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lalter V. Keith Died Friday at His Home in Stamford

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Walter V. Keith, for twenty years onductor on the passenger train rom Stamford to Spur, died last Friay at his home in Stamford. For everal years Mr. Keith had not been n good health, but his death at this ime will be a shock to his many riends and acquaintances throughout

the country. Walter Keith worked with railway companies the greater part of his life. He was a good man, and we mourn with his family and his friends in his passing from this life.

Incompetent Drivers Cause Accidents

Today, if this is an average twenty-four hours, several score people will be killed and thousands injured in automobile accidents. It happened yesterday, and will happen again tomorrow.

Somebody turned without giving a signal; somebody was driving too fast; somebody didn't stop at a school district or a through boulevard; somebody inssited too much on right of way or what he conceived to be his privilege; somebody lost his head in a crisis. The result: casualties and waste, in lives and property, that knowledge, caution and fairness toword others would have prevented.

It should be a reasonably simple thing to observe traffic laws, to keep a machine under control, to learn the written and unwritten rules of the road, and to keep one's eyes open for the mistakes of others as well as one's own. Yet millions of motorists fail to do so.

It should be remebered that every accident is caused because someone was reckless incompetent, careless or ignorant. Unpreventable accidents are rare. And in this day of fast cars and congested traffic, the poor driver is a menace to the life and property of every citizen.

Bryant-Link Company Wholesale Grocery Sold to Wooten Grocery Company

Last week a sale was consummated whereby the Bryant-Link Wholesale Grocery Company business in Spur was sold to the Wooten Wholesale Grocery Company. The stock of goods is now being invoiced, and upon the completion of this work, at 6:30 P. M. There will be no we understand the Wooten Grocery evening service on account of the Company will take over and operate union service at the Palace Thethe wholesale grocery business in atre. Spur.

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A Cotton Seed Farm To be Established

D. W. Wilson, of Duluth, Georgia, ways found him in the Lord's House. will be in Spur next week for the pur- He was born in Georgia in 1859, pose of establishing here a seed farm and at the time of death was 69 years for the WestTexas production of 'Bet- 11 months and 27 days old. If he ter Staple" cotton seed for planting had lived until January 11th, he purposes. Mr. Wilson was the or- and grandmother Jackson would have iginator of the Better Staple cotton celebrated their 50th wedding anniseed in Georgia, and which seed is versary, and plans were being made now being introduced in Texas. A for this occasion. seed farm here will produce acclim-

becoming interested and concernde are Fred Jackson, Mabetia, Edgar about producing a better grade and Jackson, Glaziner, Alfred Jackson of staple cotton, since the country is Lubbock, Ross and Spurgeon Jacknow being pealized because of the son of Sudan, Francis and Eva Jackproduction of short staple cotton the son of Dickens, Mrs. Aaron Bowerpast few years.

Halloween Party Held at Girard

Mrs. D. P. Graves entertained the Juniors with a Halloween party last night. Those present fering was very beautiful.—A Friend. Halloween

Cladys Mayfield, Frankie Stephens, Arvil Williams, Alphalita Kennon Fred Boland, S. E. Sher, Ralph Stephens, Winona Stephens, Imogene Goodall.

We were sorry Lilac and J. P.

McDaniel were absent.



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Methodist Annual Conference Meets Next Week

The North West Texas Annual Conference will meet next Wednesday in Pampa, Texas. The pastor of the church here and Geo. S. Link, a delegate from the Stamford district, will leave Tuesday morning for the Conference.

Next Sunday morning will be the last preaching service for this Conference year, The pastor is especially interested in having a good attendance at Sunday school preaching. The theme for the sermon will be "Doing Our

All the members of the church are urged to be present. A report of the year's work will be giv-The three Leagues will meet

Friday, October 25 at 9 o'clock, Grandpa Ed Jackson, of Dickens, departed this life to the great beyond. He was a true Christian, having been In Spur Country for 47 years a member of the Church of Christ. On Sunday morning al-

He leaves to mourn his death, ated seed of the Better Staple variety. his wife, 34 grand children, 18 great The entire Western country is now grandchildren and 11 children who man, Brownfield, Mrs. W. H. Wallace of Lorenzo; Mrs. Bryant of Lubbock and Mrs. W. H. Nichols of Dickens.

Funeral services were conducted by Bro. Kerchville of Tahoka, at the Church of Christ at 4 o'clock Saturday evening and interment in the Dickens cemetery. The floral of-

----A seven pound girl was born Surday, November 3rd, to Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Dann. Mrs. Dann and baby are in Crowell with her sister.

Hot chocolate, cookies and fruit have been remodeled for the more served for refreshments. All convenient entertainment of guests and patrons.

CALLS ON RED GROSS INCREASE; RESPONSE TO ROLL CALL URGED

Society's Activities Reach Millions Each Year—Chairman Payne Asks Generous Support in Membership.

Disaster relief work, service to disabled veterans and their families, public health work and its many other activities caused expenditures of \$11,-064,000 by the American Red Cross for the year ended June 30, 1929, according to the annual report of the organization.

This work by the Red Cross is supported by the annual Roll Call for members, which is held from Armistice Day to Thanksgiving Day, November 11 to 28.

