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A West Texas Paper For West Texas People

FROM AUSTIN

Saturday

With Every Pack-

age of

Washing

We will give away a number.

After 100 packages have

been\_ sold,\_ we\_ will

shake up the num-

bers and the

person

holding

the

LUCKY NUMBER

BOYS' HIGH

SPEED ROLLER

COASTER

WAGON

Remember its given away

SATURDAY A number with every package

PLAY BY YOURSELF

The other day A. B. Hogan was en-

joying a good game of golf by him-

self an as he approached the green

at number eight to greet him was a

most vicious looking creature known

to man. Hogan (or better known as little Archie) being a fearless man,

stood his ground, in a very desperate

scuffle Archie secured the body sissors on the reptile and pinned him to the ground. After tieing him hog

fashion, he shook himself and said,

"I guarantee that made me plenty sore." He then finished his game

and brought the reptile to town. No

one yet has determined the species of

F. W. Jennings, manager of Braz-

elton Lumber Company, made a busi-

ness trip to Sweetwater Tuesday.

Powder

Lighthouse

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#### NORTHWEST TEX. FAIR TO HAVE CREAT FIRE-WORKS DISPLAY

fireworks and electrical display. C. caption "The Lone Star State of Tex- just died in Austin. Mr. Young wired light shower Tuesday, but the ter- ust 16th., by Rev. Percy Jones, Min- closing September 3rd. This will be Love, who is Secretary of the Fair as" The New York World editorially his brother at Greenville to go to ritory along Dockum and Duck Creeks ister. The public are cordially in- a great feat for a town the size of Assoication, has been working on said: od the Times force this work that honors. It is now announced that train for Fairlee to be there when about dark Tuesday caused chiefly PLAIN TALK-

stance of the conversation.

Typy department of the Fair Association is busy outlining programs and making plans for the Fair. "If the good farmers will just help us a tle to cocure exhibits, we will show ountry," was one statement from a

Dickens County has been a prize nnor county at the State Fair at Dallac, and we have another very good opportunity to be a winner again in 1925. The recent rains have suprlied plenty of moisture, and a hothouse is the only place vegetation will grow faster than in Dickens County. The farmers need to begin now to solvet material for the County Fair. Bring in the best, and if you do not get the prize, your products will at least be a compliment to the county, and you will help the winner advertise the country.

Every committee will do their part and this is the year the world will learn about the good farmers of Dickens County.

#### SCHOOL BOARD

HOLDS MEETING

Among cher business transpoted at the meeting of the local School truck to be used in trans- right. ound Church, too far for a few weeks ago. to come through the cold provided with good convey-

thing in their power to make our are succeeding creditably too. They are handling the finances in an economical manner and providing equipment second to none for a school of 5:30 to 7:00 Regular

They have been instrumental in se- Eveningscuring a good faculty for the coming term, by next Spring it is reliably thought that the standard of the school will be raised a great deal.

#### TEXAS MAY TAKE NAME A SAD MESSAGE OF "EMPIRE STATE"

this great feature and reliably inform | "One by one Texas acquires new home. He then boarded the afternoon | Duck Creek went out of banks this would constitute are exhibit for the state has become the leading the body arrived. for. In conversation with Mr. Love Texas took first place in value of been rather unexpected, as Mr. Young we were told, "We are going to give farm products. A few years earlier came here not expecting any change the people the best, yet." "You are at Texas crowded Illinois and Pennsyl- for the worse. He had just arrived I'berty to tell them so," was the sub- vania to the wall and assumed the in Spur in time to be at the funeral leadership of the Union in railway of his sister and thought he would mileage, in fact its steam railways spend a few days before returning. have nearly twice as great a lenght as New York's. A few years ago, too, Texas bested Miscuri for fifth place in the population tables, and now is world that Dickens County is the hard on Ohio's heels for fourth place. Few Easterners appreciate the fact that "Ma" Ferguson now presides over a population of well over five million, a greater number than Washngton ruled when he bacame Presi-

"It is hard to keep a state down when it has 266,000 square miles of fertile terirtory, a fourth again as much as France or Germany. New York can still call itself the Empire State, but it as to recognize that there is a new empire developing in the Southwest.'- Terry Co. Herald

#### CONTRACT FOR A

NEW CITY HALL

The City Commissioners let a contract yesterday morning for the construction of a new City Jail. The new structure is to be reinforced conerete, the dimensions being 12 x 24ft. There will be two apartments and so constructed that they can be kept san-

Chas Whitener, Spur's reliable concrete man, has the contract. and when d Tuesday, was the remaining of Whatener does the work it is done

ildren to school. Spur Dis- The new building is to be placed ds one mile north of the near where the old jail burned

#### SPUR SKATING RINK

Open every day except Sunday. We Our School Board are doing every- want you to attend Church Sundays. Time Schedule

9:00 to 10:30 Ladies Only. 10:30 to 12:00 Regular. Afternoon-

4:00 to 5:30 Regular 7:00 to 7:30 Closed for Supper

Three Periods. 7:30 to :900 Regular 9:00 to 10:30 Regular 10:30 to 12:00 Regular. J. M. BATES, Manager

#### MORE HEAVY RAINS; DUCK CREEK FLOODS

Austin and have the body shipped was visited by heavy rains.

from head rise. Many of the farms state of the nation's export trade, It is understood that Mrs. Young along this stream were covered with from the overflow.

ing luxuriantly, and so far as moisture is concerned the country is assured of the best crops in its history. Many farmers have stated they will get a half bale and some are con tending for a bale to the acre this year. That will be fine for a country where you can buy land as cheap as it is in Dickens County. Many people will raise enough cotton this year on a hundred acres to pay for a quarter

#### A CARD OF THANKS

We take this manner of expressing our thanks to our neighbors and friends, to Dr. Nichols and the nurses of the Nichols Sanitarium, for their kindness and help during the illness and death of our wife, mother and sister, Mrs. Carrie V. Shockley. What your kindness in this sad hour meant to us cannot be expressed in words. We trust the favors of Him, who watches over us all, will be a blessing to you. Everybody was so willing and ready to do all they could, that it made our troubles seem so much light er, and that we had friends to make

our dark hours brighter. T. V. Shockiey and children, H. B. Shockley Miss Inez Shockley M. L. Young.

NOTICE-LOST LOST-ene truck tire, mounted or rim size 30 x 5. Between Dickers and Puck Crook on Lubbock road. Liberal Reward if returned to L. T. Stanford Highway Bridge Contractor, Dichens

#### EPISCOPAL SERVICES SUNDAY AUGUST 16

New York acknowledges that its M. L. Young, who was here on ac- Saturday night and Tuesday after- The services of the Protestant One of the great features of the title as the "Empire Stat" is shaky count of the illness and death of his noon heavy rains visited parts of Episcopal Church will be held at the forthwest Texas Fair to be held in and that Texas is on the way to su-sister, Mrs. T. V. Shockley, received Dickens County creating many swol- Presbyterian Church in Spur at elev-ly made, Spur will have a four-days Spur September 24-25-26, is a great premacy. In an editorial under the a message Monday that his wife had len streams. Spur just received a en o'clock on Sunday morning, Aug- Chautauqua beginning August 31, and

Stop! Look! Listen!

drone in the hive, for all that a drone of. wheel to keep it from moving? Did enjoy a great time. you just naturally get up on the wrong side of the bed when you were MISS CONKLIN RETURNS born and have you never gotten straightened out yet? Are you a wet wfully bad for folks to think you ore not; then why live towards your that impression upon them with rerthe church some respect occasionary, ing much in order to help the people. and if you are not come out in the pen and declare yourself. Don't try MRS. VEDNON COUID. o make a false and hypocritical impression. One other thing! From now on, try to arrange to be in Sunday chool. You are needed, wanted, and

## FOUR DEAD AND FIFTEEN

and fifteen were wounded when the verce at Reno several months ago. police fired on a mob of "bread ricters" in the small town of St. It is claimed that light-col Insurance Agency, left Monday to John Fior, according to reports re- stockings on a girl make one look visit relatives and friends in Anson. celved from Consenz.

#### CHAUTAUQUA FOR SPUR TO BE ABOUT SEPTEMBER FIRST

According to arrangements former-Spur, but people are in the habit of doing the big things and putting over a Chautauqua is nothing out of the ordinary for Spur people.

The program will consist of eight Through Mr. Leve's untiring ef. shipping more merchandis abroad had been in ill health for some time water, and highways for a half mile Next Sunday Morning at Eleven numbers of high classed entertainforts there have been many other \$731,593,000 worth—than even New and was being treated at a hospital or more back from the creek were un- o'clock, Rev. Walter J. Wade of Jay- ment. These entertainments will be creat entertaining features arranged York. A year ago Iowa yielded as a Austin. The death seems to have able to be traveled on account of the ten, Texas will preach a big sermon given by the stage artists of America, water over them. However, there are at the First Baptist Church of Spur, and will be of a character such as is very few farms that were washed and we want every body in the town found in the great theaters and opera and country round about to hear him. houses of Chicago and New York. Peo West Texas is fast becoming a very Let everybody wake up bright and ple in this country rarely ever get to humid country. The crops are grow- arly Sunday morning and get ready attend a big thing in Chicago, but if and go to Sunday School. Go to your they will attend this Chautauqua they unday School. Don't be a slacker, will get a very good idea of what a or slackers are no good! Don't be a great Chicago entertainment consists

> loes is to get in the way of those There will be entertainment by difhat work. Don't be a liability, be ferent companies of such a nature to n asset to the institution that you suit most everybody. Musical probelong to. Listen. O! you Christian grams, readings, magic performances, re you saved to go about mouthing lectures by great speakers-in fact, about things? Was it designed that there will be a great diversification you should only be a chunk in the in the programs. Come and see, and

Miss Lavena B. Conklin, who has ceather or a dry weather saint? Are been in Colorado the past three weeks ou a protracted meeting christian? returned back to Spur Tuesday and is Are you really a Chirstian at all? now buy in her office. Miss contre you any account at all for any klin had intended to remain away unthing in the world? You would hate til September 1st., as she was doing some post graduate work in her profession, but business arrangements hurch and follow men as to force became such that she had to return to take care of her many patients. Dr. rence to your self? I think you are Bronson left before he was to have good kind of feller, and I am expect- gene, which necessitated her early reng you to go to church some time. If 'urn. She reports that she was enyou are for the church then short joying a great time, and was learn-

RENO DIVORCEE, WEDS.

