

DICKENS PAPER FOR WEST TEXAS PEOPLE TO THE TEX



SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 1, 1928

Whole Number 205

City To Vote On Auditorium

at which there were a number of the Christian Church. Subject, "Chrisrepresentative citizens who discussed tian Education," Dr. Roberts is a the advisability of a city auditorium. Every one present agreed that our town needs an auditorium. There was a difference of opinion as to the capacity, some estimating that we needed on to hold 3000 or more people. After thinking the matter over the

not burden our town with a heavy bond issue, and the amount was set at \$50,000.00. This amount can be on. The building is to contain offices and Rev. A. G. Abbott, teaches the for the city officials, the county adults. Come and enroll in one of agent, the demonstration agent and a good first class auditorium. People ed very much.

BRYANT-LINK COMPANY Spur's Department Store

What should our aim in life be? Someone has well said, we think in these words: "To sow that others may Monday evening in behalf of Hoover few times to help them get votes. reap; to work for those are to occupy Democrats. This is by authority of the Earth when we are dead; to project our influence far into the future A. E. Ewell, of Abilene, chairman of and to live beyond our time, to rule the "Hoover for President" organiza- manager for friends and readers from Sammye Nalley, Star Rt. as the Kings of thought over men tion in that city. who are yet unborn; to bless with the glorious gifts of truth, light and the name of the giver, nor care in It's a good Old World, while we able. write, the weather man seems to be doing his best to make the day cold, dark, damp and dreary, but when the Home Beautiful Sun comes out again it will look so bright and new we sure will think it has been washed and shined for our own pleasure. We need the dark days bring forth its fruit.

ton seed hulls, hitherto scrapped as ing to announce the decision of the next to worthless contain element judges. These judges were people Xylose, a type of sugar selling for who were not interested in the con \$100 a pound. The scientist holds test but were yard experts. Many there is no such thing as waste and of the yards had a beautiful appearproves it by turning almost worthless ance at the front, but fell off in score products into gold mines.

things so worthwhile nature has had honors, her yard scoring 90 points. in store for us through the ages, Mrs. W. S. Campbell won second made by the handiwork of God for use place with 89 points. Webber Wilwhen we were prepared to harness liams scored 87 points and Mrs. W. and use them, we are learning slowly M. Malone scored 85 points. and use them, we are learning slowly M. Malone scored 85 points.

and wondering why men of other The First Christian Church won Espuela Butter days had not learned these things, first honors in that class. The First so will those who follow us think, be- Methodist Church won second place. cause there will always be things for J. J. Ensey Filling Station won

tion will be over and every one of us for a new organization and a meeting tion held at Nashville, Tenn., a num- has secured an addition of seven acres will have as good a president as the will be announced in the near future other has, and we will soon forget to make arrangements for next years the nation entered samples of butter cleared of brush and is being platted the conflict for more pleasant things. contest. Get. into the organization in the Butter Contest. We are glad into lots and drivsways. Trees will thing to do with the presidents of this great country. To us they have all Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kidd, of Dry Creamery led the state in high score. can be watered when needed. At the man elected this time will be the our merchants Saturday. man needed for the place at this are crooks and that our government Saturday. is all wrong. We think we have the D. F. Jackson, of Croton community Creamery. The judges were L. S. be for sale for some time yet. best men in office on an average was looking after business affairs in Edwards, of Knoxville, Tenn., H. C. they are as honest as we would be our city Saturday. if we were in office. If we didn't think Uncle Sam's Government at Washington was the best in the world we would consider moving to that better country. Why do the people of all countries practically want to come to this country? It's the country of opportunity, a country, though new, that is far ahead of any other

in favor of Mrs. (or Miss)

Address

DR. T. T. ROBERTS PRESIDENT RANDOLPH COLLEGE TO SPEAK AT 1st CHRISTIAN CHURCA

Dr. T. T. Roberts, President Randolph College, Cisco, Texas, will An open meeting was held Monday speak Sunday morning at the First Most Generous Spirit Shown by Mrs. Luther Carr, Espuela __10,300 forceful speaker and has a message you should hear.

We also desire your presence at The Bible School. You will be a help to us and we to you. If you come once you will be sure to come again. Why not be with us next Sunday morning at 10:00 o'clock? It will be an hour well spent. Come-we will be glad to see you.

We have four splendid Endeavor meetings at 6:30 each Sunday evening. We meet and study the Bible only. Mrs. Ernest Hale, teaches the Sunbeams; Mrs. Abbott the Juniors; Mrs. T. M. Baisden, the Intermediates the classes. You will enjoy the fellowship.—A. G. Abbott, Pastor.

in Spur Monday

a telegram received Tuesday from

Dr. Jenkins is one of the best orators in Texas and will deliver a great printed in the paper each week, and Mrs. Ray Dickson, Spur liberty, those that will neither know address to those who hear him. Ar- are sending them in by mail before Mrs. Katy Conaster, Steel Hill 10,600 rangements are being made for a they expire. They expire one week Juanita Hopkins, Steel Hill what grave his unregarded ashes re- building and the people who want from the date they appear in the pa- Mrs. Chas. Perrin, Croton pose is the proudest destiny of man! to hear Dr. Jenkins will be comfort- per.

Contest Closes

the bright __es and it takes both has been going on in Spur since early rain and sunshine to make the earth last Spring has been closed, and the results have been great. The com-We read this the other day: "Cot- mittee held a metting Tuesday mornat the back.

We are just beginning to use the Mrs. M. H. Brannen won first

first honors in the comercial class.

It wont be long now until the elec- Arrangements are being made now

in the wide world. We love our town, our county, our state, our Nation. We believe in most of the men who fill our offices and still think "It's a judge of butter. Good Old World, even if it's raining

the children.

BRYANT-LINK COMPANY

DICKENS COUNTY TIMES CONTEST

VOTE COUPON

Good for 100 Votes

Mail to contest manager, or drop in ballot box in Dickens Coun-

Coupons must be voted within one week

No. 2

Many Readers Offer Subscriptions And Vote Coupons To Contestants

People of Spur And Sur- Elva Lee, Spur rounding Country. Many Mrs. W. A. Harris, Dry Lake, 10,400 unteering Coupons, Subscriptions and Even More Votes to Contest Manager Lillie Brittian, Spur

Although many candidates have been nominated in the Times contest Pearl Edwards, Spur only a few have, as yet started after Louise Collier, Spur the prizes personally. Most of them are still hestitating about attempting to win, although their friends are Gladys McMeans, Twin Wells 10,300 showing a most generous spirit and Lotela Sparks, Highway have volunteered vote coupons, subactive assistance in the campaign for Mrs. Oree Moore Smith, Spur 11,000 votes. Several contestants have re- Mrs. Bessie Bell, Afton ported that before they had even ask- Mrs. J. V. Powell, Highway 11,000 ed for a vote their friends had begun Mrs. Pearly Randolph, Afton 10,400 to mail them vote coupons clipped Mrs. Geo. Sloan, Highway ___10,600 from the paper and that a number Mrs. Dempsey Simms, Afton 10,900 had stopped them on the street to of- Mrs. F. F. Henry, Duncan Flat 10,500 fer them their renewals or payment Callie Mae Watson, RFD they decide to run, and some have Lillian Simms, Espuela Dr. Millard A. Jenkins, of Abilene, and help them get subscriptions, or Mrs. C. A. Morrison, Girard will deliver an address in Spur next to take them around in their car a Mrs. S. Durr, McAdoo Mailing Votes

Thousands of votes are coming in by mail every day to the contest Mrs. Robinson, Dry Lake every section of the county are be- Mrs. Evelyn Nichols, R.FD ginning to save the vote coupons Mrs. Jack Rector, Spur

\$20 Guaranteed

enteed every candidate who turns in subscriptions every day, makes it im- Time possible for anyone to run in this contest and make any serious effort without winning at least some returns for her efforts. Very rarely is such 3 fears so we may know how to appreciate The contest of beautiful yards which a provision made in a campaign of 4 years

1	this nature.	
	Scores	
	Mrs. Cecil Scott, Steel Hill,	11,20
	Mary McCormack, Spur	10,90
	Gillie Slaton, Spur	10,70
	Mrs. W. L. Gibbs, Spur	
700	Lucy Mae Wade, Afton,	11,10
	Mrs. F. G. Rogers,	10,80
	Mrs. Eva Braddock, E. Afton	10,60
	Mrs. J. W. Jennings, Spur	
	Eola Lambert, Wichita	14,30
	Mrs. Mitchell Baker, Steel Hill	
	Mildred Terry, Dickens,	10,60
	Mrs. W. F. Forman, Forman C.	
	Mrs. Juanita Guthrie Afton	