Directing attention to the heavy expenditures by the Red Cross during the past year, and to the fact that the organization was called upon for assistance in 120 disasters in the United States and its insular possessions, Judge John Barton Payne, the

chairman, said: "The Red Cross is a volunteer society, supported by its membership, and belongs to all of the citizens. While it is a semi-governmental agency in that the President of the United States is its president, and onethird of its governing board are representatives of Government departments, yet it receives no financial sup- | go!

port from the Government. "Funds for our work for war veterans and their families, for carrying on disaster relief, for our varied health activities, the life saving and first aid work and our many other activities, all are derived from the membership fee. The public is asked only once each year-at the Annual Roll Call-to join in this support of the

Red Cross." The Red Cross expended an average of \$936,000 per year in the past seven years, in disaster relief work, from its own treasury, statements show. The work for world war veterans also has caused heavy expendi-

C. W. Parmenter Awarded Jersey Cow By De Luxe Tire Co.

Goodrich tire which had run 25,000 Fort Worth, R. H. Clifton and fam- lett will enjoy many more birthday miles on an Oldsmobile.

James E. Johnson Died Nov. 4th at His Home in Spur

James E. Johnson, one of the oldest citizens of Dickens county, died Monday, November 4th, at Ms home Texas. Judge Adams said: in Spur. Funeral services were held Cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

of Lamesa, Paul Douglas of Medi- account of his youth. cine Park, and Mrs. Will Walker of Every generation in its turn has a liberal volume of business. er daughter, died in 1918.

and one of our best citizens has gone of oldtime conventions. to his reward. -02----

Girard News

ed Mr. and Mrs. Kennon Sunday. days visit with his family. He is

cattle. past week. We hope she has re-

night with Irene Boland.

left by day for Idalou to work.

able party Thursday night of last played and the judges had decided tire group went on a "spook" hunt marshmallows were roasted, ghost stories were told by some members of the group, Everyone seemed to enjoy themselves very much.

Mrs. Langford and Mrs. Koonce went to Spur shopping Tuesday.

Mrs. Bernard of Mexico and knows a good school when he sees

shopping in Spur Saturday.

ford, Gladys Mayfield, Elsie Clark, pace even though he has to enter The team has not played a game this gences. year but hope to soon. Watch them, Living beyond one's means has

22nd of November. __QC_____

Bithday November 2 diciously spent.—Farm and Ranch.

J. C. Collett, one of the oldest residents of the entire country, celesome sixty-five or seventy friends treatment before returning home. gathered at the home.

here thirty years.

Among the guests on this birthday and family. Rev. C. W. Parmenter, of Espuela, anniversary were Mrs. John Smith, ily, Comadore Thomas and family, celebrations.

A GENERATION OF YOUNG

BANDITS

Are we raising a generation of young bandits? One would think so from the remarks made by Judge Grover Adams in his charge to a newly-impaneled jury for Dallas Co., tion in Spur Monday, on the occa-

It is deplorable, yet true, that it is Trades Day. at the Church of Christ in Spur; and the youth of our land that is responinterment was made in the Red Top sible for a major part of present-day dollars in cash was given to Mrs. orime. Records will bear me out S. G. Scoggins, of Dumont. James E. Johnson was born in when I tell you that the average de- ____ The second prize of twentyman county in 1881. Four children tlemen must not be too lenient in of Spur. were born to this union, three of cases you investigate where the acwhom survive, Mesdames R. F. Self cused may arouse your sympathy on was in Spur Monday, and the mer-

Pampa. Mrs. Bill McArthur, anoth- expressed much concern regarding Trades Day in Spur, the first health confined Mr. Johnson to his troublesome waters and to solve the for the day. room and bed, but on the night of many problems of a complex civilizahis death he was able to sit by the tion. They, also, have become the family fireside and smoke his pipe. parents of children who surprise and Truly another of the old timers startle them by their utter diregard

The progress of science and invention naturally changes the mehods of living as well as the viewpoint of each succeding generation, One tune to get his hand mangled in Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens visit- must not expect the young people he gin saws Wednesday at Dobbs, of today to be like, to live like, or to just north of Afton in the north part Mr. J. W. Langford returned on act like, their parents did in their of Dickens county. Immediately af-Thursday to his home for a few youth. But no matter how far a- ter the accident, we understand, Joe field we go in search for excuses and Shelby was brought to the Nichols staying near Seminole wintering his reasons for this mania for speed and Sanitarum where his wounds were thrill, no sane citizen can read the dressed and everything possible is Mrs. Web Clark has been ill this records in our criminal courts with- being done to save the hand. out a shudder. The development, We are informed that his hand is of criminal tendencies in the youth so badly cut and mangled that it is Lois Langford spent Saturday of our land is of serious import. doubtful if it can be saved, but ev-These young bandits commit their erything possible a surgery and med-Ben Boland and Leva Simpson crimes in a most savage manner. ical skill is being fone to save the They kill for a few dollars, slug and hand. It is reported that the hand The Langford home was the scene beat up their victims, and not in- was almost completely severed from

of a simple but we hope an enjoy- frequently assault any girl or woman the arm, but replaced in the hope who happened to be present. Oth- saving it. week. After several games were ers are given long terms in the peniitentiary, but this only serves to Red Cross Drive for who won the costume prize, the en- bring about a temporary lull in the epidemics of crime which sweep our and marshmallow roast. After the cities. We must look for the cause. It has been suggested, and not

without reason, that the abandonment of the old-fashioned fireside Red Cross will begin in Spur Novemand family circle has had much to ber 11th, and will be pushed by the do with the present tendensy for a local heads of the organization wild and free life. In many of our this section, The usual membercities a home is a place to go after ship fee is one dollar, and every all other sources of pleasure have woman and child of the county co Leo has started to school here. He bee nexhausted. Fathers. mothers, consistently become a member. The and grandmothers make a pretense of enjoying jazz and night clubs, and greatest organizations for mercy and Miss Dottie Simmons spent Sat- of course the young folks follow suit, helpfulness to those in distress, and urday night with the Beavers girls. "Keeping up with the Joneses" is a the one dollar membership fee will be Mrs. Waggoner and girls were trying and expensive game in which all asked for to carry on the work. all indulge, but it is even more try-The teachers of Girard returned ing to the young man with a limited from Stamford reporting a fine time. earning capacity. Automobiles, the-The Senior Girls basketball team aters, night clubs, and dinners cost of Girard are now ready for play. far more than he can make, and un-The players are Lois Langford, less he is a young man of character captain, Inez Vincen, Grace Lang- and strength, he will keep up the Irene Boland, Bonnie Spradling, Ed- the list of criminals in order to pro- timers and one of the very best ciith Harwell, and Zadie Bee Laird, vide the money to pay for his indul-

