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Here In HICO

report or rumor gets into circulation which is most annoying and in a number of cases harmful. It so happens that this editor has not experienced directly any great amount of damage from such entirely in sympathy with a con-temporary who, evidently having been the target for somebody's idle talk, loosed the following vehement and masterful effort:

Whisperings."
"Psst, Psst, Psst! Have you—"
You don't say! Well, Well!" And away goes another reputa-tion for life-long honesty, decency and right living.

There isn't a more sinister, vicious, evil, advantage-taking method of spreading derogatory propa-ganda than through the Whisper-ing Grapevine Route.

At times it rolls along appar ently harmless as harmless gossip. Then again as a thistle it turns over and over, gathering more rubbish through malignant contacts with venomous subjects which cling to it, until finally it becomes a giant prairie roller—a composite of all that is filthy and putrid in the community. Fanned by the gale, the fastest

runner cannot keep up with it. space around an conveyor shaft. further their own interests, or who delight in besmirching decent delight in besmirching decent characters to the aroma of their own, start their whisperings by planting them deliberately at the vulnerable peddling points, breathe the breath of life into their won. sters, and then all the imps of the building will naturally run in-

compared to the possibilities for a millwright to ascertain the con-character slaying embodied in the witchery of Dame Rumor, and yet dition of the shafting and other taxes and notes etc., while the

Suicides, murders, bank failures, bank failures, bank runters, bank failures, ban bankruptcies, home, church and school wrecks are spectres which rattle at the gate of Dame Rumor. Politicians work her overtime, and even in Washington's day she was respect to in Washington's day she was respect to in Washington's day she was respect to the gate of the part of the gate of the part of the gate of the part of the gate of the fight a whole army than one vici-

ous rumor. The worst enemy of prosperity, the outstanding enemy of progress, the foe or harmony, the greatest enemy of happiness and the biggest liar in the universe, Dame Rumor is a wanton who refuses to come out and fight in the

She is sneaking, cowardly, snake like; an object for fear and abhorrence that should be crushed. In the city limits of the depths of the bottomless into the depths of the bottomless pit from which she dared to parts bone meat scraps, 4 However, no convictions were even to thine permitted. However, no convictions were trot lines permitted. However, no convictions were trot lines permitted. However, no convictions were even to the business district only. Until now this service was given to the depths of the bottomless of the business district only. Until now this service was given to the law previously in effect seining alone. A good mash Under the law previously in effect seining was not allowed in the Bosque or any of its tributaring a lot of good news. Business the Bosque or any of its tributaring a lot of good news. Business the Bosque or any of its tributaring a lot of good news. Until now this service was given to the law previously in effect seining was not allowed in the Bosque or any of its tributaring a lot of good news. Business of the street. However, no convictions were even to the law previously in effect seining was not allowed in the Bosque or any of its tributaring a lot of good news. Business or the emerge, because of the satanic efforts of her masters.—Leader, Dipestone, Minnesota.

en to the business district only. salt. If all the milk the turkeys obtained on the seining law, John-will drink is available, the meat son said, although some arrests express service within the city limited on the seining law, John-will drink is available, the meat son said, although some arrests express service within the city limited on the seining law, John-will drink is available. The mash were made and cases tried. Pipestone, Minnesota.

have you heard the following re- service, so rapidly gaining fav- ing period. It is important to feed port of an accident, as it is being or with the public, and which is regularly, keeping the mash and written in the new style:

BRUSIS HURT ERASED
AFFORD ERECTOR ANALYSIS HURT TOO INFECTIOUS

Well, that's going from bad to worse. What could we talk about now in order to justify the existence of this column? Searching about for a subject, we are at a loss to decide on a fitting one, havthinking of adopting the alleged

Seems like the Federal Government will "get its man" one way this locality. or another. The trial of Al Capone on income tax evasion charges is kept by Observer Jno. A. Eakins, another evidence of this . . . Won-der what Al's boy friend who was which fell in a 30-minute period caught in the Federal court room The rain on Monday of this week toting a gun thinks about things measured .56 inch, which with that the famous gangster wears about \$700 worth of clothes as his ordinary dress-he's at least aiding toward ending the depression by practicing "Buy Now"... The stars of the World Series were Martin and Wild Bill Hallahan. Both of them were devel- First," forgetting the past and oped in the Texas league . . . At times one doubts that Colonel Bill Easterwood is as much interested tion to worship at this church. in aviation as he professes to be. Welching on the prize offered for Barrow, Superintendent. Come, the first one-stop Japan to Dallas bring the family. Flight has caused a lot of people Preaching Servi to think the Texas chewing gum subject of sermon: "God's Prom-king (born at Wills Point) may ise of Protection." king (born at Wills Point) may just be after a lot of publicity at just be after a lot of publicity at little cost. (And here we are falling for his bait and pitching in our share of publicity. He's the kind of a guy who doesn't care what you say about him, so long as you mention his name.

Senior Epworth League, 7:00 P. Mr. Ben D. Cook is principal and high school teacher. Miss Pauline Maness will assist in high school. Miss Mary Robbins will teach the form of the revival is October 25th. Make your plans to attend.

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Fire, Water Damage At Randals Bros. 3-R Feed Mill Here

What might have been a disastrous fire at the mill of Randals Brothers, manufacturers of the famous 3-R products, was averted Tuesday night through its timely discovery and exceptionally good work on the part of the Hico Fire

Department.
The blaze broke out twice, both times threatening to consume the prime money crop of this section building and its contents before is increasing and prospects are being brought under control. The indeed bright for a fine turkey first alarm came about 8 o'clock, market this year. amount of damage from such sources, being of a disposition to discount them rather than fight back, but at the same time he is back, but at the same time he is a two lines of hose were run, and brief in sympathy with a controller in sympathy with although it was difficult to ascer- that everyone on farms in this tain the exact location of the blaze section has a fair sized flock, within the building, the boys man- while many who have been raising aged to do their work in a praise- the birds year after year have inworthy manner, keeping water creased their flocks this year. damage to a minimum by cutting Hico produce dealers interviewed the water off at the nozzles while are of the opinion that the condinot in use.

hell lash them on.

The old time alleged powers of witchcraft were inconsequential, as compared to the possibilities for compared to the possibilities for a millwright to ascertain the compared to the man of the house is

Suicides, murders, bank failures, advertisement in this issue of the has been procured from reliable to and vicinity:

Pick-Up and Delivery Of Express Extended To Limits of City

The Superintendent of the Railway Express Agency, G. Y. Reed lots for a feeding period of about son. of Fort Worth, Texas, has advised four weeks, a mash is better than She is sneaking, cowardly, snake H. Smith, local agent, that free grain feeding alone. A good mash Erath county.

Now, to go into a lighter vein, lence of the pick up and delivery birds all time for the full finishoffered on freight shipments over M-K-T lines also.

Heavy Rain Does Damage to Crops, **Threatens Property**

Shortly after noon, Thursday ominous storm clouds approached from the northwest, and for a ing already devoted most of our time seemed to threaten destrucspace to the above. Oh, yeah, we meant to tell you that we are Within a few minutes after their formation on the horizon hard in Ballyhoo, as follows: "Fill out the enclosed coupon, accompany it with the cash and send at once, or ELSE—our salesman will call to cotton will be considerable, and the servers of the severest rainting for an answer, it is found that improve the fifty will be than a few inches from their noses that J. R. McMillan and Fire Chief M. A. Smith made inspections in the business section, and protected and who have the courage to avoid depression mob psychology! other minor effects were scattered this problem out for himself, howreported of a serious nature in

According to the rain gauge Won- the rainfall measured 1.12 inches, Also see by the papers Thursday's rain runs up this year's record considerably.

Hico Methodist Church (Put God First)

These days of depression car "Putting God be overcome by proceeding forward. You are given a cordial invita-

Sunday School 9:45 A. M., J. C. Preaching Service 11:00 A. M.

Turkeys

Bid Fair to Stimulate **Business and Hopes** In These Parts

With the nearing close of the cotton season, and the approach of the turkey season, interest in the

tion of the birds this year is the When the fire company first best for several years past, and arrived the entire building seem- indications are that the price will ed to be smouldering inside. Lusk be favorable. While any estimate Randals states that when he un- on the probable price at this time locked one of the large steel doors would be mere conjecture, and downstairs and opened it just a slow market for other products has little, the inrush of air convinced led to the opinion that this low him that should a draft be allow- tone will be reflected in the tured the whole building would burst key price, nevertheless there are out in flames. Thereafter every other conditions entering into the caution was used to keep the picture which change its view; for building closed and avoid a draft, instance, the number of pounds on this probably being the reason the cold storage this year run considdamage was not more than it was. erably under the number on a cor-While it was impossible to dis- responding date last year. One cover where the blaze started, or the cause of same, it is thought to have been confined mostly to a space around an elevator head and conveyor shaft.

Damage consisted mainly of neighboring towns run around 10

One difference in the turkey

such low prices:

per cent of the mixture.

water troughs filled at all times.

In addition to the dry mash, turkeys will eat more and gain faster if the five pounds of wet mash is fed once per day to each ing too much oats or barley.

when confined to a fairly small lot ral College October 27, 28 and 29. so many dumb-bells but range birds may refuse to eat unless accustomed to feed before being confined.

the Thanksgiving market or wait! methods found most profitable by for the Christmas market. Searchmarkets. Each raiser must work horticulturist and pecan special- Carload of Grain over a wide territory, nothing was ever, as there is no sure method Texas Agricultural and Mechaniof making a decision on this.

At selling time the turkey raiser would get better prices if he would ton, will direct the staff of instruction. divide his flock into four groups, tors, marking the best birds to save as breeders; penning and selling the finished ones; saving for further feeding and later marketing the small and late hatched birds, the ones showing pin feathers and lack the crooked breasted members of

Clairette Teachers Selected; School to **Begin Next Monday**

District Clerk Sends Hico Man 50-Year Old Relic

The following letter, to-gether with the instrument mentioned therein, was re-ceived recently by J. P. Rod-gers Sr., and will hold interest for a number of readers: Hon. J. P. Rodgers, Hico, Texas. Dear Sir and Friend:

Did you eves teach school? I have heard that you have, and now I have found the evidence that you are guilty. In moving our records out of the court house there are many ancient records uncovered-not records, but papers. They have no real value but perusing them takes one's mind back to the days of yore. You may not be as antiquated as I am but, thinking that there might be just a little strain of antiquity in your general makeup, I am sending you the enclosed which I picked up by word "Shaffer" on the back of it caught my eye, and upon investigating, Lo and Behold, it was the "Shaffer" community and J. P. Rodgers was the teacher, and knowing J. P. Rodgers and counting him as one of my very best friends, I have decided to send it to you.

Hoping that you may get as much joy out of receiving this relic of over 50 years ago as I get real pleasure out of sending it, I am

Your friend, L. A. MORRIS. Hamilton, Sept. 30, 1931.

Fishing Regulations In Three Counties Changed Recently

en these vicious Rumor purveyers up will be necessary as to the amen these vicious Rumor purveyers up will be necessary as to the air clothing, lood, of household necessary as to the air clothing, lood, o

we're cent of the mixture.

