YEARS

Taken from the files of The Texas Spur, published 23 years ago this week. Oran McClure, editor and

Uncle Pink Higgins returned last week from a trip to Lampasas where he was called on account of illness of one of his daughters. As his daughter was improving he remained only two days.

-23 Years Ago-That was Uncle Pinks former home in younger days and he says though many changes have come about even for the better he prefers to live in Western Texas and

would not again make that his home under any circumstances.

-23 Years Ago-West Texas is the greatest country in the world. Of course we have troubles, encounter disadvantages and possibly suffer a few privolions in worldly luxuries but taking everything into consideration we make more money with less labor from rich soil and boundless agrisurrounded with every necessity and many luxuries and offer more and better advantages to homeseekers and families who desire a pleasant, prosperous home surround ed with superior educational and social advantages than any new and practically undeveloped country in America.

-23 Years Ago-

Twenty years of experimental farming here has demonstrated that our agricultural resources are unsurpassed and men who will work and exercise a reasonable amount of business judgment will prosper and can become independent and even rich in worldly possessions.

-23 Years Ago-C. A. Jones and Jeff D. Reagan attended a meeting of the Central West Texas Agricultural Association last week at Haskell. It was their intention to secure the next meeting for Spur but Anson outvoted them and the next meeting will be held at Anson.

-23 Years Ago-

Senator Lorimer was expelled from the U.S. Senate by a vote of almost two to one. Thus in another instance the power of public sentiment has been demonstrated. We are progressing onward and upward.

-23 Years Ago-Colonel Dick McCarty, Editor of the Asperment Star and Attorney of Stonewall County, was in Spur Tuesday and Wednesday on business. Mr. McCarty is a booster and believer in West Texas and has probably contributed as much as any one man to the advancement of the development and settlement interests of the country.

-23 Years Ago-Mr. Wilhoit was in Spur last week from the McNeil ranch where and riding the range. Recently we fections, etc. lost a horse in the McNeil pasture til the lost horse was found.

-23 Years Ago-Ed Cairnes, of the Paddle ranch new place of business. was in Spur Monday shipping cattle to the Fort Worth market.

News From The Sheriff's Office

Sheriff J. L. Koonsman returned Clarence Brown (Colored) from Hobbs, N. M., Sunday. Charges were filed of moving mortgaged property from the State.

Joe Allison was relieved of 960 bottles of beer. Charges will filed for operating in a dry town.

Henry Stanton, Dickens, was charged Wednesday with assault and battery. Mrs. Tom Taylor and son, Eugene, were complaining wit-

tin and daughter, of Brownwood, Taylortown and Holladay, Tenn. spent last week in Spur, guests of their sister, Mrs. A. D. Price and family.

New Tire Store Will Handle Federal Line Of Tires And Tubes

Curtis Young and Louis Rochat are managers of the Spur Tire Company, an exclusive tire shop which opened here this week. They

line of Federal Tires and Puncture and reunion line. Proof Tubes.

with the Dean-Fultoe Tire company ball tournament, old fiddlers con- its. of Lubbock. They invite your at- test, young fiddlers contest, a dance tention to their ad in this issue list- both nights, and skating rink will ing some attractive "opening" spec- be among the attractions for the

Trench Silo Meeting To Be Held Saturday

All of those interested in trench silos, or the making of silage, are requested to meet in the shady grove at the rear of the Methodist Church on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 P. M. It is time to start makcultural resources, have a broader, ing plans to take care of the big richer and more productive field feed crop that will be maturing Spur Motor Company within the next 50 to 60 days. With improved silage machinery which cuts the crop into silage in the field, and elevates it into a wagon a silage crop may be harvest ed much cheaper than a crop of dry bundle feed. The cost of binder twine is eliminated and the labor in shocking, and stacking. Efforts will be made to get these machines into the country if there is sufficient interest. Placing whole bundles in the silo will also be discussed as excellent silage can be made from whole bundles when it is properly handled. During this year of plenty we should lay by sufficient feed for the next drouth which is sure

G. J. LANE, County Agent.

____Q Mission Station Are Introducing A New Motor Oil, 'Paranay'

The Mission Service Stations of Spur are introducing a new motor oil "Paranay" a product of the Mc-Alister Fuel Company, and which is recommend very highly.