ever been a fruitful source of all the early days of the settlement of The Choral Club is going to give crime. It is moreso for the young th country. Some time ago he sufthe program in Friday morning cha-man who has been brought up with fered a stroke of paralysis, from the notion that he must hold his own which he never recovered. He was The Senior Class is now hard at with the gang of fast ones with about seventy years of age. He was work on their play, "The Absent- which he has associated himself. a citizen of the true Western type, a minded Bridegroom," to be given the Easy money, although obtained at good Christian gentleman and had the risk of life or liberty, has a great- many friends who join in extending er appeal to the young man or wo- sympathy to the family in their beman of uncertain strength of char-reavement. J. C. Collett Celebrates acter than the hard-earned dollar ju-

Mr. and Mrs. A .Biggs left Tuesbrated his sixty-eighth birthday on day for Dallas with their daughter, November 2nd, at his home near Miss Alile, who wil lundergo a thor-Roaring Springs. At the celebration ough diagnosis and possibly special

J. C. Collett came to this section Hamp Collett and family, J. H. Carof the country in 1899, having lived gils, E. T. Bourland of Shallowater, Collett and family, C. L. Martin

J. C. Collett is one of the old setwas awarded the Jersey cow given Messrs, and Mesdames J. C. Mit- tlers of the country, and one of the away Saturday, November 2nd, by the chell, M. E. Keahey, J. Thompson, most widely known and highly re-De Luxe Tire Company. The cow B. H. Ferguson and family, W. M. spected citizens. He has friends was given away on a Goodrich tire Nichols and family, Mrs. Jane Davis, and acquaintances throughout the The Foley Motor Company offices brought in with the most mileage. Miss Perry, Merle Squires and family, country, who will join with us in best Rev. Parmenter having a four-ply Laura Standifer and W. L. Shultz of wishes and the hope that Mr. Col-

Cash Prizes Awarded Trades Day in Spur

\$135.00 in cash prizes were awarded by the Retail Merchants Associasion of the regular first Monday

The first prize of one hundred

Copiah county, Mississippi, Septem- fendant arraigned before myself and five dollars in cash was awarded to ber 17, 1849. He came to Texas in Judge Pippen on fellony charges is John Wright, of Afton, and the third 1879 or 1880, and was united in mar- between eighteen and twenty-three prize of ten dollars in cash was givriage to Miss Mary Martin in Kauf- years old. For that reason you gen- en to Mrs. Wilton Copeland of east

chants and business interests enjoyed

the future of the country when it | Monday in each month, has become Mr. Johnson and family came to passed into the hands of the bold thoroughly established, and thousands West Texas and located in Dicken and daring young people of their day of people from every community take county before the organization of the but it seems that enough of these advantage of the liberal trade incounty in 1891, having continuously young men and young women have ducements throughout the month ofresided here since that time. During grown up into patrictics and stalwart fered by Spur merchants as well as the past six or eight months feeble citizens to guide the Nation through the entertaining and gift programs

Joe Shelby Clay Suffers Mangled Hand In Dobbs Gin Wed.

Joe Shelby Clay had the misfor-

Funds Will Regin in Spur November 11

The usual drive for funds by the

E. D. Jackson Died October 25 at Home Near Dickens

E. D. Jackson, another of the old 25th at his farm home near Dickens.

Ed Jackson had been here since

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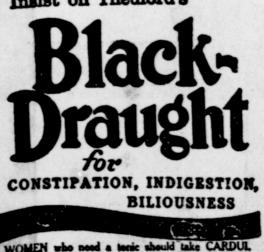
PAINFUL **INDIGESTION**

"I SUFFERED from indigestion - everything I ate gave me heartburn," says Mrs. Mattie Mullins, of Pound, Va.

"For months, I did not

see a well day. I worried along, but never felt well. "I got a package of Thedford's Black-Draught at the store and began taking it-a dose every night before going to bed. I had been having an awful pain. After I had taken Black-Draught, this pain entirely stopped. I began to gain in weight, and rested well at night. In a few months I was feeling fine. My health was better than it had been in years.

"I keep Black-Draught in our home, and we all take it for constipation and upset stomach." Insist on Thedford's



FARM NOTES

(By E. L. TANNER, Co. Agt.) THE LOCAL COTTON MARKET The price of cotton at Spur and for that matter all over the country is far below the basis price of the current month. They tell me that plans you will be cer- this is due to the great prepondertain to find a house that ance and half-and-half cotton that is exactly fits your needs. on the market here. And they tell And when you have de- me that from here out cotton will be summer at the world cotton meeting like, we can tell you to a of mill men and cotton buyers, held dollar just what the ma- down at Austin it is reported that terials will cost. Stop those fellows made promises to each other that were almost equivalent to a bible oath that cotton from here out is to be bought on staple and that half and half will be duly penalized at every inland point where it is offered. Something has happened here anyway and lets hope that it is just that.

And here is the proposition as I Have used cars for sale or trade, see it. If the above hoped for facts tf inclined and who still clings to the thread of hope, buy one or two sacks of real seed for the coming year and plant them. Next season if the difference is made as per promise or threat that man then is in position to plant his whole crop to one good variety of seed. It will take two or three years of slow work to get Spur back to its old place where it was pointed to from all over Texas as a real staple cotton country.