RENO. Nev.-Mrs. Vernon Helen Gould, said to be a member of the welcomed if you come.

J. L. F. Parker last Monday. She was quietly married millionaire Geri'ds, was a bride again. he Reno. Novala, to Wilbur N. Rose. California and Nevoda insurance man. HURT IN ITALY POT Mrs. Gould's residence was given ROME-Four persons were killed as Toronto. She was granted a di-

cooler. No, they make one look longer.

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### 18-Inch Cannon Mounted On Special Cars Built For Use Outside of Japan

#### United States May Be The Object

That the next great war that the United States will have to fight will be with Japan, is a very well settled conclusion among army experts and engineers now in the Orient. There are a great many people of this country who say, "Japan will not amount to anything with the United States." It is the paramount conclusion among those who understand the military powers of the world, that Japan is the most dreaded nation of present time. England is posibly the most powerful nation but there is not much probability that we will have to face England in a war soon. Japan has an idea that she must fight America, and like Germany when Kaiser Bill decided he must whip te world, Japan is making great preparations to

For consideration on this question this condition as given out by Rowland R. Magill. Mr. Magill was an Electrical and Mechanical Engineer in the U.S. Army during the late War, and has just returned from a in part is as follows:

Paris from a distance of seventy miles was fired, the world was dismayed.

Japan today is building similar calls them "coast defense" guns. They splitting. are much more mobile than the big German weapons, but they have a I think, the world will listen again

I had an opportunity to see these guns and estimate their possibility. I have a speed of thirty-two knots. have told of the giant submarines Primarily, I suppose, they would be is laboring ceaselessly to prepare for Japan is building in quantities, of ehe regarded as commerce destroyers. In a war seems to think is inevitable. swift tanks and the various other addition to these ships she is working devices of warfare that Japan is turn- already on eight new cruisers, four the preparation for war. The whole ing out wholesale.

These guns are in the same cateighteen inch bore and a very long barrell. They will not carry seventy miles, but I feel sure they will carry thirty with accuracy. They are being made at the Kurn naval arsenal where I spent about ten days.

In general appearance, except for War. They appear much bigger, how-ever, and, seemingly, they are not intended for naval work at all, terway. for they are mounted on specially constructed flat cars.

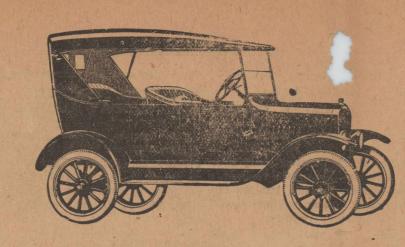
,I have mentioned in regard to the railroads of Japan, that all the roads are narrow guage and no attempt is being made to change to standard

fenset guns have a surprising charactorn away very quickly if necessary teristic. They are built to run on the and the guns, of the existence of Chicago, who are on their way home the trouble can be eliminated to double tracks of a narrow guage rail- which very few people know, brought from the gathering at Seattle. road ordinarily. But when the car is into play. turned about it exactly fits a standard guage railroad.

are ready for use in Japan, where gan. They are greater, I am equally the railroads are all narrow guage, sure, than any fortifications of Great Pasadena Commandery. or in some other country where the Britian. There are many of them, found! I was not given any expla- equipped with the latest of the guns nation of this very surprising charactithe country is turning out. But no

an up-to-date weapon. Its recoil ap- outside of them. paratus is the best known. Furthermore, the flat car on which the gun rides is equipped with spreaders, cated that she expects trouble, while which flatten out when the gun is the location of her fortifications infired and prevent the recoil overturning the car. It is all very ingenious and quite as good, I believe, as anything of its kind in the world today. facing east. It my even be a little better.

gun, Japan is turning out sixteen inch heavy guns in the steel fac- marines in the world, capable of retories as well as the arsenals.



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Of course, as my lecturing took of running as high as fifteen knots TEXAS GIRL PLAYING thorough as might be wished. I leased and catapulted into the air.

When I saw one of the planes they able war engines ever devised. an army officer:

"But that's a Liberty motor. What miles. re you doing with that over here?" He replied:

the Liberty motor is Japanese. It was developed by Mitsui and Company. They have no lack of aviators in Japan. The Japanese, of course, are

fatalists. If they are killed experimenting with a new plane, as many of them are, they are content to be we desire that you take an incite into are quite frequent. It seems to me at one time they were killing an aviator a day at least .

They are making non-stop flights of 500 and 600 miles frequently. They are using Liberty motors pretty lecturing tour of Japan. His account generally, and they build their planes with a special native wood which When the first big gun with which doesn't need any protection from the the Germans started to bombard weather. Hence they do not varnish for the reason that a very thin layer tering and extending her railroads guns. They are not so big and she of it can be drilled without the wood

terrible range. When they are fired She has about completed a building cessantly, working twentyfour hours nrogram that gives her seventeen a day. light cruisers of about 5,500 tons each.

The seventeen new ships of war over the country.

of 10,000 tons each and four of 7,100 egory. They are great guns with an gram is extensive. Not long since stantly print news of war preparato wage war.

I made a map of Japan, showing the important fortifications. Generalthe extremely long barrel, the guns the East: are on the eastern coast, the United States, with the Japanese, landed in France during the World except where there is an entrance to of course, victorious. a passageway between the islands or I delivered more than a dozen lec-

away a part of one of the walls of a fort, and revealed the fact that great guns had been placed inside without outlet for the muzzle. In other words, Now these flat cars which are be- the guns pointed into solid masonry ing made for the so-called coast de- But of course that masonry could be

The fortifications of Japan seemed The guns, therefore, with their merous than those on the German teristic of the "coast defense" guns. one can get inside them. In fact, it In all its parts the great gun is is almost impossible to get near the

It seemed clear to me that all the war-like preparations of Japan indidicates she does not expect that trouble from the West. Her back, so to speak, is toward China; she is

My first hand knowledge of Jap-In addition to the enghteen inch an's preparations for war shows: Japan is building the largest sub-

me to the arsenals, not to the air- an hour, submerged. These submaplane plants, my insight into the rines are each equipped with two airproduction of airplanes was not as planes, which can be instantly re-

learned, however, that the Japanese Japan is turning out, in fair quanare buying and making planes all the tities, mobile small tanks and larger time, experimenting, changing and tanks capable of making twenty-five girl. "The Mystery Rider" is a thrill- Etta May Gaier, with the metal end keeping abreast of their countries in miles an hour, so built that they are the development of planes of all sorts probably the most nearly invulner-

had been using, I said to my escort, Japan is building great eighteeninch guns with a range of fully thirty

Japan is strengthening her navy, having just completed seventeen "Yes; that's a Liberty motor. But small, very fast cruisers and build- esting. ing eight larger cruisers.

> Japan permits no oil to be sent out of the country; she is holding and she is fast developing iron mines of her own.

Japan is manufacturing a new rifle gathered to their ancestors. Deaths in one arsenal alone at the rate of 500 or 600 rifles a day; re-equipping of 8,000,000 men.

perimenting and bettering her planes Nice, huh?" in every way all the time, meanwhile constructing airplane carriers.

Japan is building dirigibles and pre paring for the extensive manufactheir planes. The wood is very light ture of poison gas. She is making and peculiarly adapted to airplanes giant torpedoes and constantly bet-

Japan is making machine guns of two types in great quantities and her It is no secret that Japan is arsenals and steelfactories are turnstengthening her navy very rapidly. ing out munitions and armor plate in- Patsy Ruth Miller.

In the course of my frequent and numerous visits to the arsenals of Japan, where I gave more than a dozen lectures on the hardening of steel,

I had an expectage of my frequent and augument of the last of these, the Abukuma, was delayed on account of the earthquake in Tokio and is now being fitted at the Wawaski dockyard.

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In a dozen other minor ways, Japan

There is no secret in Japan about country knows about it and is paying tons. It will be seen her building pro- for it, of course. The papers conit gave grave concern in some quar- tions. They print, too, very strong ing season. tors in Great Britian. I think the intimations that the United States is ost Japanese cruisers of the new the country with which Japan expects

They have even had a motion picture, such as it was, dealing with the Get at them early. ly speaking, all of them face toward subject of war between Japan and

an opening into some important wa- tures at the arsenal and universities in Japan and everywhere I saw and I doubt if the actual strength of heard the same things. I saw vast these fortifications is known to any preparations for war and I heard talk foreigner. There is a story which I against the United States, though believe, that the earthquake tore it was no secret I was an American

PASADENA PLAYS HOST TO 230 KNIGHTS TEMPLARS

PASADENA, Calif.—Passadena was host to 230 members of Humbolt

to me to be greater and more nu- luncheon at Hotel Maryland, where

ON SCREEN AT LYRIC

interest it carries. She is characterizing "Nan" in this famous drama and is the third screen star from the

Her own little account of her family as told to a friend is very inter-

"From Texas, my dear! There are three of us!"

Thus quoth beautiful Eileen Sedgthree years' supply of rice in reserve, wick, another of the Lone Star State's moving picture queens found in our search for Texas stars.

"There's Josephine, the Wild West girl, and my sister; brother, Edward, who used to do fat man comedy parts, her army, and has a reserve army but now is directing with his own company; and me. We were all born Japan is building airplanes in quan- in Galveston, educated there and are cities, with Liberty motors, and ex- all working in pictures for Universal.

"Yes, indeed it's nice, Eileen! We agree heartily.