W. E. Putman, manager of Mission No. 1, is highly pleased with the popularity gained by the proto other stations.

Dorothy Halliburton Opens Sandwich Shop

a sandwich shop on Post Office establishment, extend an invitation (Harris) Street Saturday of last to friends and patrons to pay them week to be known as Dorothy's a visit. They also invite your in-Sandwich Shop. She will specialize spection of the food specials offerhe is employed breaking horses in sandwiches, light lunches, con- ed on the opening, Saturday, July

The shop is one of the neatest other page. and Wilhoit furnished us a "bron- and most conveniently arranged in co" and piloted us over the range the city and Mrs. Halliburton, who at a rapid gait, staying with us un- is an experienced restaurant woman invites her former patrons and friends to pay her a visit in her

Two Weeks Revival At Red Top School

George F. Mickey, Minister of the Idalou Church of Christ, will begin a two weeks revival at the Red Top school house, Friday night July 26.

The public is invited and urged to attend services.

-0 EARLE WOODS TO HOLD MEETINGS IN TENNESSEE

Mrs. J. H. Kerley and Mrs. Par- ings at Chapel Hill, White Bluff, condition according to hospital re-

Drug Store.

Dickens Picnic; Old Settlers Re-Union, July 25-26

are located in the Spur Hardware big days at the Dickens Picnic and to the state constitution which are Texas Railroad Commission: and Furniture Co. building on the Old Settlers Reunion, Thursday and to be voted upon in a special elec- My fellow citizens of Texas, it is about eleven o'clock Wednesday

occasion. Liberal prizes and purses will be offered in most of the events and contests.

The picnic and reunion is being sponsored by the leading citizens of the city and Mayor Zeke Fowler unusual importance, dealing with states that from the numerous in- subjects that have been a matter of quiries that have been received controversy in the state for a numfrom over the section that the ber of years, and voters are not largest crowds will attend that only urged to study them carefully Dickens has ever been host to.

Announces New Low Price On Chevrolets

Mr. Caraway of Spur Chevrolet Company and his entire organiza- blind calves and blind colts dropped tion are celebrating new low de- in West Texas this past Spring. livered process on the Standard This has been generally attributed Chevrolet, and the Master DeLuxe to the dust storms but it now ap-Chevrolet.

ers in this area known as the Dallas mother cow or mother mare and is Zone are featuring new low de- known as Vitamin A deficiency. livered prices to the public.

policy of giving its customers every calves with defective eye sight deadvantage possible in the purchase veloped in one small herd in Dickof their merchandise.

only bring Chevrolet into the low within the past four months will price bracket, but makes the Stand- confer a favor to those studying ard Chevrolet the lowest priced car in the Low Price Field.

New Foodway Store To Open Saturday

Kiddies as well as grown-ups will duct so far and states that last be treated to ice cold drinks free week mor than 160 gallons of Para- next Saturday at the opening of the nay oils were sold at his station new Foodway grocery store, accordother than the amount wholesaled ing to announcement by Messrs. Tolbert and Costolow, proprietors of the establishment.

Both Tolbert and Costolow are well known to grocery shoppers over this territory they having been connected with various stores Mrs. Dorothy Halliburton opened in Spur and upon opening their new 20 in a display advertisement on an-

Oil Test Being Made On The Bird Ranch West Of Spur

A test well for oil was spudded in Wednesday of last week on the west of Spur.

The acreage block which was leased by Joe Gaines includes also the White Moore and Williams ranches as well as other tracts. Drilling contracts calls for a test well to the depth of 4,000 feet.

MISS ELLA SHUGART TAKEN LUBBOCK FOR TREATMENT OF BLOODPOISONED HAND

Miss Ella Shugart and father, While in Tenn. he will hold meet- hand. She was in a very critical California. ports, but now expected to recover.