Here is what happened last Saturday here at Spur at the meeting for a better staple as carried in the papers last week: Some sixty men used to meetings it was a fair crowd. There are always ten men on the outside to one on the inside who are with you but somehow they do not

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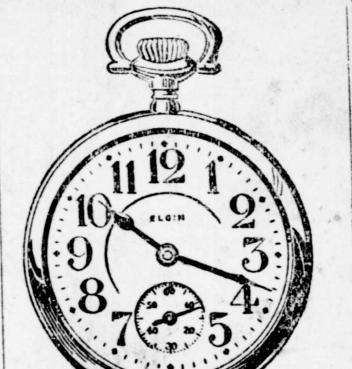
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get there. Some good strain of Mebane to be bought from a reliable dealer is what they decided on. Order cards have been printed and placed at the six gins at Spur. If you want two or three sacks of good seed of Mebane strain, you can sign up on one of these cards. State your preference as to the kind you want but agree to abide by the decision of the got together. Not a big crowd at majority of votes when the car is all, but to one like myself who is filled. If we are to do anything about the basis here at Spur, now is the time to start because it can not be done all at once.

> I have been told that the directors WHAT THE TURKEY MARKET

. WANTS THIS YEAR

am told that the price is 20c for good at that time.

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of the cooperative gin at McAdoo are number one turkeys, both toms and going to call a meeting of their mem- hens. A number one they say is of maize, turkeys should be fed for bers and see what they think about one in good flesh without any signs three weeks on corn or maize in orgetting some good seed there. If of disease; without crooked breast they were to go to one variety and bone; and toms must weigh not unkeep the seed up by buying two or der 14 pounds and hens not under 9 three sacks per man per year that pounds. Number two turkeys will be cotton would be selling on the month half price. They tell me that the time to get the hens off is the Thanks giving market as the demand then is for a smaller turkey or the demand Turkey season is here. The mar- at Christmas is for a larger turkey ket at Spur opened up Monday and I and that toms are more in demand

der to get them into shape. Remember the weights on number twos and that the price is just about half. By getting as many as possible up to number ones the difference in price should easily pay a good profit.

A good idea would be to visit your local dealer where he happens to be located and verify these points for

IN HONOR

of the boys who fought in the World War, we will remain closed November 11th.

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the midnight Misadventure of Gregory Jones

A crash brought Mrs. Gregory Jones bolt upright in bed, her heart pounding.

"Why!" demanded her husband savagely, nursing a bruised shin and groping for the light switch. "Why did you have to leave that chair there?'

In the front hall the telephone rang again, insistently. Jones shivered in the draft from the open window, and without waiting for a reply, disappeared through the doorway. Petulantly, his voice drifted back to

"No, Eleanor is not here... Yes, we're expecting her tomorrow...Tell her what! I'll tell you, young man, that it's an imposition to wake folks at this time of night! And I'll deliver no messages!"

The receiver banged on the hook. Jones, muttering to himself, stumbled back down the

"That settles it!" he exclaimed, still shivering. "Tomorrow, I'll have a telephone put in this bedroom.

Mrs. Jones smiled drowsily. snuggled deep into her pillow.

"Where have I heard that before," she murmured. "Tomorrow, I'll order one, myself."

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J. M. Jones of Afton was among the crowd in Spur Monday of this week. Uncle Jimmie reports everything progressing most satisfactorily at this time in the Afton section of the country.

Entertainment at The New Palace THEATRE SPUR, TEXAS

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SATURDAY, 9th:

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"I paid out hundreds of dollars," continued Mr. Dawson, "and took all kinds of treatments and medicines trying to get the relief a few weeks' use of Orgatone has brought me. My stomach was in such a bad condition that the little I would eat seemed to harm me in place of doing me good. Gas would form on my stomach and bloat me up and keep me in misery after every meal. It got to where I was almost afraid to eat, for my food would sour and I would have nervous, bilious spells.

I had spells of heartburn and at times my heart would palpitate so fast I was beginning to think I had heart trouble. I had continual pain and distress in the pit of my stomach and severe cramping spells. Frequently I had headaches so bad, I could hardly stand on my feet had gall duct and bladder trouble and suffered something terrible, and I had little encouragement to think I would ever find anything to get me out of my trouble.

"Orgatone was advertised so highly I began taking it. It couldn't have done more if it had been made had one of those awful attacks of acute indigestion since I began taking orgatone and all the gas and bloating have disappeared from my stomach entirely. My appetite was never better and I eat anything I want and all I want without it hurting me. My nerves are calm and Remember, we are lowering our steady and I sleep fine every night. I certainly owe a lot to Orgatone and the best way I think I can show my appreciation for the wonderful benefits I have received is to tell others about it."

Genuine Orgatone may be bought in Spur at the Spur Drug Co.

Edwin Morris returned last week from a trip to "Cool Colorado." where he spent some time in the mines of that state and looking after business property interests. Mr. Morris stated that Colorado had been frozen up for two months. In speaking of the game he stated that in that state there were lots of deer, elk, bear and grouse.

-02-30-J. P. Goen was among the crowd in Spur Monday, coming in from his ranch home to the northwest of

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Know Texas

\$253,060,000. Two thousand, one hundred and Four of the 58 active gypsum apninety-four rural mail routes serve erators in the United States have 1,209,000 patrons in Texas at a cost plants in Texas, which now stands of \$15.25 a year per family. In the fourth in gypsum production. Total United States are 44,288 such routes. value of gypsum produced and sold

building projects at a total cost of

1929 Texas started work on 8,917

ARMISTICE DAY

During the first seven months of in Texas in 1928 was \$3,094,145.