When turkeys are confined in Deputy Game Warden Alf John-

Tarleton College to Sponsor Its Second Annual Pecan School

receive a full feed of grain, avoid- pecan culture will be given in the timent myself and I'm going to tell second annual pecan school to be business would have improved a Turkeys fatten - more readily held at John Tarleton Agricultu- long time ago if there hadn't been Week

crease the farmer's income by giv- | One after another of the merching him instruction in the devel- ants talked in this vein. Every one, duently wonder whether to sell on opment of native groves and the apparently, had forgotten his fears improvement of pecan trees by of Monday.

At selling time the turkey raiser cal College, and H. M. Brundrett,

TO PREACH ON STREETS In John 14-27, Christ says not would give a car load of grain to Hico a clean record, as the world give I unto Buckner Orphan Home. Perhaps you. If you will be out on the you know that the Home is finan-streets Saturday, October 17, at 3 ced by individual gifts, and at this of fleshing; and eating or canning in the afternoon, I want to try to time, you may imagine how it is describe the difference between suffering from the effects of the what Christ has to offer you and depression. Our section of the M. P. WALKER.

Business

Is It Bad? You Can Make It So By Asking

of that which is self-evident, at the same time it is even sillier to resort to brooding and give up before we are licked.

The following article reprinted from "Sales Management" issue of es to emphasize the fact that this part of its contents;

ment last week.

Monday. sion, does there? I can't see that ed cotton and other farm commo-business is getting any better, do dities." you? In fact it seems worse.'

one contradicted him, not one offered a bit of good news as re-

The following day he visited all omething like this:
"Well, I see that business is

(he would mention local items of hearing of more firms making more sales and more profits than

Corn, wheat, grain, sorghums, effect Sept. 30.

barley and oats are all good, but barley and oats being high in fiber two hours before sundown and should not constitute more than 15 must be taken up by two hours after the mixture.

The trot lines may be put out find that people will buy if you give them attractive goods at attractive prices. We're preparing to the mixture.

This machine is known as a provided that the control of the mixture.

Wednesday.

would repeat a number of facts he worked. had quoted the day before) . . . I

point of the depression last winter, we were too dumb to see it. Stephenville, Texas, October 14. "You know, I think you're right -Instruction in various phases of I've been noticing a change in sen-The aim of the school is to in-talking depression, DEPRESSION

From Hamilton Co. For Buckner Home

At a recent meeting of Hamil-

Clairette school will begin Monday, October 19, 1931. Patrons and parents are invited to attend the opening exercises at 9:00 o'clock.

Mr. Ben D. Cook is principal and high school teacher. Miss Pauline Maness will assist in high school. Miss Mary Robbins will teach the 6th and 7th grades. Mrs. Ben D.

"Smash For Cash" Name Adopted For Carlton Bros. Sale

On the inside two pages of this ssue will be found an announcement from G. M. Carlton Bros. & Co., Hico, concerning their "Smash While it is silly to be like an ostrich, hiding our heads from adversity and denying the existence paper, a circular has been sent to be like an ing. In addition to the ad in the paper, a circular has been sent to building prospects by the F. W. practically every home in this Dodge Corporation and the Nattrade territory, and many are the ional Building Press Group. values to be found therein.

August 15th, made us feel better, is a sale where bargains will preand if any business man or other dominate, and that merchandise person will take the time to read bought on the new low price levit through, we'll wager a five-cent els is being offered at a commenstogie they'll agree with at least surate price. In addition he states that staple merchandise in stock, Talk the blues to a business man regardless of the price at which it and he will return in kind; quote was bought, has been marked the bright spots and he will coun- down to conform with the lower ter with similar ones. This is the wholesale prices today. "Frankly," experience of a representative of stated Mr. Richbourg, in talking a Columbus, Ohio, newspaper who with a News Review representaconducted an interesting experitive, "the prices we are offering in this sale are the lowest we have ever been able to place on He spent the entire day visiting the quality merchandise on which merchants, one store after another we have built our trade. We are as they came along, on one side of not sacrificing quality in the High Street, a leading business ar- least, but prices are being slashed tery of Columbus. In every store to the core to give our customers he said something like this to the and friends the most for their proprietor: "Well, there doesn't money and help them make need-seem to be any end to this depres- ed purchases in spite of low priced purchases in spite of low pric-

Carlton Brothers have been in "You're dead right. Business is business in Hico for the past 38 awful, and I think that next win- years, and have established a recter there'll be more poverty and ord for fair dealing and honesty in actual starvation than the country advertising which is most enviahas ever seen before. We'd be bet- ble. In another space in this papter off, I guess, if we just closed er will be found a statement which will be of interest to those who That was the composite answer have shown an interest in their from the merchants. Not a single intentions and plans for the fu-

During their long business assohave always given first considera- Dallas has no gang wars. tion to home enterprises, believing of the stores on the opposite side that by so doing they were justi-of the street, and his remarks were fied in asking for home patronage. Bosque Valley fishermen for the looking up and I think it's going ed by this rule, and their circulars by J. B. Hamman & Sons of Paris, witchery of Dame Rumor, and yet to be permanent. Just within the and advertising of all kinds were recognized as the largest industrollar to be permanent. Just within the and advertising of all kinds were recognized as the largest industrollar to be permanent. Just within the and advertising of all kinds were recognized as the largest industrollar to be permanent.

Automatic Gadget Makes Less Work For Tire Repairers

farm grains that have reached 20-foot seine for bait, and to persuch low prices:

or quarters lately. Our own basis of quarters lately. Our

three inches above the ground, ed site on Southeast First street.

tells me that his sales are quite a that while in this territory all bit ahead of last year, and . . . (he highways through here will be

think we really passed the lowest Fire Prevention Week Observed Here Oct. 5th-10th

In conjunction with the national observance of Fire Prevention throughout the United States, October 5th to 10th, local authorities were busy last week making inspections and recommending means of reducing haz-

Mayor J. C. Barrow, Fire Mar-What an opportunity there is to- shal J. R. McMillan and Fire Chief and Emory High School October successful pecan growers. A max- day for those who can see more M. A. Smith made inspections in ken by them to comply with requests for cooperation in the observance of this annual event.

SINGING IN HICO NEXT SUNDAY AFTERNOON

what the world has to offer, If state has been blessed this year o'clock the Third Sunday Singing sity affairs just completed by A. what the world has to offer. It state has been blessed this year oclock the Ihird Sunday Singing sity affairs just completed by a with a splendid grain crop, and will be held at the Pentecostal C. Upleger reveals. In 1925, Baywhat the world has, I can only many friends of the Home can Church in Hico. Singers from over lor's operating deficit was \$177,give a faint idea of the difference.

By ALKEP barley, maize, corn, etc., who pected to be present and render up to that time, had spent much

Keeping Up With

New building construction amounting to \$52,000,000 is forecast for Texas during the six months between October 1931, and March

In this estimate made by seventeen publications in the construction industry in co operation with the Dodge Corporation, Texas ranks high among the various sections of the country. The same estimates fix the aggregate for new construction in the States within the year to end next October at \$4,000,000,000, with a purchasing power of \$5,000,000,000 on the basis of the dollar of 1929. For the six months ending with Marth the total of construction is placed at \$1,850,000,000.

Close to 30,000 bales of cotton are daily going to Houston by motor truck over the concrete highways radiating out through the truck traffic over those routes in dicates. State highway officials have just completed a count of truck traffic on the Old Spanish Trail, west, which are 871 trucks; highway northwest, 1664 trucks; highway 19, north, 776 trucks; highway 35, northeast, 616 trucks.

Dallas had its first official gangster burial last week when the body of Del McCabe brought back from Des Moines where he fell before guns of detectives after being trailed over a large part of the United States. There were no floral horseshoes, no expensive casket attended by big shots of the half world. No truce During their long business asso-ciation in Hico, Carlton Brothers was declared in gang wars, for Dallas has no gang wars. The city is going on its way without being unsettled by the event.

When they decided to put on this Construction of an egg-crate "Smash For Cash Sale" they abid-factory is being started in Wacoprinted in Hico by the News Re- trial manufacturers of egg crates in the world. It will be known as the Waco Box Company, and it is the plan of the Hammans to build their business as rapidly as possible to an annual output of 1,500 cars of crates, employing approx-

The building committee of the Methodist Church in Mineral Wells-This machine is known as a has adopted plans, prepared by A. magnetic nail picker, and when B. Withers, architect, and soon will driven over the roads at a slow begin the erection of a \$50,000 Back again he went to the same rate of speed, a magnetic plat-church edifice. The building will The law does not apply to merchants with whom he sang his form suspended at the rear, about be erected on the recently purchas-

> on the other side of the street) through Hico, and it is supposed in a unit of the warehouse belong ing to the W. L. Moody Cotton Company. The fire will not be completely quenched for two or three days, but was believed to be under control. The loss on cotton was estimated at about \$500,000 and damage to the building was placed at \$120,000. Constructed in 1927 at a cost of \$331,000, the uilding was one of the finest cotton warehouses in the United

> > dler, 18, at his home at Mount Vernon Sunday night. He was injured internally in a game between Mount Vernon High School Pneumonia developed and rejunior in high school, was playing his second year at tackle on the Mount Vernon team.

G. O. Toole was indicted by the Navarro County grand jury at Cor Inspector Lee D. Olive from sicana late Monday afternoon for the State Department was in Hico alleged extortion in connection the first of this month making his with the recent receipt of a letter regular inspection trip, and while demanding \$30,000 be delivered in ton County Baptists, it was agreed he made a few recommendations Dallas by I. N. Cerf, Corsicana that the Baptists of the county in some places, on the whole gave banker, and threatening Cerf and his family in the event the demands were not complied with.

In the past six years Baylor AT PENTECOSTAL CHURCH University's income has been \$28,000 more than its operating Next Sunday afternoon at 2 expenses, an audit of the univer-

October 25th. Make your plans to attend.

Or if you have no way to get it to town, if you will see some of the ladies, and make your subscription, then it can be gathered up ville of Stephenville were business visitors here Wednesday.

L. P. THOMAS.

The class here has received some new books and everyone is expected to be present with their books. If you do not have a book, or do not sing, come anyway and enjoy the singing. The entire public has a special invitation.

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Third Installmnt.

and his sister, Alice, and Dr. servants don't matter. Sperry, friends and neighbors, are ry and not a professional, as the

The sitting opens with the customary table rapping and other inconsequental and humorous happenings. Then the medium goes into a trance and gives disjointed details of a murder. After the sitting breaks up and the members go home, Sperry telephones Johnson and tells him Arthur Wells had killed himself. NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

I told him he was right. Then that fixes the time at which Miss Jeremy told us of the murder," he came back over the

There was silence at Sperry's end of the wire. Then: "Wells was shot about 9:30," he

said, and rang off. I am ashamed to confess that my hands shook as I hung up the receiver. As I stood there, I wondered for the first time whether there might not be, after all, a spirit-world surrounding us, cognizant of all that we did, touching ut intangible, sentient but tuned

above our common senses?

I was shocked by the news, but not greatly grieved. The Wellses as I have said. Of the two, I my-else in the house but the children medical man. He came to the liself had preferred Arthur. His asleep in the nursery. faults were on the surface. He drank hard, gambled, and could not always pay his gambling debts, but underneath it all there had always been something buy.