State Amandments Are Listed In A Brief Summary

ized manner. The information is have been making to retain in Tex-

They will appear upon the ballot in our own State. numbered this year for the first time which will avoid confusion in summary as they will appear upon the ballot.

Some of the amendments are of but to go to the polls and vote.

Blind Colts Or Blind Calves Wanted At **Experiment Station**

There have been quite a few pears that it is directly connected Mr. Caraway said that the deal- with nutritional deficiencies in the Calves and colts are many times The manner in which these prices blind at the time they are dropped are advertised are very simple. The and in other cases become blind at prices which you see advertised are one to six weeks' of age. These the prices at which you can buy cases most frequently develop fol-Chevrolets delivered at your door. lowing periods of deficient rainfall This, Mr. Caraway states, ties in or where there is little green feeds with the Chevrolet Motor Company's or pasture for the mother. Ten ens County. Anyone knowing of These new delivered prices not blind calves or blind colts dropped the problem by reporting the cases to the Experiment Station at Spur. Several of these blind animals are wanted for experimental purposes. Cases that are not too far developed may be corrected with green feeds or by giving one-half ounce of codliver oil daily for a week to

---Weldon Cannon Is Hurt When Horse Falls With Him

Weldon Cannon, an employee the Swensons Red Arora Camp, was injured Sunday when a horse fell with him at the ranch, knocking his shoulder out of place and probably fracturing it.

Monk Rucker, Lester Ericson and W. E. Putman, of this city, accompanied Cannon to Stamford where he was given surgical attention. He is a brother of Mrs. Ruck-

------Lusk Home Burned At Dickens Saturday

near Dickens was completely de- en or strike them down. Bird Ranch approximately 10 miles strayed by fire about seven o'clock Saturday morning.

> ----zens and business men of Dickens people's power to control our govwere over Thursday of last week ernment. to extend Spur an official and cordial welcome to attend the Picnic over temporary and passing trouble. there Thursday and Friday of next trees. week.

They were accompanied by Elmer farm home in the Afton community deavor, like mere productions, to be

Ernest O. Thompson Address To Junior

Address Before Convention Junior Bar Association of Texas Houston, Texas, July 3rd, 1935, at 2:30 P. M. The program is all set for two The seven proposed amendments by Ernest O. Thompson, Chairman

Friday of next week with every at- tion next month are given in this a pleasure to talk with you for a The company will handle a full traction in the fair, carnival, picnic issue in a simplified and summar- few minutes about the fight we Along with Dudley's carnival and furnished by Secretary of State as and keep control in Texas over Messrs Young and Rochat are ex-rides will be a saddle horse race Gerald C. Mann and deals strictly our own Texas oil. We contend perienced tire men having been as- and horse racing each day as well with the meaning of the proposed that the State of Texas has the sociated for a number of years as rodeo and roping events. A soft amendments and not upon the mer-right and the exclusive right to say how much oil can be produced with-

voting and are numbered in this you may drill an oil well in Texas. ly. We believe that only the State of Texas can tell you how many oil wells you may drill on your farm. We say that the drilling of an oil well on your farm is a local matter and that it is a matter of concern only between you and your State

proper matter for the Federal Gov- nephew of J. N. and Knox Lawson ernment to dictate the terms. They simply haven't the authority to do

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worth retaining in Texas. I say it on their books at the half way mark cessfully to defend this right from entire year of 1934, and a number any and all encroachment and I of the associations have more than propose to keep on doing so, with doubled their volume of business

all the strength there is in me. barrels per day. Thus you will see 10, 1935. that by freedom of action we have been able to increase the business Stamford Production Credit Associof Texas over \$300,000 dollars a ation, who has just returned from day in oil. This means over a \$100,- the Stamford meeting, reported 000,000 a year additional income to that representatives from three asour State. I ask you, is this not sociations in this part of the state worth defending?