Eileen, the beauty of the Sedgwick family, has just finished a serial with William Desmond called "Beasts of Paradise." Josie has just finished a "The Sawdust Trail." Edward has Western picture with Hoot Gibson, just completed the production of "Bimi," with Norman Kerry and

A Texas family to be proud of!

HORTICULTURE FACTS

Wood ashes are good fertilizer to apply in small quantities to fruit

Under no circumstances must the young dewberry plants be allowed to battle with weeds.

Sheets spread beneath plum threes to catch the curculios make the insects easy to gather up and destroy.

Lead arsenate alone, or in combination with lime, should never be applied to peach trees during the grow-

Keep bug poison mixed and handy. Bugs are early in early springs, and worse yet, they stay late. The longer the season the more they can breed.

Th plum requires a little more waer than other tree fruits, and culti vation and cover crop are necessary to give sufficient moisture.

Grape rows should be about ten feet apart for most varieties. The vines should be set from eight to ten feet apart in the row. Strong growng vines should be set ten feet apart.

Despite the fact that plums want rich soil, probably most of the ferilizers used for this fruit are wasted. Poultry about plum trees is a great nelp in destroying bugs.

Bacterial leaf spot of peach cannot Commandery, Knights Templar, of be controlled by spraying. However, great extent by orchard practices The visitors were driven about which will keep the trees in the best the city and later entertained at a of health and vigor. In addition to cultivation, applications of some ni-Chairman F. B. Cole, of the board trogenous fertilizer, such as nitrate own specially constructed flat cars, frontier when the European war be- of city directors, extended greetings, of soda or sulphate of ammonia, will both for the municipality and for be found very helpful in increasing the vigor of the trees.

ADOPTED, FATHER MAKES CHILD EAT SOAP, CHARGE from school.

It might be of great interest to | NEW YORK,-Bert Emery of each Friday evening at the Lyric \$1,000 bail on charges made against of soap at a time. Theater here, is honored by a Texas him that he beat a 10-year-old child. in his care by the Children's Aid country.

> Emory when he is said to have beat-carbon paper for cloth stampen Etta May because he was dissatis- ing and copy work.

fied with the report she brought home

The girl's body was found to be covered with bruises, and neighbors know that the serial being shown Somerville, N. J., is at liberty in a told of having seen her eat a pound

While toys of rubber from Amering picture and Miss Eileen Ledg- of a razor strop and forced her to ica are gaining in favor in Europe, wick is largely responsible for the eat soap by the pound as punishment children of the Old World are playfor disobedience. The child was placed ing with few of other toys from this

> The Dickens County Times Neighbors made complaint against now carries in stock a good

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vat and collarattached shirt manufac- of the smartest shops." turer declared yesteday upon his return from Europe, the last lap of his 48,000 BOTTLES BEER four and a half months' trip around

Frenchman with the Englishman Company, Blue Island, Ill., was seized Results: Over \$300 out of the "shower are seeking investment. All statis-

pointed, their trousers are too long prohibition enforcement office. and their shirts too loud, whereas in The shipment consisted of 48,000 England the men wear suits of al- bottles of beer, from the Carlton Commost plain colors, smart cravats and pany North Philadelphia.

possible," Marion R. Gray, president ing advertised extensively in London you two or three yearlings. of the Marion R. Gray Company, cra- and is being featured in the displays Another farmer had his worthless age of ten second-grade rail bonds

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MOTOR INN

In comparing the well dressed mixture to the Campbell Construction wee hours of night to beat the rain. rise as a general rule when funds across the channel, Mr. Gray said: in the Pennsylvania yards at Ham-bath" he received that night. "In Paris the men's shoes are too mond, Ind., by agents of the Chicago

Mrs. T. V. Shockley was called away in death at the Nichols Sanitarium last Saturday evening. She came to the sanitarium a few days before money American women spend to ensuffering from complications, and hance their beauty have been made under went an operation which was public at the National Convention of thought might save her. There was Beauty Experts in Chicago. not much hopes entertained after a change for worse come. However, everything was done to obtain her re-

Mrs. Shockley was born in the while a small girl. She became acquainted with Mr. Shockley and in November 1908 they pledged alleboy, all of whom are living.

faith in Christianity and united with the M. E. Church. After her marriage she united with the Baptist Church to be with her husband in the work. She was faithful to the cause to which she aspired. Her pastor said she was one member that could be counted on being at her duty.

She died August 8, having lived thirty-four years and six months. Rev. A. P. Stokes, her pastor, conducted the funeral services at the Baptist Church in Spur. Interment was made in Spur Cemetery, Campbell & Campbell having charge.

Mrs. Shockley will be greatly missed by her husband and children who mourn her going. The Steel Hill commuity have lost a good Christian character in her death. The Times joins the many friends in extending sympathy.

#### PLANT ALL AVAILABLE

merce, urging farmers to take care greatly to add to that prestige. of the feed situation.

as well as Crosby County. Read it ing exhibitions of the daring skill of

IT CAN BE DONE.

o carry his stock until February be- the lake. fore beginning on the regular crop. Eight head at \$10 per month. Five BOND PRICES WELL months \$400.—Yes.

One boy took a little idle corner that "Dad" said was not worth FOR STYLE; IT'S AWFUL! hose with brogues. The cravat of the made to buy a heifer yearling. Boys Englishman has not shown the color if father does not want to plant idle ticularly at the races, are the last word, but the men's styles are impossible." Marion R Gray president in advertised extension to do it yourself let him pay you for the grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may owe complete the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the high-grade rail bonds is 2.9 points above the may one of the part of the may one of the part of

night he said a rain nearing; he left lic utility bonds three points above the "straw" grabbed his sack of tur- last year and ten industrial bonds SIEZED IN CHICAGO nip seed and flashlight, found the four points above last year. A carload of beer billed as cement patch and scattered the seed in the Bond prices may be expected to

been in her history. This year you over a year ago, indicating an abunwill not be able to buy feed produced dance of funds for business purposes. by friend Jones, nor from but very RAILROADS CONTINUE few and scanty places in Texas. When you do, it will be on basis of \$40 to \$60 per ton for sorghum grains hundreds of dollars of maise.

> West Texas to supply funds to pur- of 37,000 cars under the correspondfact, a great deal of forage crops 118,357 cars over the preceding week, must be our dependance now. Every when loadings were curtailed some-

froughness" by planting NOW-The landlord who does not en- ing increases as compared with the courage his tenant to plant some week before. feed now and help the country to get by another year should sell out and SUBSCRIBE TO THE TIMES let some fellow have the place that will help the country to prosper.

Every farmer and individual who has cane, millet, turnip, or other seed suitable to plant now should let the Chamber of Commerce know about it and aid them in securing distribution of the seed at once. How much acreage are you going to plant, infectious germs with liquid Borozon how much seed do you have, how much will you need? Let it be known right now so your neighbor may be healing process. Price (liquid) 30c, 60c and \$1.20. Powder 30c and 60c. Sold by 

GET BY-IT CAN BE DONE.'

## HIGH COST OF BEAUTY

STATISTICS as to the amount of

It is disclosed that our women spend \$2,190,000,000 a year on cosmetics, powder, cold cream, lipsticks, perfumes and other aids to the toilette. In the last year 17,850,000 state of Alabama, February 8th., in boxes of rouge were sold. Hair dye 1891. She came to Texas in 1904 was bought to the total cost of \$7,-500,000.

Women who addressed the convention probably hit on the truth when giance to each other to be life part- they attributed these lavish purners. To this union there was born chases to the fact that more than four children, three girls and one 4,000,000 young women are employed at wages enabling them to buy When a child she professed her many luxuries in personal adornment.

## TOURISTS RATES BOOM

ATTENDANCE AT CHICAGO RODEO

The summer tourist fare rates now in effect on railroads to Chicago will be the means of increasing traffic considerably in the next couple of weeks, it is anticipated by railroad passenger agents who predict that many will take advantage of the lower fares to run to Chicago to witness the Roundup and World's Championship Rodeo, which is to be held in the Grant Park Stadium August 15 to 23 by the Chicago Association of Commerce.

Late vacationists and business men with an eye on the fall trade are expected to be in the vanguard of this movement on Chicago. August is a month buyers are "going to town" to lay in stocks, and the rodeo will LANDS TO FEED STUFF enable business men to combine business with pleasure. Each year Chi-By the courtesy of the secretary cago increases its prestige as a recreof the local chamber of commerce, we ational as well as a commercial and bands of it that outline the wing. secured the letter that was sent out industrial center, and the great Amer-

This is a very timely piece of in- has been hung up by the Chicago the glorious shades of reds, purples struction to our good farmers and if Assoication of Commerce for "The and greens. carried out will greatly relieve the Cowboys' Olympic Contests which for financial situation of Dickens County nine days will bring to Chicago thrillcowboys and cowgrls in competition pounds. If every idle acre is now planted for world's championship titles in to feed, cane, millet, turnips, etc, the broncho riding, calf roping, steer stock will smile at you and dollars wrestling and riding. Coming in the from the cotton crop will remain with latter half of August, after all the district roundups are over, only the "real hands" who have taken prize It costs several dollars a month to money at the earlier exhibitions will feed an animal. Figure the worth pit their skill against each other for of the extra acreage by the length a share of the large prizes and chamof time it will carry your stock- pionship belts and trophies offered at Chicago. This is why the eyes of One farmer in following the idle the entire sporting fraternity of the acreage idea raised enough feed extra country are upon the "windy city" by

ABOVE A YEAR AGO

WASHINGTON .- Prices of bonds mostly plain colored shirts and fancy while and planted. Results: Enough change are well above this time last year, as shown by a computation of bond averages.