As I sat alone in the library, me, with his face rather paler than usual.

But in some strange fashion it had "I'll take you up now," he said apparently taken on the tributes "She's in her room, in bed, and then the police. ishly honest about him. He had silence. It was sinister, mysterplayed, it is true, through most of the thirty years that now marked his whole life, but he could have been made a man by the right to been on the situation. Here was tered the room where according woman. And he had married the to bear on the situation. Here was tered the room, where, according wrong one.

my wife has charterized her as cold, calculating and ambitious, ing watches and pens about, She has said frequently, too, that I remember moving impatiently.

they had lived in our neighborhood upstairs. fer a year, that a complication had risen in the shape of another man. said Arthur Wells had been shot dal on it, except the one when the a second bullet in the ceiling Berringtons' music teacher ran Added to the key on the nail, a gesture.

for some time that the dreaded, "Get the lather off his face." triangle was threatening the repute of our quiet neighborhood, Would a man stop shaving to kill himself? If he did, why a revolthat night I saw it had come. ver?

Club had been suddenly thrust. The street, with its open spaces, I started for Sperry's house, my der the former classification, and ghtfully. head bent against the wind, my will usually seize the first method mind on the news I had just at hand. But there was something

Sperry was waiting on his doorstep, and we went on to the Wells | wife has an irritated conviction

Although the Wells house was brilliantly lighted when we reath- I would complete it and rub the ed it, we had difficulty in gaining soap from my face before I

"We mght try the servants' entrance," Sperry said. Then he laughed mirthlessly.
"We might see," he said, "if

there's a key on the nail among the vines.

I confess to a nervous tightening of my muscles as we made our way around the house. If the key was there, we were on the track of a revelation that might revolutionize much that we had held fundamental in science and in our knowledge of life itself. If, sitting in Mrs. Dane's quiet room, woman could tell us what was happening in a house a mile or so away it opened up a new earth.

Almost a new heaven. I stopped and touched Sperry's arm. "This Miss Jeremy did she know Arthur Wells or Elinor? If she knew the house, and the situation between them, isn't it bare-Ty possible that she anticipated

thes thing?' "We knew them," he said gruf-"whatever we anticipated, it

wasn't this." Sperry had a pocket flash, and when we found the door locked we proceeded with our search for the

"Here's the key." Sperry said, and held it out. The flash waver-ed in his hand, and his voice was

We admitted ourselves "Look here, Sperry," I said, as we stood inside the door, "they don't want me here. They've sent for you, but I'm the most casual

sort of an acquaintance. I haven't That struck him, too. We had both been so obsessed with the

scene at Mrs. Dane's that we had Had he killed himself, not thought of anything else, (who tells the story) his wife, library," he said. "The chances are lent impulse? Would she choose doorway.

Elinor killed him? Was she the marked. old Mrs. Dane, Herbert Robinson against her coming down, and the the hard way, when there was the As a matter of fact, we learn- thought not. And the same was he was dressing when he did it. in the habit of holding weekly ed later that all the servants were true of Ellingham. Here were two "And yet some one has had a meetings. At one of them, Mrs. out except the nursery governess.

Dane, who is hostess, varies the program by unexpectedly arrang
There was a servants' ball somewas another possibility, too. That out of place!" ing a spiritualistic seance with where, and, with the exception of he had learned something while. It was in the bathroom that he Miss Jeremy, a friend of Dr. Sperthe butler, it was after two before he was dressing, had attacked or told me Flinaria atom.



Sperry reminded me.

of the deed that had preceded the she has had an opiate. ious, dark.

Overwrought as I was, I was

Elinor Wells was a disappointed and trying to argue myself into weman, that her marriage, while my ordinary logical state of mind, giving her social identity, had dis but I know now that even then I appointed her in a monetary way. was wondering whether Sperry There was no doubt, by the time had found a hole in the ceiling

Our street has never had a scan- above the ear, and that there was to say that that is almost forgot- sive proof that our medium had place been correct. There was another, Nevertheless, we had realized point too. Miss Jeremy had said,

That brought me up with a turn.

More than that, it seemed very hand?

Probable that into this very triangle our peaceful Neighborhood that suicide is either a desperate stained with blood. else, too. Shaving is an automatic process. It completes itself. My that if the house caught fire while was in the midst of the process, caught up the fire-extinguisher.

uch as aerograph,

broadtail, credit

union, Bahaism.

patrogenesis, ecc.

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places are listed such

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was with Elinor in her room, and Sperry came down the staircase, been among us but not of us, the governess, there was no one ushering out the detective and the brary door and stood looking at

"Was he shot above the ear?"

I did not look at nim, nor he at a tragedy, a real and terrible one. to Elinor's story, Arthur Wells Suppose we had in some queer had killed himself. It was a dressmy wife's verdict and I have fashion, touched its outer edges ing-room, as Miss Jeremy had that night? Then how was it that described. A wardrobe, a table there had come, mixed up with so with books and magazines in dismuch that might had up with so with books and magazines in dismuch that might had come, mixed up with so with books and magazines in dismuch that might had come, mixed up with so with books and magazines in dismuch that might had come. own sex is rather merciless, much that might be pertinent, order, two chairs, and a couch, A tall, handsome girl, very dark, things as a hurt knee, and throw- youd was a bathroom. On a chair by a window the dead man's evening clothes were neatly laid out,

When I glanced at Sperry he rather unusual was staring at the ceiling, and I some time my wife has felt that yielded enough to supply Bob Wafollowed his eyes, but there was no I smoked heavily, and out of her ley, dairy demonstrator of Mcmark on it. Sperry made a little solicitude for me has limited me Lewis Community, Orange county,

away with their coachman, in the careless custom and surely not "The detective and I put him I have been a heavy smoker for days of carriages. And I am glad common, we would have concluthere. He was here." He showed a years, I have found this a great

"Where was his head lying?" I asked, cautiously. Here.

I steeped and examined the to such stealthy measures. carpet. It was a dark Oriental, Why not the razor in his with much red in it. I touched the place, and then ran my folded handkerchief over it. It came up the place," and

him to be found.'

demanded. Then the strangeness of what he was saying struck im, and he smiled foolishly. What I mean is, the medium said sane, Horace," he said.

room and surveyed it from the doorway. I followed him. It was services. orderly os the other room. On glass shelf over the wash-stand day with Ludie Lambert were his razors, safety and, beside it, in a black case, an assortment Duffau were visiting relatives in of the long-bladed variety, one for this community Sunday. or had each day of the week, and so

"The servants are out," he said. easy one of the divorce court? I "According to Elinor's statement

the butler, it was after two before he was dressing, had attacked or told me Elinor's story. According father, Charlie Koonsman. they commenced to straggle in. threatened her with a razor, and to her, it was a simple case of sui-Except two plain-clothes men from she had killed him in self-defense, cide. And she was honest about it, the central office, a physician who I had reached that point when in her own way. She was shocked, Saturday night and Sunday. but she was not pretending any wild grief. She hadn't wanted him to die, but she had not felt that to die, but she had not felt that they could go on much longer tothey could go on much longer to-gether. There had been no quarrel other than their usual bickering. They had been going to a dance that night. The servants had all gone out immediately after dinner to a servants' ball and the ner to a servants' ball and the governess had gone out immediately for a walk. She was to return Next Sunday is our regular at 9:30 to fasten Elinor's gown singing day. We would like to see and to be with the children.

pressed for several days, and at each and everyone. dinner had hardly spoken at all.
He had not, however, objected to the dance. He had, indeed, seemed strangely determined to go, aldinner had hardly spoken at all. though she had pleaded a head- from a very bad attack of asthma. ache. At nine o'clock he went up-stairs, apparently to dress. However, she is some better at this writing.

She was in her room, with the door shut, when she heard a shot. She ran in and found him lying on the floor of his dressing-room with his revolver behind him. The governess was still out. The shot had roused the children, and they had come down from the nur sery above. She was frantic, but she had to soothe them. The gov-erness, however, came in almost night in the Polnack home. immediately, and she had sent her "I'll take you up now," he said. calling Sperry first of all, and

"Have you seen the revolver?" I asked. "Yet. It's all right apparently. Only one shot had been fired."

"How soon did they get a doc-

"It must have been some time. and found one.'

"Then, while she was out-?" constituted the furnishings. Be-yond was a bathroom. On a chair start with the hypothesis that she and son, J. N., visited in the Polwas lying.

"If she cleaned up here for any his shoes beneath. His top hat and reason," I began, and commenced folded gloves were on the table. a desultory examination of the Wells lay on the couch. room. Just why I looked behind Makison home.

Mable Polnack is visiting in The house was absolutely still. the bathtub forces me to an ex-When I glanced at Sperry he planation I am somewhat loath Dallas this week. to make, but which will explain a to one cigar after dinner. But as with plenty of legume hay for his on the floor midway of the hardship, and have therefore kept a reserve store, by arrangement with the housemaid, belind my tub. In self-defence I must also state that I seldom have recoursse

To Be Continued.

"The best crop ever raised on he place," and "twice the tonnage on terraced land as comparimpulse or a cold-blooded and calculated finality. A man who kills ing cold water there, so as not to The street, with its open spaces, culated finality. A man who kills me to stain," Sperry said thought er of the crops grown on a farm was a relief after the dark hall, himself while dressing comes unset the stain," Sperry said thought er of the crops grown on a farm to the former classification, and ghtfully. "Whether he fell there terraced last winter by the countries that the stain of the crops grown on a farm to the former classification, and ghtfully. "Whether he fell there terraced last winter by the countries that the stain of the crops grown on a farm to or not, that is where she allowed ty agent for R. E. Lasater, King m to be found."
"You don't think he fell there?" ed land are producing one ton of "She dragged him, didn't she?" maize per acre this year.

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SALEM NEWS

Bro. Lee McEntire of Stephenshe did. I don't suppose any jury ville, will fill his regular appointment at the Baptist Church here ane, Horace," he said.

He walked across to the bath- night. We would be glad to have

Miss Nola Rogers spent Mon-Grafton Warren and family of

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Mon Sunday afternoon with Ide Sperry stood thoughtfully in the Mrs. Orville Moore and family. A very large crowd attended the

party at the W. C. Rogers home Saturday night. Mrs. Lee H. King and son, Bu-

ie, spent Saturday night with her ister, Mrs. W. E. Lambert. W. H. Koonsman returned home Saturday from Iredall, where he spent the past two weeks with his

Avis Summerall of Chalk Mountain visited with Elzie McElroy Those visiting in the

Guy Eakins and family of Hico, and Mr. and Mrs. Bledsoe of Dub-Mr. and Mrs. Henry Driver and son, Donald, and daughter, Nora

a very large crowd out to help us Arthur, she said, had been de- sing. An invitation is extended to

MT. ZION NEWS

We are glad to know that health is good at present.

Albert Polnack and family of Dallas visited his parents Saturday night and Sunday.

Charlie Adkison and family of to the telephone to summon help. Morgan visited his sister and family, Mrs. and Mr. Weston Newton Saturday night.

> Those who visited in the A. F Polnack home Saturday night were: Hugh McKenzie and family, G. D. Adkison and family, Opal Duncan, Doris Adkison, and Albert Polnack and family.