commerce. If the production of oil meetings that are being held at is not commerce it certainly follows various points in Texas durnig the that the mere production of oil is month of July, was for the purpose not interstate commerce. If the of bringing to the secretary-treasmere production of oil is not inter- urers and the directors of the asstate commerce, then the regulation sociations a better acquaintance of the production of oil in Texas with the purposes and efficient on lands not owned by the Federal operation of the production credit Government is not subject to con- system. stitutional regulation by the Federal Government. This internal regu- in operation in Texas almost two

the States' police power. a meeting of economists. We are more and more farmers and stockall lawyers who swore we would up- men are becoming acquainted with hold the Constitution of the State its many attractive features, includ of Texas and the Constitution of ing a very low interest rate, which the United States. We are all offi- is five per cent at the present time. cers of the Court and as such it is our solemn duty to study faithfully permanent units of The Farm Credthese constitutions and to do noth- it Administration of Houston and The farm home of O. L. Lusk of ing by word or act that would weak

either the Texas or the Federal Constitutions the method is set out Mayor Zeke Fowler, W. K. Street in each of them. Therein lies our and Ben Overstreet, prominent citi- security and the permanence of the

Too many people get excited and Old Settlers Reunion to be held They cannot see the forest for the ford Production Credit Association,

Our Federal constitution has carried us through many such periods and Stonewall Counties, was repre-Mr. and Mrs. George Gabriel re- as we are now experiencing. It has G. Earle Woods, Minister of the Emery Shugart have been in Lub-turned Tuesday from a three weeks brought us gloriously through four rison, W. C. Church, J. F. McCul-Church of Christ of this city will bock since Saturday, where Ella was vacation spent visiting places of wars and has made our form of loch, J. P. Pumphrey, and Martin leave July 22 for Holladay, Tenn., taken for treatment of blood pois- interest in the Western States and government the outstanding ex- McCain. Other associations repreoning caused from a splinter in her on the West Coast at Los Angeles, ample of democracy for the modern sented at the Stamford meeting in-

> The founders knew that it was Falls. E. N. Johnson was down from his best for the simpler phases of en-(Continued on Page 10)

Jimmie Smith Is Bar Ass'n Of Texas Killed In Highway Tragedy Wed., 17

Jimmie Mixie Smith, 11, of Roarmorning when he was run over on the highway just north of the Afton intersection. The lad and a conpanion had been chopping cotton . and were pushing their hoes along the highway on their way to lunch when a Hudson car approached from behind them. The driver blew the horn which evidently startled We believe that only the State boy causing him to jump in front of of Texas has the right to say where the machine. He was killed instant-

The driver, a man named Tucker, of Lubbock, was completely unnerved by the accident and was placed under care of a physician at Dickens. He was accompanied by a

Jimmie Mixie is a son of Mrs. Ruth Caufman, mail carrier from We contend that it is not a Roaring Springs to Spur and a of the Afton community.

Funeral services are to be held at Afton M. E. Church at 10:00 a. m. today, (Thursday) according to Webber Williams, local undertaker who was called to direct the funer-

Production Credit Association Met At Stamford Recently

Most of the production credit as-Is the control of this wealth sociations in Texas have more loans is and we have been fighting suc- in 1935 than were made during the this year. This record of achieve-Three years ago the State of ment was brought out in the address Texas was producing and market- of Virgil P. Lee, Vice-President of ing only 750,000 barrels of oil per the Production Credit Corporation day. By constant effort and fight- of Houston, who was principal ing for our place in the markets of speaker at a meeting of representathe world we are now successfully tives of production credit associaproducing and selling a 1,064,000 tions held in Stamford, Texas July

George S. Link, President of the were in attendance. The meeting, Mere production of oil is not which was one of a series of similar

Production credit, which has been lation is exclusively a function of years, provides a permanent source of short-term credit on a co-opera-We are interested in discussing tive basis to farmers and ranchmen. purely a legal question. This is not It is adapted to their needs; and

Mr. Lee also discussed the four pointed out the benefits Texas agriculture has derived from the If it is found desirable to change tremendous volume of credit that these institutions have extended to the farmers and stockmen of the state. Credits and collections and various other problems of production credit were touched on by the speaker and later came up for round-table discussion by the group.

which serves Dickens, King, Kent, Knox, Jones, Shackelford, Haskell, cluded Sweetwater, and Wichita

Pure Drugs and Chemicals—City Shugart who returned to Spur Sat- Saturday transacting business and left exclusively to the control and for a visit to his neice, Mrs. W. C. Gruben and family.

