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uly Will be a Wet Street Paving is Month in Keeping Scheduled to Begin With Past Record

the past seventeen years, a record of the rainfall has Apt at the Spur Experiment i, the indication is that the of July, this year, will be a month, according to R. E. Dicksuperintendent of the station. station records of rainfall show at a wet July has always followed dry June, and since the month of une just ended was considered a lry month, an abundance of rainfall

The average rainfall during the seventeen years at Spur in June has been 2.621 inches, while in July the average has been 1.951 inches. However, each year when the rainfall was light in June it has been heavy in July, and vice-versa when it has been heavy in June it has been light in July, as shown by the records-therefore, we may expect heavier rainfall this month than we had last month.

expected to follow during the

month of July.

Fine Rain Thursday Night Within Spur Territory

shower of rain fell within the immediate Spur territory, extending north and covering the entire northern part of the county, where it is re- School, having accepted a similar poported from one to three inches of sition with the schools at Junction rain fell. . A half inch fell just north the coming terms, and where he and of Spur, the rainfall being heavier bride have gone to establish their

further north. cerned the Spur country as a whole rity, and his friends of Spur join us is in fine shape and the prospect is in extending congratulations and best that good crops will be gathered this wishes. Mrs. Bethel was reared in fall. The main worry now is the the Spur country, graduated from possibility if not probability of low Spur High School with the class of not one of these high powered market prices, which is indicated by 1927-28, and is a charming, lovable Evangelists but an 'eve'y day" man continuous decline of prices at this and accomplished young lady.

Cotton associations are being organized throughout the cotton belt, and while the promiscous joining of ssociations may not have been advantageous in the past, yet we believe if there ever was a time for all cotton farmers to cooperate and join in together for marketing purposes, now is that time. The several cotton associations purpose to set a legitimate price for cotton and hold the staple for that price. The federal government is backing up one of the cotton associations and proposes to advance millions of dollars with which to hold cotton from the markets and maintain and secure a legicimate market price. We understand that this association proposes to advance the cotton grower about as much money on his cotton while it is being stored as is now offered by the purchasing market. It will cost nothing to investigate the cotton association propositions, and it might be profitable in the end.

County Candidates Announce Speaking Dates

The candidates for county and precinct offices of Dickens county have arranged the following speaking schedule, and will make speeches at the following places and dates: June 28th Dickens, July Dumont July 2nd Midway, July 5th McAdoo, July 7th Duncan Flat ! July 9th July 10th Espuela July 11th Wichita July 14th Dry Lake July 16th Red Mud July 17th Highway July 19th July 21st July 23rd July 24th

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Monday Morning

Chas. Whitener, who secured the contract for paving the streets on five business blocks of Spur, informed us Thursday that the actual work of paving would begin Monday.

Delays have been encountered in starting this paving project, but all details, we understand, have now been adjusted, the paving certificates sold, and the paving material on hand with which to consummate the work of paving.

It is mighty nice to have paved streets, but this is a mighty depressing period in which to meet the payments of a paving project-and we doubt if the obligation would be assumed if left to a majority vote of the property owning taxpayers.

- 00 Miss Slaton and Prof. Bethel Married June 23rd at Ralls

Miss Icle Slaton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Slaton, of north of Spur, and Prof. M. B. Bethel, of Junction, were united in marriage Tuesday evening, June 23rd, at Ralls, Texas, Misses Gillie, Lona and Tona Slaton, sisters of the bride, being among the number present and witnessing the ceremony binding the Thursday night of last week a fine happy young couple in the bonds of matrimony.

Prof. Bethel taught vocational agriculture the past terms in Spur High home. Prof. Bethel is a young man In so far as crop seasons are con- of high intelligence, honor and integ-

------A Noted and Important Court Civil Appeals

versus Steve Carlisle, involving a cat- Left Behind", Friday, evening, tle transaction, tried in County Court "Things That Save" Saturday evenand carried to the Court of Civil ing, "The Immovable Kingdom" Sun-Appeals, was this week affirmed. day 11 a. m. and for Sunday evening noted suit in County Court, and nat- ion", and on through Tuesday evenurally the Court is well pleased in ing.

Gospel Meeting Continues at Church of Christ With Capacity Crowds



EVANGELIST JIMMY HARVEY

capacity crowds. Hooten is at his best in conducting the song service. The singing which is the old fashion congregational type, is attracting much comment. Jimmie Harvey is way the Bible Truths. His manner is simple, his logic plain, his messages are touching. The ease with Civil Suit Settled by which he quotes the Bible makes you like to hear him preach.

The meeting continues on until next Tuesday evening. Notice a list The civil suit of W. P. Marshall of Subjects: "Not a Hoof Shall be This was an important and widely "Reformers and Restorers in Relig-

being sustained by the higher court. If you are not attending this ROY HOOTEN, Singer

The meeting at the Church of meeting you are missing the treat Christ started with a full sway and of your life. Start now. Bring your



They're Back Again ______By Albert T. Reid A Couple of our Most Undesirable Citizens. know where Oh, my dears! The Country they're going to is perfectly gorgeous! have the grandest One place, though, they green corn. I'll had a fierce dog, and just motor back he chased Henry clear there a little A to the car. I don't know why farmers are permitted to keep such ferocious, vicious animals.

Nazarene Encampment of Ten Days Begins Today at The Fair Grounds

The ten days encampment of the Church of the Nazarene will begin today, July 4th, closing Sunday, July

There will be some fifteen hundred men, women and children encamped throughout the time, and the citizenship of Spur extends them a very cordial welcome to our city for the ten days.

This encampment was secured for Spur largely through the efforts and influence of the Rev. Mrs. Dawson, pastor of the Nazarene Church of Spur, and she is joined by the entire citizenship in arranging and doing everything possible to make the ten days encampment both pleasant and years ago, and who was a prominent beneficial to the large number expected to be in attendance.

Among the leaders to attend and participate in the encampment are Dr. John W. Goodwin, general supermain preacher for the occasion; Rev. H. C. Cagle, general chairman of the Tongue Orator," and who will be the Spur Will Close Up encampment and district superintendent; Rev. W. B. Walker, secretary of the district board; and Rev. R. M. Hocker, district president of N.Y.P.S. and the publicity chairman; also the London Party headed by Prof. A. S. London who will lecture each day of the encampment, while Rev. Holland London will preach each day to the young people participating in the encampment.

Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend each day's sessions throughout the ten days of the encampment, and home people especially are urged not only to attend and hear the lectures, sermons and varied programs, but also to meet with encampment visitors and make their stay in Spur as pleasant as possible.

TECH STUDENTS OF SPUR MAKE HONOR ROLL

Mrs. J. Anderson Davis Died Sunday at Old Home Near Spur

Mrs. J. Anderson Davis died Sunday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. M. Henson, at old Davis homestead four miles northeast of Spur, following a protracted illness and declining years, her remains being interred Monday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock in Spur cemetery.

Mrs. Davis was the wife of J. Anderson Davis who died here sseveral citizen during his life. Members of the Davis family have resided here since soon after the establishment of Spur, each of whom are leading citizens and business men and highly

and Observe the Fourth of July

The business houses of Spur will be closed Friday in observance and celebration of the Fourth of July.

No Fourth of July programs have been arranged for Spur, and possibly will attend the programs scheduled for the Silver Fall resort, Roaring Springs, and the races at Abilene, while others will attend preaching services to be conducted in the city.

ALL-DAY SINGING AND DINNER ON THE GROUND SUNDAY AT WICHITA

Sunday will be a big day at Wich-Lanoy Hazel of Spur made the ita. An all-day singing is schedulhonor roll for the spring term at ed, and dinner will be spread on the Texas Technological College with an ground. Lee Mimms informed us average grade of B plus on 15-17 that the scheduled candidates speakterm hours of work, according to ing date had been changed from the report of the registrar's office. the 12th to the 11th because of the Mildred Dunlap of Spur made the program for Sunday. Everybody is honor roll for the spring term at cordially invited to attend the sing-Texas Technological College with an ing Sunday, and also the candidates average grade of B plus on 15-17 speaking at Wichita Friday night, term hours of work according to the 11th, instead of Saturday night the report of the registrar's office. the 12th as heretofore announced.