Doris Adkison visited in the G. They gave up telephoning, and D. Adkison home Saturday night, the governess went out, finally, J. C. Needham and wife, Claud J. C. Needham and wife, Claud Sullivan and family visited in the Newton home Sunday.

nack home awhile Sunday morn-

weston Newton and family Mable Polnack is visiting in

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Carlton Copeland was a visitor in Cleburne Sunday,

Miss Mary Beth Norwood spent the week end in Marlin and Waco.

Mayor Moore of Hamilton was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Christopher were in Duffau Sunday visiting relatives.

Kal H. Segrist of Dallas spent the first of the week here visiting his mother, Mrs. Sue Segrist.

spending a few days in Dallas with relatives. W. H. (Bill) Elkins spent the

latter part of last week in Fort Worth with relatives. Cleo Elkins of Fort Worth was and friends.

here the first of the week on bus-

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Daves and son, Clifford, of Iredell, were here on business Tuesday.

Ridenhower were in Dallas Saturday attending the fair.

W. I. Chenault has accepted a position in the Garner-Alvis Dry Goods Store at Hamilton.

I. Chenault has accepted a Miss Lucille Shelton. the Garner-Alvis Store at Hamilton.

men Shelton were visitors in Stephenville Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Cassel of Abilene were here Sunday visiting her uncle and aunt, W. F. and Miss Mary Gandy.

son where she has accepted a position in a telephone office.

Don't forget Dr. C. C. Baker. Fewell home here.

the dentist, is in his Hico office every Monday and Friday from Store in front rooms. Phone 276. underwent an operation for appen-

ghter, Lila, of Carlton were here four weeks that she will be con- To fill the vacant seat, Friday visiting her daughter, Mrs. fined to her home, and she invites all her friends to visit her.

Dr. H. C. Hawes and son, H. C. Jr., and Sam Hawes of Waco were from Hico the first of the week here Sunday visiting his parents, for a visit with friends and to look Dr. and Mrs. V. Hawes.

Misses Locille and Loraine Sevisiting their mother, Mrs. Sue

have moved to Hico and are occu- acres.-Clifton Record. pying the Kirklen residence.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Noland of Salem were here Tuesday night visiting their son, C. B. Nolan and Club will keep the library on the

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Wood and from 1 until 4:30 P. M. Charlie Hitcher of Ada, Oklahoma, were week end guests of their old friends here, Mr. and Mrs. J. J.

Bill Hooker of Stephenville was here the first of the week visiting his mother, Mrs. W. H. Hooker, and old friends here.

Mrs. Walter Waechter, accom1 panied by Mr. Waechter of Austin, spent the week end in Margaret,

guest of her parents. Mrs. Sue Segrist was a week end guest in Iredell of her brother and sister, Charlie MacBeath

and Mrs. Annie Goodman. Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Pirtle and daughters, Marie and Peggy, were in Hamilton Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Pirtle, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pirtle and children.

Mrs. James Carmean and daugh ter, Carolyn, left Wednesday morning for Evant to visit her parents. Her father is still in

a serious condition. Mrs. R. J. Farmer of Iredell is here spending a few days with her son and daughter. Johnnie Farmer and Mrs. Hurshel Williamson

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Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Huckabee and two children of Cleburne were here Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Huckabee. Mrs. W. A. Simons accompanied them home to spend two weeks as their guest.

A. I. Pirtle was a business tor in Fort Worth Tuesday,

Mrs. C. L. Woodward is spending a few days with Mrs. Green at Granbury.

Miss Hortense Watkins of Marlin is here, guest of Miss Mary Beth Norwood.

Cecil Coston was a business vis itor in Clifton the first of the

O. W. Hefner is in the Stephenville Hospital undergoing treat-Miss Henrietta Chamberlain is ment.

> Miss Mamie Bakke spent the week end in Clifton with home-

Mrs. John Lambert of Iredell was here Sunday visiting relatives

Mrs. Sim W. Everett and little son, Barton, of Carlton, were here Noble Gleen of Fort Worth was a part of the week visiting her here on business the first of the mother, Mrs. J. F. Chenault,

Mrs. Tullus Randals and daugh-Herbert Smith of Fort Worth ter, Dale, and Miss Jeanette Ranis here visiting his parents, Mr. dals spent a part of last week in and Mrs. H. Smith. Waco and McGregor with rela-

Carlton, were here Wednesday vi- skilled physicians and loving hands on Broadway.

Miss Dick Stanley, who is em-Misses Annie Pierson and Caren Shelton were visitors in Steen Shelton were visitors in Steend, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, was a week short years to gladden our hearts end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which were visitors in Steend, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which were visitors in Steend, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which were visitors in Steend, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and asked "All who are on the end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and asked "All who are on the end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and asked "All who are on the end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and asked "All who are on the end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and asked "All who are on the end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and asked "All who are on the end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and asked "All who are on the end, guest of her mother, Mrs. L. and make life happy, but too pure long, which was a week short years to gladden our hearts and which was a week short years and which was a we Hancock and family.

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The singing class of Hico met last Saturday night in the R. C. Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Duncan and Hampton home, when some good daughter, Olive, and Mrs. J. A. Guyton spent the first of the week in Dallas with relatives.

Hampton home, when some good bearers were his little literals.

Glenn Russell, Grady Brown, Albert Brown, Junior Eakins, Lloyd had a delightful time. They will Burleson, Otho Horton, Ray Cheek meet Saturday night in the A. A. and Willard Houston,

9:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. Lady home from the Gorman Hospital assistant. Office over Corner Drug the first of the week where she dicitis. She is recovering nicely, Mrs. J. A. McKenzie and dau- although it will probably be about

Mrs. Anna Driskell was here after farm interests. While here, Mrs. Driskell sold a strip of land off the entire south side of her farm to Elif Moore of this city. after farm interests. While here, grist of Dallas were here Sunday farm to Elif Moore of this city. She does not know as yet just how many acres, as surveyor Mack Bertelson has not finished the Mr. and Mrs. Everett Smith and calculation of it-but it will run son, Marcus, of Walnut Springs, between one and two hundred

TO KEEP LIBRARY The members of the Review date designated below. The library

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Rev. and Mrs. D. D. Tidwell 2. And the entire reading is a taught a course in "Modern B. Y. guarantee that all who walk in that way, shall surely reach their Adults" by T. C. Gardner at Duf-fau, which begun Monday night of I. THIS K ast week and ended the following WINS THE FRIENDSHIP OF

se were: Misses Dona Land, Min- love its own.' nie Nachtigall, Amoret and Fleda

other members and adults assembled under the tabernacle and of popularity. played a number of interesting 2. Then, too, the way of the one present complimented very games after which refreshments of world is the natural way. It re-highly those who in any way as cake and ice cream were served.

to the Wednesday Bridge Club at hill highway. her hospitable country home south | 3. Don't allow yourself to wor

to the club at the home of Mrs. T. make any difference.' B. Lane at their last meeting, II. THIS KIND OF LIFE WILL which was Wednesday afternoon PUT YOU ON THE SIDE OF of last week. Miss Pauline Dris-LEAST RESISTANCE. Matt. 7: kell, who with Mrs. C. A. Thies, 13-14. were invited guests, won high score, Refreshments of salad, potato chips, olives, cake and teal

CARL BERTIE NOLAND

Rev. A. C. Haynes and Ray siting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. could do was done to stay the Hand of Death. But all to no you the advantages and the thrill ay attending the fair.

2. This kind of life will give you the advantages and the thrill avail. God relieved his sufferings of the Big Crowd. Of course there Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bingham of and called his little spirit Home is no use to worry our happy selves Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bingham of and called his little spirit Home. Hamilton were here Tuesday evening. Mr. Bingham attended the rows Undertakers brought his little body to the home in Hico. The control of the little body to the home in Hico. The little body to the home in Hico. The little body to the home in Hico. and Mrs. Bingham was a guest of once happy home, but now over- tified with the big majority shadowed by the dark clouds of sorrow, for he was indeed the light of the home. This precious little

> ed him in his fair garden above to bloom forever there. He was a lovable child with a kind and sweet disposition and every one loved him.

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the bridge till you come to it. family home, conducted by Rev. L. P. Thomas, pastor of the Hico YOU MUC Baptist Church, and the body laid 2 Tim. 3:12. to rest in the Hico cemetery. Pall "All that will live godly in Christ bearers were his little friends: Jesus, shall suffer persecution."

Miss Opal Hunter was brought ome from the Gorman Hospital grandbasents of the open any of the and other relatives and friends. That was not quite complete, God called our darling Carl B.

-CONTRIBUTED.

D. F. McCarty spent the first of the week at Tyler, Athens, and oppose anybody, regardless of their other points in East Texas. He had some persimmons on display, gallantly down "Easy Street." ed to be in fine shape.

HOW TO MAKE YOUR RE-LIGIOUS LIFE EASY GOING

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able filled with eats of every kind

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iams family, caught the eyes o

the invited guests as they entered to partake of the meal. Table dec-

orations added to the attractive-

ness of the dining room, and each

The day was spent in pleasant

conversation and in the afternoon

a number of pictures were made

n happy remembrance of the occa-

Miss Andis Cole is spending

the week in Dallas with relatives

and also in Fort Worth, guest of

Miss Johnnie Copeland, who is at-

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first day, and checks Malaria in

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Green. Mr. and Mrs.

least resistance. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Williams was a scene of much merriment last Sunday, I. THIS KIND OF A LIFE friends gathered in the home to make the day happy for Mrs. Wil-liams in celebration of her 48th

Those who took the study courwere of the world, the world would birthday anniversary.

Tunnell, Inez Smart, and Messrs 1. Why need we worry about the fact that friendship with the 1. Why need we worry about After all had taken the examinations Friday night, they and other members and adults assem-

2. Then, too, the way of the quires no worry, no special effort, sisted in making the dinner a suc no development of talent, no re-Entertain Wednesday Bridge Club strictions, no repentance, no heart At Regular Meetings

Mrs. Make Johnson was hostess and coast on, 'cause it is a down-

of town, October 7th, when the ry about whether or not you are Mrs. Wm. Green.

Dess. Cecil Williams,
Hanry Kenn rooms were decorated with pot on the right road, 'cause the gospel Mrs. Frank Owens was of the world says plainly that Bess, high score winner. Invited guests whosoever thinketh himself to be Leach, Mrs. Henry Kennedy and were Mrs. J. P. Rodgers Jr., Mrs.

John Clark and Miss Pauline
Driskell. Ice cream and cake were
served to those present.

Mrs. Frank Owen was hostess

Mrs. T.

Were thinketh himself to be Leach, Mrs. Henry Kennedy and three daughters, Mrs. J. C.
Busch and Woodrow Norwood. In the afternoon Mrs. J. R. McMillan yourself, you'll soon get your conscience to say, "That it doesn't the afternoon Mrs. J. R. McMillan and two daughters were callers.