(?) patch plowed up and Lo! One is 5.4 points above last year, ten pub-

tical indicators show trade and indus-Texas is probably the shortest on try at a higher level than a year ago. feed crops this year than she has Nevertheless bond prices have risen

### HEAVY FREIGHT LOADING

Loading of revenue freight for the Only a few acres of cane will save week ended on July 11 totaled 982,809 cars, according to reports filed by the carriers with the Car Service Di-Start NOW TO "GET BY" FOR vision of the American Railway As-ANOTHER YEAR. The banks cannot sociation. Compared with the corresouy all the feed. Its a matter of imponding week last year, this was an possibility for an ordinary bank of increase of 72,826 cars, but a decrease chase all the family and live stock ing week in 1923. The total for the needs. Some feed must be raised. In week of July 11 was an increase of farm can have a dandy stack of what due to the observance of Independence Day, all commodities show-

#### FOR HOME AND STABLE

ALL DRUGGISTS

## Get The Cheese Habit



EATING CHEESE IS AN EXCEPTIONALLY GOOD HABIT TO ACQUIRE. THE NOURISHMENT CONTAINED IN A POUND OF CHEESE EXCEEDS THAT IN MOST ANY OTHER FORM OF FOOD, POUND FOR POUND. WE HAVE THE BEST ON THE MARKET; ALSO FRESH GROCERIES FOR YOUR TABLE.

## Scott Brothers

Groceries and Meats The Home of Good Eats

#### **FASHION NOTES**

Fur notes: Brown is the leading color in furs,

gray the novelty.

so above the hem. The favorite flare in coats is from

Patou is fond of the wing drapery and many models display it. A

ANTELOPE is a new shoe fabric by the Crosbyton Chamber of Com- ican sportsmanship classic is expected which is a sort of lovely suede leath- THIEVES BREAK IN STORE er, having the softness and smooth-Thirty thousand dollars in purses ness of velvet, and it is dyed in all

#### SIX-YEAR-OLD BOY LOST IN MOSQUITO SWAMPS

Winnipeg, Six-year-old Alex. Fur coats stop just an inch or Richards, whose home is near Giroux. Man., 36 miles southeast of Winnipeg. is believed to be a victim of the mosquito swamps in the vicinity of his home, and is now believed dead. Mising several days, search parties, aided white georgette model has inserted have combed the district for miles bands of black chantilly lace and without finding the slightest trace of the youngster.

# VAULT, STEAL \$17,000

VICTORIA, B. C.,—Thieves broke into the main vault of the big David Spencer department store here some-Rhinocerous horns sold in one day time over the week end and escaped recently at Antwerp weighed 165 with all of Saturday's receipts that amounted to \$17,000 in cash.

# Again Ready

TO DO CLEANING AND PRESSING FOR YOU We are located in the rear of Simpson's Barber Shop and can give you first class tailor work.

BRING US YOUR WORK AND GIVE US A TRIAL

# OTTO MOTT

The Quality Cleaner

Presented at

## LYRIC THEATER

MONDAY AND TUESDAY, AUGUST 17TH AND 18TH.

WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY, AUGUST 19TH AND 20TH

We are favoring our people with that famous Comedy Drama

WITH POTASH AND PERLMUTTER

The greatest Comedy Philosophers in the world. See Them

TO UNDERSTAND THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN SANITARY CLOTHES PRESSING AND THE UNSANITARY METHODS USED

CAN WE Help You

We sterilize and disinfect a garment while pressing it with clean, hot, dry steam.

Come in and let us explain the nany advantages of our up-to-theminute method.

Huie, The Tailor Phone 61

# Thousand of Dollars Are Sent Out of Spur Each Year.

SAVE YOUR FEED CROP! We are prepared to help you cut down your feed bills. You can do with our method of saving feed We have a complete stock of M:CORMAK ROW BINDERS, Deering twine and a complete stock of repairs Call in and let us talk the matter over with you.

# Spur Hardware & Furniture Company

Spur's Oldest

J. M. Perry, of Haskell, is here visiting his brother, W. K. Perry.

LOCALS

was greeting friends on our streets fairs. Tuesday.

with her mother in Marlin, returned home Sunday.

S. W. Vernon, of Highway, was transacting business with our merchants Wednesday.

D. L. Woods, of McAdoo, was transacting business with Spur merchants Wednesday.

Bailey Frazier, of McAdoo, was looking after business affairs in our city Wednesday.

J. R. Dozier, north of town, was transacting business with Spur merchants Wednesday.

John Southworth, of Dickens, is greeting friends in our city this week. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds, of him in town.

Mr. Maccn, of McAdoo, was doing some trading with our merchants last

O. L. Allen, of Dickens, was in our city trading Wednesday and stated his crop is just fine.

LAST CHANCE- to buy Best Flour \$4.50 per 100 lbs.—C. A. Love. doing some trading with Spur mer-ths week

Berl Hight, of the Tri County Lumber Company, was a business visitor in Afton Monday.

Cal Martin, manager of the City Drug Store, is in Austin and Waco

N Travis Cochran, Bush and Gerts!

city Tuesday and sold a couple of been in years.

is here visiting friends in Spur and Watson left Saturday for a fishing He says crops are good at McAdoo. Dickens. Mrs. Dunn formerly was a trip in Old Mexico. resident of this county.

He had some car trouble which held Croton, were doing some trading here Monday.

Todays topic—Are you skating?

Mrs. M. Gay, of Dickens, was trans | Monday. acting business here Monday.

Margaret Kennedy, of Jayton, was doing some shopping in Spur Monday.

chants Monday.

visit with friends in Abilene, also our streets Monday. Hico and El Paso.

Mrs. Will Rogers and daughter, Fred P. Dawson of Roaring Springs this week looking after business af- Cathleen, of Stanton, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Brown.

We are headquarters for high grade health, returned home here Monday. Mrs. R. B. Johnston, who has been Piano representative, slipped into our Candies and left handed drinks .pur Drug Co.

Miss Ethel McCulloch left Satur-

J. T. Hale, of Dickens, was trading in our city Tuesday. He stated that crop prospects were the best they had

Hilton Manning, Robert and James Mrs. D. H. Dunn, of Breckenridge, McCormick, Alph Glasgow and Mack transacting business here Wednesday.

LAST CHANCE— to buy Best ing relatives and friends in Abilene Mrs. Jack Stevens. Their daughter the past month, came in the first of is in the Nichols Sanitarium. the week to take up his work at

The rain was fine, but a left handed Coca-Cola is hard to beat. Try one at the Spur Drug Co.

P. M. Brantley, of McAdoo, was greeting friends in Spur Wednesday. He reported crops good in that pars

W. S. Campbell, of Campbell & Campbell Furniture Company, left the first of the week for Munday to be with his aged father who is ill.

E. C. Edmonds, president of th City National Bank, is in Austin this week meeting with the Highway Commission and looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Rape, of near which and all the state of the state Dickens, were guests in our city last

For better drinks see Pike at the -Spur Drug Co.

Miss Lois Vernon, of Highway com-W. W. Waldrop, of Dickens, was munity is visiting friends in Spur

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McArthur, of Miss Creola Jordan left Friday for Red Mud, were greeting friends on

> T. C. Ensey, who has been in the northern markets for Bryant-Link Co. returned home the last of the week.

Mrs. L. N. Riter, who has been in Mineral Wells recuperating her

For better drinks and better service its-Spur Drug Co.

day for Coleman where she will visit Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Allen, of Dry er cousin, Miss Geneva McCulloch. Lake community, were in our city trading Monday.

> Dr. and Mrs. T. J. Earnest, of Ranger, are guests of their children, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Boughman this week.

J. H. McClure, of McAdoo, was

Claude Powell, who has been visit- kell, are here the guests of Mr. and

The Spur Drug Store has better drinks because they are made right and served right, still they are left-

Jack Gouldin, representative of S. W. Spencer, and Co., of Dallas was transacting business in our city on

Word received from Mrs. S. I. Powell, who is in Temple Sanitarium, stated that she is getting along fine and will be able to be at home soon.

Miss Jennie Salem, who has been pending a vacation with friends in on the job at Salem's Dry Goods Co

# Did You Know

WISDOM is simply an accumulation of knowledge.

THE WISE add to their fund of knowledge by investigation.

CHIROPR ACTIC should be thoroughly investigated by those who are sick, or by those whose dear ones are suffering from disease.

IT WILL PAY YOU to investigate a science which is based upon logical principles.



Lavina B. Conklin

Office: Over Spur National Bank Building

FOR THE BENEFIT OF THOSE WHO PAY CASH WE ARE OFFERING SOME SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

20 Bars Crystal W. Soap \$.1.00 3 Packages Mother Oats - 1.00 10 No. 2 Armour Pork and Beans - 1.00 All Cans Syrup at 9)c Per Gal.

WITH NO LIMIT TO THE PERSON, LET YOUR MONEY BE YOUR GUIDE

WE WANT YOUR TRADE

Spur Grocery Company

J. T., P. G. and John Youngblood, R. H. Parnell, of Afton, was transnortheast of Dickens, were tracing acting business in our city Monday. with Spur merchants Monday, and reported crop conditions very en- Miss Ruby King, of Ranger, is the couraging



Lumber Company at Peacock, was better than any other country. transacting business in our city the last of the week

R. F. Rogers, of Dry Lake community, was greeting friends in our city Wednesday. He stated that his country was anything else but a dry

Come in, Yes, we will drink with you-Spur Drug Co.