Telephone Candidates Vol Reba Dot McGaughy, Spur __11,000 Mrs. R. F. Rogers, Dry Lake 10,900 Estelle Collett, Spur 10,500 Active Help. Others Mail Mrs. F. E. Walker, Dry Lake 10,300 _10,400 Mrs. B. .J Kellet, Girard _11,100 Sadie Harrington, Spur 10,800 11,200 10,900 10,800 Euna Hooper, Twin Wells Myrtie Gorham, Afton, 10,400 10,800 10,400 lacys Robinson, Afton scriptions, renewals and even more Mrs. J. D. Huffstedler Highway 10,40 10,700 of arrears in subscriptions in case Mrs. Will Smiley, Duncan Flat 11,000 10,400 even offered to take a receipt book Mrs. Starling Jackson, D. F. 10,500 14,100 Mrs. Ernest Hale, Spur 10,700 Nellie Goff. Spur Mrs. Ben Eldridge, McAdoo 11,100 10,400 10,500 _10,800 Mrs. Lee Mimms, Croton Mrs. Sam Koonsman Croton 11,100 The fact that at least \$20 is guar- Mrs. Albert Powers, Wichita 10,600 Vote Schedule

Votes Allowed New 2.000 \$1.50 6,000 10,000 4.50 15,000

0 home in Artesia, N. Mexico, last Mon- munity. 00 day evening. Death was due to hard ening of arteries and her mature vears. She was the mother of our Bryant-Link Com-00 Mr. L. W. Lansgton, of this city.

The body will be brought to Spur 0 for funeral services. They left Ar-00 tesia Wednesday morning and will 00 arrive in Spur Friday. Funeral ser-00 vices will be held Friday afternoon 00 after which interment will made in

Cemetery Associa-Takes High Score tion Secures Addition be practically a fire proof building. The Baptist people invite you to the floors are to be of concrete and come. We have special music every

Wisconsin, 93.50.

Larson, of Madison, Wis.,; and J. W. remembered that Mr. Ridgeway has day. been with the Mistletoe Creameries for several years and is an excellent BUYS SPUR SERVICE STATION

is calling for more cream all the time and we believe the farmers of Spur country will see that a better supply is given from now on.

METHODIST CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday 11 a. m.: Subject of sermon the Devil."

Subject of sermon at night, 7:30 p. m. "The Vote That Wins."

Special music at both services. for all ages. Come. G. S. Link Supt. Epworth Leagues at 3 p. m. 6:30 p m. and 7 p. m.

-A. B. Davidson, Pastor.

During the National Dairy Exposi- The Spur Cemertery Association

ber of butter factories throughout to the cemetery. This lot is being We have an idea that God has some- and let's make Spur a beautiful place. to report that for those butter factor- be planted soon and the water lines ies in Texas making entries, the Spur extended in order that these trees been good men and we believe the Lake, were doing some trading with Espuela Brand scored 92 points which center of grounds a fountain is to was very close to Iowa, 93.25 and be erected where a large bed of flowers will be planted giving the time. We don't have any patience Mrs. S. J. Hickman, of McAdoo, The sample of Spur butter was site a beautiful appearance; We unwith the idea that all men in office was doing some shopping in our city sent in by Leo Klingman, who is sup-derstand the lots have not been placed erintendent of the work at the Spur on the market yet and probably will

> W. W. Garner, east of town, was Ridgeway, of Fort Worth. It will be transacting business in our city Mon-

A deal was concluded this week in Spur Creamery is affording a great which J. A. Hodges became owner opportunity for farmers to build up a of the Spur Service Station. Mr. Mc-Come on with the crowds and bring great cream business. The ceramery Combs, who has charge of this business will devote his entire time to his wholesale and retail tire business Mr. Hodges is taking charge of the business today, and says he hopes to command the confidence of the people and enjoy a good business.

He stated that he would continue the line of Firestone Tires and tubes 'The Battle Royal Between God and and would also handle a lower priced line of these articles.

Buddy Hicks, who has been running the business, will remain with his old employer. A younger brother of Sunday School at 10 a. m. Classes Mr. Hicks will assist Mr. Hodges with the Service Station.

B. F. Simmons, north of town, was You are invited to all the services. in Saturday looking after business in-

GINNERS REPORT

Ginning has been held up this week on account of the rains which have fallen and continue to fall. According to reports from Spur ginners there had been 3026 of this years crop ginned at Spur, counting round bales as half bales. Cotton was selling around 18c with very little moving. The following is reports by gins at nine thirty Wednesday morning.

Farmers Co-operative982	resentatives of many west reads
	towns represented at this session.
Citizens Gin458	Miss Lena Belle Scudder, of the Music
Price Bros384	
	Department of Spur Schools, will be
Williamson Bros424	hostess to the convention the two
Hayes' Gin321	
	days it is in session.
Baker's Gin457	
The three gins at Dickens report	The great event of the session will
	be the Clark-Whitlock recital Friday
586 bales of the 1928 crop ginned	
there There are	evening. Here will be represented
there. These are:	musical talent not excelled in the
Farmers' Co-operative279	
	Southwest. Mr. Wallace R. Clark
Citizen Gin140	
Bursett's Gin167	
	der a number of selections. Mr.
The McRae Gin in Croton commun-	Claule in head of the Marie Donnet

American Legion To Observe

ty reported 371 bales ginned to date.

The Boyd M. Williams Post of American Legion are making plans o observe Armistice Day, November 11th. As this date comes on Sunday the entire program is to be of a religious nature. The exercises will be held at the First Methodist Church beginning about seven thirty 'clock in the evening.

Dr. J. W. Hunt, President of Mc-Murry College, has been secured to make the address. Dr. Hunt is one of the most fascinating speakers in the State and always holds his auif they are in good condition and will dience with interest. People of Spur country will need no introduction to drain. It would be a calamity should Dr. Hunt since he has spoken in our fire plugs be used and then not drain. ity a number of times. They would freeze and should they be

There is being planned a nice mus- needed at the time they are frozen cal program in connection with the a fire could do much damage before tees are making all arrangements Our City Commission has used some 5,000 for a very complete service for the good judgement in having all plugs 7,500 evening. They are asking that all tested and placed in good condition. 10,000 churches of the town co-operate with Mrs. E. L. Langston, 79, died at her make it a great one for the com-

pany Adds New

ing a new wholesale warehouse on creased audience. Bro. Toby spoke the lots just west of the fire station. to a good crowd using as his subject This new structure is 40x80 and will the Eighteenth Amendment. be practially a fire proof building. The Baptist people invite you to the walls and roofs are to be of cor- service. Come to the mid-week prayrugated iron.

was established last spring. This already. Come, worship with us. makes the third warehouse that is being used by the company for wholesale purposes. They are supplying retailers many miles from The T. E. L. Class had a halloween nto a great distributing point.

At this time we have two wholesale time. houses in our town and both of them are doing a good business. We need J. H. Hooper, of Twin Wells commanufacturing city and establish a terests in our city Tuesday. good substantial pay roll for a number more people, and our town Mr. and Mrs. Que Miller, of Croget these industries.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Ellis, of Throckmorton, spent the week end with their other friends of the city.

Music Teachers Meet In Spur Tomorrow

Big Recital Friday Night

The South Plains Music Teachers' Association will convene in Spur tomorrow morning. There will be repesentatives of many West Texas towns represented at this session. Miss Lena Belle Scudder, of the Music Department of Spur Schools, will be ostess to the convention the two lays it is in session.

Clark is head of the Music Depart-

ment of the Teachers' College at

Canyon. He has given recitals in

many of the large cities of United

States and has always met with ap-

Mr. Clyde Whitlock comes to us

from the Conservatory of Music at

Fort Worth where he has distinguish-

ed himself as a etacher and musician

He is a violinist with a reputation of

many years. He will give a number

of violin selections tomorrow evening.