1. Yes, Siree, It will set your feet on the "Broadway" then, oh, then, how you can revel in your unrestricted liberty. Not being handicapped with any restrictions, you can live the High Life, the Carl Bertie Noland was born Broad Life and the Fast Life. Just Mr. and Mrs . Delmar Yarbor- 3, and was carried to the Stephen- self. Let others think as they Relieves a Headache or Neuralgia ough and little son, Rolene, of near ville Hospital Sept. 4, and all that may, but as for me, "I'm living

3. No, we cannot afford to be Taylor, and sister, Mrs. Robt. to live on earth so God transplant only the tribe of Levi stood with Hancock and family. themselves to the "Narrow Way" with the minority, while the Big Crowd go happily prancing down "Broad Way." the ending, no use to cross the

III. THIS WAY WILL SAVE MUCH PERSECUTION.

Therefore, if you would walk in on any of the great issues of life, then you'll never meet oppo If you have a conscience, KILL IT. "There was a little band in heaven When you "are in Rome, do as Rome does" because so long as you walk with a man, you'll never meet him.

2. Keep your feet in the Broad Way, enjoy the full liberty of your depraved nature. Resolve never to desires. Bow your neck, and walk AND ONE DAY THOU SHALT SURELY ARRIVE.

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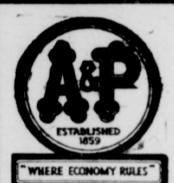
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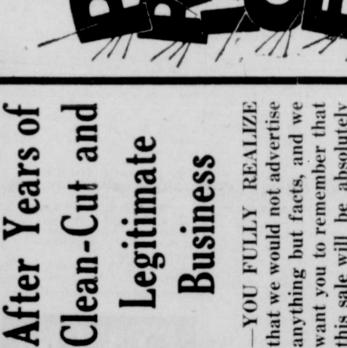
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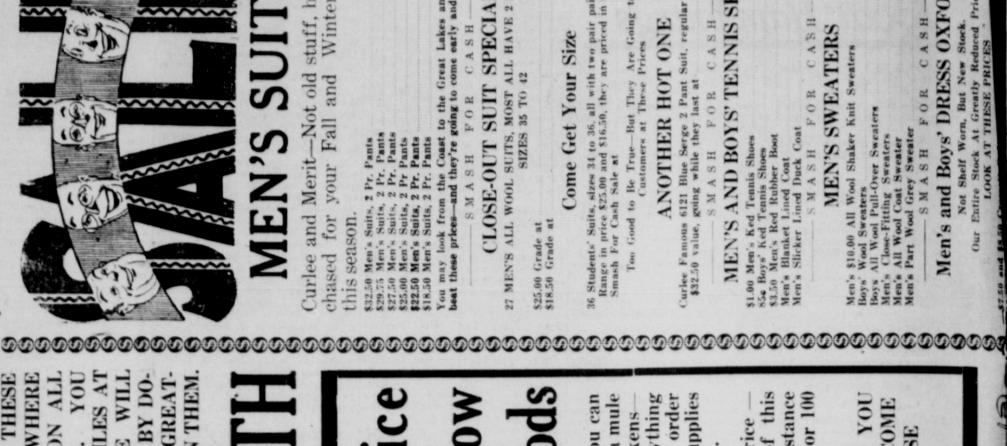
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So Men's WORK CLOTHES Men, Look at These Prices! a populado p

MEN'S HATS

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Men, we have never offered Hats at such
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Here they are boys, take 'em at these prices 24 inch Bottom Blue Serge Pants 24 inch Bottom Blue Serge Boys' Pants 596 81.00 Boys' Covert and Khaki Pants 806 Hawk Brand Unionalls, Hickory Stripe, sizes 2 to 8 696 Hawk Brand Unionalls, Hickory Stripe, size 9 to 17 896 Your choice of Any Boy's Wool Knicker Pants \$1.00

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Declare a Holiday

SMASH FOR CASH SALE

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PAGE FIVE

Pico News Review Farmers Urged by PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY IN HICO, TEXAS

ROLAND L. HOLFORD Editor and Publisher

Entered as second-class matter culture, has advised farmers to hold their cotton for higher prices.

Hico, Texas, under the Act of ConBanks of Texas, perhaps aided: gress of March 3, 1879.

One Year \$1.00 Six Months 75c have ample funds to finance cotton very magistrates who sentenced ment. Therein they found the and Comanche Counties:-

Six Months 85c One Year \$1.50

continued when time expires.

Cards of thanks, obituaries and charged at the rate of one cent per Display advertising rate will be given upon request.

THE DEACON AND THE FROG A great many people we know F. Kettering, chief research engi- earlier position. neer of General Motors, told about

the other day. church one Sunday morning, dress- a value of only one-half of proed in his best and with his shoes duction cost, and prices have about nicely polished, when he heard his reached bottom. Farmers should

said the frog, "without anything vestment opportunity, to eat, and I wish you would help

remembered that he had to pass we will have 15 cent cotton in the the collection plate in church, so next thirty months. Cotton is sub-he replied: "I'm sorry, old man, I lected to numerous climatic and way back from church I'll give cycles. We have passed through a you a lift out of the hole."

As he came back from church the deacon was surprised to find unfavorable conditions soon.

Texas banks have the road, contentedly snapping at

til a snake came along and I just it is expected that the President parents, Rev. Ouinn will continue had to get out," replied the frog. and Congress will arrange more Lots of people are discovering these days that they can do things they didn't think they could do. Under the pressure of necessity every one of us can accomimpossible. times nobody uses more than a fraction of his ability and re-sourcefulness. But when the snake of hard times comes along we just there is no excuse for this high Sunday night. fraction of his ability and reof hard times comes along we just have to get out of a hole, and like grade cotton being sacrificed at the frog in Mr. Kettering's story, present prices.

It is a good thing for humanity that life is not always pleasant and easy. Intelligence, ability and Investments should be in spot cotcharacter are only developed to ton; it should be remembered that their best in the face of adversity And the harder the struggle, the neither food, raiment nor happimore fun there is in looking back on it after the peak has been

JOB INSURANCE

deal of talking by people don't know what they are talking about, in the matter of the industrial depression and the plight of

one says something sensible. It the banks closed in the afternoon, strikes us that Senator Couzens of but between that time and closing Michigan is in that class when he time last Saturday night, the proposes to set up in America a store had taken in something over \$200.00 more, and for safe keeping, Mr. Curry hid the money depression periods, if any.

store had taken in something over been making his home in Dallas, was a visitor here Thursday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McEntire depression periods, if any.

Senator Couzens would have the Federal government, the state clerk in the store, beat Mr. Curry Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Towns last Sungovernments, all industrial employ down to work. The first customer day. ers and all workers in industry contribute to a fund which would be used in hard times to pay the very sack, was where Mr. Curry workers who were thrown out. He hid his money, figures that if \$1.75 out of every You can ima \$100 of industry's payroll were thus put into a fund, it would take store and found that the money

don't know whether Senator Couz. and overtook him before he reachens thas the right answer or not We only feel that in some way American ingenuity will find way to meet the next industrial crisis which will be better than the way in which the present one has been handled.

"KILLING THE RAILROADS" "In the railroad yards of Tuc son are long sidings choked with idle locomotives accumulating rust," wrote Harry Carr, columnist of the Los Angeles Times, recost was from \$75,000 to \$125 000 each

"What is killing the railroad business is the bootleg truck. "Somebody buys a truck; makes one down payment; in his foolishness, cuts the freight price to a figure that makes no allowance for the depreciation cost. He busts after a few trips; meantime the railroad has lost the freight haul. It is high entertainment to par the railroads, but cutting railroad revenues is one of

major causes of this depression. If depleted railroad treasuries had been a result of poor business conditions, as is the case with other businesses, there would no particular cause to worry. But not since the war have the line been able to earn 5 1-2 per cen profit on their investment. The rest of us are experiencing a lean year or two following good profits but the railroads have nothing but the leanest kind of

Competition from unregulated trucks on tax-built highways, subsidized waterways and similar agencies has done much to create the railroad crisis. So have inequal ity of taxes and a regulatory pol-icy which allows the lines almost no leeway in any major move Some means must be found to give the railroads more revenue unlee every business is to suffer from recession or break-down major transport agency.

McDonald to Hold Cotton For Rise

AUSTIN, Texas, Oct. 12 .- J. E McDonald, commissioner of agri-

Banks of Texas, perhaps aided by the Federal Reserve Bank, insured, he said.

All subscriptions payable CASH! In making this statement, Mc-IN ADVANCE. Paper will be dis- Donald reversed a policy assumesolutions of respect will be urge farmers to hold cotton. He declared he believed the enactment Hico, Texas, Friday, Oct. 16, 1931 were passing similar restrictive laws, and the fact that cotton is now selling at one-half production brunt of the attack.

"Cotton prices are lowest in A deacon was on his way to thirty-two years. Cotton now has name called from a mudhole near make a desperate effort to hold the roadside. Down in the hole was every bale. This year's cotton is a big bullfrog.
"I have been in here three days, value, and presents an unusual in-

"Three years ago, without ac-jected to numerous climatic and good cycle, and unless history fails by the local citizens. to repeat itself, we may expect

> to finance cotton properly ware- improving nicely now. housed and insured, aided, perhaps liberal terms on loans used in financing agricultural crops. Other were Dublin visitors Saturday. cotton states are enacting laws to regulate production and we may will be strickly obeyed.

"With an abundance of money

we find some way to do what we will avail themselves of the oppor-"Those with money and vision days in Galveston this week. tunity of a lifetime by investing in the world's greatest commodity cotton futures exchange produce

McGREGOR A&P MANAGER HAS FUNNY EXPERIENCE WITH SATURDAY'S CASH

(McGregor Mirror) C. C. Curry, manager of the A&P Store in McGregor, had quite an experience with his last Saturday's cash, at least with a part of Once in a while, however, some- it. He made a deposit just before

> Monday morning, Willie Witte, was a Mexican, who bought a 25-

You can imagine the commotion care of all unemployment.

Something must be done to change our present system. We was gone. Luckily, Mr. Witte knew the Mexican, and where he lived, who had bought the sack of beans, ed home and got the money.



THERE are times when a baby is too fretful or feverish to be sung to sleep. There are some pains a mother cannot pat away. But there's quick comfort in Castoria!

with tubes and ready to play For diarrhea, and other infantile ills, give this pure vegetable preparaof constipation; whenever there's any sign of sluggishness. Castoria has a good taste; children love to take it. Buy the genuine—with Chas. H. Fletcher's signature on wrapper.



************************* SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

International Sunday School Les- longer be heard in Thessalonica son for October 18 PAUL IN THESSALONICA

Rev. Samuel D. Price, D. D.

Paul and Silas were escorted to Outside Hamilton, Bosque, Erath which is properly warehoused and them. That part of the country prophecies concering the Messiah was also familiar ground during the recent world war Thessalonica is the modern Salonica. The usual approach was made through the lieve everything we are told, but ed when he took office, that he Jewish synagogue. Soon, jealousy would never forecast crops or arose because the success of the evangelists meant the giving up of many of the ancient national traditions and customs. A group of of acreage reduction law by Texas, roughnecks was stirred up to atthe fact that other southern states tack Paul and they sought him in the soul winners were elsewhere, | Paul wrote to the churches that and poor Jason had to bear the remind us of the frog that Charles cost, justified the reversal of his high praise was paid to the work Thessalonica after Paul reached

come hither also. Since the messengers could no thy law," Psalm 119:18.

