewise held such possession
for a period of more than five years,
paying taxes thereon and that they
have likewise had such peaceable
and adverse possession for more than
ten years, enjoying and using the same
so as to mature the title under the
three years, five years and ten years
statutes of limitation.

Plaintiffs pray for title and pos-
session of said land that their title
be quieted and that any and all
claims, interest or estate in said
lands, had or claimed by defendants,
be divested out of them and invested
in plaintiffs.

Herein fail not, but have you
then and there before said court,
this writ with your return thereon,
showing how you have executed the
same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
this 20th day of July, A. D. 1923.
(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of District Court of Hutchin-
son County, Texas.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable of
Hutchinson county, greeting:—
You are hereby commanded to
summon Caroline Parantian, T. Y.
Wilks, Mrs. T. Y. Wilks, George Ad-
dison Cox, James Cox, Gordon
Gerard Cox, Robert Lamb and
Thomas Cecil Cox, and the un-
known heirs and legal repre-
sentatives, of each of such named
persons, by making publication of
this citation once in each week for
four consecutive weeks, previous to
the return date hereof, in some news-
paper, published in your County, if
there be a newspaper published
therein, but if not then in the near-
est county where a newspaper is pub-
lished, to appear at the next regular
term of the district court of Hutch-
inson county, Texas, to be held at
the court house thereof in the town
of Plemons, on the 2nd Monday in
October, a. d. 1923, the same being
the 8th day of October, a. d. 1923,
then and there to answer a petition
filed in said court on the 21st day
of July, a. d. 1923, in a suit num-
bered on the docket of said court (No. 524)
wherein E. B. Johnson, Neil R. John-
son, Graham B. Johnson and Mont-
ford T. Johnson, are plaintiffs, and
Caroline Parantian, T. Y. Wilks,
Mrs. T. Y. Wilks, George Ad-
dison Cox, James Cox, Gordon

CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas,
To the Sheriff or any Constable
of Hutchinson County—Greeting:
You are hereby commanded to sum-
mon the heirs at law of M. E. Can-
non, Deceased, whose names and
residences are unknown, to appear at
the next regular term of the Dis-
trict Court of Hutchinson County,
Texas, to be held at the court house
thereof, in the town of Plemons, on
the second Monday in October, A.
D. 1923, being the 8th day of Octo-
ber, A. D. 1923, then and there to
answer a petition filed in the said
court on the 20th day of July, A. D.
1923, in a suit numbered 519 on the
docket thereof, wherein C. C. Free-
man and W. H. Black are plaintiffs
and the heirs of M. E. Cannon, De-
ceased, are the defendants; the cause
of action being alleged as follows:
That on the first day of January,
A. D. 1923, the plaintiffs were and
now are lawfully seized and possessed
of the tracts of land hereinafter
described, situated in the said county
of Hutchinson and State of Texas,
holding the same in fee simple; that
on the day and year last aforesaid,
defendants entered upon said premises
and ejected the plaintiffs there-
from and unlawfully with-holds from
plaintiffs the possession thereof to
their damage \$10000.00; that the
premises so entered upon and un-
lawfully with-held by defendants
from plaintiffs are known and de-
scribed as follows:
First tract: All of Section No.
78, Block "R", Certificate No. 73,
G B & C N G Ry. Co. original grant-
tee, containing 640 acres of land,
more or less; and
Second tract: The West 3/4ths
Section No. 76, Block "R" Cer-
tificate No. 72, G B & C N G Ry. Co.,
original grantee, containing 480
acres of land, more or less;
Plaintiffs claim title to the above
described tracts of land under a
regular chain of title by deeds of
conveyance executed to Clarence
Gatlin, dated on the 29th day of
July, 1916, by Luther E. Cannon,
William A. Cannon, Louisa Sullivan,
a widow, Sarah Curry, C. N. Curry,
Nancy Pierson, Irwin Pierson, Sarah
Garrett, a widow, Ella Spaw, John
Spaw, Fanny Smith and Charlie
Smith, said deed being executed by
said grantors as the heirs at law
and the only heirs at law of the
said M. E. Cannon Deceased,
and the plaintiffs allege that they
claimed title to said tracts of
land by regular chain of transfers
from said deed of conveyance, and
that prior to the death of the said
M. E. Cannon, he, the said M. E.
Cannon held the legal title to said
tracts of land, that he died intestate
before the execution of said deed of
conveyance and that the said grantors
in said deed of conveyance, were his
heirs and his only heirs at law and
and that said deed of conveyance
passed good title to said tracts of
land to the said Clarence Gatlin, his

heirs and assigns against all persons
claiming under the said M. E. Cannon
as his heirs at law or otherwise, which
title the plaintiffs herein now hold.