Studebaker Makes Greatest Advance in Automotive Engineering in Years

Studebaker is introducing in a greatest advance in automotive en- Finest Garden Truck gineering in 19 years. According to the manufacturer, this new development involves a basic engineering principle which will be new not only to the Studebaker President and Commander Eights but to American motordom as well,

offers motorists an entirely new and pleasurable driving sensation and effects an appreciable saving in operating costs. It is said that greatest operating economies are effected under conditions such as in traffic and over mountainous terrain in which the conventional car makes its greatest demands on fuel and oil. Besides this major development

the new series Studebaker President and Commander Eights will be equipped with additional engineering advances which introduce new standards of smoothness and quiet operation in American motoring as well as new details of body design which reflect the last word in comfort, convenience and smart appear-

ance. Reports that a number of manucylinder cars emphasize Studebaker's forsight in pioneering popular priced eights three years ago, according to the Studebaker Corporation. Studebined.

Being Produced in Spur Country

O. A. Holley, of west of Afton, The new development, it is said, was in Spur this week marketing Irish potatoes and other truck being grown at this time on his place. The Irish potatoes were nice, large, well matured potatoes, and which he was selling for three and four cents per pound. Mr. Holley stated that he had less than one acre planted to potatoes, but that the quantity production would range in this section from thirty to three hundred bushels per acre, dependent upon rainfall without irrigation possibilities. He also has growing in his truck garden at this time beans, peas, squash, okra, and will soon have car loads of water

We often hear it remarked that not even a good garden can be had in this country—but these remarks have been refuted in numbers of infacturers are bringing out new eight stances in every section of the Spur country. In fact we know of several farmers who have made more from their truck farming than from Paul G. Hoffman, vice president of field crops of cotton and feed stuff. It depends more on the man and his baker Eights attested by 5 world re- inclinations than upon the soil and cords, 18 international records and the country. The soil of the Spur more American stock car records country will produce in as great than all other makes of cars com- abundance and variety as any section of Texas or other states.

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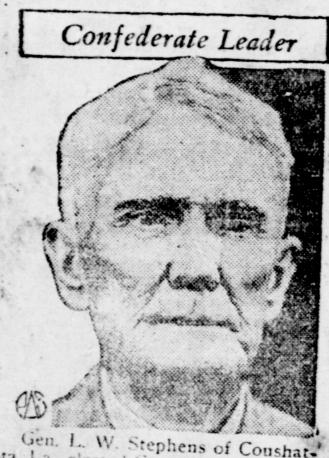
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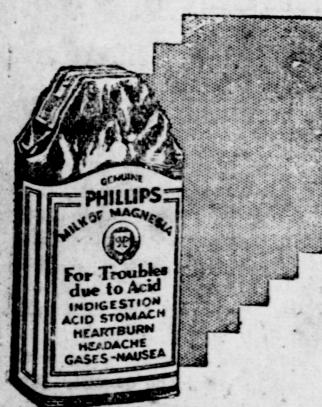
ALBERT POWER, AFTON, TEXAS



Stephens of Coushatlected Commander-in-Chief United Confederate Veter-He commanded Army of Tennessee in the Civil War.

D. G. Simmons, a leading citizen of Duck Creek, was meeting with his friends on the streets of Spur the past week end.

----Trade at Home-Mrs. J. C. McNeill, of the Alamo Stock Farm west of Spar, was in the city Monday shopping and visiting with friends.



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Dave Taylor, who is now managing a mercantile business at Afton, came down Saturday and spent several hours in Spur on business and meeting with his many friends of this part of the cuntry. Dave inthe county had had plenty rain thruout the year, and that fine crops are now in evidence and the only worry is the possible low prices to We are of the opinion that every farmer would profit this year by joining the cotton associations for for the crop. A single farmer might not be in position to set the price of cotton, but all of them in combination and cooperation could set any legitimate price and get it. "draw" as much money on a bale of cotton as it will sell for otherwise. Every other line of business except fooled are the simple minded ones there for a surprise reunion at the its protection. The farmer is more entitled to protection than any other line of business.

---Trade at Home-

E. A. Russell Jr., and Norris Russell, sons of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Russell, of the city, are now in Mississippi where they are spending the summer with their grand parents and other relatives.

---Trade at Home-

n Spur visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Bowman. ---Trade at Home-

Miss Ava Duke of DeLeon, is in the city visiting with her sister, Mrs. D. H. Stockton and family. -Trade at Home-

J. E. Cherry, Bill Cherry and S. L. Cherry, of south of Spur, were all here Saturday, trading and on other business



The vacation post card is picturesque but unsatisfactory. Telephone your family when they are away ... you'll get more news of them, first hand. It's handy, simple and cheap!

RED TOP NEWS

The Red Top Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday June 25th at the home of Mrs. Melvin Rankin, ten members being present.

The house was called to order by our President Mrs. C. A. McClain. Our lesson was taken from the book, "Your Money's Worth," Every one discussed their own individual topic, after which we talked of the plays to be put on Friday night.

Not having any more business we adjourned until next second Wed. n July at the same plate. _ Rep.

KNOCKING" THE

The world is full of people who try to blame their own unsuccess, unhappiness or incompetence upon Everybody knows somebody like that. They are the same sort of people who are always agin the Government," The market or didn't do that. Let a few banks fail and immediately some of the chronic kickers rush to the front with the explanation that the Fedral Reserve System is a failure.

Mair triticism of the Government s intirely proper and with in the rights of every citizen. The tendency to hold the Government responsible for everything unpleasant with out ever giving it credit when conditions are unsatisfacory is however just another manifestation of the childish impulse to shift the blame from one"s own shoulders to that of somebody else.

The very people who make the most fuss about the Government's 'failure" when things are not going to please them, would be the first to protest if the Federal Government should undertake to actually run the business of the Nation. The last thing that the vast majority of Americans want is a paternal government. We as a people firmly believe in dictum, attributed to Thomas Jefferson, that, that government i best which governs the least. It is probably true that most of the loose criticism of the Government is merely a form of 'letting off steam'. formed us that the north part of It doesn't hurt the Government any and it relieves the person doing the criticising.

This year everybody is going to hear a great deal of defense of the be paid on the markets this fall. Government, We are electing all the members of the next Congress, one third of the Senators and Governand other officials of more than the purpose of maintaining prices half of the States. Candidates and their friends are going to tell how different things would be ifthey were in instead of the ones who are in or how foolish it would be to put the other fellow in when And then, too, by joining in with they have made such good records, visit with his parents at Gatesville, the very finest crop prospects. In spend some time in Spur. stay in and the "Outs" to get in.

who really think that the Govern- home of their parents. The occasion obstacles that exist to the free flow Mr. Howe stated that on the trip work out his own individual salvation, economically and otherwise, in his own way, so long as he does not infringe upon the right of any other Mrs. G. B. Whittle, of Strawn, is citizen to do the same thing.

Hints For Homemakers By Jane Rogers



a well-regulated kitchen are accurate scales and measuring utensils; a pair of shears to be used only in the preparation of foods; and, since the success of so many dishes depends upon correct timing a re-fiable clock such as one of the new electric kind that plug into the wall and can't go a second off without showing a warning signal.

The use of a small amount of sugar, much as we use salt and pepper, mitigates the harsh taste of many foods without sweetening them. Used in the preparation of meat sauces and gravies, it accentuates the various flavors, binds them into a harmonious whole, and improves the color.



Modern Business Men-seeing West Texas for first time—are amazed at the greatness of this "Land of Opportunity."

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West Texas Utilities

---Trade at Home---

The visit was made an occasion for fact hail and inssect pests only will part, is the desire of the "In's" to a family reunion, Mr. Howe having prevent an abundant fall harvest. notified his brothers and sisters at The only persons who will be other points to also meet with him ment can change economic condit- was most enjoyable to the several ions over night and at will. All any members of the family, and especially Government at Washington can do, so to the father and mother who are all it ought to do, is to remove any now along in the evening of life. of business and industry, to the he noted very sorry crops over that right of every American citizen to portion of the country, returning thru Marlin, Corsicana, Mexia, Groesbeck, Waco, and other important cities of the east. Along the way he visited important institutions of the cities, being accorded "royal notice and attention" by the people at each of the

> R. M. Dubois was on the streets the past week, trading here and also greeting friends also here from the surrounding country.

---Trade at Home-W. H. Duevall, of south of Spur, was meeting with his acquaintances and friends here the past week end.