THIS DAY WE DOFF OUR HATS TO THE BOYS WHO FOUGHT ON FLANDERS FIELD.

SPUR LAUNDRY CO.

Saturday

NOVEMBER 9TH, 1929

WE WILL AGAIN BE ABLE TO SERVE THE PUBLIC

Our Store has been rebuilt, and we will and surrounding territory values
Greater than ever before.

Our Stock is Brand New and Up-to-Date

We invite you to be present this day, visit and look at our specials.

Coffee and Cake will be served throughout the day to all visitors.

> WE WELCOME YOU!

McADOO MERCANTILE CO! McADOO, TEXAS

44

AGAIN OFFERED
FOR SALE

We are glad to announce that we are again offering for sale (at no increase in price) farm and small ranch tracts in Dickens, Kent, Crosby and Garza Counties.

Terms: One-fifth cash.
Balance on easy terms.

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Clemmons Insurance Agency "The Old Reliable"

Spur,

Texas

INSURANCE

LOANS

BONDS

Studebaker, world's largest car will be worth more in the tradeproducer of Eights, two years ago in markets of the future. DTUDEBAKER

Eights

Facts just obtained from 28 repre-

sentative American cities indicate

conclusively that the motoring pub-

lic prefers the Eight to all other en-

gine types. Take Dallas as an ex-

ample: for the first 8 months of

1929, new cars with list prices above

\$1000 showed a 28 per cent increase

in Eights and a 10 per cent decrease

At the famous Paris Salon this fall,

44 makes of eight cylinder cars were

exhibited, compared with 27 last year.

in Sixes!

Dictator Eight Sedan . . \$1285 Commander Eight Sedan \$1515 President Eight Sedan . . \$1765 Four-Door Sedan Models. Prices at the factory

initiated this era of the inexpensive

Eight with the champion Studebaker

President which traveled 30,000

miles in 26,326 consecutive minutes.

inder prices, you can choose from

three great lines of Studebaker Eights

-holders of eleven world records

for speed and endurance and more

American stock car records than all

Get a smart, new, thrifty Stude-

baker Eight-backed by 77 years of

manufacturing integrity - and your

other makes combined.

And today, at customary six-cyl-

FOLEY MOTOR CO.

NOTICE

After November 1st I will not be connected with the Pennant Service Station. Mr. George Snodgrass will be in charge and all knowing themselves to be indebted t ome, please call and settle same. I will devote all of my time to the wholesale business of Pierce Petroleum Corporation.

Please phone your orders to 47 or 80 and I will have a blackboard at the warehouse for you to write your orders on and I will make deliveries as soon as possible.

J. P. Simmons, Agent.

ARMISTICE PROGRAM Palace Theatre Sunday evening, November 10, at 7:30.

Music-Orchestra; Song-America, Invocation; Song-America the Beautiful; Song by male quartette; Reading, -In Flander's Field, LeNell Hefner; Scripture lesson-Rev. Rodgers; Solo-Mrs. Zachry; Armistice Address-Dr. Daul W. Horn; Song, "Blessed be the tie that binds"; Bene-