The recital will be held in the High

This is a great opportunity for

Spur people to hear real artists in

Fire Plugs Tested

The City Commissioner's have had

all fire plugs in town tested to see

School Auditorium

plause.

conclusion was reached that an auditorium of 2000 or a little more capacity would take care of the situa-It was decided also that we should

of Spur will take pride in voting for

these bonds as this building is need- Dr. Jenkins to Speak

Armistice Day

other services. The various commit- the fire plugs could be thawed uot. them in this evening service and

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

At the opening of Sunday School October 28th, the T. E. L. Class rendered a very interesting devotional program. At the eleven o'clock hour four ladies: Mesdames Godfrey, Smith Hindman and Moore, gave a very beautiful quartette entitled: "He Lift ed Me." The pastor brought a wonder ful message, "God's One Plan." One Warehouse man was saved and four joined the

The B. Y. P. U. adult division gave Bryant-Link Company are erect- an interesting program to an in-

er meeting. Remember there is The wholesale department of this baptism the first Sunday in each company has grown greatly since it month. There are several candidates

CHURCH SOCIAL

Spur which is developing our town social Tuesday evening. The basement of the chruch was quite spooky. Last year it was said that Spur but the refreshments were fine. ould not support a wholesale house. Every one seemed to have had a great

a few factories now to make us a munity, was attending to business in-

will go into the city class soon. Let's well, were ivsiting friends and doing some trading in our city the last of the week.

Seales Earnest, of Espuela, was daughter, Mrs. Lester Ericson and doing some trading with our merchants Monday.

NOMINATION	BLANK
Good For 10,000	Votes

	Good For 10,000 Votes
I nominate Mrs.	(or Miss)
Address	

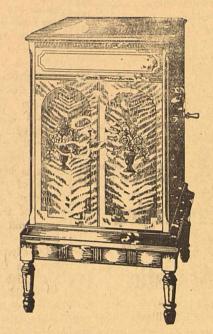
as a candidate in the Dickens County Times Popularity Contest

Only one nomination carries votes for any candidate

A FRIENDLY

Warning!

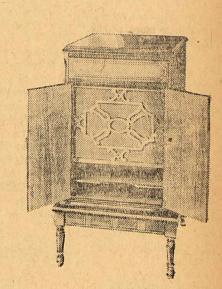
Many of our good customer's were misled last Fall by transit peddlers and bought phono graphs supposed to be guaranteed for life Mud, etc. Many of these machines proved unsatisfactory and upon investigation, by the owners found that the supposed company did not exist.



GOODS SOLD BY HOME PEOPLE ARE RELIABLE

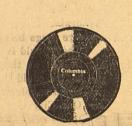
We want the people to know about our great stock of phonographs and of the service we are rendering them in this respect. We carry nothing in this line but the very highest quality which we know our customers will appreciate. We want your friendship after we make the sale.

We will place a machine in your home and you may try it for a few days. We would like to gain your confidence and get you to buy your phonographs from home people who will sell you better machines and give you better service because you are our neighbors.



Again, we can sell you a machine CHEAPER than the house off in some city. There are various reasons for this. Our buying power is great, and we can save you transportation charges and other expenses and then sell you a better machine, which is guaranteed by us and also by the manufacture.

Our salesman can see you and be of great assistance in this matter. And we shall be glad if you will visit our big store and see our line of phonographs. We would be glad to meet you and talk to you about our machines, and show you the difference.



Come and hear our Records. Largest stock in Spur.

Please drop us a line or come in and let us know if you are in the market for a machine; perhaps you know of some friends who would like to own one, tell us about them. Also we carry the biggest stock of RECORDS in Spur. Come in and here some of the new records just received.



Complete Stock of Columbia and Okeh Records.



Home Comfort at Moderate Cost

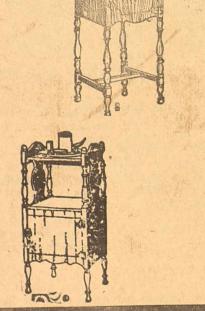
Folks, we still have a nice stock of Quality Furniture from which to make your selections, also have another big car coming in this week.

We believe that "Quality will be remembered long after the price is forgotten." Therefore, we do not buy and sell the cheapest merchandise we can get but give you Quality Merchandise at a price you will pay for poorly constructed and fin ished Furniture.





FURNITURE DEPARTMENT



SPUR'S DEPARTMENT STORE BRYANT-LINK CO.

COME ON WITH THE CROWDS AND BRING THE CHILDREN

STATEMENT

ment, circulation, etc., required by the the said stock, bonds, or other se-Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, curities than as so stated by him. Of The Dickens County Times published weekly at Spur, Texas for October 1, 1928. State of Texas.

County of Dickens. ss:

Before me, a Notary Public in and who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he above caption, required by the Act of Lollar was so seriously ill. August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411. Postal Laws and Regulations,

the publisher, editor, managing editor tion became so serious that he was ed as escort of the body with the and business managers are:

Starcher, Spur, Texas. Business Manager Mrs.

Starcher, Spur, Texas. 2. That the owners are Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Starcher, Spur. Texas.

3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security hold- born to Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Lollar. son and Mrs. M. L. Caffey, both of ers owning or holding 1 per cent or Early in life he came to Jones County Anson. The parents of the deceased more of total amount of bonds, mor- with his parents, three brothers and preceded him in death. tgages, or other securities are: Mer- two sisters, and after finishing his In the death of Mr. Lollar, Snyder genthaler Linotype Co., Brooklyn, N. education he became actively en- suffers a great loss, as his citizenship

company but also, in cases where the nishing store at Hamlin. acting, is given; also that the said time of his demise. and belief as to the circumstances and counted his circle of friends by all and conditions under which stockhold- with whom he came in contact. He curities in a capacity other than that will not be known until the weeks and will.

er person, asociation, or corporation tative citizen. State of the owenrship, Manage- has any interest direct or indirect in W D STARCHER

> Sworn to and subscribed before me this 27 day of October 1928.

for the State and county aforesaid, T. L. LOLLAR DIES LAST NIGHT personally appeared W. D. Starcher, FOLLOWING ATTACK OF ACUTE APPENDICITIS LAST WEEK

Stricken Last Wednesday

printed on the reverse of this form, terday at the Country Club, he sud- Interment was made in the family G. B. JOPLING, City Secretary, City 1. That the names and addresses of home by friends. Friday his condi- Commandery, Knights Templar, act-Publishers Mr. and Mrs. W. D. suffering from acute appendicitis. All Anson lodge. that could do was done but without Mr. Lollar was married in 1913 to D. avail. The death angel was ready Miss Otte Harris of Anson. Mrs. enjoyed a theater party at the Lyric.

ers, if any, contain not only the list he was in the lumber business at efforts have not been selfish, for his

stockholder or security holder ap- In the fall of 1921 Mr. Lollar ar- among men, Mr. Lollar was truly one pears upon the books of the company rived in Snyder and purchased the of Nature's noblemen; quiet, reserved, as trustee or in any other fiduciary Cozy Theatre, which with the later and a man whose confidence was relation, the name of the person or addition of the Palace Theatre, he treasured. coroporation for whom such trustee is operated with great success up to the

embracing affiant's full knowledge der's foremost citizens, a man who bard, who wrote: of a bona fide owner; and this affiant months and years make more keen the

has no reason to believe that any oth- loss of this truly noble and represen- or corporation or any agent or em-

Prominently identified with the provisions of this ordinance shall be My commission expires May 31, 1929. Lions Club, the Snyder Country Club fense. and the West Texas Chamber of Com Section 4. Provided, that this ordin- tion on linens.

Funeral At Anson

the best of his knowledge and belief, the news came from Lubbock last til noon when the funeral cortege remainder of this ordinance. a true statement of the ownership, night that everybody's friend, T. L. started for Anson where services were publication for the date shown in the this week, very few knew that Mr. former pastor of the deceased, assist- of October A. D. 1928. ed by Rev. W. T. Hamor, pastor of the First Baptist Church, of which While playing golf a week ago yes- Mr. Lollar was formerly a member. Attest: denly fainted and was carried to his plot at the Anson cemetery. Snyder of Spur, Texas. rushed to the Lubbock Sanitarium, Masonic services in charge of the

> to receive him, and he was prepared Lollar and daughter, Jeanette, survive, with three brothers, J. A. of Methodist Church and went from Mr. Lollar was born in Mississippi Anson; Will, of Clyde; and Alonzo, of there to the theater, where they en-October 7, 1890, one of six children Spur; two sisters Mrs. Oliver Thomp joyed the picture of Zane Grey's

gaged in the lumber business and was has been that of a man ever pushing 4. That the two paragraphs next later deputy county clerk of Jones forward in life's endeavor, and he had above, giving the names of the own- County, where he served with honor just arrived at that point where he ers, stockholders, and security hold- to himself and to the county. Later was financially independent. But his as they appear upon the books of the Snyder had also operated a gents fur- benevolent and church enterprises