Farris Morrison, of Haskell, was Mrs. R. D. Boughman returned with her husband.

sold the business there to assist with west on Harris Street, where he ex-the business he and Mrs. Miller have pects to build an addition to it for a 

guests of Mrs. R. D. Baughman this

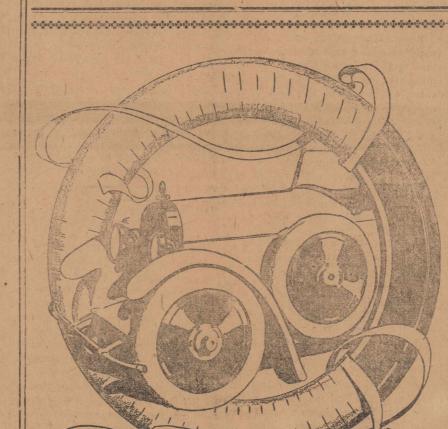
Mr. and Mrs. Paul Akin, of Ranger, visited their brother and sister. Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Baughman, last week

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Bergeson, who have been in Kansas and Oklahoma on vacation, returned home here Sun-C. P. Marlow, of the Tri County day. They report West Texas looks

NOTICE-MUSIC LOVERS Prof. R. H. Cornelius, of Ft. Worth Last Friday lightning struck Mr. who is now conducting a Normal Homer Schrimsher's home breaking School of Music at Midway, will sing a mirror in one room and filling the in the school Auditorium at Dickens building with smoke. No one was in- Sunday at 2:00 o'clock. Everybdoy is cordially invited.

# Layne-Yates

guest in the C. A. Love home last from Fort Worth after having under-Monday. Mrs. Morrison, who has gone a very successful operation. She been visiting here, returned home had been in very poor health but states she will soon have her health,



Equip with KELLEY TIRES and TUBES and enjoy Your Car.

ALSO, Fill Up with our PENNANT OIL and GAS and make your Pleasures complete.

IF IT'S PENNANT IT'S GOOD

Pennant Service Station

Spur, Texas



If you have a weak heart, don't read about this sale of Straws, for we have absolutely and completely knocked the bottom out of prices. We must get these Straws out of the way-new Fall Hats need the room. So if you have a Hat need, prepare to supply it now-and at a big saving.

> All At Cost Next Week

C. Hogan & Company

Spur, Texas

# Young Men's Bible Class

Of the First Baptist Church which has been meeting in the Picture Show Building, Will go back to the Church next Sunday.

We want all young men who can meet Visitors are welcome all the time.

JOI DE VOI CLUB

Bridge tables where Mrs. Dan H. Zachry wen high score and was then awarded a beautiful incense burner. Mrs. Roy Harkey was given the cut, a daintily embroidered guest towel, and Mrs. Roy Moses received a lovely bottle of perfume as guest of honor token. Yellow was the predominant. color throughout the occasion, being as in plate favors, which were at- then gathering in the court house by tractive nut cups filled with salted invitation of our good sheriff, Mr. Miss Pauline Brown entertained the coming to the front yet and Elton almonds. At the end of the Bridge Jones, and by request of the club Kolonial Kard Klub at the beautiful in the "limclight." dames Harkey and Zachry, served a ture, made a talk and led in a prayer. color scheme was carried out in red MICS NINA MORGAN very refreshing salad plate to the fol- We also sang some beautiufl songs, and green. At the close of the Bridge

### Miscellaneous "Adds"

Touring Cars for sale at real bar- country. gains. See Me-E. L .Caraway.

r Grain & Coal Company. oth of Spur.-D. J. Gilbert. ings on this organization. TED to rent-five or six room form furnished apartment or bunga- MRS. S. H. AND D. Y. TWADDELL hed house; also a two or three low by two couples. Notify manager ENTERTAINED LADIES-

wheat land as there is in Texas, first Twaddell. ance, then some. Box 1019, Amarillo, by four Japanese girls,

ham, Dan H. Zachry, and Roy were: Harkey.

#### NORTH SPUR SOCIAL CLUB HAS PICNIC

Club at Dickens.

A pretty party of the week was and I do not recall when we ever had given by Mrs. Fewet Celling and I do not recall when we ever had good. S. Link, C. L. Love, M. E. Manthat given by Mrs. Faust Collier on a better time and enjoyed ourselves ning, Oran McClure, E. F. Rusesll, plenty for all and then some. All feel Wednesday afternoon, honoring Mrs. more. After one of the most bounti- W. W. Sample, Roy Stovall, Chas. grateful to W. R. Lewis of Spur, who Roy Moses, of Ralls. The guests were ful lunches ever served at a picnic, Whitener, C. A. Love, Otto Mott, E. so generously assisted in every way,

used in score pads and tallies as well laughed and talked some more, and KOLONIAL KARD KLUB MEETS stead of being in the readside in the hour Mrs. Collier, assisted by Mes-members, I read a passage of scrip-home of Mrs. Mack Brown. The lowing Mesdames: Roy Moses, Mack
Brown, Jack Rector, Murray Lea, P.
E. Gollihar, A. J. Welsh, M. H. Branfreshed our bodies with material

The control of t nen, Algier, Cecil Fox, Tracy Gor- food. This social club meets every two weeks around in the homes of the different members in the north section of Spur, and to my judgment is FORD CARS-L' have two Ford very wholesome and beneficial to the

I wish we had more of the kind of clubs where the members occupied PLUMBING-Let me figure with themselves with the singing of beauyou on that plumbing bill of yours. tiful religious songs, reading scrip- compact, and Minnie Scott won guest returning overland while the body is Perhaps I can save you some money, ture, and having the sweet little chilprize which was a perfume atomizer. being shipped through on the train

—S. B. Roddy.

4pd. dren put on nice programs. If we Delicious refreshments of grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and will arrive probably sometime 23,000 bales last year, since August Prof. H. P. Bell has had charge of the grape and the grape are grape and the grape and th SALE—Two bath tubs, one did, it would be very easy for us to punch, orange basket cracker and tomorrow. Miss Ada Mitchell, and first. and saddle. Cash or credit. have some great old fashion revivals olives were served to the following aunt, is accomanying the body.

-Respt. L. L. F. Parker

FOR SALE—One thousand-acre high- Twaddell and Mrs. S. H. Twaddell EPWORTH LEAGUE PROGRAM ly improved farm, 8 miles from Hay-cntertained their many friends at the py, Castro County, as good cotton and beautiful home of Mr and Mrs. D. Y.

class crop growing now. \$5,000 to As the guests arrived they were \$10,000 will handle, rent will now hal- served to Japanese tea, presided over

The color motif was the effect of

Japanese through out the home, cut revival at the Church of Christ which below the second sec flowers, ferns and Japanese chimes is being held by Rev. Bradberry, of S adorned every room.

Tallies gave the scenic suggestion. of good accomplished.

Smith, Edna Collett and Williams with a good attendance and we will, were repredating Japanese girls and no doubt, have a splendid school and

After several games of '42', the

Mesdames T. H. Blackwell, M. H. Before returning to Oklahoma.

Brannen, Clemmons, McAlpine of Dallas, E. C. Edmonds, Roy Harkey, R. F. Huie, F. W. Jennings, Murray Lea, M. A. Lea, Bill Putnam, Kate

Sunday afternoon all met at the school house grounds to enjoy a de-licious feast prepared by the Culinary Last Thursday by invitation, Mrs. Senning, W. D. Wilson, D. H. Zachry, Arts Department, the good cooks Parker and I attended the annual pic- W. B. Williams, Algier, W. D. Starch- (the women) of this community, and nic given by the North Spur Social er, Jas. M. McLean, Welsh,, W. T. we'll say it was a feast fit for a king. Andrews, W. J. Bryant, E. L. Cara- A large crowd participated, and There were sixty present counting way, Sol Davis, R. E. Dickson, H. P. there would have been many more shown to three beautifully appointed we all talked and laughed and then L. Brown, Homer Schrimpsher, T. A. as well as Messrs Bryant-Link Com-Johnson, E. L. Adams, J. Ed. Hall, pany for their generous denations of Edgar McGee, John Hazelwood, Tom Teague, E. F. Laverty, Newt Harkey, Glasgow, W. R. Lewis, J. H. Busby, P. J. Lewis, J. H. Busby, B. L. Jamison, Tommie Harris, Homer cd us to some splendid singing. Mr. Dobbins; Misses Nell Higgins, Lena Cornelius is teaching a singing school Belle Scudder, Ila Bowman, Elnora here now. It was a day much en-Harris, Mildred Smith, Williams and joyed by all who were fortunate Edna Collet.

ley, Minnie Scott of Lubbock, Willie might be done to perfect a cure. October New Orleans opened at the people need a garage too. The new Rubye Love.

7:30 p. m. August 16, 1925 Rules for the Game of Life Leader—Eula Smith

Scripture Reading, 2 Tim. 2:5-15; 1 Cor. 9:24-27 1. The Game of Life-Ella Mae Hogan

2. Why Rules-Nellie B. Albin

Rules in The Scripture Lessons-Jennie Salem.

The Rule of Courage—Clarice Lane Game-Willie Richburg Sport-Guy Karr.

League Benediction. ELTON LOCALS

Sunday was a gala day at Midway or Elton, in spite of the inciement

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Sweetwater, who is an able and a The score pads were beautiful in splendid minister. We trust the meetthe design of Japanese gardens. The ing will prove a great one and lots

Misses Elnora Harris, Mildred The singing school began Monday favored the guests with a number of every one will be greatly benefitted thereby.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Williams, of guests were served a very attractive Ponca, Okla. who have been visiting plate, favors being Japanese parasols. Those present who declared it one

Mrs. J. Frank Smith, left Monday for of the loveliest parties of the season their cid home at Roswell, N. Mex., and from there will tour Colorado

Sunday afternoon all met at the enough to be here, and we Eltonites feel your much "puffed-up", and inshinnery, always imagine oursolves

Rochester, Minn., for some time, died at 4:15 Wednesday afternoon. Miss Morgan had suffered more than four months with a tumor in the skull and had gone to Rochester, oping to get some relief.

Her father had gone to be with her during her intense suffering and was there when the end came. He is

of religion. I am for this kind of members and guests: Lucille Luzas, Everything that helping hands and will run against 133,000 last week people. social club and am now bidding for Mildred Williams, Dick Stafford, Thei medical skill could do was done for and 158,000 last year. RENT—Filling Station three another swell time like that. Bless- ma Caraway, Ermal Lisenby, Lera her. Her. many friends here have been October New York opened today at the Station of the Harris, Winnie McArthur, Dorothy hopefully waiting to hear of her re- 23.58, making 23.64 for high and Judge has been operating a filling Love, Bonnie Gilbert, Flossy Haw- covery and wishing that something 23.24 for low; closing at 23.24-27., station for some time, but feels that

Professor Hutchins Code—Byren interment made in the local cemetery. day closed at 2.65.