••••• they were sent forward to Beroea, where the same method was Acts 17:1, 5-11 I. Thessalonians pursued. These people showed just plain common sense took the words of Paul and sought out conforming references in their the boundary of Phillipi by the Scripture rolls, our Old Testaand beheld their complete fulfullment in the life and works of Jesus Christ. We do not need to be many a great truth is lost because we refuse to give attention to the supporting evidence. The result was that many believed and among the number we find a group of Greek women of distinction.

In passing, attention should be given to the various letters that he established enroute. Two epistles were sent to the church of the gospel in the charke that was made: "These that have turned the world upside down have "Open thou mine eyes, that I may behold wondrous things out

CARLTON

Several of the local men and boys have gone to West Texas this week where they will pick cotton.

The Hamilton Lions Club band, under the direction of Leo. F. Rendessy, entertained the Carlton people with an hour's concert in ducted at the Jordan residence the local band stand recently. A large number of marches and sevcan't help you now, but on my insect conditions, which come in eral overtures were played, which seemed to be enjoyed very much Ridge cemetery.

> Hobdy Thompson and wife went to Abilene Saturday to visit his "Texas banks have the ability mother who was very ill, but is

> > parents. Rev. Quinn will continue on to Fort Worth on business. Derald and Edgar Thompson

J. J. Gibson, Audie Gibson and In good confidently expect that these laws R. A. Smith were Hamilton visitors Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thompson

J. C. Wilson and mother and Mrs. W. L. Fisher visited a few

Mrs. A. C. Blanchard of Steph- A. Q. Jordan. enville visited in the home of her mother, Mrs. L. A. Anderson Wednesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Davis was a Stephenville visitor last Wednes-Rev. A. C. Lackey and Mr. and

Mrs. M. M. McQuire were Brownwood visitors Thursday.

Monday night. Lee Reeves returned home Saturday from Miles where he has Miss Grace Arnold of Duffau been working in a cotton gin. Dee Barbee and Audie Gibson kins home.

carried a truck load of mules to Fort Worth Monday morning. Herman Thompson who has been making his home in Dallas, entertained some of their friends

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McEntire and daughter of McGregor visited Roberson

ville visitor last Friday.

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A. E. JORDAN DIED SATURDAY AT HOME NEAR ALEXANDER

A. E. Jordan passed away Saturday afternoon at the family home four miles north of Alexander, and funeral services were con-Sunday afternoon by Revs. Gibson and Martin of Carlton, and the

Mr. Jordan was an uncle Mrs. J. R. Wright of Hico, and a brother of A. Q. Jordan who passed away at his home here last The deceased formerly re sided between here and Carlton Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Quinn have and has been a resident of this

He is survived by his wife, two sons and five daughters. The sons are Claude of Fort Worth, and Jess of near Alexander. The daughters, Ruby of near Alexander Mrs. Jim Stone of Oklahoma, Mrs Bob Farrow of Fort Worth, Mrs. Frank Derrick and Mrs. Carl Spaulding of near Alexander,

Those attending the funeral ser vices from Hico were, Mrs. Ruck Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Spaulding and son, Mr. and Mrs. Wysong Graves and son, and Mrs

HOG JAW NEWS

Grafton Warren and family and Mrs. Bess Warren spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A.

Mrs. P. E. McChristial and daughter, Nadine, and Mrs. Sye Rain-water and baby of Duffau visited ed Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Redden Mrs. John Higginbotham Satur-

> spent Sunday in the Merion El-Elta Warren, Oma and Skeet

Roberson attended the singing at Wilson Sunday Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Whitesides

with a 42 party last Friday night. . A. Jaggers and family spe Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W Jim Alexander and family of

Greyville were visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Alexander

Special NOTICE!

It has come to our attention that rumor

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are arriving this week and will go to our

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HICO, TEXAS

what we deemed conditions warranted.

continue our business relations in Hico, ren-

dering the very best of service to our host of

has it that we are closing our Hico store-

any such statement is absolutely without

foundation.

customers and friends.

customers at this saving.

Regardless of the fire which Tuesday night damaged our mill and for a time threatened to destroy a great deal of our property, we are still on the job buying grain, and will appreciate your consideration when you are ready to sell. "If the markets are bad, we buy grain; if the markets are good we buy grain." And if we have had a fire, we still buy grain.

THANKS.

To members of the Hico Fire Department and other citizens who so kindly lent their aid toward lightening the damage during the fire at our mill.

Our stock of the famous 3-R Feeds is still sufficient to take care of any demand that might be made upon us. and while our machinery is temporarily shut down for repairs, we can supply our wholesale and retail trade without any trouble whatever. Come down and let us tell you about the merits of these famous feeds, in case you are not already familiar with them.

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telling stories. James received a

Faye Freeman, Bertha Marie Phil-

Iredell School Gossip

the editor-in-chief of the staff,

this week. Not only are we pros-

there will be five new squadmen

Don't forget the box supper Sat-

Tom Frank

West Texas Reader, A Former Resident, Renews and Reviews

Ballinger, Texas Oct. 11, 1931

Editor News-Review Hico, Texas. Dear Sir: Thanks for your notice urday night. get that paper. I read all community news and every issue caues me to be reminded of some friend in each part of the Hico country, for many miles every didistrict, as well as of the business night. firms of your town, and I most Miss Edith Edwards spent Sunassuredly would like to live where day with Miss Hazel Salmon. and I find there are good people Sunday.

week. I am looking for the cause the week with relatives here. of the depression of for some man that is smart enough to tell the Sunday in the home of Mr. and Stephenville Thursday, people facts that cause the public Mrs. W. T. Stanford. that is smart enough to tell the to stop grumbling and go to work and quit howling, because they got ing every Thursday night at the day afternoon.

to work for a living. In 1894 cotton Methodist Church.

Mrs. Charlie Myers, Mrs. Gilbert mobiles and other installment purchasers and these folks get present debts paid. They say that's the last time that anyone will ever have a mortgage on that mule, cow, automobile, turkeys.

T. M. Lee and daughters, Eunhome mule, cow, automobile, turkeys, ice and Nola, were in Stephenville wait, Mr., that's not all; they mortgage their home to get that down people are forced to quit business or make collections.

who broke 'em. We don't even night. know who they are.

kidding ourselves about it being noon, and her niece, Miss Mona hard times. The farmer has made Wolfe, returned with her to Duba fine crop and can live at home, lin to spend a few days. and that is what they should have done before. But we just didn't and son, W. E., spent Sunday in know that the reaction of the war the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. prices were so near, and we ran Salmon and family. into the depression without lookinstallment before we started to afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Flag Branch school, and Miss Annew to all of West Texas.

See, we are breaking banks in and children, Mrs. Conda Salmon West Texas. Those car install and Miss Velma Chaney made a ments and the cars together are business trip to Dallas Tuesday. mostly the cause. If you want to go the buy on the West Texas plan see your nearest installment

A. M. BURDEN 301 Ninth St. Ballinger, Texas.

GREYVILLE

ed and everything will be in read- On Sunday morning, Oct. 4, at iness for the opening of school 10 o'clock, Mr. Lester Grisham and Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Tidwell.

the bedside of her brother, Rob- was performed at that place. This ert Finley, who is seriously ill in young couple were reared in this non Gosdin visited in South Texas We are now prepared to sponsor a hospital there.

Smith of Hico, Mrs. Dock Simpson and son, J. N., of Big Eye, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Garth and daughter, Lucille, and son, John C. Garth and wife.

Alice Hicks and Rosa Lee Lambert spent Saturday night with ther, Mrs. Addie Grimes. Opal and Johnnie Ruth Driver of

Mrs. C. A. Russell and son, El-ton, spent Wednesday as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Doty of Hico.

tune of getting his arm broke man, formerly occupied by Sam while trying to crank his car Fri- Battershell and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Land and plied a new coat of paint to the baby of near Prairie Springs spent interior wood work of his store, Monday night and Tuesday with which adds greatly to its appear-Mrs. Land's sister, Mrs. Ross ance. McLendon and husband.

FLAG BRANCH

Meridian as teachers.

N. / Mingus visited Mr. Wednesday night.
Thornton left Saturday for clous punch and cake.

and Mrs. Lester of Hico.

attending court Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hanshew and son, Earnest, of Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burks, Mrs. Jake Blair and children of Hico, Janda Lee and Dorothy Hanshew spent Sunday in the Henry Burks home.

Ellegas Saves willed Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoover, al-Ellamae Sawyer visited Mr. and

Several from this community attended a party at B. N. Strong's of Iredell Saturday night.

So Sits, Roy late of Danas spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. Hoover's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hoover.

BLACK STUMP

We had a nice rain Sunday

night and Monday. Those who were present in the Church both morning and evening W. H. Loader home Sunday were, Sunday. Rev. Early was one of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanshew our school faculty last year and and daughter, Dorothy, Mr. and made many friends while here, who Mrs. J. S. Strickland and Warren were glad to meet him again also

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mingus and is an excellent preacher as well as family visited in Stephenville a a teacher. while Sunday,

Joe Newman spent Saturday the Methodist Conference at Spurnight with J. D. McElroy. lin Sunday afternoon. Those who were in the W. H. Loader home Sunday morning in our midst again Sunday.
were E. W. Alexander and son.
Warren, J. C. Hanshew and Bud school at Stoar Monday. Her mo-

McEiroy spent Sanday Jones accompanied her for her opwith Joe Newman.

CLAIRETTE NEWS

Everyone is very busy picking cotton, which has delayed the opening of school until Oct. 19. Everyone was surprised to hear of the marriage of Mr. Arthur Lambert and Miss Inace Edwards

Mrs. Lambert is the youngest Thursday. of expiration of the old home and Mrs. Lambert is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edwards, and Mr. Lambert is the son of Mr. Lem Lambert of Mill-day.

I could meet friends with daily Alton Partain and his sister, to see their brother, Erbie, who is greetings. I have met many fine Mary, of Fort Worth, were here still very ill. cople and made many new friends visiting relatives Saturday and Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Lott are vi-

Kil Dowdy and daughter, Mrs. Johnson of Hale Center. I am on the go six days per Charley Anderson, are spending

refuse aid to all who buy auto- and Mrs. W. E. Salmon Sunday af- son of Mr. and Mrs. Watson Miller. ternoon.

Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Sam C. Thompson.

Misses Jewell and Eunice Davis tended her visit of Wichita Falls spent the week end with their parent the week end with th

payment on that good used car, spent the week end in Fort Worth. companied by their friend, Miss guests from out of town registerand here some have a second mort. Miss Nona Mayfield who is go- Wilson. gage that they can ride around Miss Nona Mayfield who is go-Sunday evening, and the credit ing to Tarleton College at Steph-

Mrs. Sam Wolfe of Dublin vis-We got to go to work and stop ited relatives here Sunday after-

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Alexander of forward even paying off our Stephenville spent awhile Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Salmon

FAIRY ITEMS

This week will abou exterminate Cotton will all soon be gather- cotton have been ginned here.

next Monday, October 19.