Demonstration Club Reports-

GARDEN IS YIELDING BIG

"I canned 120 pints of English peas from my garden," reports Estelle Park, who is garden demonstrator for the Dumont girls home demonstration club. "Besides the peas we have canned 31 quarts of string beans, 30 quarts peaches and 32 quarts plums."

"We dug three bushels of Irish potatoes after we had been using them for several weeks. We also dug and cured 3 1-2 bushels Bermu da onions."

Estelle planned, with the help of her mother and the home demonstration agent, the garden to meet the needs of her family. The garden was planned to provide vegetables to be used fresh and to can for the non productive months.

"My queumbers are just beginning to bear but we are watering them and I thing we will have plenty. We have several varieties of vegetables in use now and will have more later."

EXPANSION COMMIT. REPORT

The report of the expansion committee of the county council as given in the six months' progress report to the Commissioners' Court shows that 668 families have been aided by Extension Service this year. That is 62 per cent of the total number of farm families in ed to the guests and hostesses at the county. The records show that the close of the afternoons enterthere are 240 different families en- tainment. rolled in the women and girls' clubs. The club women reported having helped 255 non-club families and the agent has helped 173.

County 1065 farm families. Expansion Committee set as a goal Chas. Powell, Ralph Sherrill, Buat the beginning of the year to ford Johnston, Drake, Wadzeck reach at least 85 per cent of the Bob Alexander, S. C. Fallis, and farm families with definite report- Luther Powell as charter members. ed assistance.

DUMONT CLUB HAS MEETING

To write a telegram using the Powell, reporter. letters of one's own name requires some deep thinking the girls of the of each month were selected for the Dumont Jr. 4-H club decided in date of meeting, and a new receipt their meeting Wednesday morning. or household hint is to be given on Following the recreational period roll call.

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of songs and games Miss Pratt gave are the vegetables each girl is growing in her club garden and each will can 10 jars carrots, 15 jars of beet pickles, and dry two yards of okra. Those present were Capitola Boh-Agnes Pence, Edna Thomas, and Miss Dale Brewster, sponsor.

-Eloise Jones, reporter.

MESDAMES BRANNEN AND WOOTEN ENTERTAINED

A very delightful social occasion was that of Thursday of last week when Mesdames Riley Wooten and M. H. Brannen as co-hostess enter- lady was christened Paulita. tained with bridge in the parlors of the Spur Inn from 3:00 to 5:30 in the afternoon.

Inn parlors was the decorations of up on highway violators. cut flowers artistically arranged.

Prizes were awarded to Mrs. James O. Smith, high club; Mrs. Essie McGuire, high guest. Others present were Mesdames D. L. Granberry, A. C. Hull, Jack Rector, L. B. Tillotson, E. M. Wilson, J. T. Wylie, D. H. Zachry, W. T. Andrews, R. A. Eaton, F. W. Jennings, M. L. Jones, E. F. Laverty, C. B. Jones, Hill Perry, H. P. Gibson, Elzie Watson, Drake, Jim Cloud, O. C. Thomas, Neal Chastain, Fred C. Haile, Buster Parrish, Ermal Scott, and Misses Nig Lisenby and Thelma Campbell.

Delicious refreshments were serv-

"STITCH IN TIME" CLUB

The "Stitch in Time" club was The recent census gave Dickens recently organized with Mesdames The Jim Cloud, J. H. Swan, John Albin, The following officers have been

elected: Mrs. Swan, president; Mrs. Alexander, secretary; and Mrs.