COTTON MARKET INFORMATION

The Cotton Market ruled lower to-6. Another Unwritten Rule of the day due to more favorable crop reports and cables from Liverpool that HughFullerton's Code of a Good the Liverpool market declined on continued hedge selling and lack of spot

Compared with last year expo from the United States so far this season indicates there has been good demand for early arrival of cotton to weather. It was the beginning of the date, figuring 39,000 bales against

# FALL ARRIVAIS

## The New In Hats

A large assortment of LADIES HATS now on display. A selection of beauties, featuring the latest things in Dame Fashion's Dictates. In colors that will meet your approval, Amazingly priced at this time.

#### Smart Hats For The Miss

HATS for the School Cirls and on down to the Babe are here in ample array. A pleasing line of Head Dress that will please the most exacting.

THE PRICE WILL MAKE YOU WONDER

### Sparkling and Lovely Things In Our Ready-to-Wear.

Our Ready-To-Wear has never been as attractive in all history as it is this fall. We have just the Dress you want. Let us fit you.

## The Women Who Sew

See the new patterns that have arrived in our piece goods, we have Fall Stock that is arriving Daily. Make our Store your store when you arrive in town, for we have goods that you can

#### The Newest In Shoes

Pay us a visit and see our line of Shoes for Fall wear. They are right from the factory; in the latest styles. They are bargains where quality and neatness count.

"Home of Honest Values"

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the school there and has created a Spinners taking report tomorrow great educational interest among the Judge H. A. C. Brummett, of Dick-

Richburg. Mrs. Mack Brown and Funeral services will be conducted 22.98, making 23 cents for high and building will be about 25ft by 40 ft. - closing at 23.27—75.

opening. This market seems to be in the Watson community. Mr. Reed

Corn closed a little below opening, there, but finding his building inadedue chiefly to reports of better crop quate is erecting a greater building

The indications that sugar bought People of the Twin Wells District, in Spur after the body arrives and in Spur after the body arrives are specifically arrived the spur after the body arrives and in Spur after the body arrives are specifically arrived the spur after the body arrived the spur after the spur after the body arrived the spur after the spur after the body arrived the spur after the spur after the body arrived the spur after the body arrived the spur after the spu must enter markets soon. Sugar to- They have voted bonds for this addi-

> CHRISTIAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY HOLDS MEETING

Mrs. Stafford was hostess to the

program was rendered. Inspiring some time visiting and fishing. talks were made by Mesdames Stafford and Caraway. The hostess served delicious ice cream and cake.

BUILDING ACTIVITIES IN DICKENS COUNTY

The local lumbermen report that building interest in still active in the country.

The people of Dry Lake community are moving material to build an addition to their school building. The addition is to be 22 x 22 feet, extending the north wing. The Dry Lake people believe in good schools and they bar nothing to stand in the way.

tion and as soon as they are sold the work will begin. These people are wanting to make their school one of the best.

Howard Reed, of the Spur National

has already established a business

for the business.

A new awning is being placed in front of the building occupied by J. P. Wilkes & Son. W. H. Pearston is doing the work

C. A. Love received a message yestorday that his brother, J. P. Love, is very lew. He has been ill for some time. Mr. Love left for Dover, Okla. to be with his brother.

Christian Missionary Society, Monday | Calvlin and Randolph McNeal and her home in East Spur. With Mrs. Goo. S. Link, Jr., left yesterday for rockett as leader a most cenjoyable South Texas where they will spend.

> Miss Leah Smith, who has been spending the Summer traveling in California and other western states, returned home Monday, reporting she had enjoyed a great time.

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your cash for each uprchase you get better value, because you carefully pick and you choose. Further, you are free to kick or criticize if you think that is necessary, because you owe the cash store nothing, while you always feel under obligation to the man who gives you credit. Be independent and economical at the same time.

# CENTRAL MARKET

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NOTED WRITER

"Suckers—suckers every- America. As Europe holds out her ure." This picture will illustrate some gladly show them the well, convince where, and every sucker an Ameri- hand for our money and assistance, of the greatest lessons in life in a them that this is the oldest oil well can," is James Oliver Curwood's ver- begging or borrowing it, requently comedy manner. You can learn a in the United States, was struck dict of tourist travel in Europe. The American novelist and cham- sneers at us jealously because we time.

ward bound, thank God," he says.

"I am a hundred times better is the only way the American sucker and her ruins are worth seeing. profits. In every other way Europe is a huge net waiting for him.

fishy, foolish eyes. They are filled one is out to gyp you. to the muzzle with silly awe and 'If you must come, see Italy's an- late Sunday or early Monday, slaying "Then a bunch of workers came malformed visions developed from cient cities and then go home before all or parts of herds totaling between west out of Pennsylvania with a years of lying propaganda.

"They rave over paintings inferior what an ass you are." to those in a dozena American museums. Their eyes pop at the sight A GREAT TREAT FOR of mountains and lakes which in America would be ant hills and pools. If the Michigan and Wisconsin lake The Lyric Theater has arranged for erned by the trenches available in the country to see them.

in the middle of Europe.

"They rave over a piece of statuary 000 square miles of it at home. They the price. wade through decadent, rotting Nations, inspired by a sense of hero Samuel Goldwyn presents with "Potworship, and they find Nations infi- ash and Perlmutter," featuring Alex-

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them with contempt and dislike.

stealing from the sucker tourist, she great lesson and laugh at the same years before Pennsylvania and Ohio. pion of outdoor life and adventure is have got red blood and prosperity, now in Rome, "but I'll soon be home- which they lost through centuries of STOCK DISEASE decay and lack of progress.

American because I have come to Eu- she has degenerated so far that she fections of the foot and mouth disease back to Philadelphia with them. Phyrope," said Curwood recently. "That no longer thinks. Italy is friendly in Harris County Friday, State and sicians and experts at that time pro-

"There were 150,000 of these Amer- next year. See your own woods, lakes of Galveston and Brazoria Counties, adelpia, 1859 oil was found in Ohio ican fish in Paris when I was there. mountains and beautiful cities and bringing the present quarantine area and Pennsylvania became known and Everywhere they swarm thecontinent you will see something, which you to practically the same size as that made public of it being fuel, aftersweating and uncomfortable, look- cannot find in flea-bitten, decaying, enforced here last Fall when the first wards the Civil War broke out, nothing for something unusual with big, unprogressive Europe, where every-outbreak of the disease occurred.

countries could be brought to Europe a number of excellent pictures to be which to bury them when the time oil fields were struck in Tulsa 1888. the silly Americans would depopulate shown next week. One of these, "On of slaughter begins. Thin Ice," will appear next Monday | Two huge steam shovels are work- line of Oklahoma and ever since then "The American Rockies have a and Tuesday evening, August 17 and ing night and day preparing the when there is a new field opened thousand Switzerlands and yet a mil- 18. This picture presents one of the trenches. However, Federal authori- there is always a rush made by unlion suckkers a year tumble over them best morals of how innocent and right ties have made it clear that all cattle known people to the west line of screen tdday.

which would pass unnoticed if done secures help and is istrumental in er of the 4,000 head.

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GAS AND OILS

famous actors. The scene is from the this. FLAYS EUROPE "Under these Nations" artificial ve story by Montague Glass and Jules neer is a whole-hearted dislike for E. Goodwin's "Business before Pleas-

"Spain is the exception, because Following the discovery of new in- with disgust taking some of the oil Federal authorities Saturday estab- nounced it rheumatism oil. This was "Stay at home. That is my advice lished new quarantine lines that in- in the year 1849 that the oil was to the million prospective suckers for clude all of Harris County and parts found, May 1851 they landed in Pil-

Firing squads went into action positions until the year 1870. you are made to realize fully just 3,600 and 4,000 head of cattle which Spanish plot, signed by the priest of of dairy cattle and which have been returned, leaving a number of plots NOTED JAPANESE CLIMBER condemned by authorities. The num- among their own people." PATRONS OF THE LYRIC ber of head to be slain has not been determined, but will likely be gov- ching proof, this statement:

nitely inferior to America regarding ander Car, George Sidney and other is in the vicinity of Genoa and South it and develop it." Houston that the malady is most pre-

TROOPS PLACED

AT COAL MINES

Fifty State troops are now on guard at the coal mines in the Henrietta mine region of eastern Oklaho- insect visitors. A bug in time saves na. Hymn singing and prayers by nine—and the garden sass. the approximately 1,000 miners who Alfalfa is not only a soil enricher chusetts, was first American secreare on strike in the Henryetta district of outstanding merit; it is the best tary of war. have been stopped by Sheriff John of all forage crops for dairy cattle. Russell of Okmulgce County and The first time a man sells a little large forces of Deputy Sheriffs have misrepresented produce he sells all of chief justice of the United States. been stationed at various mines to aid in the National Guardsmen main-thereafter. taining order. The situation today was reported to be tense.

the 1917 wage scale, now in force in weight of yellow corn and oats the Oklahoma mines. Carrying out their policy o a peaceful strike they conducted meetings in front of many added, n fees a very palatable mash. of the mines. Hymns were sung and

September and operators have openly stated that they will have sufficient abor available to take care of the increased production demand.

has announced that the region will be Miss Frances A. Muller of Utretch, placed under martial law at the first Holland, was married in this city to today was desperate, for many of the engineer, who left Holland a year miners who have been on strike for ago to accept a position in a motor several months are destitute and their truck plant in this city. families are suffering for lack of

nearly 145,000 pounds at a sale re-

active buyers at London's Spring

'FIRST' OIL POOL

The first oil well ever drilled in the United States was sunk in West Texas by Spaniards in quest of silver and was abandoned in disgust, according to a letter received by one of the major oil companies from a man who claims to have re-discovered the original well and is willing for a price, to disclose its location and share in the resultant riches recovered, if any.