Miss Meva Mae Allison were uniMrs. Bingham was called to ted in marriage by Rev. Andy
Fort Worth Sunday night to be at Lackey of Carlton. The ceremony community and passes esteem Mrs. S. A. Smith, Mrs. Andrew qualities and have many friends,

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Newton of Fort Worth spent Saturday night ler. and Sunday with the latter's mo-

she will remain a few weeks for guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Tur- attendance. About 20 new pupils

J. E. Blakley and family of the Agee community have moved in and Mrs. B. N. Strong were in letics. From present indications, Ross McLendon had the mismor- to the residence of Prentiss New- Waco Thursday.

D. E. Allison has recently ap- Clifton College.

Hershal Richardson, who has Daves. been sick the past few weeks with an attack of bronchitis is again

School opened Monday morning with Rev. Loyd Lester of Iredell, and Miss Frances Wagner of Meridian as teachers. was present. After the distribuand tion of the gifts which consisted lvester Mingus of Walnut of many nice and useful articles, the guests were served with deli-

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brummett and Mrs. R. S. Graves
Saturday evening with Mr.
Mrs. Lester of Hico.
W. Bowman was in Meridian

Mrs. Lester of J. E. Blakley and family

y. Sunday.
J. E. Blakley and family, Er-

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hoover, al-Mrs. S. A. Dunlap Saturday night. so Mrs. Roy Tate of Dallas spent

The Sunday School of this place had a larger attendance Sunday. Rev. Studer filled his appointment at the Methodist Church Sunday morning. Rev. Edmund Early preached at the Baptist to hear him preach as Bro. Early

Several of this place attended

ening program.

Mr. and Mrs. Dellis Seago were ther, Arthur Burden, and Pauline

NEWS FROM IREDELL COMMUNITY

Mrs. Grace Fouts and children | Mrs. Richard and son and her which took place at Duffau Sat- and Mrs. Hugh Harris and daugh- gentleman friend of Cleburne atter, Annie Maud, were in Waco tended church here Sunday even-

J. W. Parks was in Waco Thurs- Mrs. Plummer. erville. Everyone wishes them a The teachers of the Iredell ed the pep squad and football team

happy future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cook spent a stitute at Meridian Thursday and loyed by all.

school attended the teachers index day evening. A fine time was enforced by all.

Mr. and Mrs. and Mrs. rection. I have many happy thoughts of each part of Hico's Mrs. Geo. W. Salmon Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Locker of

Grandview and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Locker who are there picking cotton, came over Tuesday evening

Mesdames John Tidwell and er, Mrs. Stegall. Everyone is invited to the sing- Bryan Smith were in Hico Thurs-

was four cents per lb and we lived

Mr. and Mrs. Guy O. Eakins of
Helm and W. R. Myers went to
Hico visited in the home of Mr.

Dallas Wednesday to see the young They were joined at Kopperl by Mr. and Mrs. Ben Cook were in Mrs. Howard Myers, who will vi-Dublin Friday afternoon, attend- sit them a while. Mrs. John Miller, who has been there, returned

Orville Dowdy and Glenn Lee Mrs. T. M. Davis. They were ac- here was very well attended. 52

Next Sunday morning, there will here but the weather was bad. The We don't have any speculators Several from here attended the now they are broke we don't know party at Will Roger's Saturday proper Saturday of the preach at Walnut. No preach ers gave fine talks on the theme of spent Sunday afternoon ing at Flag Branch in the after-stewardship which was fine. Ev-

spent Friday evening with her workers' council will be in Meri-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Evans of dian. Carlton, Her brother, Henry Evans Mrs. D. E. Cavness honored her accompanied them home to spend son, James, with a birthday party the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sawyer vistee week end. the week end. Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Echols and residence. The little folks enjoyed day night.

son, Billie, and Nell and Johnnie themselves very much in playing Gregory went to Hico Friday ev- different kinds of games and with ening to the picture show. Rev. Lester, who is to teach the nice array of presents. James is a

nie Belle Tidwell, who is to teach permitted to see as happy a birththe Cove Springs school, attended day as this one was to him. Rethe teachers' institute at Meridian. freshments of ice cream and cake Mrs. Walter Sawyer returned were served to the following: Lit-Tuesday from a visit with her tle Misses Faye Hensley, Peggy parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas at June Harris, Deloris Davis, Joyce

Walnut. Miss Aleen Appleby and her lips, Mary Beth Bryan, Johnnie Our community was visited by ligh showers of rain Sunday and long brother, Charles, have rooms with light showers of rain Sunday and long brother, Charles, to school.

Mrs. Jim French and Mrs. Lee Cayness, Mrs. Cayness, Mrs. Scales, Cayness, Mrs. Cayness, Mrs. Cayness, Mrs. Cayness, Mrs. Scales, Cayness, Mrs. Cayness,

Mrs. Jim French and Mrs. Lee Cavness, Mrs. Cavness, Mrs. Scales, This week will abou exterminate the cotton crop in this section of the country. About 333 bales of Mrs. Ed Neil, Mrs. Oxford and Misses Stella Jones and Maggie Harris; Masters Ray Hensley, Cal win Pylant, Lamoine Fuller, James of Davis A. C. Sowder, Robert Hey-

> Ray Harper and children and Laurence Harper, Miss Maxidine Sadler and Ver-

Miss Eugenia Pike of John Tar- school activities, Pierce Shannon eton spent the week end here. Mrs. Fred Hewett of Groesbeck with assistants from each class. spent the week end here with her These associate editors are: Zetta parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Mil- Mae Hewitt, freshman; Morane

Mr. and Mrs. Will Schoemacher ers, Junior; the Senior is undeterther, Mrs. Addie Grimes.

J. O. Richardson carried his mother, Mrs. L. P. Richardson to Glen Rose last Wednesday where Glen Rose last Wednesday where

Miss Opal Laurence is with her making the trip to Valley Mills sister, Miss Eddie B., who is in next Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Davis of urday night. Besides the excellent Wichita Falls and Mr. and Mrs.

Johnson of Cleburne spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs.

merry.

urday night. Besides the excellent each end we will be comedian expension of the come of the merry.

GORDON NEWS

Bryant Smith was in Houston children Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wick Simpson of Black Stump and Mr. and Mrs. Will Rogers' home at Mr. and Mrs. Will Rogers' home at Salem Saturday night.

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Morris Shelton of Hico and week.

Smith They were accompanied by

Miss Elizabeth Fouts entertain-Mrs. Bryant Smith and Mrs. Jno school attended the teachers' in- with a party at her home Satur- Tidwell of Iredell were in Hico

Mr. and Mrs. Hanshew and Mrs. B. N. Strong, a teacher in Earnest visited in the home of the Methodist Sunday school, en-tertained her class with a social Mr. and Mrs. Burks Sunday. Miss Virginia Hughes spent at her home Saturday evening. Saturday night with Miss Virginia

Mrs. Nolan, who has been visit- Lester. ing in Longview, returned home Bill Myers and Mrs. Helm visited in Dallas this last week with Mrs. D. E. Cavness was in Mer. Mr. and Mrs. Watson Miller.

Johnson of Hale Center.

Mrs. Marvin Tidwell, Mrs.

James Wyche, Misses Inez NewJames Wyche, Wycha were in The Control of th Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edward spent som and Evelyn Wyche were in Mrs. T. O. Gregory and baby who a few hours Sunday night with spent the day there with her moth- Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harris. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Priddy of Ire-

The community around here and dell visited Mr. and Mrs. Wence in town was blessed with a nice Perkins Sunday. rain which was fine. The atmos-The school begun the 12th at phere was cooled and the dust was the Gordon school. Mrs. Alexanlaid in the roads. The shower will der is the teacher. We hope she

will teach a good school.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Myers Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Tidwell and children spent Sunday with spent a few hours Sunday night their daughter, Mrs. Perry Clep- with Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Smith. per. Miss Annie Belle Tidwell ex-Dorothy Hanshew of Flag tended her visit for a few days in Branch spent Sunday night with Hico with her. Branch spent Sunday night with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.

The Baptist workers' council John Hanshew. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chaffin visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chaffin Sunday at Meridian. ed, More of them would have been Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Harris and enville, spent the week end with be no preaching here but will be church was decorated with pot and children were in Waco Thursday. homefolks.

be no preaching here but will be church was decorated with pot and children were in Waco Thursday. A. B. Sawyer

spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. noon. Rev. Jackson will preach there at the evening hour.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wyche eryone enjoyed the talks very much. The W. M. S. served a fine spent a few hours Thursday night dinner and was sure fine. The next with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lester. Miss JuJu Myers spent this week end at the home of Abe

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Sawyer vis-

DUFFAU

Our community was visited by rain Sunday and Monday which delayed cotton picking for a few days.
Mrs. Harlow visited her daugh-

ter, Mrs. Bettie Bowie, of Hico from Thursday until Saturday of last week. Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Tunnell and daughters attended the fair at

Huckaby Friday of last week. Charline Conley, Norma Gene Cleburne the latter part of last Grace Arnold spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Arnold

and little son, Tommie Joe. The Quarterly Conference with the Duffau Methodist Church last Saturday. There was a very good attendance and plenty of food at the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Koorfs-

man and Mrs. Marie Nachtigall Miss Johnnie Thomas of Olin atand daughter, Helen, visited Mr. tended the church services at Dufand Mrs. Chris Nachtigall and fau last Saturday night.

Mrs. Dale E. Elkins and children as the date for the Duffau school Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chaffin spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Chaffin of Meriand Mrs. Sunday.

Mrs. Dale E. Elkins and children as the data and Walter Hollis were visitors in Clairette Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chaffin as the data and Walter Hollis were visitors in Clairette Sunday.

Monday, the 19th, has been set

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sellman of

Some of the young folks from Stephenville were visitors in Duf-



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FOR LEASE-My farm, 15 Jersey (20-2p.)

REWARD for part collie, light brindle, seven months old. Pup strayed away from my place about four weeks ago.-V. H. Bird. NOTICE-I will thresh maize here

gathering and trespassing on my land is strictly prohibited. Fairey. (19-2c)

POSTED-My land is posted against trespassing, hunting pecan gathering.—V. H. Bird. hunting and (19-tfc).

FOR SALE-White Pekin Duck eggs for hatching. 50c dozen. John Golightly. 20-tfc 20-tfc.