The second and fourth Thursdays

Mrs. Jim Cloud was the delightful hostess on last Thursday. After an hour of sewing, lovely refreshments of cream and cake were served to Mesdames Drake, Swan, Johnston, Fallis, Albin, Miss Ann Las-

setter and the hostess. The club adjourned to meet on July 25, 1935, in the home of Mrs. Drake.—Reporter.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Son Roberts of Crosbyton spent a few hours visit with her brother, Dr. O. R. Cloude, Saturday.

Miss Virginia and Fredrick Stew art, of Abilene, are guests in the home of their aunt, Mrs. F. W. Jennings and Mr. Jennings, during the illness of their father Rev. A. R. Stewart who underwent a very serious operation at Baylor Hospital Dallas recently. Rev. Stewart is getting along very nicely.

A. E. Shugart returned Wednesday from Lubbock where he has been attending his daughter, Ellen, who is under treatment there for a badly infected hand. She is reported much better.

Miss Virginia Forbis of Afton is spending a six weeks or two month vacation and visit with her aunt, Mrs. Virgie Davis and other relatives in San Francisco, Calif.

Mrs. Lura Glasgow returned last week from a two weeks visit with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hogan and family at their home in Abi-

Miss Tinnie Glasgow returned recently from an extended visit with relatives at Dallas, Waco, Tem ple and Abilene.

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Jake the Barber

Mrs. R. L. Westerman and daugh recipes for canning carrots, making ter, Mrs. Orval Pentecost and two Peggie, attended the funeral Tues beet pickles and drying okra. Those children, Joe Ann and Patsie Jean, day, of the infant daughter of Mr. returned Saturday from a week or and Mrs. Lasater Hensly, at Guth- an extended visit here with her children, Sam T. Clemmons, Mrs. ten days visit with another daugh- rie. The infant girl was still born children and their families. They J. C. McNeill III., and Miss Pollie ter, Mrs. Graford Head and Mr. Monday morning, July 15th. Head at Lubbock. They also visited relatives at Plainview and Hale ner, Theatus Rogers, Eloise Jones, Center. Miss Nedra Arlege, a neice daughter Jamie, of Stamford, atalso accompanied them on the trip tended the Review of Mrs. Karr's and visit.

> Toilet Articles and Cosmetics City Drug Store.

born Sunday June 30th. The little home here.

J. W. Elliot and daughter, Miss

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chandler and dance pupils at the Palace Friday night. Miss Jamie remained for a two week's stay with her sister.

Miss Dorothy Smith, of Humble, Texas, is spending an extended visit Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Karr an- with her aunt, Mrs. E. E. Rice and

T. W. Fenniken returned the lat-Jack Reeves and Mr. Renfro ter part of last week to his home at and Mr. Adams.

family in Abilene.

Mrs. Frank Cocke, of Wheeler, sons, of Shamrock, are guests of last week with his parents Mr. and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boley Mrs. G. Brown of north of the city. Williamson and Miss Ruby Rae, at Mrs. Brown and son will visit her their home 511 North Trumbull.

Mrs. Ned Hogan underwent a minor operation at the Lubbock nounce the arrival of a baby girl Mr. and Mrs. Louie Rice at their Sanitarium Monday morning and at last reports was getting along and visit spent at College Station very nicely.

Mrs. Dee McArthur and son are were in Spur Wednesday checking Haskell following a two weeks visit spending an extended visit with her An added attractiveness to the Highway Patrolmen, of Lubbock, with his daughter, Mrs. E. L. Adams parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Gest at Dry Lake community, were visitors their home at Knott, Texas.

Mrs. Hogan, of Belton, mother of Mrs. Pauline Clemmons and dau-Ned Hogan, and Mrs. Lura Glasgow ghter, Robbie, arrived in Spur Sunarrived in Spur last week to spend day for a few week's visit with her will also visit with C. Hogan and Clemmons, who has been spending the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Brown and and Mrs. Frank Sanders and three son Mack Jr. of New Mexico, spent parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins, of Galveston, before returning home.