Plaintiffs further show that the de-
fendants herein claim title to said
land, if at all, as the heirs at law of
the said M. E. Cannon, Deceased.

Plaintiffs say that this suit is
brought not only to establish the
legal heirs at law of the said M. E.
Cannon, Deceased, but also to estab-
lish the fact that the grantors in said
deed of conveyance to the said
Clarence Gatlin, at the time they
executed said deed, were the heirs
at law and the only heirs at law of
the said M. E. Cannon, Deceased;
that upon the death of the said M.
E. Cannon, title to said real estate
became legally vested in the said
grantors in said deed of conveyance
to the said Clarence Gatlin, and that
the title so held by the grantors, by
reason of said deed of conveyance,
became vested in the said Clarence
Gatlin, and is now vested in these
plaintiffs as against all the heirs at
law of the said M. E. Cannon, De-
ceased, if any other than the grantors
in said deed of conveyance.

WHEREFORE, plaintiffs pray that
the defendants be cited as the law
directs to answer this petition, and
that plaintiffs have judgment for
the restitution of the above described
premises; that the cloud upon their
title, if any, be removed; that the
court find and establish herein that
the grantors in said deed of convey-
ance to the said Clarence Gatlin, at
the date of the execution of the
same, were the heirs at law and the
only heirs at law of the said M. E.
Cannon, Deceased; that he died in-
testate and that good and sufficient
legal title pass by reason of said
deed of conveyance, and that plain-
tiffs are now the owner of such
title. Plaintiffs further pray that
they be granted such other and
further relief as they may show them-
selves entitled to in either law or
equity.

Said petition is also endorsed:
"this action is brought as well to
try title as for damages."

You are further commanded to so
summon the defendants and to serve
this citation by publishing the same
once in each week for four succes-
sive weeks previous to the return
day hereof, in a newspaper pub-
lished in your county; but if no news-
paper is published in said county,
then in the nearest county where a
newspaper is published.

Herein fail not but have you be-
fore said court, on the said first day
of the next term thereof, this writ,
with your return thereon, showing
how you have executed the same.

Witness M. E. McCormick, Clerk
of the District Court of Hutchinson
County, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal
of said court, in the town of Plemons,
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(Seal.) M. E. McCORMICK,
Clerk of District Court of Hutchin-
son County, Texas.

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Beginning at 10:00 o'clock a. m., the following property:

FOR MR. COOKSTON:—

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One bay horse six years old, weight 1500 pounds; one bay horse nine years old, weight 1200 pounds; one gray team nine years old, weight 1200 pounds each; one team of gray mules ten years old, weight 1200 pounds each; one bay two-year-old filly, weight 1200 pounds; one yearling mule; one bay brood mare 12 years old, mule colt by side, one good kid pony seven years old.

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One New Perfection four-burner oil stove; one dining table; one safe; a number of good chairs; two bedsteads; two sets bed springs; one heater, in good shape; kitchen utensils too numerous to mention.

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One McCormick Row Binder; one double disc Sanders plow; one John Deere cultivator; one P. and O. lister, in good shape, one drag harrow; one 3 1/2 inch King wagon, in good shape; one three-inch Studebaker wagon, in good shape; one good feed wagon; other articles too numerous to mention.

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Two mares seven years old, mule colts by side, weight about 1200 pounds each; one stable horse 10 years old, weight about 1500 pounds; one bay filly, coming two-year-old; one span of mules five and six years old; one sorrel mare; one span gray horses nine years old, weight 1400 pounds each. Other good stock; in fact anything you need in the way of good farm animals.

There will be some fine stock in this sale which can not be listed at this time. Come prepared to buy as you will be certain to find what you want.