Present Price of Cotton Disastrous

AUSTIN, Texas.—The probable disastrous aftermath of selling cotton for present prices was point ed out recently in a statement by J. E. McDonald, commissioner of

McDonald said he could not advise holding cotton, but suggest- fewer in number than those in ed that every Texan "stop and consider what the marketing of our major commodity at one-half production cost will mean." He said if other cotton states will follow the lead of Texas, within twelve the lead of Texas, within twelve Texas Bureau of Business Re- for enemy guns, army men say. or fifteen months cotton prices search.

necessary to sustain government, There is no escape. At this time, les engaged in the oil business. the price of middling 7-8 cotton "An increase of 33 percent was So effective have been tests statement urging farmers to use averages less than 5 cents per made in the banking finance group with the new unit that army men high quality potatoes for their pound at the primary markets of as compared with August and 140 hope for sufficient new and addi-

"The south is again caught uncrop judiciously. Cotton of high with August. The number of mangrade, staple and extra spinning ufacturing companies granted value is being thrown on the mar- charters dropped 30 per cent, while ket for less than half of produc- both the public service and the tion cost and with a full realiza- real estate building groups de- 2,000 licenses have been issued yield was fifty barrels to the tion that Texas has recently en- clined by one-third. acted a law average of each farm and with fair prospects for simi- having capital stock of \$100,000 censing of testers became effect for which he paid \$6.55 per bar-

I could not advise holding cotton; having capitalization of less than culture Texan stop and think what the ust to September. marketing of our major commothe cotton growing states opt similar laws, and if adequate financing and sane marketing systems are established, the 1932 crop, we should have within the next 12 or 15 months cotton prices reflecting more inearly cotton's intrinsic value, perhaps 15 cents, and should we se to continue a demoralized we can very easily see 2 cents per pound or \$10 per bale, which will put the finishing touches on the who now reside in other parts of

"I appeal to every Texan to stop man of Dallas and Dean J. Thom lators by their constituents of disand think and lend full support as Davis of Tayleton Carlton Cal. to solution of our agricultural mentally basic and confidence in farm lands and products must be liam Harvey Andrew gave a fore- that we want to accomplish many restored before we can feel our

EFFECT OF BUSINESS ON HEALTH IS URGED

An exchange of statements has left the public health service and the united hospital fund of New York still at variance over the ion's effects on the na-

Differing widely on whether the statistics actually show a depleted state, they agree, however, that ore medical charity will be needed during the coming winter.

al adverse effect on health and ley Grove. Mrs. Silas C. Buck of is trouble, mortality rates." He based his this city, who was present for the

HAMILTON COUNTY REPRESENTED BY 35 STUDENTS AT TARLETON

Stephenville, Texas.-Hamilton County is represented by 35 students in John Tarleton Agricultural College this fall, ranking next cows, teams, tools and everything, to Erath County in the number for one year or longer, to experfrom 111 Texas counties and from Mississippi, North Carolina, Oklahoma and Cuba.

Irene Anderson of Fairy; Stanton la Stanford and Herman Edward manufacturer's proving ground. Walton of Hamilton; and S. J. laday, Katherine Randals, F. H. laday, Katherine Randals, F. H. up of ton and a half Chevrolet Boone, Lois Boone, William D. Trucks modified by two extra wheels in the rear, attained speeds of thirty miles an hour in shelland Frances Vickrey of Hico.

Hico as their postoffice address keted under water at high tide.

Each truck in the unit moutaine registered Woodrow Walker, a machine gun, thousands

NEW CORPORATIONS IN SEPTEMBER HAVE

New corporations granted charters by the secretary of state during September, though 4.4 per cent

were in the loan business.

"All the other groups showed

out I would suggest that every \$5,000 also increased from Aug-

STEPHENVILLE CHURCH MARKS ANNIVERSARY

mob in production and marketing was celebrated Sunday morning in designed fundamentally a special service from 10 o'clock protection of both the farmer and to noon. Several former members the buyer of milk and cream. cotton growing industry and a the State attended. Talks were acted by the regular session of as Davis of Tarleton Carlton Col- satisfaction with testing methods. Thursday-Fridaylege, representing the three 25-Agriculture is funda- year periods of the history of the church, after which Pastor Wilfinancial and social structure is secure." cast of what should be accomplished during the 25 years to the price.

EFFECT OF BUSINESS

come before the one hundredth

If life were a game birthday of the church.

ton, former pastor here, who is folks would sleep in rose beds. well known throughout Texas. He once served as missionary of the reckon with the thorns. state Baptist convention. Other "He who would climb depression's effects on the na-numbers on the program consist-tion's health, news from Washing-ed of three selections by the branches—not the blossoms. numbers on the program consist- said Thackeray, "must grasp its Comedy der the direction of Mrs. Swan Richardson, and vocal solos by places and not expect simply to Mrs. Willis Higginbotham of Ste- coast down the hill all the time.

The dispute started when Surgeon General Hugh. S. Cumming, members prior to 1860, Mr. and About the only thing that has quered by President Hoover, sent a reassuring report of "no general Worth, and I. N. Roberts of Valbeing worked for or sought after

Government Men Developing Modern **Tools For Next War**

Lee Hall, Va .- Firm in the be ments of the last one, a new type enced party .- J. J. Smith, Route enrollment of 806, with students of army combat unit with modern motor trucks replacing the prov-erbial army mule, is being devel-Students from Hamilton County are: Donald Claude of Carlton; ground at Camp Eustis.

While motorization of infantry Richardson, Robert Palmer Hill for movement of troops has been Thursday, Oct. 22. Bring what you and Lula Pittman of Indian Gap; under development for some time, have.—C. D. Phillips. 20-1tc. Alfred R. Dooley of Ireland; Rose the plan of using trucks as an ad-FAMILY WASHING 50c; quilts covered over at a bargain.—Mrs. Inez Fuqua and James Isaac Rifew months. At a recent demon-Mary Joiner, 2 blocks east post- ley of Pottsville; Norman Schrank, stration of the new unit, witnessoffice. (19-3tc.) Lee Lytton Harkins, Glenn Olive ed by a delegation of automobile NOTICE—Hunting fishing, pecan Ashton, Ona Dell Ashton, Ruth Risinger, Everett Blackwell, Des-Vice-President and General Sales sie Victoria Baize, Maxine Dur- Manager of the Chevrolet Motor ham, Bessie Cowling, Mamie Lee Company, the light fast trucks Cates, Bradley Gardner, Ruth Hibets, Johnie Petree, Hattie Eumore rigorous than those on the

> With no semblance of roads to Cheek, Jr., Dorothea Francis Hol- guide it, the motorized unit, made torn waste land, over wooded The following students giving knolls and through swamps blan-

Each truck in the unit mounts Commissioner Says Grady Littleton and Ernest Floyd rounds of ammunition and fuel, and is manned only by a driver and machine gunner. Each truck replaces two mule teams and requires only half the personnel of \$4,753,000 CAPITAL the old method of machine gun transport. .

ideal for the work because if mired they may be towed free by

"Should reflect more nearly cotton's intrinsic values." His statement:

"Ohl companies dontinue to by the unit consists of part of a by the un "With present prices for agrias compared with 30 in August. Infantry in 1929. Although two
cultural crops the farmer is left
and 34 in September, 1930," the
years old, with each year of army
years old, with each year of army bureau's report said. "Of the to- experimentation equal to five commerce, transportation, schools and society. All must suffer. tal of 45 foreign permits granted in September, 18 were to companment is still rendering daily ser-

Texas, Such prices mean bank- per cent as compared with Septional equipment to make possite the maximum yield, ruptcy and despair, and all this tember of last year. Nine out of ble motorized combat units as a One planter, McDonald said, last when there has been abundant pro- the twelve companies organized part of the extra fighting equip- year experimented with cheap poment of the army.

TEST CREAM UNDER NEW STATE STATUTE

AUSTIN, Texas.-More than for cream and butterfat testers acre. On another twenty acres, he "The number of corporations since the new law requiring lilar legislation by other cotton or more increased from nine in tive in August, according to M. S. August to ten in September, while Fraze, weights and measures chief to the acre. "As commissioner of agriculture at the same time the number in the state department of agri-

licenses in the short time since this better seed was sold for \$220. "More out-of-state corporations the law became effective was re- In other words, an initial investdity at one-half production cost were granted permits to do business garded as somewhat of a feat, in-ment of \$27.90 more for good plant asmuch as there was NO previous ing seed brought a return of \$220 schools, society, labor and homes. er September on record. As com- record of cream testers and by more per acre. Subtract the cost

Inspectors, meanwhile, are check \$192.10 per acre. ing up on equipment and methods of the testers as rapidly as possi-ble with the small force of men but the results would be equally allotted to the work. Fraze said applicable in Texas, "Poor seed, STEPHENVILLE.—The seven- inspectors had universally found a he said, "is not good at any price. ty-fifth anniversary of the First willingness to cooperate with the Baptist Church of Stephenville state men in the work which was

The cream testing law was encomplete collapse of cotton land made by Rev. George B. Ely of the legislature after numerous values.

Fort Worth Rev. Walter T. Hills- complaints had been made to legis-

The trouble with a lot of us is

the rewards were handed out on The opening prayer was given a silver platter to anyone who by Rev. John P. Gilliam of Clif- happened to ask for them, lots of But unfortunately, you've got to

phenville and Miss Allene Hickey We get pretty much what we of Dallas, a former member here. go after—if we go after it hard About the only thing that has

FOUND IN HEM OF SKIRT OF WOMAN 93 YEARS OF AGE RED TAG' CALLED BEST GUARANTY IN PURCHASING SI

New York .- She has never seen lief that the next war cannot be around in brown paper parcels fought successfully with instru-

\$350,000 hidden in the room of Mrs. Ida E. Wood early this week,

The division of seed certification chief in the department of agriculture, warns. and were surprised. But the little old lady—she is 93 years old, and her memories include a waltz with niling lists of certified seed broad niling lists of certified seed broad niling lists of certified seed broad niling lists of certified seed broad. the then Prince of Wales and court piling lists of certified seed breedship by Samuel Tilden-had plenty where that came from.

When Mrs. Wood, who resents all this bother and pother of a guardian and an administrator and red tag before buying, he stated. a conservator, retired last night, her nurse observed her nimbly hiding some object.

cle. It was a paper-wrapped packbanknotes nearly age; \$10,000 half a million dollars' worth.

nephew (it was he who first ask- the signatures of the commissioner ed the court to take steps to care of agriculture and the chief of the for his aunt and the mysterious division of field seed certificawealth she sometimes referred to). tion. The nephew turned the money over to court, but refilled the paper wrapper with newspaper, for fear it bears this tag. All approved it bears this tag. the excitement of discovery of the cotton seed comes under two clasoss of the money might prove sifications, designated by red and harmful to Mrs. Wood.

million dollars.

Mrs. Wood, over her protest, Because of its speed and flex- ters. She has been provided with mer. As a purchaser of certified ibility the unit is particularly a nurse-a circumstance that seed, your best protection is to valuable for pursuit work and in brought a sniff from the nonogen-

The automotive equipment used fortable she will "run away."

GAIN IN PLANTING BEST POTATO SEED

tatoes and the best stock, to determine whether the higher cost of the good stock would be offset by the increased yield. He planted fifteen acres to old

seed, nice in appearance, and costing \$1 per barrel, and the planted the highest quality seed. rel, and got a yield of 160 barrels

The extra cost per acre for the Issuance of the large number of The extra yield per acre from pared with last year the number far the larger part of the licenses of the planting seed, and the net were applied for voluntarily.

The records, McDonald said, are

-HICO-

CLARA BOW

"KICK IN" things, but aren't willing to pay Special 1-2 Admission 10c-15c Movatone News

> WRAY and VICTOR Mc-LAUGHLEN

"He who would climb a tree." "NOT EXACTLY GENTLEMEN"

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mortality rates." He based his conclusion on reports received at his office, citing particularly 13 states with 43,000,00 population.

The statement was challenged by the united hospital fund which proclaimed "little doubt in local medical circles as to averse effect of hard times on the public health." Homer Wickenden, fund director, cited a survey of 141 hospitals in New York City, "showing an abnormal and progressing increase in hospital cases concurrent with the period of depression."

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