The story is revealed in the somewhat bizarre and quaint phraseology of the letter is as follows:

"My proposition is \$50,000 and when the well is shown to your company as being the well mentioned in letters prior to this; then one eighth of the oil now in well, and then \$50,-000 in two years. This was the proposition that was offered me last year by another oil company but at that time I thought I would open this well publicly, advertise it ahead and hold all acreage myself and transfer leases with the rush. But failing to get the amount of acreage I actually wanted prevented me from doing

"Now I have decided that if a reliable company wants this, I will This well was dug by hand by the Spaniards, who were digging for white silver, and when they plunged AREA EXTENDED into the oil, they cemented the well ing more was done regarding oil pro-

were exposed to the plague in a herd Spain. Failing to find the well, they

And then he adds as the final clin-

"If you remember, ever since the was a great rush made to the west

A girl who has an invalid father, of this order will necessitate slaught- over by geologists of different oil and their efforts will be watched they said, was too weak to move and companies keeping temselves hidden with interest by Alpinists. an American. A few acres of assisting the officials to capture law Two additional infected cows were as to just what their business was in pretty scenery brings howls of awe breakers. The Bank official who is Port word shot bringing the total the country, all of them failing to TONS OF FISH KILLED from them, when they have 4,000,- an accomplice, is captured and pays Both were shot, bringing the total find what is known as the 'Unknown killed since the second outbreak oc- Mystery.' I being the lucky man, I curred one week ago Friday to 118. found this Jan. 3, 1922. Now I am thousands, black bass, silver bass, freight car by himself. No commodity in the original area ready at any time to show this propo-bass, perch, croppies, sun fish and

> was made has not yet accepted the up by the wheelbarrow load along the mixtures as good for a fly spray: proposal though considerable time shores of Round Lake after a bolt has elapsed.

FARM FACTS

Watch the garden for unwelcome visor E. A. Brown.

his reputation and has none left

Attention should be given to the palatability of the feed during the hot The miners are striking against summer months. Equal parts by ground together to 80 pounds of which 20 pounds of meat scraps are

Wind glass filters out certain prayers were offered—part of the ap- valuable on rays. On a test at the peal made to the men who are now at New Jersey experiment station 1,000 work in the mines. Coal production chicks kept behind glass averaged continues and the operators have not one-fourth pound each at the end of wavered in their stand on the 1917 12 weeks. Two hundred chicks of the same age and fed the same ration Increased production is planned in but kept outdoors, weighed 11-2 lbs.

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General Henry Knox, of Massa-

John Jay (New York, was first was first American secretary of the

STARVED MAN FOUND IN SEALED FREIGHT CAR

PHILADELPHIA .- In astarving se mountain climber, and a party condition, unaware of how he got of six companions from Japan have there, a man who said he is Ernest arrised at Jasper Park Lodge and Stower of Sacramento, Calif., was during their stay in the National found in a freight car locked with a Park will attempt to scale some of seal on the tracks of the Reading hitherto unclimbed peaks adjacent Railroad at Seventh and Willow S.

selves to see a few advertised peaks will win that is exhibited on the found in direct contact with diseased of the members of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with diseased of the party all have won the found in direct contact with the found in direct contact with the party all have well all the found in direct contact with the party all have well all the found in direct contact with the foun "The country has been scoured taineers in various parts of the world the car, and investigated. Stower, could scarcely speak. He could give no explanation of his presence in the locked car to the two detectives, who AS LIGHTNING HITS LAKE declared that it was impossible for ELGIN, Ill.—Dead fish by the any one to have got into the sealed

SPRAYS FOR FLIES

The Ohio Experiment station recommends either one of the following One-half gallon crude carbolic acid. One-half gallon oil of tar.

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#### Mr. Bryant And **Evolution**

W. J. Bryan prepared to delivr at the which mankind is heir. evolution trial, released to the press

of Greece. If in a case which involved less it is true. deal with the momentous issues involved in this case, may well pray tion as if it were a fact, they all passion for service. to the Ruler of the Universe for wis- admit, when questioned, that no ex- Our fourth indictment against the dom to guide us in the performance planation has been found as to how evolutionary hypotesis is that, by of our several parts in this historic one species developed into another. . paralyzing the hope of reform, it

stitution to any individual. It deals ever. with the defendant, not as an individ- But is not a laughing matter when its application or dare not avow their ual, but as an employe, an official or one considers that evolution not only knowledge of these implications. public servant, paid by the state, and but tends to put the creative act so therfore under instruction from the far away as to cast doubt upon crea- vocate of June 25, 1925, quotes five

welfare of their children.

law did not have its origin in bigotry. strip between the companionship of It is not trying to force any form of yesterday and reunion of tomorrow religion on anybody. The majority and evolution strikes out the stars is not trying to establish a religion and deepens the gloom that enshrouds or to teach it it is trying to protect itself from the efforts of an insolvent minority to force irreligion to the title against evolution is that it disputes the truth of the Bible account of man's creation teaching scieence. What right has a and shakes faith in the Bible as the little, irrespensible oligarchy of self-styled "intellectuals" to demand con-prove by comparing the process detrol of the schools of the United scribed as evolutionary with the text states, in which 25,000,000 of chil-

Christians must, in every state of the Union, build their own colleges in which to teach Christianity; it is only simple justice that atheists, agnostics and unbelievers should build their own colleges if they want to teach their own religious views or attack the religious views of others.

expense of nearly \$2,000,000,000?

Religion is not hostile to learning; Christianity has been the greatest patron learning has ever had. But Christians know that "the fear of the Lord is the beginning of wisdom," now just as it has been in the past, and they therefore oppose the teaching of guesses that encourage godlessness among the students.

Neither does Tennessee undervalue the service rendered by science. The Christian men and women of Tennessee know how deeply mankind is indebted to science for benefits conferred by the discovery of the laws of nature and by the designing of machinery for the utilization of these laws. Give science a fact and it is not only invincible but it is of calculable service to man. If one is entitled to draw from society what he renders society, who is able to estmiate the reward earned by those who have given us the use of steam, the use of electricity, and enable us to utilize the weight of water that flows down the mountainside? Who will estimate the value of the service rendered by those who invented the phonograph, the telephone and the radio? Or, to come more closely to our home life, how shall we recompense those who gave us the sewing machine, the harvester, ctor, the automobile and the now employed in making artificial ice? The department of medi-

cine also opens an unlimited field for

invaluable service. Typhoid and vallow fever are not feared as they once

(Excerpts from address which Mr. culosis and other dread diseases to tific principle known.

A teacher can think as he pleases evolution are wont to say that evo- improvement of man's condition. and worship God as he likes, or refuse lution is as firmly established as the Our fifth indictment of the evoluto worship God at all. He can believe law of gravitation, or the Copernican tionary hypothesis is that, if taken in the Bible or discard it; he can ac- theory. The absurdity of such a seriously and made the basis of a cept Christ or reject Him. This law claim is apparent when we remem-philosophy of life, it would eliminate places no objections or restraint upon ber that anyone can prove the law love and carry man back to a struggle him. And so within freedom of speech of gravity by throwing a weight into of tooth and claw. The Christians he can, so long as he acts as an indi- the air, and that anyone can prove who have allowed themselves to be vidual, say anything he likes on any the roundness of the earth by going deceived into believing that evolution subject. This law does not violate around it, while no one can prove is a beneficent, or even a rational any rights guaranteed by any Con- evolution to be true in any way what- process, have been associating with

cent decision in the Oregon case, end of life. Evolutionists do not feel Their reply is: which declares that the state can di- that it is incumbent upon them to decision fits this case exactly. The them, but the mass of mankind will troy itself." state ad a right to pass this law and continue to worship their Creator and of the parents to guard the religious ise of their Savior, that He has gone its energies and to inspire with lofty to prepare a place for them. Christ It need hardly be added that this has made of death a narrow, star-lit

were. Diphtheria and pneumonia of Genesis. It not only contradicts purposes those who employ the forces risen Lord has become the greatest SWALLOW THIS! 144,000 have been robbed of some of their the Mosaic record as to the beginning that are unloosed by science. Evolu- factor in history and the growing terrors and a high place on the scroll of human life, but it disputes the tion is at war with religion because figure of all time.

Our second indictment is that evo-

While many scientists accept evolu- with love for their fellow-man and a danger its cargo.

Some of the more rash advocates of discourages those who labor for the

those who either do not understand

The Southeastern Christian Adtion itself. And, while it is shaking eminent college men of Great Brit-The right of the state to control the faith in God as a beginning, it is also tian as joining in an answer to the public schools is affirmed in the re- creating doubt as to heaven at the question "Will civilization survive?"