No truer words were ver written that truly describe Mr. Lollac's life two paragraphs contain statements Mr. Lollar was indeed one of Sny- than the famous line of Elbert Hub

"The supreme prayer of my heart s i. t to be learned, rich, famous ers and security holders who do not was never too busy to aid a friend; powerful or even good, but simply to appear upon the books of the com- never refusing help to those in need, be radiant. I desire to radiate health pany as trustees, hold stock and se- and was a man whose sterling worth cheerfulness, calm courage and good-

"I wish to live without hate, whim jealousy, envy, fear. I wish to be simple, honest, frank, natural, clean n mind and clean in body, unaffected -to say 'I don't know' if it be so and to meet all men on an absolute quality, to face any obstacle and meet every difficulty unabashed and

"I wish others to live their lives, too, up to their highest, fullest and To that end I pray that I may never meddle, interfere, dictate, give advice that is not wanted, or assist when my services are not needed. If I can help people, I'll do it by giving them a chance to help themselves; and if I can uplife or inspire, let it be by example, rather than by injunc tion and dictation. This is to say, I desire to be Radiant-to Radiate

Stores Close

Every Snyder store closed from 11 'clock to noon today out of respect to this fellow citizen in whose memory every man, woman and child stood with reverance and awe when death came to their friend. Beautiful were the tributes; beautiful were the floral offerings; and may God in His infinite good wisdom and love, comfort the saddened hearts of Mr. Lollar's loved ones and friends. T. L. Lollar was a gentleman, a devoted husband and father, and a worthy friend and

The entire community joins the Times-Signal in bringing to the bereaved family the condolences and sympathies of our citizenship .-Scurry County Times.

AN ORDINANCE

Be it ordained by the board of commissioners of the City of Spur, Tex-

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any firm, corporation, or person, to conduct and operate any public utility plant, such as telephone, gas, waterworks, electric light or any other public utility plant, within the City of Spur, Texas, without a franchise from the City of Spur, Texas, duly passed by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Spur, Tex-

Section 2. That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, without a franchise from the City of Spur, Texas, duly passed by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Spur Texas, to lay any mains, pipes, or conduits, or to erect any poles, wires or any appurtenances or thing belong ing to any such plant, or to make any extensions thereof, on or over, or under, the streets, alleys, sidewalks or public grounds in the City of Spur,

Section 3. That any person, firm

ploye for them, violating any of the

Masonic Lodge, Mr. Lollar was a guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be Demonstration Club met with Mrs. member of the Shrine, holding mem-subject to a fine of not less than W. H. Deuvall on October 25, 1928. bership in the Fort Worth Temple. twenty-five (\$25.00) dollars and not He was also a member of the Board more than Two Hundred (\$200.00) and two new members. of Directors of the Scurry County dollars and each and every day of Wm. A. McALPINE Chamber of Commerce, the Snyder such violation shall be a separate of Elizabeth Watters also one visitor.

ance shall not be construed as to ap Our next meeting will be with ply to long distance telegraph or tele Mrs. J.H. Hooper on November 8th, business matters. The body of Mr. Lollar arrived here phone service; and provided further 1928 at 2:30 p. m. The subject will at 10:30 this morning, accompanied that in the event any section hereof, be Christmas lesson with a demonis the Editor of the Dickens County The city of Snyder was shocked by relatives and friends. It lay in or part thereof, shall be held invalid stration on wrapping Christmas looking after business interests in Times and that the following is, to as it never has been in years when state at the Odom Funeral Home unsuch holding shall in nowise affect the packages by Mrs. Orvill Pentacost. our city Monday. He stated it was the

Passed by the Board of Commis stration on Christmas candies also the Fair. management (and if a daily paper, Lollar, had passed from this life to held from the First Baptist Church, sioners in the City of Spur, Texas, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid the great beyond. Up to Monday of in charge of Rev. J. H. Edmonds, in Special Session, this the 30th day this work is cordially invited to meet

Approved: NED HOGAN, Mayor.

THEATER PARTY

On last Friday evening the sophomore class of the Spur High School The crowd gathered in front of the 'The Water Hole."

After refreshments were served the party at the Red Front Drug Store. Mrs. Hull and Miss Morgan chaperoned the young people.

Those present were: Helen Hisey, Evalene Hazel, Joe Kidd, Lynn Mc-Gaughey, Sylvia Denson, Mildred. Hammock , Morris Collett, Louise Morris, Dorothy Hisey, Margaret of stockholders and security holders Hamlin and prior to his coming to contributions to the civic, industrial, Bull, Ohio Biggs, Jessiz Leach, Cecil Lawson, S. M. Newberry, Rozzel have been varied and large. A man Cozby, Dudley Wooten, Alva Ince, Laverna Cozby, Fay McMahan, Iris Howell, Homer Hinson, Cecil Wolfe, Ray Prince, Milton Forman, Clyde Latham, Walter Dunn, Melbern Morris, Harold W. Harris, Milton McKay, Clarence Foreman.

> George B. Maben, of 24-Ranch, was in our city Saturday looking after business matters.

J. L. Thannisch, of Wichita community, was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

TWIN WELLS CLUB NEWS

The Ladies of Twin Wells Home There were eight members present

Mrs. R. L. Westerman and Mrs. Miss Osborne gave a demonstra-

team puddings. All interested in with us.-Club Reporter.

J. R. Cozby, west of town, was in doing some trading Saturday.

NOTICE

Bishop Leaman of the Protestant Episcopal Church will hold service and preach in Spur on Sunday morning at eleven o'clock in the Presbyterian Church.

The public cordially invited to at-

J. L. Bowman, of Red Mud. was in our city Saturday attending to

Miss Osborne will give a demon- first time he had been intown since

O. C. Newberry, County Judge elect was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

J. N. Lawson, of Afton, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday.

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Big lot Men's Winter Underware	\$1.00
Big Double Blankets	3.24
Men's Dress Shirts	98c
Big lot Men's Dress Hats	3.95
Big lot Men's Heavy Work Shirts	1.00
Ladies Nice Silk Dreses	6.00
Outing, 8 yards	1.00
Ginghams and Prints, 5 yards	1.00
Pictures	.49c and 89c
Ladies Service Weight Hose	98c
Ladies' Full Fashion Silk Hose	
Cotton Sack Ducking, 8 oz.	18c
Big lot Shoes	3.95
Men's Heavy Wool Flannel Shirts.	1.75

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Pineapple, Gold Bar Crushed No 2½ 23
Blackberries, East Texas, No. 2 can 13c
Peaches, 5 lb. package Blue Ribbon 80c
Oats, Mothers Chinaware, large pkg 29
CORN, Extra Fancy, No. 2, per can 13c
RAISINS, 4 lb. packages 28c
PECANS, selected, per lb. 25c
70 lbs. Meat, Salt Michigan 1.40

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Pork	Steak,	or	Chops,	per	pound	30c

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Home Made Chili, none better Hot Barbecue, boneless, cooked the old

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W. T. U. CO. SUPPLY OIL

San Angelo, Texas, Oct. 30 .-With the completion of a new 20,-000 horsepower generating station at Lake Pauline, increasing the availa- rooms where five tables of bridge ble generating capacity of the company to 70,000 horsepower and the building of hundred's of miles of new transmission lines over the properties, the West Texas Utilities Company has anticipated the electrical development of West Texas oil fields for several years.

The use of electric energy for drilling, pumping and operating of pipe lines has become generally accepted by the majority of oil companies as the most economical with less fire hazard, experts declare. And companies operating in West Texas have been among the first to adopt electrical power.

Perhaps the most outstanding example of this type of power is found in the Yates field of Pecos county where provision has been made to develop more than 200 wells by the use of electricity. Of some 500 producing wells in this field 156 are using electricity; six gathering stations are using electrical energy and 15 pipe line stations are electrical. The connected load of the West Texas Utilities Company in the Yates field totals 11,204 horsepower. Of the wells in this field, 230 are flowing and use

The utilities company now is constructing an addition to the 66,000 volt Iraan-Yates substation providing for four additional highlines to insure the Yates field an unlimited supply of power. The addition of the substation will double the present capacity of the station. This expansion became necessary because of the rapid development of the field and to care for its future growth.

Paralleling the marvelous growth and development of the Yates field in the past two years is the feat performed by the construction department of the West Texas Utilities Company which within two months time built 100 miles of 66,000 volt transmission lines into this field The highline from Mertzon to Mc-Camey was finished and cut in on June 1, 1927.