W. A. Valentine, of Garza county, was trading and selling produce in Spur last week.

G. H. Slaton, of west of Spur, came in Saturday.

---Trade at Home---Bill Barnhill left this week for Oklahoma, on an extended vacation, where he vill visit friends and rela-

W. O. Slack was greeting friends here the past week.

Dudley Wooten, Morris Laine and H. F. Dodge are among the Spur boys who will attend the Citizens Military Training Canp at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma during July.

Walter Dunn left Monday of this week for Wichita Falls where he will spend the 4th of July, and then go on to Ft. Sill, Oklahoma to the Citizens Military Training Canp.

L. D. Davis, of McAdoo, was in Mrs. S. R. Bowman, who has plex, all conveniences, \$15 per month town Friday of last week. He says been visiting with her daughter and the McAdoo country has had all the family in Albany, returned home

---Trade at Home-

rain needed at all times throughout the past week end. She was ac-A. R. Howe and family returned the crop season, and as a result companied home by her daughter, the past week from a three weeks he and other neighbor farmers have Mrs. Whittle of Strawn who will W. L. Gragson.

Creek section of country, was here Will Waatson, of east of Spur, trading the past week, and also on the streets the latter part meeting with his friends on the

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"My boy, Harmon, 12, had typhoid about five years ago, and his health that one of the finest of all sayings Agriculture, of course, in one form since then was not good. He frequent of Jesus is this: "I have compassion or another is their sustaining inly had fever and had attacks of on the multitude." nausea. He had no desire to play Said the preacher: "Many men look like gardens, and as their citand his appetite was poor. Nothing can be virtious. Many can be honest rus groves all have the appearance I gave him seemed to do any good. in a hard, self-righteous way. But of being handswept every morning, friendship basked up by deeds as Konjola had helped me so much that how many are really considerate? theirs is an agriculture de luxe. Not I decided to give it to Harmon. To_ How many feel instinctive respect a hick or a hayseed to mar the landday, he is like a different person and sympathy? How many have scape in the entire valley. He eats, sleeps, and plays like other compassion? children and is no longer subject to fevers. I am still giving him Konjola somehow grown up in the world. A for it has done so much for both of lot of very righteous people seem

wherever Konjola is given the chance drink, does not do this or that. to prove its merits. You can put your faith in Konjola feeling that portant. The real mark of a Christyou will be rewarded abundantly.

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THE WAY OF LIFE By Bruce Barton

Do People Feel Better Because

You Passed By

to call at the house that evening. but he promised to call. Then he ness of planting and harvesting crop snapped the receiver on the hook after crop goes on for twelve months

"There is a woman who has nothing, to do all day but gad about, She might just as easily have called me this morning or early in the afternoon. But, no, she has to put is the fact that, owing to the it off and spoil my evening.

"Nobody but a doctor has any idea how inconsiderate people can be."

On two recent trips with two different men I had an interesting opportunity to contrast their conduct toward fellow human beings.

One of them had made several million dollars in the past few years, Whenever he entered a dining car or a hotel he wanted everybody to understand that he is rich and important. Waiters disliked him, even though he tips liberally. I some times felt embarrassed by his critical

demands for attention. The manner of the other man is the exact reverse. You would never guess that he is a power in world industry. He never gives orders, but makes

spect merely by his smile.

A lot of twisted standards have to think that a man is good if he So it goes: victory after victory does not smoke, does not take

These are negative and unim ian and a gentleman is whether he Konjola is sold in Spur, Texas at treats other people as he would like to be treated.

Whether they feel better or worse because he passed by.

Progress in Texas The Past Fifteen

years on the American side of the ers with wine of their own making Rio Grande in the last 150 miles of and are recued from the gutter by its course before it reaches the guif, dry elements in each hive. Several to push it 300 years ahead of the kinds of insects use telephones and sleepy Mexican side, is a story of re- radios of their own making and markable progress told by Owen P. crickets are the most henpecked White, native Texan and noted creatures on record. writer, in the July number of The Country Home.

child born in El Paso, draws a Magazine. picture of the whole "Magic Valley", ican enterprise that has accomplish-

the mayor of one of the rapidly other insects growing towns said to White:

to hand it to them for one thing: rice stalks, for grub worms and By putting high prices on their lots other pests were kept at a distance. and plenty of building restrictions Dixon later saw ants climb the ripento their deeds, they did these valley ed stalks and throw down the grain towns a world of good. They fixed to be tarried home. On one occasion, it from the beginning so that the after a rain, ants carried rice grains homes had to be nice homes, and out of their hill, spread it to dry I was in a doctor's ofice by ap- that, of tourse, meant that the peopointment at five ttirty when his ple who built them were people who telephone rang. A woman's voice at had been moderately successful elsethe other end of the wire asked him where but were looking for a change

Most of us got just the change we His voice betrayed his irritation, wanted. Down here the actual busiin the year, so that the winter loafing season, so hard on the merchant but so dear to the heart of the old time farmer, is entirely done away with. Even of greater importance character of our valley products, a packing and shipping industry, capable of handling thousands of car loads of stuff a year, has been developed. Mercantile establishments had to come with them. Thus the

tities were built up. "In short, this Rio Grande Valley which is etill extent in its pioneering stage, gives a picture of how American enterprise has built the United States, Give Americans something new and profitable to work on, as they had in the beginning, and watch them go to it."

White comments enthusiastically up on the country homes in the Magic Valley. "Texas may be a long way from Long Island, N. Y., but it is also a long way ahead of it when it comes to the important matter of quests. He seems surprised that any- providing a man of a moderate means with a comfortable, attractive

"Now, the kind of people that live in those homes?" continues the A noted preacher once remarked writer. "You'll be interested to know dustry, but their vegetable farms all

somewhere else in the United States place as well. and failed. Good farmers from the

ANTS KEEP 'COWS,' PLANT CROPS; BEES GET TIGHT, ASSERTS DIXON

Ants keep vast herds of "cows." They plant fields of rice, cultivate and reap them, raise mushrooms in cellars and have nurses for their Just what has happened in fifteen children. Bees go on terrible bend

These are some of the findings of Royal Dixon, naturalist, included in White, who was the first white an article in The American

The "cows," Dixon explains, are stretching up the Rio Grande and lesser creatures such as plant lice, containing such towns as Browns- and the fatt that they have been doville, San Benito, San Juan, Harlin mesticated, herded and protected by gen, Mercedes, Weslaco, Parr, Edin- "cowboy" ants, makes them difficult burg, Donna, McAllen and Mission, of exterminate in the garden. The and brands it a monument of Amer- "Caws" are driven to the ant hills at night and stroked until they yield ed miracles in little more than a drops of food for the young. Human beings, says Dixon, have domestica-In a picturesque interview, hitting ed only twenty animals, whereas straight at reasons for the progress, ants have domesticated hundreds of

By examining ant hills, the "Eleven years ago this place was naturalist found that ants prepare nothing but a mosquite thicket. It beds of fermented grass in subterwas a well located thicket, however, ranean chambers and prant mushand therefore a land company pick- rems, which are clipped off like ed it out as a location for a town, asparagus when they sprout. In laid it off into lots and began to another case he came upon a patch of sprouting rice in a wood far a_ "Now you can abuse land com way frm any other growth of rice. panies all you want to but you have not a weed appeared among the and carried it back again.

> Investigation also showed ant colonies in which unmated spinster ants cared for the little ones, carrying them to safety when the ant hill was opened. The nurses also looked after the feeding of the young.

Dixon found that while bees work ard, many of them become intoxicated in the hives on a sweet wine stored in large cups, and he has found swarms brawling in confusion, the drunken ones being dragged out of fights bodily by sober ones. The thirp of crickets, he says, is the call of the male to the female, but when they mate, the female slashes the male's wings, so he cannot flirt again

Spiders, Dixon adds, spin a single webb and telegraph to mates by plucking on the span. The oak eg_ gars, found in Frante and Spain, he says, call each other by radio through antennae on their heads. Every precaution to prevent communication failed, he says.

> -00 TOWN BOOMS.

A community revival is not necessarily dependent upon the wholesale selling of lots.

A town can boom when there is shown a more co-operative spirit to boost all things and hold fast to that which is good.

A town can boom when its force of education, cultural and morality bear fruit in well to-doing.

A town can boom when business is placed on a fair level of competition, when greater service is rendered and a more thorough method is used to establish patronage.

A town can boom when there are more get-together meetings, more neighborless and more genuine well as words.