No sales will be made for outsiders on this sale date, as the entire time of the auctioneers will be occupied.

be designated as a U. S. bonded warehouse. The Department of Agriculture, co-operating with the College of Agriculture and the Farm Bureau, has a representative in every county. He is known as the county agricultural agent or farm advisor. The county agent or some other official representative of the Department of Agriculture may properly be delegated to the task of inspecting storehouses on the farm and of designating those fit to store grain as bonded warehouses. The farmer may then put his wheat in a bonded bin on his own farm, lock it, and deliver the key to the official warehouseman, and give the farmer a lawful bonded warehouse receipt for his grain. These farm warehouses, together with the terminal and line warehouses, have sufficient capacity to store the crop.

"Is there any better security for borrowed money than wheat in the bin? The soundness of this particular collateral is proverbial.

"Under the Intermediate Credits Law 12 intermediate credit banks are set up in conjunction with the 12 Federal Land Banks, at Springfield, Mass., Baltimore, Md., Columbus, S. C., Louisville, Ky., New Orleans, La., St. Louis, Mo., St. Paul, Minn., Omaha, Neb., Wichita, Kans., Houston, Tex., Berkeley, Cal., and Spokane, Wash. The United States Treasury is authorized to advance to each of these banks a capital of \$5,000,000 or a total of \$60,000,000. Each of the Intermediate Credit Banks is authorized to loan to farmers on proper security, such as bonded warehouse receipts, a total of 10 times its capital of \$600,000,000. This money is obtained through the sale of debentures, which are tax-free and which have back of them the wheat in bonded bins. This provides a total of \$660,000,000 to enable the farmer to remove any farm surpluses as they develop as price-breaking factors and feed them gradually into market. Assume that 200,000,000 bushels of wheat were stored and financed on farms in this way. Suppose the farmer borrowed the legal limit as prescribed by law of the market price of this bonded wheat to carry on his business. This would require \$150,000,000. The money is available, the law is on the statute books, and the plan is capable of meeting the present situation. All we need is the proper regulations from the Department of Agriculture and the Federal Farm Loan Board, and the prompt administration of the Intermediate Credit and Warehouse Acts.

"Now, therefore, the American Farm Bureau Federation calls upon all banks, farm organizations and individual farmers to make full and free use of the Intermediate Credit Act so as to prevent the dumping of the wheat crop and to retain its control in the hands of the grower himself rather than in the hands of the speculator.

"The American Farm Bureau Federation urges the Secretary of Agriculture under the powers conferred upon him by the amended Warehouse Act to designate proper warehouses on farms as government bonded warehouses, and to set up machinery at once to provide proper inspection and warehouse administration. The U. S. Warehouse Act and the corresponding state warehouse laws should be used by the commodity organizations and individual farmers to the end that storage of wheat crop may be made under grower control, either on the farms, in country elevators, or in terminal warehouses.

"The American Farm Bureau Federation believes that such action on the part of the organized farmers of the nation would demonstrate that there is nothing in the wheat situation on the supply side of the market which can justify the present disastrous price. Recent reports have emphasized acreage instead of output. Additional acres that are now put into wheat are the poorer acres and production does not increase at a corresponding rate.

"Output of wheat in the United States has increased since pre-war at the same rate as population. World surpluses for the post-war years average only 1 million bushels more than for the average of five pre-war years. This means that the other exporting nations have only filled the gap left by Russia. European wheat importing countries are producing at least 200 million bushels less than before the war. These facts in regard to domestic and world wheat supply should be supporting factors in the market. The only possible explanation for falling prices must be found in demand.

"There are more people than before the war to eat wheat in all the importing countries. In both Europe and the United States there has been a decline in the pre capita consumption. Europe, however took 26 per cent of our wheat in the crop year ending June 30, 1923, at an average price to the farmer of 98 cents. There is no reason to believe that Europe's buying power in general will be substantially less in the coming year. Consumption in the United States increased 12 per cent in the fiscal year just ended over the previous year. With industrial activity and employment at a high level there is good promise that our consumption will continue to expand, possibly equal to pre-war. Exports to the extent of 20 per cent of the crop and per capita consumption on the basis of pre-war would equal 1923 production as now forecasted.