> Miss Nellie Mecom returned the first of the week from a vacation with her brother Hardy. She also visited in Houston and Waco.

> and shoppers in the city Saturday.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lea returned Monday from Oklahoma, Denton, Grayson and Archer counties where they spent a visit and vacation with their daughter and a sister of Mrs. Lea. They report fruit and vegetable as wells as other crops in excellent shape over their route.

Mrs. James McCormick, Jayton, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Brown, returned home Tuesday of this week.

Mrs. R. T. Morris, of Kingston, spent Tuesday in Spur the guest of Mrs. M. A. Lea.

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Mental Efficiency Lowered By Unwise Menus, Says Scientist

IF you work in an office or earn L your living by any other kinds of mental work, you will do well to guard yourself against becoming a victim of brain anemia. Brain anemia, according to Dr. Donald A. Laird, Director of the Psychological Laboratory, Colgate University, is a condition which afflicts large numbers of mental workers and one which definitely lowers their mental efficiency.

The condition is one that, without being recognized by name, is familiar to many office executives and workers as the post-luncheon mental sluggishness which results almost universally in low production by office workers during the early afternoon. At the recent convention of the National Office Management Association, Dr. Laird described his just completed research investigation of this condition and possible

remedies for it. The series of experiments directed by Dr. Laird extended over a period of 24 days. Eight young men accustomed to mental work were used as subjects. The subjects ate their noon meals in the laboratory. On half of the days, scattered irregularly through the 24-day period, they were served a fairly heavy meal. On the other days they were given a light lunch consisting of a ready-to-eat cereal such as corn flakes, with milk; and a light des-

Specially devised laboratory equipment was employed to measure the subjects' mental efficiency after the two types of lunches. After the light lunch their minds worked with 6 per cent more speed and 25 per cent more accuracy than after the heavier meals. The difference in the ability of the subjects to keep their attention from fluctuating was even more marked. There were nearly 70 per cent more lapses, in attention after the heavier meal than after the light cereal lunch.

"Our experiments showed conclusively," Dr. Laird said, "that the cause of the mental sluggishness which afflicts many office workers in the early afternoon is a condition to a marked degree.



which generates a tone so faint that the subject can just hear it. The faint tone is constant, but any lapse in attention causes it to become inaudible. Left: In an adjoining room, watching the kymograph as it records lapses of attention. The key from which the subject lifts his forefinger when he ceases to hear the tone, is electrically connected

with the kymograph.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Eldredge, of

McAdoo, were shopping and trans-

acting other business affairs in the

enough to affect mental efficiency | cially apt phrase in this connection, for when the brain is well supplied of brain anemia, due to the fact that the demands placed upon the digestive organs cause them to draw blood away from the brain in the pink of condition. The heavier the blood is drawn from the pink of condition. The heavier the blood is drawn from the brain in the pink of condition. order to meet these demands. We meals resulted in a definitely insuf-have also showed that the adverse ficient supply of blood in the brain. effects of this condition are great 'In the pink of condition' is a spe-

city Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Mayfield and daugh-Misses Mildred Williams and Dorter, Joan, spent last week in Lub- othy Don Flynn are spending a two bock with her sons Ivan, and Mr. weeks visit with their sister and and Mrs. Lynn Mayfield, students aunt, respectively, Mrs. Nasca and at Texas Tech.

Red Devil Work Killer - City Drug Store.

Mr. Nasca, at their home in Albuquerque, N. M.

Poultry and Stock Remedies a City Drug Store.

Miss Cleo and Ray Darden, of Jayton, were weekend guests of their uncle, Ernest Mayfield and Mrs. Mayleld, at their home in Spur.

Mrs. T. M. Maples is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Mack Anz, at her home in Abilene.

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Mrs. Guy Karr

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Wilmer Slaton returned to Spur for a weeks visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Slaton and other relatives and friends. He will return to Junction Saturday.