A town can boom when it takes on a cleaner aspect; when paint, "The Magic Valley is not a poor soap, broom and mop are applied to mans country and certainly it is no its physical properties and a cleansplace for anyone who tried farming ing of the hearts of its people takes

A town can boom when orderly North go to the valley and make sotiety is recognized and when great good. It is this class of men, of er opportunities are given to its peo_ whom there are always thousands ple in the enjoyment of their materin the Valley, which has pushed the ial and spiritual blessings; when its Brownsville side of the Rio Grande institutions are supported by its own centuries ahead of the people who are consciously active to Mataroras side in the last fifteen prove their loyalty. __Goldthwaite Eagle.

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T. E. Gregory, of Duck Creek, was trading in town Saturday and plex, all conveniences, \$15 per month. also meeting with his friends here See Dr. Hale. that day.

---Trade at Home-

Spur last week.

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Mrs. Will Hindman, of several R. M. Slack was trading and at- miles west of Spur, last week untending to oother business affairs in der vent an operation, and is now reported recovering slowly.

Summer Vegetable Dishes

By JOSEPH BOGGIA, Chef
The Plaza Hotel, New York City

TOW, in the glorious season use of these seasoners possesses when fresh vegetables are the most important secret of vegabundant and inexpensive, it etable cookery. housewife to make the most of her Boil together for five minutes two opportunities. Not only because cups cooked, diced carrots, one cup



ways, of course, Chef Boggia but after a while to lose some of its appeal unless the top and garnish with sprigs of variation is introduced into the parsiey. method of preparation. Watch for

vital to health,

fresh vegetables

clearly behooves the conscientious | Carrots and Peas with Mint-

they are among cooked peas, and one small bunch the most deli- of mint. Drain and add salt, pepper cious of nature's and one heaping tablespoon butter. many gifts, but Sprinkle lightly with sugar and set because they in the oven until the sugar melts. contain so many Just before serving garnish with of the elements | mint leaves.

Corn Louisenne-Simmer for five minutes in one and a half cups important part whole milk, two cups of corn freshof every family's ly cut from the cob. Add salt to taste, one-fourth teaspoon paprika, Serve them in one teaspoon sugar, and two tablethe standard spoons butter. Line a shallow dish with thin slices of hot, buttered toast. Pour in the mixture, Lay strips of crisply cooked bacon over

Peas and Onions-Cook separnew recipes, and with this watch- ately, until tender, one and a half fulness combine a wise use of the cups shelled peas and one-half cup three fundamental. vegetable sea- little onions. Heat four tablespoons sonings-pepper salt and sugar. thick cream in a saucepan. Add The last, without being noticeable the peas and onious. Shake lightly in the finished dish, restores the until well covered with the cream garden sweetness the vegetable he and very hot. Add one-fourth teagins to lose as soon as it is picked, spoon sugar. Mix thoroughly and The woman who understands the serve.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Texas Spur is authorized to make the following political announce ments for candidates for public offices, subject to the Democratic Primary Election to be held in July. 1930.

For Representative. 118th District: J. M. CLAUNCH, of Snyder

For District Judge 110th District: KENNETH BAIN H. A. C. BRUMMETT JEFF D. AYRES

For District Attorney 110th District: A. J. FOLLEY

For District Clerk: A. B. WINKLER MISS VIRGINIA WORSWICK

For County Clerk: ROBT. REYNOLDS (Reelection) J. H. (HOMER) DOBBINS J. V. McCORMICK

For County Attorney: J. R. SANDERS ALTON B. CHAPMAN

For County Treasurer: MRS. C. C. COBB (Reelection

County Judge: O. C. NEWBERRY (Reelection) AUSTIN BELL

For Tax Assessor. A. B. HOGAN (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct One: AUSTIN C. ROSE (Re-election)

Commissioner, Precinct 2: E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3: W. F. FOREMAN J. C. PAYNE

For Commissioner, Precinct 4: CHAS. PERRIN (Re-election) LEE MIMS

For Public Weigher, Precinct 3. FRED HISEY (Reelection) ROY ARRINGTON G. W. RASH BURL HARRINGTON A. M. SHEPHERD

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For County School Superintendent: FRANK SPEER MADGE D. TWADDELL

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: G. L. BARBER (Reelection) M. L. JONES W. B. (BILL) ARTHUR

For Constable, Precinct R. S. HARKEY S. C. RAWLINGS (Reelection) E. L. SMITH

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: C. P. AUFILL ----

J. M. REESE

KENT COUNTY **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

For Commmissioner, Precinet 2: M F HAGAR (Reelection)

M. C. Reynolds returned this week from Oklahoma where he spent several weeks with hs daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bluhm. Mit states that Oklahoma had fine rains this week, and that crops look most promising at this time.

D. R. Cypert was greeting his friends on the streets of Spur one day the past week.

Rev. A. L. McClellan left this reek for Wichita Falls where he is ending some time with relatives friends

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CITY DRUG STORE

Chop Suey Makes Ideal Dish for Evening Meal



By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON Director, Home Economics Dept., H. J. Heinz Company.

W ily some evening soon by serving an American Chop Suey half hour), stirring occasionally and addinner? When well made, Chop ding more water as needed. When al-Suey is a dish that almost every- most finished add 1 tablespoon Worcesone enjoys; and it is so substantial that the remainder of the

meal may be quite simple. Chop Suey requires so little last-minute preparation that it is The steamed rice may be cooked, them very crisp. drained and kept tightly covered for at least half an hour before the meal; and the main course is so rich and heavy that only the

lightest of desserts is required. is given below makes an especidelighted with the ease with which the following menu can be prepared and served:

Chop Suey with Border of Steamed Rice Crisp Chinese Noodles Pure Apple Butter Celery Stuffed with Roquefort

Cheese and Salad Cream Dressing Chilled Fruit Cup with Whipped Cream Rice Flake Cookies

Chop Suey with Border of Steamed Rice:— 1 tablespoon Wor-cestershire Sauce, for 10 minutes in a moderate and 1 cup warm water. Cut bacon fine oven.

Tea or Coffee

and fry. Add Pure Olive Oil, meat, and cook until brown. Add mushrooms, celery and onions cut in small pieces, and cook for several minutes. Blend cornstarch and sugar with 1 cup TYTHY not delight the whole fam- warm water, and add to the meat and vegetables. Season with salt and pepper, and cook until tender (about onetershire Sauce. Serve on a platter with a border of steamed rice.

Chinese Noodles :- These may be purchased in cans or packages, and should be opened ideal for serving to company, too. and heated in the oven, to make

Celery Stuffed with Roquefort Cheese :- Moisten Roquefort Cheese with Salad Cream, fill crisp stalks of celery and The recipe for Chop Suey that sprinkle with paprika. Serve thoroughly chilled. If you prefer a milder cheese, mix the Roquefort with Cream Cheese ally savory dish, and you will be before moistening with Salad Cream

> Rice Flake Cookies: - 34 cup butter, 1 cup sugar, 2 eggs, 4 tablespoons milk, 11/2 cups Rice Flakes, 1 cup raisins, 1 cup nuts, cups flour, 3 teaspoons baking powder, 1/4 teaspoon salt, and 1 teaspoon vanilla. Cream together butter, sugar and well beaten eggs. Sift flour, baking powder and salt, and add to the creamed mixture alternately with milk. Add floured raisins, nuts and vanilla. Drop from teaspoon on a greased baking sheet, and bake

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SEES HEAVY CLAIMS ON FUTURE BANKERS

American Bankers Association Official Declares That Banking Changes Creating Large Bank Systems Will Call for Broader Social Viewpoints.

Larger scale group or branch banking will inevitably bring a new era of banking organization and operations to the United States and bankers will have to develop "new conceptions, new administrative methods and new economic views," Rudolf S. Hecht, Chairman of the Economic Policy Commission of the American Bankers Association, recently told the members of the American Institute of Banking.

The institute is the educational section of the association and he emphasized the point that the new era in banking demanded "that we must step-up our education so that banking shall be fortified for new responsibilities."

What the Future Calls For "We must broaden our social conception of banking," Mr. Hecht said. "Not only for the technical operations of the new banking must we fit ourselves, but both as individuals and an organized profession we must charge ourselves with serious consideration of the social problems that are involved. Already we hear murmurings and fears and doubte as to whether the changes that are coming about in banking in the extension of group and branch sys tems do not constitute the looming of a new financial menace, a monopolistic threat not only to the individual unit banker, but to the financial liberty of society in general. I am stating these things merely as facts that must be taken

into consideration in our studies. "Public opinion cannot be ignored by any business, least of all by banking, which is admittedly semipublic in character and is, therefore, subject to special supervision by the constituted authorities. If banking develops tendencies that give rise to public fears, we must so conduct ourselves as to reassure all doubts.