"The greatest danger menacing our rect what shall be taught and also show how life began or at what point civilization is the abuse of the forbid the teaching of anything in their long-drawn-out scheme of achivement of science. Mastery over 'manifestly inimical to the public changing species man became endow-the forces of nature has endowed welfare." The above decision goes ed with hope and promise of immor- the twentieth century man with a even farther and declares that the tal life. God may be a matter of in- power which he is not fit to exercise. parent not only has the right to guard offers no suggestions as to a creator Unless the development of morality the religious welfare of the child, but difference to the evolutionists, and a catches up with the development of is in duty bound to guard it. That life beyond may have no charm for technique, humanity is bound to des-

Can any Christian remain indifferthe law represents the determination continue to find comfort in the prom- ent? Science needs religion to direct

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Christianity welcomes truth from lutionary hypothesis carried to its of the whole matter. Science is a gratitude to God will sing again that Leon Tujague, New Orleans manufacafter his death. It is a very strong whatever source it comes, and is not logical conclusion disputes every magnificent material for us, but it is grand old song of triumph: convincing indictment of evolution.) afraid that any truth from any source vital truth of the Bible. It is a tencan interfere with the divine truth dency, naturally, if not inevitably, fect machinery, but it adds no moral DEMOSTHENES, the greatst of that comes by inspiration from God to lead those wo really accept it, first restraints to protect society from the orators, in his "Oration on Himself. It is not scientific truth to to agnosticism and then to atheism. misuse from the machines. It can rown," the most famous of his which Christians object, for true sci- Evolution is deadening to spiritual also build gigantic intellectual ships, hes, begun by supplicating the ence is classified knowledge, and life of a multitude of students. but it constructs no moral rudders favor of all the gods and goddesses nothing therefor can be scientific un- Christians do not desire less educa- for the control of storm-tossed hution but they desire that religion man vessels. It not only fails to suponly his own fame and fate, he felt Evolution is not the truth; it is shall be entwined with learning, so ply the spiritual elment needed, but FAMED OHIO HOMESTEAD justified in petitioning the heathen merely an hypothesis—it is millons that our boys and girls will return some of its unproven hypothesis, rob gods of his country, surely we, who of guesses strung together. . . . . . from college with their hearts aflame the sip of its compass and thus en-

The world needs a Savior more than it ever did before, and there is only one "Name under the heaver given among men whereby we must be saved." It is the Name that evolution degrades, for, carried to its logical conclusion, it robs Christ of the glory of a virgin birth, of the majesty of His deity and mission and of the triumph of His resurrection. It also disputes the doctrine of the atone-

It is again a choice between God and Baal; it is also a renewal of the issue in Pilate's court. In that hisoric trial-the greatest in historyforce, impersonated by Pilate, occu-pied the throne. Behind it was the Roman Government and behind the Roman Government were the legions of Rome. Before Pilate stood Christ, the apostle of love. Force triumphed; they nailed Him to the tree and those who stood around mocked and jeered and said: "He is dead," but from that day the power of Caesar waned and the power of Christ increased. In a few centuries the Roman Government was gone and its legions forgotten, while the crucified and

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turer attending the convention of the National Macaroni Manufacturers As-

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# Bryant-Link Co. Spur,

DIVERSIFICATION OF CROPS GREAT PROBLEM FOR TEXAS FARMERS The following is their schedule un-

Last Sunday W. B. Lee, of the Spur National Bank, and W. R. Lewis Days journey 213 miles. of Bryant-Link Company, left for a Leave Decatur 7:30 a.m. several weeks tour of Western States Decatur to McKinney 60 miles in the interest of diversified farming. McKinney 10:00 to 11:30 The official of the Fort Worth & Dinner at Sherman Denver Railroad are conducting this McKinney to Sherman 23 miles work, and Mr. Lee and Mr. Lewis are Sherman to Eufala, Okla, 125 miles to represent the interests of Dickens H. L. Bankhead, Co. Agt, Eufala. County.

Missouri, Iowa, Wisconsin, Nebraska, Eufala to Muskogee, 40 miles Kansas and probably many other, Arrive Muskogee 9 a. m. Earl Smith states and study the result of multi- is the county Agent. crop farming. When they return they Leave Muskogee 11 a. m. expect to be prepared to give the Muskogee to Haskell, 23 miles

 $a_{ij}$ farmers of Texas a good program and cutline of crop variation.

> til August 20th. MONDAY AUGUST 10th

TUESDAY AUGUST 11th

They expect to visit Oklahoma, Journey for the day 164 miles

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Lunch at Haskell Haskell to Tulsa 37 miles Arrive Tulsa 2:30. J. S. Malone, Co Agent at Tulsa. Leave Tulsa at 4:00 p. m. Tulsa to Vinita, 61 miles Lodging at Vinita, August 11. A. T Burgo is County Agent there. WEDNESDAY AUGUST 12th

Traveled 178 miles Leave Vinita 9:30 a. m. Vinita to Oswego, Kan. 42 miles Arrive Oswego 11 a. m. Oswego to Parsons 22 miles Parsons to Chanute 40 miles 11-2 hrs. at Oswego, H. F. Moxley,

meet us there 1 hr. at Parsons, see herd of Otto Des Moines to Ames 35 miles

1 hr. at Canute, C. D. Thompson, county Agent. Erie Leave Chanute 2:30 p. m. Chanute to Ft. Scott via Iola, 74 miles Amiro at Ft. Scatt 5 n. m. Goe hards and stay over night. C. O. Granfield Co. Act. Ft. Scott.

THURSDAY AUGUST 13 th A Journay of 211 miles Leave Ft. Scott at 7 a. m. Ft Coatt to Independence, Mo. 101 O. H. Joy, Co. Agt.

Leave Independence 2 p.m. Coe Pritchett, Farm Bureau, Independence Independence Mo. to Betany Mo. 110

Con J. H. Tinnett and Joe Burris, Harrison DairyAss'n. Arrive Pethany 6 p. m.

FRIDAY AUGUST 14th 140 miles distance today Leave Bothany 8 a,. m. Bethany to Dog Moins, Iowa 105 miles Arrive Des Moines, noon, Don. M. Arrive Oregon 11:30 Leave 2:30 p. m. New Ulm to Tracy 64 miles Merrill County Agent, Court House Oregon to Woodstock 50 miles Leave 2:30 p. m.

Arrive Ames 4 p. m. night at Ames

1 sweater

2 sheep lined coats 4 ladies dresses No men's ribbed union

suits, and 3 ladies coats, No blankets 6 comforts

1 leather coat 9 Men's suits No men's overacoats A couple of pieces of outing.

The balance of our summer

stock is a the above.

You can readily see that everything we will have to show you for the fall will be newly purchased.

Mr. Salem is now in Chicago and is at the eight of his amhition, buying stylish and durable merchandise for the coming rush business.

We have already received some merchandise and a big portion of goods is now in transit.

Figure—and let us sell vou your fall bill of goods.

# SALEM'S

SPUR, TEXAS

J. T. Cozby, twelve miles west of own, was in Wednesday with a carload of fine peaches. Mr. Cozby stated he had quite a lot of fruit this year. These were a very fine grade of fruit, and proves that West Texas is just as adaptable to fruit growing as it is for other things.

W. A. Valentine, of Watson, was in our city Tuesday doing some trading. Among other things, Mr. Valentine expressed his wish that they could secure a rural route out to Watson community. He said the good roads program now on there will make a route favorable.



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SATURDAY AUGUST 15th A big day traveled 218 miles

Leave Ames 7 a. m. Ames to Marshalltown, 40 miles, Har- La Crosse to Lewiston, Minn 38 miles ley Walker Co. Agt. Marshalltown to Marengo, 56 miles

arrive at noon. Marshalltown one hr Marengo one hr. Marengo to Cedar Rapids 25 miles Arrive Cedar Rapids 3 p. m. Cedar Rapids to Clinton 97 miles.

Arrive Clinton 5:30 p.m. SUNDAY AUGUST 16th Will be at Clinton, Iowa MONDAY AUGUST 17th 105 miles Schedule

Clinton to Morrison, Ill. 15 miles L. O. Wise, County Agent Condensary

Arrive 8 a. m. leave 10 a. m. Morrison to Oregon 40 miles Herd of Lauden and Mrs. McCormick Best Holsteins in State.

Via Rockford, Delvedier and Marengo A. J. Cofke, County Agt. Woodstock TUESDAY AUGUST 18th

A short Journey, 73 miles Janesville 10 a. m. Leave Janesville 5 p. m. 25 miles.

Night at Jefferson WEDNESDAY AUGUST 19th Will travel 86 miles Leave Jefferson 10:30 a. m.

Arrive Madison 12 noon, Jefferson to else. Madison 34 miles Leave Madison 5 p. m. to Baraboo which is 52 miles Camp at Baraboo or Devils Lake

THURSDAY AUGUST 20th A trip of 187 miles Leave Baraboo 7:30 a. m. Baraboo to La Crosse 116 miles

Arrive Lewiston, 12:30 J. B. McNultry County Agent. Leave Lewiston 3:30 Lewiston to Rochester 23 miles

Arrive Rochester 5 p. m Night at Rochester FRIDAY AUGUST 21st. A Journey of 173 miles See Grahamholm Herd at Rochest

Leave Rochester at 8. a. m. Rochester to Owatonna 40 miles. Arrive at 9:30 a.m. Steele is one of greatest Dairy Coun

ties in U.S. Leave Cwatenna 10:30 to Waseca 14 miles.

Co-operative Creamery Waseco to Mankato, 27 miles I. E. McMillan County Agent. Mankato at noon, Leave 3, n. m. D. T. Warren, Oregon County Agt. Mankato to New Ulm 28 miles Tracy at night.

#### THANKS

We surely had a treat Tuesday Woodstock to Janesville Wis., 48 mi. when Mr. J. T. Cozby came in and Leave Woodstock 8 a. m. Arrive at presented us with the nicest basket of peaches we ever gazed upon. But best of all they were better than they Arrive at Jeffrson 6 p. m. distance is looked. Talk about a feast, the Times force surely enjoyed one. We cer tainly thank Mr. Cozby and hope he will call acoin. California hasn't thing on Dickons County when it comes to growing fruit or any thing

> Mr. and Mrs. I. J. McMahan and mother, of Dry Lake community, were visitors in our city Thursday.

#### Professional Cards

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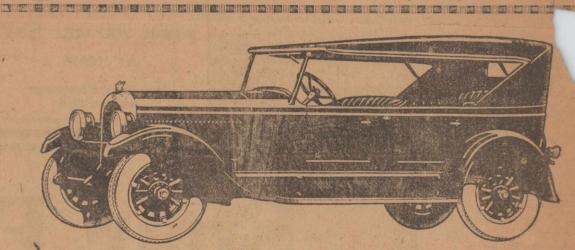
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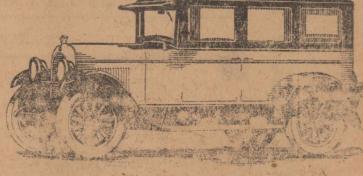


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