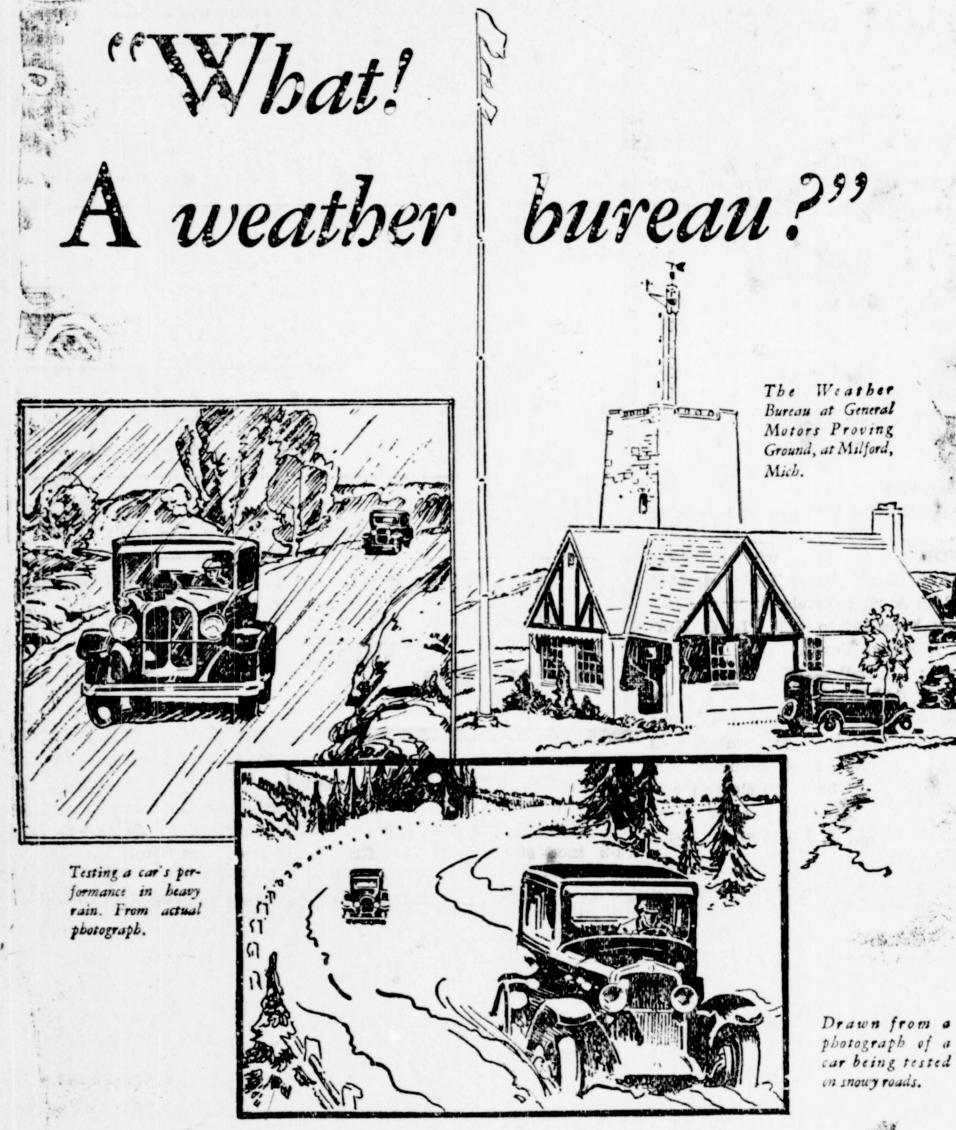
Gambling Hurts

Industry

Stock market gambling and the demand for money to carry on operations has increased interest to such an extent that the development of the country is seriously handicapped Many proposed programs for building and for industrial expansion are being delayed because the money of the country hsa gone to the great gam-49ctf get bids on bonds, although, under normal conditions, these securities

The gambling spirit is rampant 51-4tp town man grabs his newspaper to stu-

diction, Rev. M. P. Applewhite. FOR SALE-First year Blank's bling centers to finance speculations Seed Farm Mebane Seed. Good cot- in stocks. Several of the large citon and seed well matured. \$1 at ties of the country with improvegin, Prairie Chapel or Spur.-J. L. ment programs are unable to even Jenkins, Afton. FOR SALE-Mounted colt, calf would sell above par. and goat rugs. Taxidermy work wanted-W. R. Murchison, taxidermist, throughout the Nation. The small Dickens, Texas.



VISITORS to General Motors' 1268-acre Proving Ground marvel at the sight of a complete weather bureau and ask what it is for.

The answer is that in the testing of cars every possible factor that might affect a car's performance is considered by General Motors' engineers.

So precise are some of the tests that even the difference between a sunny day and a partly cloudy day-or between a north breeze and a south breeze-is considered.

With each day's record of the mechanical tests applied to a car on the roads and hills of the Proving Ground is included a report of the exact weather conditions prevailing. The engineers then can know how weather affects performance, and can have a comparable record so that every car tested is given an equal opportunity to prove itself under exactly the same conditions.

Advance models of all the cars listed below were proved at the Proving Ground before they were introduced to the public. Read about them; then clip and send the coupon.

"A car for every purse and purpose"

CHEVROLET. 7 models. \$525-\$695. A six in the price range of the four. Smooth, powerful 6-cylinder valve-in-head engine. Beautiful Fisher Bodies. Also sedan delivery. Light delivery chassis. 11/2 tonchassis and 11/2 ton chassis with cab, both with four speeds forward.

PONTIAC. 7 models. \$745 - \$895. Now offers "Big six" motoring luxury at low cost. Larger L-head engine; larger Bodies by Fisher. New attractive colors and stylish lines.

OLDSMOBILE. 8 models. \$875-\$1035. The Fine Car at Low Price. Now offers further refinements, mechanically and in the Fisher Bodies. Also eight optional equipment combinations in Special and De Luxe line.

MARQUETTE. 6 models. \$965-\$1035. Buick's new companion car, designed and built by Buick. Six cylinders. Fisher Bodies. Its price puts Buick quality and craftsmanship within reach of more families.

OAKLAND. 9 models. \$1145-

TUNE IN-General Motors Family Party,

Monday, 930 P. M. (Eastern Standard

\$1375. Oakland All American Six. Distinctively original appeartiful Bodies by Fisher. ance. Splendid performance. Luxurious appointments. Attractive colors.

Bodies by Fisher. VIKING. 3 models. \$1595. General Motors' new "eight" at medium price. 90-degree V-type engine. Striking Bodies by Fisher. Unusual appointments, also optional equipment

BUICK. 14 models. \$1225-\$1995. Three new wheelbases, 118-124-132 inches. The greatest Buick of them all. Many new mechanical features.

Fisher Bodies with new lines. LASALLE. 14 models. \$2295-\$2875. Companion car to Cadillac. Continental lines. Distinctive appearance.

90-degree V-type 8-cylinder engine.

Striking color combinations in beau-

CADILLAC. 26 models. \$3295-\$7000. The Standard of the World. Famous efficient 8-cylinder 90-degree V-type engine. Luxurious Bodies by Fisher and Fleetwood. Extensive range of color and upholstery combinations.

(All Prices f. o. b. Factories) ALSO FRIGIDAIRE Automatic Refrigers-

tor. New silent models with coldcontrol device. Tu-tone cabinets. Price and model range to suit every

DELCO-LIGHT Electric Plans-Water Systems. Provide all electrical conveniences and labor-saving devices for the farm.

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SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

-Fresh Fruits Sweet Potatoes Smooth Porto Rico

and Vegetables-Lettuce Nice and Crisp

Cranberries

Make your Sauce Before GRAPES **ONIONS**

FRESH TOKAYS Thanksgiving 3 lbs. _____5c Per lb. ____5c

SPANISH SWEET

Cocoanut

New Shipment Dunham's

Compound Jewell and Advance Lbs......\$1.05

COFFEE

IN MILK PAIL

5 lbs. ____ \$1.63

Mayonnaise

Ketchup

Peaches GOLD BAR-SLICED OR

MELBA HALVES

 $N_0.2\frac{1}{2}$ 2 for 53c

Lb.

the people.