"One major reason that demand for wheat is now properly sustained is the changed method of purchasing for export. Before the war purchasers for foreign account were made in large volume at harvest and immediately thereafter. Due to the weakened financial situation abroad and the uncertainty concerning the prices of foreign drafts foreign buying is now largely on a hand to mouth basis.

"This emphasizes the necessity for American agriculture to press to a conclusion its program of orderly marketing over the crop year.

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"Producers themselves have the major responsibility in avoiding such situations as now confront the wheat growers. In intelligently planning production and in providing adequate storage facilities for orderly financing and co-operative marketing can be found the key to the permanent solution of the wheat situation."

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A. F. B. PLAN FOR STORING WHEAT

The American Farm Bureau Federation has worked out a definite and comprehensive plan for storing surplus wheat on farms and financing it under the new Intermediate Credit and Warehouse Acts. The plan was proposed by Gray Silver, Washington Representative before the Southwestern Wheat Conference in Wichita, Kansas, and was endorsed there. Minnesota is the first state farm bureau to approve the plan. The plan as passed upon by the executive officers of the American Farm Bureau Federation is enunciated by President O. E. Bradute in the following statement:

"Wheat selling below \$1 per bushel is a national tragedy in America. It is a tragedy not only to the farmer who grows the wheat at a loss, but also to the consumer—the business man and the laborer—who must ultimately depend on that farmer's wheat dollar for their continued prosperity and happiness.

"The American Farm Bureau Federation believes that co-operative marketing is ultimate solution to the

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national wheat price problem. We are now at work on a national co-operative grain marketing policy being formulated upon instructions from our members. Under this plan the growers of the nation will in effect place their grain in a common bin and will merchandise it in an orderly way over the consumptive period, instead of dumping it on an already overloaded market during the four months following harvest. Co-operative marketing of wheat unquestionably solves the price problem to the benefit of both producer and consumer. But except in a few sections, the southwest and the northwest co-operative marketing is not ready to meet the present wheat crisis.

"Fortunately we have ready at hand the machinery which, if permitted to function, will enable our farmers to store their wheat and hold it for orderly distribution. We refer to the new Intermediate Farm Credit, provided by the last session of Congress at the insistence of the Farm Bureau and Farm Bloc, to be used in conjunction with the amended U. S. Warehouse Act.

"Under the warehouse law the Secretary of Agriculture may rule if he sees fit that a proper farm storehouse, a wheat granary in this case,

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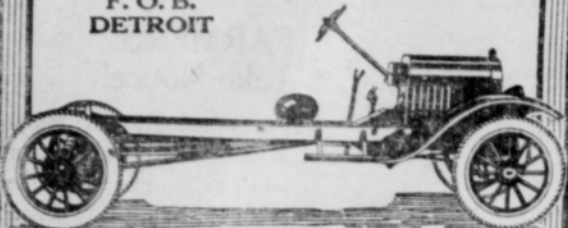
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The Ford One-Ton Truck Chassis has proved its ability to reduce transportation costs in practically every line of business where there is a hauling problem. It is economical, efficient, dependable. At the new low price you will agree it represents a value that has never before been offered in the commercial car field. Place your order now for reasonably prompt delivery. Terms if desired.

R. W. MORTON
Ford Sales and Service
SPEARMAN

TOO MUCH NOISE

Postmaster Ellis and many patrons are complaining that children—some of them old enough to know better—congregate at the postoffice while the mail is being distributed, and make so much noise in the lobby that they are a great nuisance to the postoffice clerks and the public in general. The postoffice is not a playground. There is much room outdoors for the children, old and young, and if they cannot be quiet while in the post office some one should have the authority to see that they are quiet.

Four Burner Oil Stove for sale. Apply at the Reporter Office.

Nice, fresh bread, received every day, at the City Cafe. 35tf.

Dr. Adair, the dentist, at the Hillhouse Drug Company, September 3 to 8.

The Jordan Motor Company, Guyton carries parts for all magnetos. Phone No. 70.

Our groceries please Fresh fruits and vegetables. The best to be had for the money. Burran Brothers.