20TH CENTURY CLUB

The Twentieth Century Club met with Mrs. W. S. Campbell on last dnesday afternoon. Mrs. E. S. was leader and the following prowas discussed.

1. Paper-Mrs. E. J. Cowan. 2. Character and self-control of Wasington-Mrs. L. R. Barrett.

3. Washington's Farewell Address -Mrs. Jim Foster.

4. Thomas Jefferson-Mrs. Leslie Roberts. 5. Alexander Hamilton-Mrs. W. O

McCrary. Others present were Mrs. W. W. Sample, Mrs. B. F. Crockett, Mrs. Ned Hogan, Mrs. E. L. Caraway and

JAMES ZACHRY ENTERTAINS

WITH BIRTHDAY PARTY

On Saturday afternoon, October 27 James Zachry celebrated his second birthday, entertaining a number of his little friends in honor of the occasion.

Each little guest drew from a "grab bag" and received a Hallowe'en

The birthday cake bearing two candles was brought in and cut, after which ice cream was served.

Remembrances were given to James on this occasion by the following: Jacqueline Jean Rector, William Harris Manning, Ned Blackwell, Billie D. Starcher, Willis King Jr., Glenna Williams, Cecilia Fox, Beverly Tip Burns, Betty Jo Barnett, Shirly June Robbins, Celesta Ray King, Billie Ray Barrett and Sammie McGee

BRIDGE PARTY

Mrs. R. E. Dickson entertained with a bridge party on Wednesday afternoon of last week.

Most attractive tallies and score pads were found at each table, and the guests went to their places upon arriving.

In the games Mrs. Cecil Hicks and Mrs. W. L. Gibbs, Jr., held high scores and Mrs. S. B. Scott, Jr., and Mrs Weldon McClure held low. Each received a lovely gift.

Mrs. Dickson served a delicious salad course to the Mmes. Murray Lea, Jr., J. O. Smith, Horace Hyatt, Cecil Hicks, Houston Scarbourgh, Weldon McClure, R. R. Wooten, M. H. Brannen, W. L. Gibbs, E. Rippley, W. E. Flint, Dick Speer, J. E. Hall, W. E. Manning, A. C. Hull, Hubert Wester, H. P. Schrimsher, D. H. Zachry and Miss Margaret Elliott.

JOI DE VOI CLUB

Mrs. Edwin Rippley was hostess to members of the Joi de Voi Club and a few others on last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. C. A. Love. A color scheme of pink and green

prizes.

kets added attractiveness to the solation. were in play.

FIELDS WITH POWER were small teacups and saucers, score ternoon and were given pretty com- Clure, W. E. Flint, M. H. Brannen, Members of the 1925 Bridge Club pads in the shape of teapots and potes, one being in green and the oth- Cecil Hicks, J. E. Hall, C. Flournoy, and their husbands were delightfully er in pink. Mrs. C. A. Love was Willis King, Roy Harkey, Houston entertained on last Thursday evening Beautiful flowers in vases and bas- given a dainty pansy jar for con- Scarbourgh, D. H. Zachry.

> C. Golding, W. D. Wilson, F. W. Mrs. J. O. Smith and Mrs. Hubert Jennings, J. B. Reed, C. L. Love, Mrs. G. L. Rape, south of town, we in doing some shopping Saturday.

was carried out in the tallies, which Wester held high scores for the af- Horace Hyatt, W E. Manning, W. Mc-

Mrs. Rippley served a lovely salad Dickson. Others present were the Mmes. M. course at the conclusion of the play. Mrs. G. L. Rape, south of town, was

1925 BRIDGE CLUB at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E.

the ladies and Messrs M. C. Golding Clure.

and James B. Reed for the men. Lovely refreshments were passed to Messrs. and Mesdames M. C. Golding, V D Wilson, F. W. Jennings, L. H. Perry, James B Reed, B. C. Cairnes, Mrs. Basil Cairnes and Mrs. L. H. W. J Elliott, Miss Dorothy Elliott, Perry received high score prizes for Mrs. C. A. Love and Mrs. Oran Mc-

ICTORS

HERE IS HOW TO MARK YOUR BALLOT FOR AND FOR ALL OTHER DEMOCRATIC. AT OF TEXAS OFFICIALLY STATES THIS SPLIT COUNTED

Below is a copy of a split ballot that has been officially approved by Hon. Claude Pollard, Attorney General of Texas, as a legally marked split ballot, and says it must be counted by the electionofficials; the sample split ballot is your official ballot November 6th, to vote for the 20 Hoover electors, and to vote for all Democratic candidates other than Al Smith. Note carefully, that you should mark, vertically, lines through ALL the 20 Smith electors at the head of the Democratic column. Then leave the 20 Hoover electors at the top of the Republican column UNMARKED. Then draw lines through the names of all candidates below the Hoover electors and through all other columns marked "Communist Party," "Socialist Party," and others. The sample ballot below shows only Presidential electors and candidates for State offices. In addition to these there will be candidates for Couny offices, Democrats, that you will want to support. Also, the official opinion of the Attorney General is shown in photographic production below.