"For this is true, -that business succeeds only by serving societythat no business can permanently prosper which does not both render service to the public and at the same time convince the public that it is rendering that service. Banking, therefore, must take cognizance c° what the public is saying of this new era in its development.

"It must be part of the technique of modern banking administration, whatever form our enlarged institutions take, to avoid the creation of monopolies, or even the appearance of such a centralization of financial power as to be able to exercise an undue influence over public or private finance or other lines of business. The public's right to the safeguards of fair competition must be observed. Must Preserve Individual Initiative

"It must also be an item of management that individual initiative and opportunity shall be maintained. If America has outstripped other nations in the distribution of the benefits of its progress, it is due to the fact that there are no barriers of social caste or business tradition against advancement for character, ability, and initiative. American business has learned that it serves itself best by encouraging by every practical means individual ambition and initiative, and hurts itself most by repressing or neglecting them. Competition for efficiency, both within an organization and between organizations, will prevent any institution from long enduring in which maintenance of opportunity and recognition of initiative are not controlling principles of management. As heads of the greatest of our financial and industrial institutions stand men who started from the humblest of beginnings. Through all the grades of executive authority and reward stand men in positions in keeping, generally speaking, with their individual merits. I, personally, see no reason for fearing that the enlarged banking organization which the future may hold would necessarily supply future bank employees with any less opportunity for achievement than unit banking.

"Again, a major consideration of administration in any multiple form of banking organization must be its public relations in every community it touches. Its foremost consideration must be actually and visibly to serve the economic upbuilding of that community. No system will be long tolerated whose local members work, or are suspected as working, to draw economic strength from one place to enlarge the financial power of another. The local unit bank has always been part and parcel of the communities where it lives-and no system can last which does not make it a major principle of operating technique to serve, and not exploit, the communities into whose business lives it enters."

---Trade at Home-

County Commissioner M. F. Hagar, of Kent county, was campaigning in Spur Thursday, and also attending other business affairs. He reports that the voters are now beginning to talk politics over in the county of Kent. .

Trade at Home-

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CENTRAL MARKET COLLIER & RICKELS, Props.

Editor Niles N. Morris, of Ropesville, passed through Spur Monday on his return home from a trip to bargains.-W. W. Flournoy. Hamlin, stopping by and visiting at the Texas Spur office a few minutes. "Big Moorris" helped us guide the destinies of the Texas Spur several years ago, and prior to that time edited the Jayton Herald. We enjoyed his short visit, and were glad to hear of his prospering in the news paper field at Ropesville.

--- Trade at Home----John A. Moore and family returned the past week after an abtime he underwent an operation.

----Trade at Home-

Wilbur Perry and family left Thursday for Dublin where they will visit his mother and spend a month's vacation.

---Trade at Home-

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plex, all conveniences, \$15 per month. See Dr. Hale. ----Trade at Home-The best meals in West Texas 50 cents. Bell's Cafe.

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D. B. Sauls, of the Colbert ranch, sence of several weeks, during which was among the business visitors in

Spur the past week. ---Trade at Home Boney Scott was in town Saturday. Boney is this year farming several hundred acres of land, and reports conditions favorable at this

---Trade at Home-

A Dinner in 30 Minutes For Hurried Housewives



By JOSEPHINE B. GIBSON Director, Home Economics Dept., H. J. Heinz Company.

MVE o'clock and the party is over! But it is much later than you thought-and you must be home and have dinner ready in less than an hour!

Every woman has this experience occasionally; and this is one of the times when a well-stocked emergency shelf will prove a genuine life-saver.

The quick-time meal, however, need not come entirely from the delicatessen store, nor need it be one for which you must apologize. With careful planning, it is possible to prepare a well-balanced, attractive meal in thirty minutes -a meal to which you even could

invite guests with confidence. The dinner planned below is unusually excellent, and will show how much may be accomplished in a very little while. If you are an experienced cook, you may be able to prepare this meal in even less than the alloted time, though it may mean a bit of hurrying if you are just a beginner.

Next time you come home late, try this meal on the family: Cream of Pea Soup

Crisp Crackers Meat Patties with Bacon Tomato and Cucumber Salad Pure Apple Butter Hot Biscuits Fig Pudding with Ice Cream

2. Prepare meat patties, and place in the skillet to sear outside. Cover and place in oven to bake for twenty minutes. (Recipe given below). 3. Place a can of Cream of Pea Soup

only preserves their full flavor, but eliminates danger of scorching, and Mix and cut the biscuits. Biscuits. bake in twelve minutes, and they take only a few minutes to mix. The oven must be hot for the meat anyhow, so why not enjoy the luxury of hot biscuits? They do so much to-

ward dressing up a meal. Put the crackers in a pan on top of the oven to crisp. Set the table, putting on bread and butter, and dishes of Pure Apple Butter and Fresh Cucumber Pickles. Prepare salad and place on table. (Recipe given below). 8. Place biscuits in oven.

9. Fill water glasses, and uncover the Serve the soup and announce dinner! The biscuits and meat can be taken from the oven and served after the soup course.

Meat Patties with Bacon:-Use equal quantities of ground beef and pork. Season the meat with salt, pepper and a bit of onion juice. Form into patties and wrap a slice of bacon around each, securing it with a toothpick. Brown in a skillet, and then add 1 tablespoon Tomato Ketchup and 1/4 cup water. Cover and bake in a moderate oven for twenty minutes. Uncover during the last few minutes of baking to allow the bacon to crisp. Serve with Tomato Ketchup.

Tomato and Cucumber Salad :_ Scald the tomatoes and remove skins, or leave the skins on if you prefer. Slice a little more than half way through each tomato, from the top, making five or six crevices into which slices of cucumber 1. Light oven, and put a pan of water or hard cooked egg may be inserted. If cucumbers are used, an unusual effect may be obtained by scoring the sliced cucumber lengthwise with the times of a silver fork, to give each a scallope edge. Place the tomatoes on crisp letand a can of Fig Pudding in the Dressing or Salad Cream, which is a kettle of water to heat. Heating slightly tart, spicy dressing, particularly prepared foods in the cans not good with fresh vegetable salads.

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Spur.

PERRY SAYLES DIED IN ILENE WEDNESDAY. Perry Sayles, niece of Mrs. end the funeral,

OTICE TO THE PUBLIC. of depredations and to the cemetery grounds, tery Association.

s. Mildred Bailey, of Childress Gipson, and other relatives at Roaring Springs.

MRS. P. C. NICHOLS ENTER-TAINED FOR GUESTS.

Friday evening of last week Mrs of Spur, died Wednesday P. C. Nichols was a most gracious a protracted illness re- hostess at her home in the city from an operation some when she entertained in honoring o. Mrs. Lollar spent ten her guests, Mesdames Blankenship two weeks recently at the and Compere of Abilene. Forty being called back this week two was the entertaining feature, and delicious refreshments were served following a number of interesting games.

S. Z. Hall, who has been employtes hereafter will be locked. ed as superintendent of Spur Public desiring to enter the grounds Schools, has been in Spur during ave keys by applying to Web- week arranging to move his family Williams or Mrs. Hall.-Spur and assume his duties at the head of our schools.

Mrs. T. H. Blackwell and chil-Dickens visiting her father, dren enjoyed a picnic Wednesday

Spur

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Welcome

Dodge Eight Mileage Marathon Be- B. Jones were most gracious hos-

Brothers instituted a "marathon Mrs. Clyde Weaver of Abilene, daughmileage endurance" of a Dodge 8, ters of Mrs. Newman, and who are out of their stock cars. The driv- in Spur for the summer. The reers will make an average of 500 ception rooms were very attractively miles per day, running from coast arranged with vases of snapdragons to coast, not for the purpose of and zenias placed at vantage points. making a record time, but to de- At the conclusion of the games the termine just how far and how long hostesses served a very delicious the Dodge car will run at the aver- salad with iced tea, to Mesdames age driving rate.

to be made before the car is ready Barrett, P. C. Nichols, E. C. Edfor the scrap-heap, will be accepted, monds. Willis Giddings, Margarett Agency, will receive guesses, and din, Rob Davis, Nellie Davis, F. W.

has ever been recognized as one of guests, Mesdames Pitts and Weavthe best, and this marathon test er. will determine the life and mileage to be expected of the regular stock MRS. E. L. TANNER HOSTESS cars sold over the country.