Pts.

PECANS SELECTED HALVES 8 oz. pkg. ___59c

Dolls large stand, a lone doll with real hair, for

\$1.23 With a \$3.00 bill of groceries

1-4 Lb..... 3 for 32c Mary Jane Good With Sunbonnet Sue Biscuits

> No. 10 _____77c Palmolive Soap 5 Bars ____ 39c

Mustard Prepaired-Pure-No Bran Qts.

Meat Salt

Diamond Crystal. Don't confuse with cheaper grades 70 Lbs......\$1.49

41c

2 Pkgs.............41c Stringless Beans

Tomatoes

Dromedar Dates

Pitted—New Crop

3 cans ____39c

WAPCO CUT, NO 2

NO. 2 HAND PACKED 6 cans

--- Attractive Market Values----

Picnic Hams Shankless-not saltv

20c

Veal Loaf Meat

Liver BEEF

Weinies LARGE SIZE Breakfast Squares

ECONOMY Lb. 20c

dy the stock market with the same in larger cities. Tickers are appearing in places of business where they were never before heard of Market reports over the radio have become of greater interest to a large class of citizens than the musical programs. It seems that the chances for getting "easy money," although about one to ten, has driven out all thought of slower but safer methods of accumulation from the minds of

As stocks are based on industry, it looks from this distance as though these gambleds were digging out the foundation from under themselves. If industry cannot finance itself at a reasonable rate of interest, the stock certificates representing the industry must certainly be shorn of much of their value in the natural course of events. In the meantime our officers will keep on raiding "nigger" crap games, and our Post Office Department will continue to bar from the mails newspapers which happen to contain brief accounts of raffles for cakes and similar articles for charity purposes. But the newspapers containing pages of stock market accounts and brokers' "cmoe-on" circulars to suckers will go through in degular order. "Consistency, thou art a jewel."-Farm and Ranch.

_0 C COTTON SEED-I have newly improved "Better Staple" seed-makes better than 40 per cent turnout with 1 1-8 inch staple. See me for next year's planting seed, direct from originator in Georgia, and just being introduced in Texas.-E. A. Bailey at Price Bros. Gin. 51-4tp

Will buy anything from automobile to section of land, if the price is right.-See J. L. Hutto.

FOR SALE-First-class drug store at Roscoe, or will trade for city property or farm near Spur.-J. L. Hutto.

FOR RENT-First class, complete- Misses Addie Fay Bee and Louise interest as does the habitual gambler ly furnished apartment, private bath, Rodgers are sepnding the week end garage. Phone Mrs. Pauline Clem- with Miss Rheda Maples in the city 1tf of Hamlin.

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SPECIALS! SPECIALS.

These Prices Good for Ten Days

Coffee—3 lb. can Sam Houston With Cup and Saucer—was going at \$1.55 Now Going at\$1.28 Guaranteed to Please You. 1 lb. can Sam Houston Coffee, now 49c With beautiful glass. Was 55 cents. Sweet Potatoes.....\$1.25 So Called Bushel Baskets

Lard, 8 lb. pail \$1.00 16 lb. Pail\$1.95 2.1-2 can Pumpkin, was 20c now 12.1-2c

Soup, Choice8c Chicken, Vegetable, Tomato Macaroni, Noodles, Spaghetti, ... 5c 25c can Cocoa 13c Kellog's Bran Flakes......9c

25 cent K. C. Baking Powder 18c

70 lb. sack, specially priced\$1.35 35 lb. sack same kind, 68c Michigan Meat Salt-Don't take a substitute Smoked and sugar cured Salt. \$1.25 value

Mens' Underwear, specially priced 89c Mill Shipment Direct, Full cut Union Suits Blankets, 66x80, per pair......\$3.39 Part wool, beautifully trimmed. direct from the mill; Sure to please; specially priced

FLOOR COVERINGS

Consisting of Gold Seal and Darling Rugs To close at greatly saving prices; see these in order to appreciate the values we are offer-

Bed Springs, \$4.50 va., going at ... \$3.50 4 Cook Stoves

To Close at Attractive Prices-Come See!

In various colors; while they last A full line of Tires and Tubes at Prices that will look good to you Don't fail to see us—these prices good this

and all next week

East of Postoffice

MRS. SMITH ENTERTAINS WITH BRIDGE AND FORTY-TWO

Bridge Club and other guests as present and enjoyed the program. sembled for a delightful hour at bridge. Mrs. McClure made high score and received a beautiful set city the first of the week. of Madeira napkins. Mrs. Shirley Robbins received as consola-The rooms were beautifully decorated in a Thanksgiving motif. A delicious salad course was served, the guest list including Mesdames F. W. Jennings, M. C. Golding, Nellie Davis, Hardin, Mack Wilson, Elzie Watson, Mack Watson, Joe Stotts, Taybor, H. O. Everts, Miss Nellie B. Albin.

In the afternoon Joi de Voi Club members were entertained by Mrs. Smith, bridge being the diversion. Mrs. F. E. Rigley won high club, being presented with a green glass luncheon set. Mrs. Cluck was presented a lovely string of beads as high guest prize, and Mrs. Everts a string of beads as low guestprize.