Smico Smithing Coal. We still have a good supply, better get some today.

WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

WANTED—Custom plowing, as soon as threshing is finished. V. H. Anderson, Box 526, Spearman, Texas. 35t2p

We have just received a car of sugar, Red Star flour, and salt. Let us figure your bills on everything neat and wear.

P. M. MAIZE & CO.

We have received this week two more cars of coal. We now have all kinds. Better see us and have that supply laid in for the winter.

WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

Don't delay about having those teeth taken out until rheumatism gets a hold on you. See Dr. Adair the dentist, and make arrangements to have a new set made before winter time. At the Hillhouse Drug Company, September 3 to 8.

We have received a new car this week of Texas cedar post, they sure are dandy ones. Be sure and see these before doing any fencing. We also handle all kinds of barb and woven wire.

WHITE HOUSE LUMBER CO.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Endicott are making preparations to leave the first of next week for Long Beach, California, where they will make their home. Their many friends in this section regret very much to see these good folks move away from Spearman. They have been here since the beginning of the town and for a number of years before, and have always taken an active part in every move toward the upbuilding of the town and community. The Reporter predicts that they will return to Spearman in time.

WARREN G. HARDING'S CODE OF EDITORIAL ETHICS

The following code of ethics was written by President Harding, editor of the Marion Star, and was strictly enforced by him on the members of his staff:

"Remember there are two sides to every question. Get them both. Be truthful. Get the facts. Mistakes are inevitable, but strive for accuracy. I would rather have one story exactly right than a hundred half wrong.

"Be decent, be fair, be generous. Boost, don't knock.

"There's good in everybody. In reporting a political gathering, give the facts. Tell the story as it is, not as you would like to have it. Treat all parties alike. If there is any politics to be played we will play it in our editorial columns.

"Treat all religious matters reverently.

"If it can possibly be avoided never bring ignominy to an innocent man, woman or child in telling of the misdeeds or misfortunes of a relative. Don't wait to be asked, but do it without the asking, and above all be clean and never let dirty word or suggestive story get into type.

"I want this paper so conducted that it can go into any home without destroying the innocence of any child.

PROTECT OUR HE-MEN

"On Location," near Los Angeles, a famous he-man of the movies was lending his art to the title role of "The Virginian." By his virile personality which has a record of millions of heart-throbs excited in female bosoms, he was engaged in making a "living drama" out of Owen Wister's really creditable little book.

The "he-man's" well-known flourish and his terrific fighting face registered on the camera's eye as he "went after" his gun in the traditional "quick draw." But the beastly holster held tight and the pistol went off. The tallow bullet seared the skin of the "he-man" as it hustled along to where it was going. The hero swooned, and it was announced that his collapse was so serious that filming of the scenes would be indefinitely postponed.

There ought to be something done to protect the "he-man" of the movies against the deadly effects of blank cartridges and tallow bullets. We suggest that there be a boycott against authors who persist in having their heroes handle dangerous pistols, or that rubber stillettos be substituted. Shall the film stars who make the heroic live before our eyes be exposed to the perils of leg burns, and nervous prostration therefrom?—FT. Worth Star Telegram.

The Big Question on the Farm?

What do you have the most invested in on your farm?—Your Machinery. You probably have from two to five thousand dollars worth of farm machinery that will last from two to five years without shelter, while you can use this same machinery for a lifetime if it is kept under cover when not in use. Why give all your profit to the implement manufacturer? An inexpensive implement shed will make you money every year. See what we have to offer. We are always glad to help plan your building and help you select the material.

Panhandle Lumber Company

Phone No. 2

R. T. WESTERFIELD, Manager.

LOST SOW

One Poland China sow, weight about 200 pounds, lame in front foot, strayed from my home, five miles south of Spearman about ten weeks ago. I will pay a liberal reward for information leading to her recovery. 36t1pd.

W. S. FRIZZELL.

NOTICE

Owing to the fact that a few people are entering our pasture to get grapes, fish and hunt, without permission, we wish to hereby call attention to the fact that this land is posted and that hereafter all trespassers will be vigorously prosecuted.

This means YOU. Trespassing on our property must cease.