SAMPLE BATTOT

DEMOCRATIC PARTY	REPUBLICAN PARTY	COMMUNIST PARTY	SOCIALIST PARTY	
Electors for President and Vice-President:	Electors For President and Vice-Prosident:	Electors For President and Vice-President:	Electors for President and Vice-President:	Electors For President and Vice-Precident:
JAMES YOUNG At Large OVET CULP, & Large	MIKE H. THOMAS, At Large W. P. H. McFADDIN, At Large ED KING, District No. 1	W. D. SMITH, At Large J. M. HART, At Large	WADE LEE, At Large W. J. STARRY At Harge	At Lorge
Electors for Fresiciant and Vice-President: JAME YOUNG (At Large OVET), CULP, As Large H. G. SHOWN, Destrict No. 1 W. T. NORMAN, District No. 2 CHASS L. BLACKFIELD, District No. 3 FREDGE, HORTOR, District No. 5 J. FELTON (ANR. District No. 6 HAYNE NELMS, District No. 7 R. H. WARL District No. 7 R. H. WARL District No. 8 J. F. FARNITT, District No. 10 BART MOONE, Destrict No. 11 B. K. GOREY, District No. 12 W. M. MOORE, Brattict No. 12 W. M. MOORE, Brattict No. 13 MARSEALL ESEN DIGGE, District No. 14 CAESER KIL BEEG, District No. 15 HARRY V. HISHR, District No. 16 H. B. BRELSFORD, District No. 17 LLOYS FLEE CHER, District No. 17	ED KING, District No. 1 DR. A. E. SWEATLAND, District No. 2 B. J. PEASLEY, District No. 3 E. E. HANNA, District No. 4 L. B. CABHAM, District No. 4	District No	WADE LEE, At Leage W. J. STARRE AT HATSE WITT HOBELSTS, District No. 1 E. B. JEDGE, District No. 2 M. H. N-CANDLESS, District No. 3 GEORGE ALL XANNER, District No. 6 J. T. BEANDL DISTRICT No. 6 JOHN W. GERALL, District No. 6 JOHN W. GERALL, District No. 7 A. E. MORTON, District No. 9 D. W. KING, DOISTICT NO. 10 GORDON LEE, DISTRICT NO. 11 J. BEO, DWAY, DATRICT NO. 12 R. H. JEAN, District No. 12 R. H. JEAN, District No. 13 PAULITE MCAUSE DISTRICT NO. 14 DON CHMPB-LL, District No. 16 R. F. POCKRUSS, DISTRICT NO. 16 A. D. ESTES, DISTRICT NO. 17 J. MCMULLER, DISTRICT NO. 18	At Large
JOHN W. WOODS, District No. 5 J. FELTON LANE, District No. 6 HAYNE NEEMS District No. 7	TYLER HASWELL, District No. 6 H. C. SMITH, District No. 7	District No.	J. T. BEAND District No. 5 W. M. TENNEDY, District No. 6	District No. 1
R. H. WARL District No. 8 J. F. BARNETT, District No. 9 MBC M. OVIC District No. 1/2	WALLACE PRATT, District No. 8 CHARLES G. SMITH, District No. 9 JOHN R. DRAKE, District No. 10	District No.	A. B. MORTON, District No. 8 MARTIN KOAL, Datrict No. 9	District No. 1
BART MOORE, District No. 11 B. K. CORES, District No. 12	MRS. MARGARET CONGER, District No. 11 JOE KEBELMAN, District No. 12 C. W. JOHNSON, JR. District No. 13	District No.	GORDON LEE DISSIET NO. 10 GORDON LEE DISSIET NO. 11 J. BROADWAY, Datrict No. 12	District No.
MARSHALL ESKRIDGE, District No. 14 CAESUR KLEBELG, District No. 15	E. E. HANNA. District No. 4 J. B. GRAHAM. District No. 5 TYLER HASWELL, District No. 6 H. C. SMITH, Bistrict No. 7 WALLACE PRATT, District No. 8 CHARLES G. SMITH, District No. 9 JOHN R. DRAKE, District No. 10 MRS. MARGARET CONGER, District No. 11 JOE KRBELLMAN, District No. 12 C. W. JOHNSON, JR., District No. 13 BODO HOLEKAMP, District No. 14 JOHN T. LOMAX, District No. 15 MITCHELL WALDROP, District No. 16 DR. A. F. BROCK, District No. 17 L. A. KENNEDY, District No. 18	Dietrict No.	PAULIEE MCMABIS District No. 14 DON CAMPBELL, District No. 15	District No.
H. B. ERELSFORD, District No. 17 LLOYD FLEYCHER, District No. 18	DR. A. F. BROCK, District No. 17 L. A. KENNEDY, District No. 18	District No.	R. F. PDCKRUSS, District No. 16 A. D. EFTES, District No. 17 J. McMullley, District No. 18	District No.
For United States Senator:	For United States Senator:	GEORGE KOENIG, District No. 7 HARRY LAW ENGE, District No. 8	For United States Senator: DAVID DURGAN	District No.
TOM CONNALLY	T.M. KENNHRLY	District No.		District No.
For Associate Justice Supreme Court: THOMAS B. GREENWOOD	For Associate Justice Supreme Court:	District No.	For Associate Justice Supreme Court:	District No.
For Governor: DAN MOODY	For Governor: Vi H. HOLMIS	District No.	For Governor:	District No.
For Lieutenant Governor: BARKY MILLER	For Lieutenant Governor: MRS. LUNA MORE	District No.	12 For Lieuenant Governors A. F. VON BLON	District No. 1
For Attorney General: CLAUDE FOLLARD	For Attorney General: C. O. HARRIS	District No.	For Attorney General GEO. CLIFTON EDWARDS	District No. 1
	1 4 1	HARRY PSTEIN District No. 14		District No. 1
For Comptroller: S. H. TERRELL	For Comproller JOHN H. GRANT	District No.	15 For Comptrolled: O. L. GRIDDMORE	District No. 1
For State Treasurer: W. GREGORY HATCHER	For StatesTreas rer: CP P. SCALES	1 8 0 (1	16 For State Treasurer: H. M. BOOKER	District No. 1
For State Superintendent of Public Instruction: S. M. N. MARES	For tate Superintendent of Public Instruction:	WM. ROCERS, District No. 17 S. E. POWELL, District No. 18	For State Superintenent of Public Instruction	District No. 1
	For Commissioner of Agriculture:	For United States Senator: JOHN R ST	H. L. EYNUM	District No. 1
For Commissioner of Agriculture: GEO. B. TERRELL	A. J. MARTIN		For Commissioner of Agriculture: W. B. STARR	District No. 1
For Railroad Commissioner: LON A. SMITH	Fee Railrad Commissioner:	For Associate Jestice Supreme Court:	For Rail oad Commissioner: C. T. DENSHAW	District No. 1
For Commissioner General Land Office: J. T. ROBISON	For Commissioner General Land Office:	For Governor: J. STEDMAN	For Commissioner General Land Office:	For United Stated Senator:
For Judge Court of Criminal Appeals: W. C. MORROW	For Judge Cours of Criminal Appeals:	For Lieutenant Covenor: J. L. SWAN	For Judge Court of Cuminal Appeals: J. R. HARRITT	For Associate Justice Supreme Court:
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#2--Hon. Alvin Moody

October 10, 1928

Hon. Alvin Moody, Houston, Texas.

Dear Mr. Moody:

We have received your letter of October 4, inclosing a form of ballot to be used in case a voter desires to vote for the Republican presidential electors and at the same time for all the nominees of the Democratic party for state offices.

The manner of marking a ballot is set forth in Article 2981, of the Revised Civil Statutes of our State, and in this Article is included the provision for voting a mixed ticket. Article 2981 is as follows:

"When a voter desires to vote a ticket straight, he shall run a pencil or pen through all other tickets on the official ballot, making a distinct marked line through such ticket not intended to be voted; and when he shall desire to vote a mixed ticket he shall do so by running a line through the names of such condidates as he shall desire to vote against in the ticket he is voting, and by writing the name of the condidate for whom he desires to vote in the blank column and in the space provided for such office; same to be written with black ink or pencil, unless the names of the candidates for which he desires to vote appear on the ballot, in which event he shall leave the same not scratched."

We have examined the sample ballot submitted by you, and in our opinion, a ballot so marked meets the requirements set forth in the Article quoted above and should be accepted by the election judges and counted as a vote for the Republican electors and at the same time as a vote for all of the state Democratic nominees.

That is to say, if a voter desires to vote for the Republican presidential electors and at the same time vote for all the Democratic nominees for state offices, it is legal for

such a voter to run a line through the presidential electors on the Democratic ticket, leaving the presidential electors on the Republican ticket unmarked; and when he reaches the nominees for state offices, leave same unmarked on the Democratic ticket and run a line through the nominees for state offices on the Republican ticket. This, of course, would necessitate running a line through the entire ticket of any other party appearing on the ballot.

In this connection, we desire to call your attention to the provisions of Article 3009, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, under which a voter should not carry a marked ballot to the polls with him.

> Very truly yours, Claud Pollard Attorney General

CP/D

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Contestant who turn in subscriptions every day from the time they start are guaranteed at least \$20.00.

RULES

Any white woman or girl, married or single, may compete but the right is reserved to exclude any person. salaried employees of the paper and members of their families are excluded.

Children under 16 are not encouraged to enter.

Candidates entering agree not to run for the benefit of any lodge, club, or other organization.

Contestants may secure subscriptions anywhere, and they may have anyone, anywhere, help them get subscriptions.

All subscriptions, to carry votes, must be paid for at the time votes are issued. Subscribers paying for their subscriptions at the office may obtain votes for their favorites provided votes are requested at the time payment is made, not otherwise.

Subscription payments must be turned over to the contest manager or mailed to him, not later than two days after they

A new subscription, to entitle a contestant to votes as such, must constitute a bona fide increase in the circulation of the paper as compared with that of the date the contest was an-

nounced, October 25, 1928. Changes of name or address, or from one member of a family to another, will not entitle a contestant to the extra votes allowed on "new" subscriptions.

If attempts are made to gain extra votes by the above methods the right is reserved to cancel all votes issued on those

In case of dispute the decision of the ocntest manager is final. If any two candidates are tied at the end of the contest prizes of equal value to those tied for will be given each of the can-

The contest positively close at 9 P. M. Western Union time, on Saturday, December 1, 1928. The clock in the Western Union office will be accepted as official.

VOTE SCHEDULE

Time	Price	Votes	Allowed
		New	Old
1 year	\$1.50	2,000	1,000
2 years	3.00	6,000	3,000
3 years	4.50	10,000	5,000
4 years	6.00	15,000	7,500
5 years	7.50	20,000	10,000

BONUS VOTES

In addition to the above votes, 100,000 bonus votes will be allowed on every total of \$30.00 in subscriptions brought in before 9 Saturday night, November 17. From then and until 9 P. M. November 24 the bonus will be 75,000 extra votes for every total of \$30.00 and during the balance of the contest 50,-000 bonus votes will be awarded with \$30.00 totals.

For Further Particulars See, Telephone or Write

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HOW GEMS AND CHARACTERS ARE MADE

The flame shall not hurt thee; I only design

They dross to consume and try gold

to refine.

-Old Hymn. The factors entering into the worth of an object consist of its intrinsic

and utilitarian value, its beauty and its rarity, and the sentimental estimate placed upon it.

The facotors entering into the merit of human beings consist of the possession and practice of the virtues, capacity for and activity in service for mankind.

Precious stones derive their value from their beauty and extrinsic worth. These are given them by the processes through which they pass, from the original material inherent in them at the beginning, to the completed state in which they are found by the miner, supplemented by the finishing work done by the lapidary.

Human beings derive their worth to their fellows from their inherent abilities and the degree of their development by their experiences, supplemented by education and study.