Among those enjoying the after noon were Mesdames H. O. Everts, A. C. Hull, F. E. Rigley, Houston Scarbrough, Burns, Zachry, Fox, C. B. Jones, William Manning, Jack Rector, Willis King, Bob Cluck, W. M. Flint, Brannen, Van Dyke, and

At eight o'clock in the evening other guests assembled in the home and enjoyed a social hour of forty two, the geust list including Mesdames Roy Stovall, E. A. Russell, Janie King, Newman, Bill Putman, Remington, Carson, Busby, Everts, Hull and Misses Barrett and Hickman Lovely favors of Dresden jossware, elephants, ducks and birds were presented, and the Thanksgiving motif was carried out in house decorations

1925 Bridge Club

Mrs. H. H. Hardin delightfully Jennings high, and Mrs. C. L. Love,

An unusually attractive salad plate was served to the following:

Mesdames R. R. Wooten, Nellie Davis, E. L. Tanner, E. F. Laverty, C. L. Love, Hill Perry, Sanders, Shirley Robbins, M. C. Gilding, F. W. Jennings, Wallace of Jayton and Mrs.

A short business meetingwas called by the president. Mrs. James Reed and Mrs. Roy Harkey were elected to membership in the club.

-----Mrs. Mike Lairson returned this her mother in Vernon.

-----I will buy your surplus cattle-Rawleigh Harkey at Red Front Drug Store, Spur.

WANTED-To haul sand, gravel or dirt anywhere, any time.—Dorris Woods, phone 9009F3.

FOR SALE-M. Johnson strain of White Leghorn Pullets, ready for laying pen, 50c and 75c each .- Mrs. Geo. C. Williams, Elton, Texas. 1-2tp

MUSIC AND EXPRESSION RECITAL.

Mrs. J. O. Smith was a most Granberry and Tom Teague gave a charming hostess to her many recital of their pupils in music and friends at a series of parties Thurs- expression, at the East Ward school day of this week, In the morn- auditorium. Notwithstanding the ing at 9:30 members of the 1925 rainy weather, a large audience was

E. B. Shaw, of Croton, was in the

-----Will Young, of Red Hill, was in tion a lovely cross stitch picture. th ecity the first of the week, meet-

> -----J. B. Walker was a business visit. or in Spur this week.

DOGS FOR SALE-5 young grey hounds, plenty speed. See W. R Gannon, southwest of Spur. 51-4tp

FOR SERVICE-Registered Jersey Bull, at my place in West Spur.-Vir-

BARGAIN-My house and lot for sale, lot 871-2 x 50, good cellar, and out houses, box car style, painted, one side room; for \$300. See me at Berset Gin, Dickens, Texas, Box 602.-W. C. Youngblood.

----FOR SALE-Well improved, modern home in Spur, 6-room, garage, east front, at bargain. See Mrs. P

FOR RENT-2 furnished rooms

Misses Addie Faye Boothe and Louise Rodgers are visiting in Hamlin with Miss Reda Maples.

- O Transport W. L. Thanisch, of the northeast part of the county, was down trades day, ransacing business and meeing

-00 FOR SALE-Prize winner barred Rock Cockrels. June Hatched, \$1.25 to \$2.50; April cokerels, \$2.50 to \$5.00. A few pens \$10 to \$15. L. C. Murphy, Dickens, Texas.

FOR SALE-1231-2 acres 7 miles entertained the 1925 Bridge Club with north of Spur on highway; in Spur a Thanksgiving Party Thursday af- school district; good soft water, well ternoon. The prizes, sterling silver improved, with good orchard. Sixsalt and peppers went to Mrs. F. W. room house and bath, on electric and school bus line. See me for price and terms.—R. J. Bateman.

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Wrapped Bacon, per lb......23c Pinto Beans, 10 lbs. for74c Swift's Naptha Soap, 10 bars38c High Power Chilli, per can20c Grape Fruit, Texas Blue Goose, ea,.5c Large Size. 96 cents per Box

Bulk Cocoa, per lb.15c Bulk Cocoanut, per lb...........30c

Fig Bars, 2 lbs, for......25c

Grennan Cake, get one today.....25c

Stick Candy, asst. flavor, 2 lb. box 25c

Made from Tested Cook Book Receipts

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COTTON SEED-I have newly next year's planting seed, direct from improved "Better Staple" seed-makes originator in Georgia, and just being better than 40 per cent turn out with introduced in Texas.-E. A. Bailey at 11-2 inch staple. See me first for Price Bros. Gin.

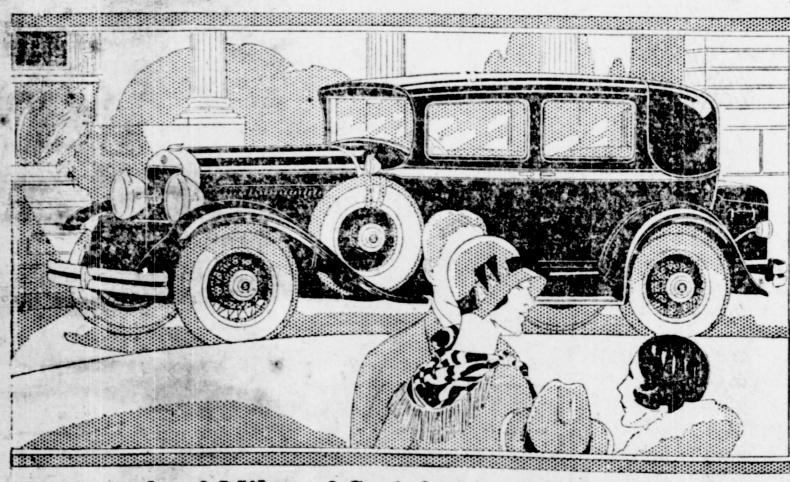
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More than a thousand Studebakers have given their owners from VJJ,JJJ to EJJ,JJJ miles of service__Studebaker's new Dictator Six has even greater inbuilt performance, stamina and dependability. You'll get more day-in and day out service, and more comfort with this champion Dictator Six—backed by Studebaker's GG-year old reputation for quality and value._See and drive it - soon!

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