MRS. JOSEPH W. JONES,
DR. JOSEPH C. JONES,
MISS GWENIFRED JONES.

CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR PROBATE OF WILL

The State of Texas. To the Sheriff or any Constable of Hansford County, Texas, Greeting:—

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published for ten days exclusive of the day of publication, before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year next preceding the first publication of this notice in Hansford County, Texas, the following citation:

The State of Texas: To all persons interested in the Estate of B. V. Andrews, deceased:

Know Ye: That Edna F. Andrews has filed in the County Court of Hansford County, an application for the probate of the Last Will and Testament of said B. V. Andrews, deceased, filed with said application and for letters Testamentary of the Estate of B. V. Andrews, deceased which will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the second Monday in September a. d. 1923, the same being the 10th day of September a. d. 1923, at the Courthouse thereof, in the town of Spearman, at which time all persons interested in said Estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire to do so.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said Court at my office in Hansford, Texas, this the 27th day of August a. d. 1923.

(Seal) KEESEE, C. RICHARDSON,
Clerk of the County Court of Hansford County, Texas.

Announcement

I have bought the interest of Mr. Sid Jones in the Jones Implement Company of Spearman, and will continue the business under the firm name of the Womble Hardware Co. We will continue to carry a full line of Farm Machinery of every description, such as

THE MASSEY-HARRIS LINES

THE JOHN DEERE LINES

SHELF HARDWARE, HARNESS

and complete line of Hardware of every kind. We solicit a continuance of your business and promise you the very best of service at our command.

Come to see us.

Womble Hw'd. Co.

SPEARMAN, TEXAS.

Let the Reporter do your
Job Printing.

NOTICE

All those indebted to the Andrews Hardware Company are hereby notified that a settlement must be made at once. It is important that some kind of a settlement, or a satisfactory arrangement be made. Please call and attend to this at once. ANDREWS HARDWARE CO.

A HOME

One of the best improved homes in the Spearman Country—7 room house with basement, trees, orchard, corrals, graineries for 3,000 bushels of wheat, chicken house, cement cave. This farm home will be sold at a bargain and \$1,000 cash will swing the deal. Only two and one-half miles east of Spearman. 160 acres; 110 acres in cultivation; all level.

See E. R. WILBANKS,
Spearman, Texas
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THE HOME GARDS LIVER-GARD and LUNGARDIA LIVER-GARD is the New Laxative we can not improve; excels all others. When a Laxative is needed, makes laughing babies of puny ones, keeps old folks young. Lungardia has no equal for Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat; unsurpassed in removing deep Coughs of long standing. One trial convinces. Lungardia Co. Dallas, Tex.

For sale by HILLHOUSE DRUG CO.

Phone us the news. No. 10.

EDITORS BEWARE

An editor has got to be mighty careful what he says nowadays for fear he will be misunderstood. An Arkansas editor sent out several hundred letters to his delinquent subscribers asking them to come in and liquidate. The next morning so many of them came in they broke the door down and when the editor attempted to give Webster's definition of the word liquidate, they broke the word liquidate, they broke his suspenders and then hung him to a telephone pole.—Fulton Mo. Sun.

One nearly new wheat drill and a few other farm implements for sale. See these implements at my farm, 2 1/2 miles northwest of Spearman.

T. K. WINTER,
36t2pd. Address, Texhoma, Okla.

If the doughboys wanted a bonus out of the war, they ought to have fought the Kaiser on Boyle's Thirty Acres.—Calgary Herald.

We do hope that De Valera won't wake up on the wrong side of the bed and decided that he'd rather be a Filipino, after all.—Dallas News.

The remarkable thing is that Germany perfected presses fast enough to print more money than is needed to pay the pressman.—Indianapolis Star.

Again to show their resentment against our prohibition laws, "crews of foreign ships are deserting to get higher wages paid by our shipping board."—New York Morning Telegraph.

Hats! Hats!

I will receive during the first week in September, a fine line of Ladies' HATS.

All the newest shapes, styles, designs, shades and colors.

Come early and see these beautiful creations before the stock is picked over.

You will find them at my home in West Spearman.

MRS. M. C. HEAD,
Spearman, Texas.

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R. L. McCLELLAN, Manager,

SPEARMAN