The diamond, for example, would never have been a diamond had it not passed through inconceivable pressure and the unimaginable heat of geologic fires. It is said to be form- from beds of volcanic lava. They are ed by volcanic fires, force and pres- found in masses of pulverized cincourse, coal was at some time part of Moscow, Idaho. Opals were origina living plant. Hence comes the con- ally silica, which was deposited by clusion that every diamond in the water in cavities in the rocks when world has passed through awful ex- the rocks were very hot. They were periences in its transition from part considered by the ancients to be the of a growing plant to the beautiful most valuable of gems. gem we find in the jewelry stores.

st substance known, and it may be of the intense heat and pressure insaid that it has passed through the cident to the eruptions of volcanoes most terrible ordeal in the transform- that precious stones are produced. ation from three to carbon and from Just here it might be stated, too, that

Every one knows that the human of a river in Montana are rocks being seems to reach his highest de- through which run "dikes" of a whit-Entered as second class matter at the velopment by experiences which test ish mineral, which are in reality an-Post Office in Spur, Texas, October and try him. Indeed, like the diamond cient cracks in the rocks which were 30, 1924, under act of Congress March they transform the original material filled in from the depths of the earth. into the precious stone of a highly From the mare taken fine sapphires developed man or woman.

It is the passage through the crusi- ed by the crystallization of the molble of human experiences, including ten material. These sapphires are trials and tribulations, griefs and sor- said to be more beautiful than the rows, labor and strife that brings out same stones found in Ceylon. the gold of human character. It is developed in no other way.

the difficulties we surmount. Were pronounced the most valuable of plain have been the means of lifting with approximately 50 wells eiththere no night, there would be no gems.

many do come from. For example, a ed at Mt. Mica in the State of Maine. and thus are drawn nearer to Him The new substation, it was pointed diamond field of greater or less ex- These mines are said to be the source and to heaven. tent has of recent years been found of the greatest supply of these beauin the State of Arkansas, in the tiful stones we have. "good old U. S. A." Of course, hu-

Diamonds to the number of several called "precious stones." thousand have been taken from the mines near Murfreesboro, Ark. They largest in the world is (or was) range in size from very small ones among the crown jewels of Russia. to one weighing 21 1-4 carats and an- It weighs 194.34 carats. The Kohother 18 carats. They are the pro- inoor, probably the best-known diaducts of an extinct volcano which mond ever found, weight 102 3-4 centuries ago poured forth its molten carats and is among the crown jewels of England. rocks from the depths of the earth.

To a large extent the demand for precious stones in this ocuntry is sup with the one possessing it in propplied by the mines of the United ortion as he imparts it. States. From New Mexico comes the world's supply of turquoises, from with the bits of wisdom and knowldeposits said to have been worked more or less by the Aztecs before other because it is used in polishing columbus with his galleons crossed diamonds. Some men pose as "rough the uncharted ocean to an unknown diamonds." Why so, when the polish-

In Oregon we get beautiful opals sure. Some one has said that it is ders. Many of these gems, said by valued highly from time immemorial "the rich relation of black coal." Of some to be "lucky," come from near

Volcanoes Are Gem Factories

it has been found that along the banks are made to suffer and sorrow, to 17th.

> crucible of human experience, and Field. spiritual exaltation is attained This Jones county field has been Abilene.

Washed from gravels in North through suffering, We are always lifted higher by emeralds. The "pigeonblood" ruby is troubles about which we most com- world."

cious stones is "the Stone which the in this field. builders rejected." It not only con-Authorities say that the diamond, man diamonds are found all over the ruby, sapphire and emerald are the verts baser metals into finer ones, world, along with much human dross. four stones which are entitled to be but baser materials into precious stones which shall adorn His crown 'while the years of eternity roll." a sure foundation."

> J. W. Davis, of Soldier Mound, was section." greeting old friends on our streets Saturday.

Harvey S. Holly, of Dickens, was donig some trading with our merchants Saturday.

George F. Harris, of McAdoo, was attending to business maters in our

Miss Eola Lambert, teacher at Dumont, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

Tom Andrews, of Afton, was talking business with Spur people Mon-

M. V. Hutto, of Soldier Mound, was attending to business affairs

here Saturday. T. A. Harvey, of Dickens, was doing some trading with our merchants

TRENT Persons are much like the gems in TRENT, TEXAS, Oct. 29 .- Con-

another way; The gems know not why struction work has begun on the new San Marcos, Texas, October 25, they are subjected to the lapidary's all-steel 66,000 volt substation of the 1928.—The section around Spur is treatment, but they come out beauti- West Texas Utilities Company here, well represented in San Marcos Bapful and bright because of it. Human which will replace the old wooden tist Academy this year. The West beings know not always why they structure that burned on September Texas Club, which is composed of

termed by experts "the most com- The members of the Cowpunchers Carolina are found many rubies and How often do we find that the very pletely electrified oil field in the Club have elected Mr. Jim Espy, of

us to higher and better things. How er drilling or pumping, all but three tary. The West Texas Club has elect What are said to be the most beau- often the sorrows which break our are using electric power exclusively ed Miss Tommie Espy, of Fort Davis Not every diamond is found in India, South Africa or Brazil, where so of volcanic origin, are found and min- tion that only the Deity can give, ded in will be drilled with electricity. es, of Hunt, as secretary.

out, will be capable of providing al-But the most precious of all pre- most an unlimited supply of power lo, were here the last of the week the

POSSESSION IS 9 POINTS AWAY

A customer pulled a rather batter- Canida and Mrs. Janie Kink, were "Behold I lay in Zion a stone, a ed car into the Ramsey garage the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Lamtried stone, a precious cornerstone, other day and to explain the cause bert at Pitch Fork Ranch Sunday. of his trouble said:

"Smashed into a truck on an inter-

"Tough luck", answered Cal, but in our city Saturday.

who had the right of way?" "Well what difference does that make-didn't I say it was a truck."

the setting for which it is in- INEW POWER SUBSTATION AT STUDENT ACTIVITIES AT SAN MARCOS ACADEMY

experience the pangs of pain and the The substation will contain 4-66 kv Cowpunchers Club, which is composed students from West Texas, and the tears of grief, but the Divine Lapi- circuits and 2-12 kv circuits to in- of students whose parents are ranchclude 2-25 kv oil circuit breakers. In ers, include the students around Spur Muscles are strengthened by exer-building this new station, engineers and the following students represent cise, mind is quickened by study, of the company provided for an in- their respective hometowns: Doyle character is made beautiful by the creased load in the Noodle Dome Oil and Wright Hinson, from Spur, and C. W. Cowden and Buster Leck, from

Fort Davis, as overseer and Miss Hal-

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hail, of Amarilguests of Mrs. Hail's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Rhoddy.

Miss Lillian Blakeslie, Mrs. Ethel

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Arnold, of Steel Hill, were doing some trading

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Robinson, of Dry Lake, were doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

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properities, and even at the present time lover and friends have a habit of having wedding, birthday and othdiamond signifies purity; the emer true love; garnet signifies constancy and fidelity; pearl, purity and innecence; opal, "bad luck"; sapphires, free from enchantment and denote repentance; turquoise, prosperity in love; bloodstone, steadfast affection, courage, wisdom; beryl, everylasting youth and happiness; ruby, discovers poison, corrects evils resulting from

in large numbers. They were form-

The Orloff diamond, said to be the

Knowledge, like love, increases

Dust from the diamond corresponds

edge imparted by one person to an-

It is easy enough to be rough, but

Gems and precious stones are

mentioned throughout Holy Writ and

Gems worn in rings and private seals

are mentioned in Genesis and else-

where. The breastplate of the high

priest contained twelve, each con-

taining the name of one of the twelve

tribes of Israel, the whole when in

proper position on the breast of the

high priest were called Urim and Thummim (light and perfection). These stones are: Carnelian, peridot, emerald, ruby, lapis-lazuli, onyx, sapphire, banded agte, amethyst, to-

The ancients attributed to some of the precious stones extraordinary

paz, beryl, jasper.

ed gem is of much more value?

not so easy to be a diamond.

mistaken friendships.

One of the most beautiful lessons to be derived from consideration of precious stones is that to be found in the pearl and its origin, although the pearl is not a precious stone. It is composed of calcium carbonite chiefly, and is formed by the instrusion of some extraneous matter, as a grain of sand, into the shell of a mollusk, such as the oyster, causing it to set ap an abnormal secretory process.