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If these servants or administrators do a bad job the electrate will not return them to office. Frequent elections keep them in check and responsive to the will of the governed. That is the very essence of free government. The founders knew this. They had experienced too long the heavy hand of administrators far from the fields of their administration.

They knew that man clothed with a little brief authority and safe from the direct vote of the people is apt to be harsh and tyranical and is liable to mistake his ideas and aims for the wishes of the people and to get the idea that the authority really springs from him or his office instead of from the people themselves.

That is why the Federal Constitution expressly says that all power not directly conferred upon the central government is retained by the States or in the people themselves.

The founders jealously guarded against the encroachment on the States' powers by the central government. They knew from bitter experience what it was to be ruled from afar and how hard it was to get audience and redress.

If you will study the debates on

stitution which took place before in the following language. it was adopted you will find that up a great deal of the time.

These debates all clearly bring out the fact that what they had in mind was that no State should ever

taxes or put any sort of a burden on the free movement of goods or persons into or out of any State from another State. We were to have free intercourse as between the traders of all the States.

It is under the guise of the comtrol proponents would assume charge of oil production within the States of the Union.

preme Court on May 27, 1935 in serious economic situation which the 9 to 0 Decision of the Schechter led to the passage of the Recovery City Drug Store.

the provisions of the Federal Con- Case settled that point conclusively Act,—the fall in prices, the decline

"It is not the province of the the so called commerce clause took Court to consider the economic advantages or disadvantages of such a centralized system. It is sufficient to say that the Federal Constitution efforts of the Federal Government with him. does not provide for it. Our growth must be made in a manner consisterect barriers at her borders to and development have called for ent with the authority granted by keep commerce from the other wise use of commerce power of the the Constitution." States from flowing freely across Federal government in its control. Such has been the policy of the Mrs. Kate Senning and other friends over the expanded activities of in- Supreme Court since the dawn of in Spur. No State could take toll or levy terstate commerce, and in protect- our history and as long as it coning that commerce from burdens, tinues to be its policy, this country interferences and conspiracies to will survive and continue to grow. restrain and monoplize it. But the authority of the Federal govern- Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jimison left ment may not be pushed to such an Sunday for Boulder, Colo., for a 2 extreme as to destroy the distinc- week's vacation and where Mrs. tion, which the commerce clause it- Jimison will take a short course in merce clause that The Federal Con-self establishes, between commerce, piano and violin. 'among the several States' and the internal concerns of a State. The same answer must be made to the business visitor in Spur Monday. However, the United States Su- contention that is based upon the

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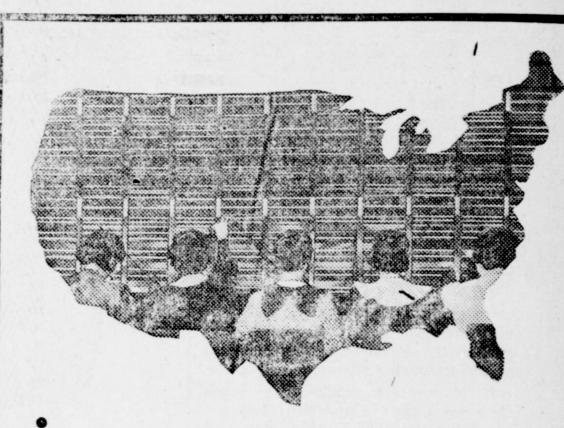
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rash returnin wages and employment, and the ed Monday from Sulphur Springs the home of her uncle, P. A. Ramcurtailment of the market for com- where they have been spending sev- sey and family, returning to her modities."****** Without in any eral months making a crop on their home the latter part of last week. way disparaging this motive, it is farm. Mr. Rash reports canning an enough to say that the recuperative entire graden and bringing it back

> Mrs. Ray Howard, Crosbyton. is ing friends in the city Saturday. a guest in the home of her mother,

Miss Grace Wilson was a guest in

Uncle Bill Austin, prominent farmer of the Afton community was transacting business and greet-

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