---called Monday to Stamford to be with last week when Mrs. E. L. Tanner their daughter, through an opera- entertained with bridge honoring her tion of her husband, Cash Wileman, house guests, Mrs. Dallas of Lubbock of Lamesa, who suffered an unex- and Mrs. Parr of Spur. pected paralytic stroke Sunday while they were in Stamford to visit with ments were arranged for the games, relatives. The operation was suc- each bearing a basket of lovely cessfully performed and Mr. Wile- sweet peas which was presented man is reported doing well at this high score guests at the respective

May you

MESDAMES BARBER AND JONES HOSTESSES WITH BRIDGE Mesdames G. L. Barber and C.

tesses at a morning party Thursday gun July First at the home of Mrs. Barber on East Hill Street, when they entertained Hill Street, when they entertained with bridge and forty two, honoring On the first day of July Dodge Mrs. Pitts of Allentown, Pa., and J. E. Morris, M. E. Manning, Chas. Guesses of the time and mileage Whitener, W. S. Campbell, L. R. High Berry, of the Spur Dodge Newman, Oran McClure, A. V. Harthose nearest correct will be hand- Jennings, Shirley Robbins, Miss Jusomely rewarded. The Dodge car lia Mae Rickman and the honor

WITH BRIDGE.

One of the prettiest parties of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caraway were the season was that of Friday of

Five tables with lovely appointtables. Other lovely flowers were placed at various points throughout the reception rooms.

Attractive pajama suits were presented to the guests of honor, Mesdames Dallas and Parr, other favors were high club, low club, high guest, and low guest.

The hostess served a most delicious refreshment.

C. E. Hagins, of Duck Creek, was a business visitor in Spur the past

----Trade at Home----C. B. Middleton and family have moved to Spur. Mr. Middleton will be instructor for the vocational agriculture class of Spur High School the coming term.

Poultry Notes

Winter egg profits will depend largely on the care given pullets.

Hatch the chicks early so that the pullets are mature for winter egg production.

Don't forget the importance of fresh, juicy greens for both the baby chicks and old hens.

The first half of April is the ideal

such as the Leghorns. Giving hens 12 hours of light increases egg production at the season when the prices are high.

time to hatch chicks of smaller breeds

When calcium carbonate is not available in sufficient quantities, hens lay soft-shelled eggs or no eggs at all.

Making it easier for the hens to consume large quantities of mash aids in the production of eggs. At least 10 linear feet of double hopper space should be provided for 100 hens.

Culling should not be considered as a substitute for correct management of a flock of hens. Even the good producers may cease laying in the summer if proper care is neglected.

must have strong bodies and a good supply of nourishing feeds. Good producing hens may become

To carry on heavy production hens

thin if not fed sufficiently. Total feed consumption can be increased usually by giving a moistened mash once a day throughout the summer months.

Give free range to the birds which are to be used as breeders this spring. They should also be fed an abundance of whole yellow corn.

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hear a real fish story upon their

---Trade at Home months at Borger.

Speaking at Peaceful Hill on The Fourh

The people of Peaceful Hill community are having an all-day picnic on the Fourth of July. County Mat Bingham was on the streets and precinct candidates are among of Spur the past week. Mat has those invited and will make talks been confined in a hospital several to the voters on the occasion-thus combining business with pleasure.

Fruit Soups Are Refreshing

Ly JOSEPH BOGGIA, Chef
The Plaza Hotel, New York City

have been brought up in the one cup orange juice, three-fourths can cooking, a dinner without soup and a two-inch strip of cinnamon. is no dinner at all. Summer and Bring to the boiling point one cup

Chef Boggia

They are rapid- ice.

lons and consommes are, of course, ice.

of our menu. Iced Fruit Soup-Mix and let shaved ice.

IN the eyes of thousands who stand in the refrigerator overnight sound old traditions of Ameri- cup grapefruit juice, five cloves winter, whether the mercury of the syrup drained from a can of hovers in the raspberries: - Add a teaspoon of eighties or the cornstarch mixed with cold water. twenties, they Cook three minutes and add onedemand their fourth cup sugar and one-cightle soup and refuse teaspoon salt. Add fruit juices, to be satisfied strain and place in refrigerator without it. until very cold. Serve with shaved

> ly learning to Grape Soup Add one-half cup demand a cold sugar to a half-pint of water and soup in summer simmer until clear. Add one pint and a hot soup of juice pressed from ripe grapes. in winter, but and the juice of one-half lemon. one and all de. Add a half tablespoon of softened mand their tapioca and again simmer until clear. Keep in refrigerator until Jellied bouil- very cold and serve with shaved

the familiar types of cold soups. Raspberry Soup-Let stand for but there is no reason why we one hour, one quart of mashed rasp. should be restricted to these. In berries thoroughly mixed with one-Norway, Germany and many other half pound of sugar. Pres: through countries of Europe, cold fruit sieve. Heat slowly, stirring all the soups are widely enjoyed for their time. When boiling point is delicacy of flavor and refreshing reached add one tablespoon cornqualities. There seems to be no starch dissolved in cold water, good reason why we in this coun. When clear and smooth, add onetry should not seize the oppor- fourth cup non-alcoholic sherny tunity to add variety to this part Remove and keep in refrigerato until well chilled. Serve with







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Clay Aston returned the past week from San Saba where he had been to visit with his mother who had suffered a stroks of parallysis. His mother returned with him to Snyder where she will be with a sister until her condition improves. Clay stated that good rains had fallen over the sections of country visited and that good crops were noted all along the

---Trade at Home-

C. P. Aufill, of McAdoo. was one among the number of business visitors in Spur the past week. Incidentally he was campaiging down here in his race for public weigher of the McAdoo, Dickens, Midway, and Duncan Flat voting boxes.

MURDER

are victims of murderers every year the law taking the necessary risks in the United States.

thing like that number of murders Chicago, is probably as low as in occurs in any other civilized country. England or France. But that fact, published everywhere, "murder centers."

had any contact of any kind with due them for their crimes. recent years?

We all know that the life of every ed and unchecked. law abiding citizen, going about his or her business and not seeking trouble, is as safe in our midst as Valley farm north of Dickens, is now it is anywhere in the world. Gun- out in California, recuperating and men do not prowl around our streets enjoying life. G. W. Dodson has and byways looking for victims. been suffering for some time of a can-Women are not afraid to go to the cerous condition, and his friends here stores for fear of being shot down join us in the hope that he will reby stray bullets or intentionally. Yet the picture of life in the United States as Europe sees it would have all of us in constant danger of being killed by some irresponsible murderer.

Even in Chicago, from which we hear more news of murders and murderers than from any other place in America, conditions are not at all like that. Ameritans unfamiliar with the ways of big cities hesitate to go to Chicago for fear of be_ ing killed, Chicago newspapers report that travellers with several hours between trains frequently do not dare leave the railroad station to look around the beautiful city, because they have heard so much about Chicago gunmen, The International Rotary Clubs recently felt impelled to send out word to its members everywhere in the world, assuring them that they would not be killed if they came to a convention in

The plain fact of the matter is that in almost every case of murder the victim is either a criminal, an associate of criminals, or engaged in some reckless undertaking which exposes him t attack. Leaving out

the people who have invited murder KNOWS NOW WHY Ten persons out of every 100,000 by their own acts, and officers of of their occupation, our proportion That is an appalling record. No of murders to population, even in

That does not dispose, however gives the people as well as the of the fact that there has developed foreigners an incorrett impression of in America a criminal element which the life in the United States and in is almost defiant in its attitude tothe cities which may be called ward authorities of the law. These men do not fear the law, because Think it over for a minute. How they have found so many ways of many people do you know who have evading the punishment which is murder? How many people in this basic trouble is with our courts and community have been murdered, in with publit sentiment which permits travesties on justice to go unheed-

> G. W. Dodson, of the Tennessee gain perfect health while out in Cal-



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0 2 Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson returned the past week from a trip and visit to Austin and other points in that section of Texas. While in Austin Mrs. Johnson suffered a stroke of paralysis, one side and arm being affected by the stroke. It is hoped by the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Johnson that the paralysis will be of only temporary duration.

LEAGUE PROGRAM

Program for the League of SO MANY PRAISE Dicken's Methodist Church, Sunday July 6, 1930, at 8:15 o'clock. SARGON Leader: Mrs C. N. Parmenter. Subject: Life of Bible Characters. "I don't believe anybody ever got Scripture: Ezra 1 1-4. finer results from Sargon than I did. Prayer: Rev. C. N. Parmenter. Rheumatic pains in practically all

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W. W. Keefe. The Church and the World: Nellie Hulsey.

Song: Offering: Announcements:

Benediction: Mrs. N. G. Gibbins, Rep.

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home for sometime.

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Herbert Lewis

Mrs. Ray Wil

Colador is now visi

daughter and family.

Several of the peopl

the Church of Christ at

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon

of Girard who have lived

some time left Sunday for

morton where they will ma

have been attending the

bank is now on

week.

A large crowd of people the speaking at the scho Saturday night given by Bryant, candidate for Dis Mrs. George Darden Stockton is now mother-in-law,

A large crowd of wo at Mrs. Elmer James. afternoon where the entertal for the W. M. U. was given. following were served with ice and cake by the serving maid W. M. U., Dottie Simmons sers Tom Cooper, Cliff Hain Davidson, Jinks Cooper, Ma den, George Darden, Morris Mertie Willis, G. Simmons, Graves, Check Jay, Alph Parks Vincent, Eva Han, B.J.Kellett, James, B. P. Woody and Miss Bell Waggoner.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterman Spur visited Mr. and Mrs. Woody and mother last week. Miss Elsie Clark and Miss Langford visited in Girard this

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W. A. Grizzle, of Kalgary, here the past week, calling it the Texas Spur office and favo us with a check for the renewal his subscription, and for which has our thanks and appreciation. reports crops and general condition very promising at this time in Kalgary section of country.

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when people drop in informally to pass the evening, can be much preparation.

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slice. On one slice place a let- Preserved Sweet Gherkins. tuce leaf, and then a slice of tomato. Spread with Salad Cream, and a tart spicy dressing, which Cut rye, white or whole wheat is perfect for this type of sand- bread in thin slices, allowing 3 wich. Next add two slices of slices for each sandwich. Spread crisp bacon. On a second slice of with Prepared Mustard Sauce. buttered toast place a slice of Place a leaf of lettuce and a thin chicken or other cold meat-it piece of American Cheese spread may be veal or pork, or in an with Prepared Mustard Sauce on emergency, a layer of deviled one slice, and cover with a second ham. Sprinkle with shredded let. piece of bread. On this lay boiled tuce or watercress, and top with ham or tongue, and spread gena spoonful of Sandwich Relish. erously with Sandwich Relish. Arrange the two slices of toast Cover with a third piece of bread. on a plate, and garnish with slices Press firmly together and cut in of tomato or Fresh Cucumber half diagonally. Place a Pickle Pickles.

Toasted Ham and Olive Brown thin slices of Sandwich :- boiled or baked ham Using Preserved Sweet Gherkins, cut (or you could substitute bacon for the very thin parallel sections almost the ham). Then add 1/4 cup Stuffed Spanish length of each pickle. Then carefully Olives, sliced, and heat in the hot fat. spread out the sections like a fan.

toast. Cut in half and serve with a tiny crisp lettuce cup filled with Chili

Supper Sandwich :- Slice made most enjoyable affairs. The white bread 1/4 inch thick, and food served does not need to be spread each slice with a thin layer elaborate, but the menu should be of Prepared Mustard Sauce. carefully planned so it will be at- Flake the contents of one can of tractive without requiring too tuna fish, and mix with Sandwich Relish, using half as much Sand-Hot sandwiches are especially wich Relish as Fish. Spread gennice to serve on such occasions erously between slices of bread, and they can be made very and press firmly together. Dip in easily and quickly. Served with slightly beaten egg to which has Spanish Queen Olives, pickles and been added 1/2 cup milk, and salt relishes, such sandwiches form a and pepper to season. Brown complete party meal, though crisp quickly in a skillet with several cups of lettuce, filled with Chili tablespoons butter, and drain on Sauce, Sandwich Relish or cole unglazed paper. Serve very hot, slaw, are favored by many host- garnish with watercress, or a tiny esses as a delicious accompani- lettuce cup filled with India Relish.

Peanut Butter, Bacon, and Chili Sauce Sandwich :- For each toast two slices of bread on one side Open Club Sandwich: only. Spread the untoasted side of one Cut bread 1/3 inch thick and slice with Peanut Butter blended with toast quickly so it will not be Chili Sauce. Place slices of crisp bacon on the untoasted side of the other slice, hard and dry. Then butter each and put the two together. Garnish with

> Double Decker Sandwich:-Fan on top each half. This may be served with cole slaw.

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Austin Frazier and wife, of west

of Spur, were shoppers and visitors

____Trade at Home____

was among the business visitors in

the city during the past week,

Tom Cherry, of north of Spur,

in the city the past week,

was among the crowds on the Spur

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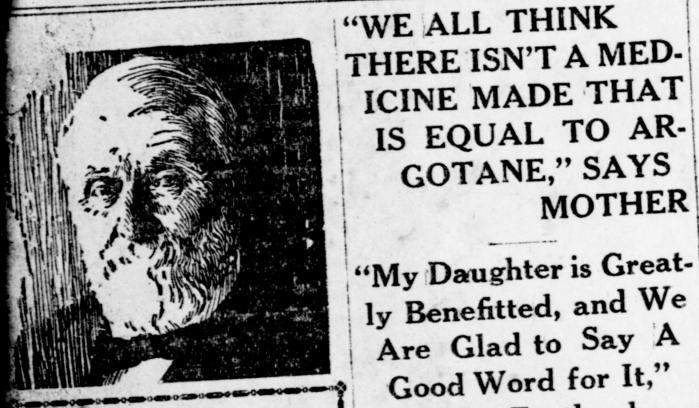
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GOTANE," SAYS

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Hints For Homemakers By Jane Rogers .



INSTEAD of pouring it hot over I ice, try making iced coffee by chilling the coffee in the refrigerator. This will mean less dilution from the ice in the glass, and a much more refreshing drink. The coffee should be kept in an airtight container between brewing and serving, so that it will retain its flavor and aroma.

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COTTON MARKET SITUATION

The price of cotton is very low, middling basis begins around 13 cents In 1926 we produced nearly eighteen million bales and the price went very little lower than it is now and the price went back up to 20 cents before the first day of September, 1927. Last year we produced 14, 800-000 bales and the price was dropped to 13 cents. What is the cause of a crop of 14,800,000 bales selling as low as a crop of 18,000,000 bales? Is it overproduction? Let the market

produce a larger crop than last year conditions following the general dewith the market now very low, the pression of the entire country. results might mean bankruptcy. It is to be hoped that something will happen to improve economic condit- munity, was among the number of

-----Bob Hahn was on the streets one week, meeting with friends and also taking advantage of the trade offerings of Spur mer-

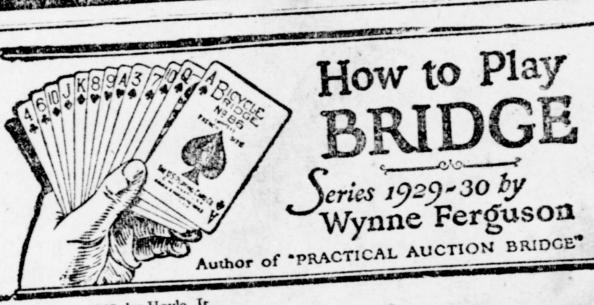
Ol Taylor came in Saturday from his farm home on Duck Creek. He said everything was lovely in that section, having had plenty rain, crops all worked over several times and nothing now to worry about except the probability of low prices this fall. The price to be paid for crops this fall is a serioous proposition, since the prospect is that cotwhole is in hard financial condition, and with low prices conditions will continue hard. to know, say that possibly two It is too early to estimate this years will be required for the counyear's production, but should we try to adjust itself to prevailing

> T. L. Rape, of the Steel Hill combusiness visitors in the city the past week, reporting everything promising in that section of the great Spur country at this time.

-Trade at Home

G. W.. Pope was greeting his friends here the past week end





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ter of fact, such an argument is hard now plan the remaining play of the to settle. In some hands the bidding is hand? Before reading further, figure obviously more important than the out what you would do, before you play; yet in others the bidding is read the solution. Here are two example hands where the the king of diamonds from Y's hand bidding was uncontested and yet the and discard the queen of hearts from play proved most difficult;

Hand No. 1 Hearts — 10, 7, 5, 3 Clubs — A, 9 Diamonds - K, Q, 4 Spades - J, 8, 5, 3

Hearts - A, Q Clubs - J, 10, 7, 6 Diamonds — J. 2 Spades — K. Q. 10, 7, 6

There always is a chance for an ace of diamonds, Y played the four, E argument when Bridge players get the trey and Z the deuce. A now led the five, Y played the queen, B the play is the more important. As a matplay is the more important is hard to be a property in hard. Solution: At trick three Z should lead

his own hand. At trick four, Z should lead the ace of clubs from Y's hand and at trick five follow with the nine of clubs. One of the opponents will win this trick and should lead a trump at trick six. Whichever opponent has the ace of trumps should win the trick (No. six) and return the trump (trick seven). Z will win this trick in his own trick eight will lead a hand and at trick eight will lead a club, trumping in Y's hand with a low spade. At trick nine, Y should lead a low heart, winning the trick in Z's hand with the ace of hearts. Y Z must now make the next four tricks with the queen ten and seven of spades in Z's hand and the jack of spades to trump No score, rubber game. Z dealt, bid Z's losing club in Y's hand. The hands one spade and all passed. A opened the of A and B were as follows:

Hearts — 8, 4, 2 Clubs — K, Q, 8, 3 Diamonds — 9, 7, 3 Spades - A, 4, 2

Hearts - K, J, 9, 6 Clubs — 5, 4, 2 Diamonds — A, 10, 8, 6, 5 A Spades - 9

If at trick three Z should lead a of the hand from now on? The reader If at trick three Z should lead a low should lead a should decide what he would do and should decide what he would do and should how he would play the hand before reading the solution that follows:

Solution: Z can afford to lose three tricks. He will still score game. These tricks are one heart, one diamond and tricks are one heart, one diamond and tricks are one spade. If he loses more than these second trump trick and return spades.) one spade. If he loses more than these Y's hand will thus be able to trump tricks, he will lose game, therefore his clubs only once and B must, therefore, play must be so planned that he will make another club trick. Note this lose these three tricks and no more. hand carefully and the reason for not His play at trick one, therefore, must leading trumps. Z has no set-up suit be such that he cannot lose more than and no reason to lead trumps. On the one diamond trick. If A has led from not lead them.

Hand No. 2 Hearts - K, Q, 5, 4 Clubs - A, K, 7 Diamonds - A, 7, 5 Spades - J, 9, 3 . Y : Hearts - J, 10, 7, 2

llearts - A, 9, 6

other hand, he has two losing clubs of which probably is the king. A would and the only way to convert them into tricks is by trumping them in Y's hand. hardly lead away from the king of diamonds for such a lead is one of the worst that can be made against a declared suit. If B has only two diamonds to the king and Z passes the first diamond, B will win the trick and return the suit. Then if Z finesses the spade and A has the king, he can give B a ruff with the third diamond. Played in this way, Z would lose four tricks, one in hearts, one in diamonds and two in spades. Z's proper play at trick one, therefore, is the ace of diamonds from Y's hand. He should then lead the ace and king of clubs and on the second club lead he should discard the six of diamonds. He should then Spades — A, Q, 10, 8, 4

No score, rubber game. Z deaft and passed. A passed, Y bid one no trump and B passed. Z now bid two spades and B passed a

and B passed. Z now bid two spades, all passed and A opened the trey of diamonds. How should Z plan the play diamonds. How should Z plan the play

Hearts -8,3 Clubs - J, 8, 6, 5, 3, 2 Diamonds - K, 9 Spades -6, 5, 2

Clubs — Q, 9, 4 Diamonds — J, 10, 8, 3, 2 Spades — K, 7 It should be evident, therefore, that unless Z had taken his diamond discard before his finesse in spades, A B would have made four tricks and so saved perore his ninesse in spaces, A B would have made four tricks and so saved game. Be on the lookout for hands of this type and learn to count your tricks before you play to the first trick. Many a time will you save game and rubbe

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had won everything else, crowned his golfing career by winning the British Amateur championship.

Hilton Manning, of Wichita Falls, spent last week end in Spur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Manning, and also visiting among his many young friends of Spur. Hilton has been spending the past several months in Wichita Falls, representing a marriage insurance agency, and states that many policies are being issued. ---Trade at Home---

Mrs. Jackson, of Stamford, is in Spur visiting with her son, Ralph Jackson and family.



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Mrs. J. A. Koon has been quite ill of pneumonia the past month at their home in the west part of the city. We are glad to note that Mrs. Koon is reported much improve ed at this time.

Bert Jamison, who is now ranching with the Matadors, was in Spur the past week end, trading and on other business.

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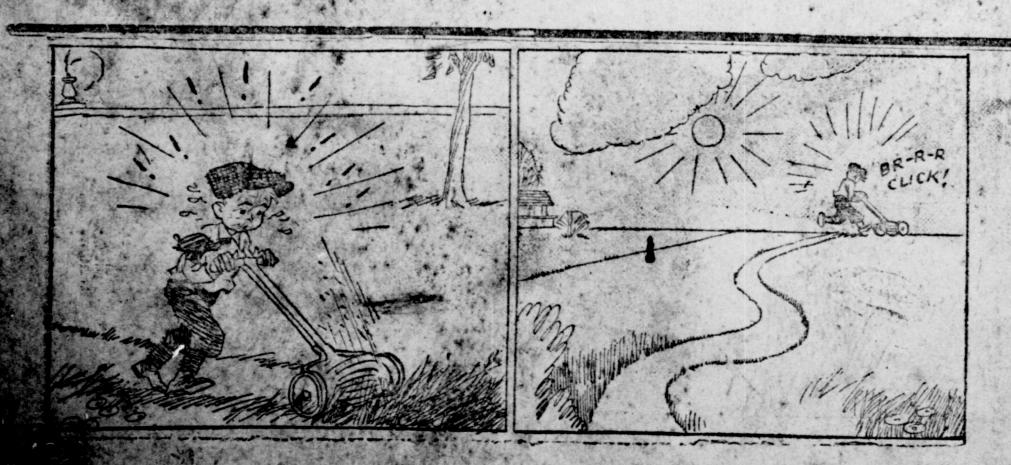
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Barney Wood Died a Roaring Sorin Last Salurd

Barney Wood, twenty year of and son of R. J. Wood, did not day at 7:30 o'clock at his form? Roaring Springs, following a brillness of appendicitis and a componention at Matador, his remaining buried Sunday in the Roari Springs cemetery.

Barney was a grandson of G. I Wood of near Spur, and he and sor Ford, and Homer Cargile were amon those of Spur who attended the funeral. A sister from Abernathy, and other relatives were also in attendance, while his mother and three brothers who were in California at the time were unable to be present.

Barney's death was very unexpected, he having enjoyed the best of health until this appendicitis attack. His mother and brothers had just gone to California on a visit without a thought of the nearness of death to a member of the family. He leaves a wife and one child.

TO THE VOTERS OF DICKENS-

Most of my time is spent holding court and the duties of a district judge are such that I have not been able to call on all people of the. district to ask for their votes. I have held the office as judge, by appointment, only half a term, and hope that the people will feel that it is right to elect me this time. If elected I will do all that a judge can do to speed up the administration of justice. I cannot perform the duties of my office and at the same time see all of the ten thousand voters of this district, but I want you all to know that your vote andinfluence will be appreciated.

Yours truly,

Kenneth Bain

Judge 110th Judicial District

of Texas

Spurites Enjoy the Cowboy Reunion in Stamford

Tom McArthur, Ned Bowers, Bob Westerman, H. O. Albin, Luther Jones and W. L. Hyatt were among those of Spur who attended the three days Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo Thursday, Friday and Saturday in Stamford.

Chuck wagons from the surrounding ranches were there, and the cowboys performed in the rodeo, riding and roping contests. Cowboys and ranchers from all over the West were there and the occasion was most enjoyable to every one of the large number in attendance.

The Cowboy Reunion and Rodeo will be made an annual event in the city of Stamford.

White Moore and wife were in the city Saturday.

A. A. and Gene Fry were here on business during the wek Mrs. Bell Martin, of Red Top.

was shopping in Spur last week.

W. H. Young was here Saturday from Red Hill.

Milto nSmith, of Red Mud was

in Spur last week.

Newt Cravey was trading in the

city the past week.

T. E. Gregory of Duck Create on the streets Saturday.