Indeed, we might say that the pearl is a product of the suffering of the oyster. It is likely, however, that the suffering of the oyster is very slight, owing to the very low place

t has among living things. Nevertheless there are many beautiful and valuable things producedtransmuted-in the alembic of tears.

Suffering Necessary to Growth The most precious, the most valuable, of human lives to society and the world in general are those which have endured the terrible pressure of exigencies which tried their souls; those which have passed through the awful fires of sorrow, distress, difficulty

Just as the diamond began as a living plant, then became carbon, then was transformed into a jewel "of purest ray serene," so the human being begins untaught, without experience, unrefined and ignorant, but through the process of suffering, self-sacrifice and self-denial is developed into a high type of individual a credit to himself, an ornament to society, an asset to his country and the masterpiece of his Creator.

Misfortune and suffering consti tute the refining fires which produce the jewels in human character and education and study combine as the lapidary which does away with th

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pany's in the land, and guarantee the work to be according to the contract. Telephone 180. Rev. J. B. Hibbert. the distance, and this she did.

n iles southeast of Spur. Call Dick- of my journey has done this." ns County Times.

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nett, Gilpin, Texas.

WOMAN SET NEW

CROSS COUNTRY RECORD It was perhaps only fitting that during the same year that a woman EXPORT TRADE IN for the first time flew the Atlantic another woman should record what is claimed to be the all-time woman's

eight hours and 15 minutes.

"It was an endurance test solely," pected during 1929.

202 tfc I would have to quit," Miss Glyndon decidedly optimistic. LOST-Saturday a small black again want to drink a cup of coffee sales manager of the Chevrolet Motor purse containing cream checks and or inhale from a bottle of smelling Company, world leader in domestic

> us. Out of Pittsburgh was a terrible will be exporting 1,000,000 cars anstretch of road, necessitating a long nually within the next few years. Mr. detour. Also, in certain sections of Klingler made this prediction fully the far west, we encountered more aware that the total number of Amer

lot north of Ford Station and large sleep. Ten minute nods at the wheel are not likely ever to be obliterated. justments of any description were all motor vehicles in the world.

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AUTOMOBILES INCREASING

record for a trans-continental auto- leaders here at this time are paying mobile journey. At any rate, Miss special heed, in their surveys of 1929 Telle Glyndon, of Atlantic City, driv-market trends, to the export aspects ing a Chevrolet sedan, completed on of the industry, conscious of the fact September 9th, the 3468 miles that that overseas trade has been growing separate her native city from San consistently until it stands today Francisco. The expired time for her third in the list of American exports

'non-stop" journey was eight days, with a valuation of four hundred and six millions of dollars.

Miss Glyndon was accompanied on This is regarded as significant, com When in need of a monument see her journey by here brother-in-law, ing as it does with the industry enterme, I represent one of the best com- and a friend, neither of whom has ed upon the final quarter of what ever driven an automobile. Alone, it promises to be the greatest year in was up to her to drive every inch of the history of the domestic market with no decrease in home demand ex-

she explained when she checked in at | Far from viewing with complac-FOR SALE 354 acres of good the San Francisco ferry. "I did it to ency the gigantic forward strides ladn, 225 in cultivation. Can be prove that woman's endurance is as made in foreign markets since 1921, tought at a bargain. Located nine great as man's and I think the result | he consensus of expert opinion adneres to the view that the export bus Miss Glyndon's trip was given of iness is still an infant—a giant infant ficial endorsement by Mayor Anthony which promises to achieve a mighty M. Ruffu, Jr., of Atlantic City, who growth. Rehabilitation of Europe, timed her start and bade her bon the betterment of road conditions all voyage with message of greeting and over the world, the establishment of the official key of Atlantic City for American credit systems abroad and delivery to Mayor Rolph, of San the continuous improvement of Amer ican manufacturing methods are "I got so sleepy at times, especial- among the reasons assigned for a ly the third night out, that I thought view of the foreign market that is

said. "I don't feel as though I ever Last week, H. J. Klingler, general and foreign sales issued a statement Times office, will give reward. 204 3p "It was the detours that delayed in which he predicted that America than one heart breaking detour." | ican cars shipped abroad for sale in Not once during the trip did Miss 1927 was 460,305, and cognizant too, FOR SALE OR TRADE—Business Glyndon enter a hotel for food or of the fact that foreign trade barriers

duplex house near town. Phone 247M. sufficed for rest. Sandwiches and Explaining his forcast, he said: coffee eaten with one hand, while the "One million American made cars will other steered, were her only refresh- be shipped overseas and sold in the Purebred White Leghorn hens, one ments. She is an experienced driver next few years. Today there are upyear old, Hoffman and Alex Johnson and for the last six years has driven wards of 29,505,475 motor vehicles in strain. While you would pay \$2.00 Chevrolets exclusively. Just before the world, and of this number 23 mileach for such hens anywhere else. My the trip she purchased a new sedan lion are in use in the United States. price is only \$1.25 each. Failing and drove it 1,200 miles before start- I feel that this is altogether out of health necessitates my selling them; ing on her record breaking journey. proportion. The United States has hence the low price.-Mrs. W. B. Ben- | The only stops the car required were only about 1-20th of the world's popu those made to take on gasoline, oil lation and only a fraction of its habit and water. No change of tires or ad- able land. Yet it owns 80 per cent of

> "General Motors Export, applying American methods of manufacture, distribution and credit, has gone a long way in the last few years to make the world motor minded. For instance, Chevrolet cars and trucks are now being sold in 104 countries from Iceland in the North to New Zealand in the South, and each one of these cars is serving as an individthe American product. Each is educating the world at large of the advantages of economical transportaion that cannot be surpassed.

"During the first six months of this year General Motors Export reports the sale of 57,808 Chevrolet passenger cars and 50,542 trucks as compared with 38,594 passenger cars and 32,799 trucks for the first six months of 1927. This increase is the export trade has been reflected generally. covering the entire American export field show an increase of 36 per cent

"The home market will always remain the backbone of the industry. The prospect of a rapidly expanding volume of foreign trade supporting the excellent outlook for domestic business seems to indicate that the automobile industry is entering the greatest period of its history."

H. H. Goodwin, ginner at Prairie Chapel, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

E. A. Bailey, of Steel Hill, was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

Tom Cross, of near 24-Ranch, was in our city Saturday trading with our

Mrs. L. B. McMeans, of Twin Wells, was doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

W. R. Baker, of Dickens, was greetng friends on our streets Monday.

Little Miss Ardelle Pierce, north of own, had her tonsils removed Tuesday. Dr. Blackwell performed the op eration and she is getting along fine.

J. C. Boyd, of Petersburg, was transacting business in our city Sat-

Miss Neal Fortson, of Dickens, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

Miss Baker, of Dickens, was doing ome shopping in our city Saturday.

Mrs. G. M. Millican, of Girard, was making some purchases at our stores Saturday.

W. Black, of Girard, was attendng to business matters here Satur-

Rev. and Mrs. R. P. Drennon, of Roaring Springs, were doing some trading with our merchants Friday. Miss Bessie Ferguson, of Roaring Springs, was doing some shopping with our merchants Friday.

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> DICKENS COUNTY TIMES

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Men's Good Weight Unions from 98c and up

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Do your buying on the Bargain Days and save money. Remember there are only three days of this big Saving Event. Our bargains are too numerous to name them all, but we are listing below a few of our many Bargains:

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A GOOD LANTERN	69c
5 GALLON OIL CANS, only	_ 69c
NO. 0 WASH TUBS	38c
NO: 2 WASH TUBS	69¢
10 QT. WHITE & WHITE ENAMEL BUCKET	_ 89c
WHITE & WHITE TEA KETTLE	∆ 89c
WHITE & WHITE COMBINETS	_ 98c
25 ROLLS OF TOILET PAPER	1.00
BOYS COASTER WAGON (all steel)	_4.90
30x3½ INNER TUBE	98c
SET OF WHITE PLATES (good quality)	89c
SET OF WHITE CUPS & SAUCERS	89c

FURNITURE

Felt Base Rugs 9x12 with 18x36 inch mathargain	\$6.95
FELT BASE FLOOR COVERING, per sq. yd.	39c
\$135 4-PIECE BED ROOM SUITE	99.00
\$85 4-PIECE BED ROOM SUITE	_59.00
PRINCESS DRESS RS (a bargain)	_13.95
5-Piece Breakfast Room Suite (\$32.50 Val.)	24.95
3-Piece Brown Fibre Living Room Suite	49.00
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Stated Conclave of Spur Second Tuesday in each month. Visiting Sir Knights wel-

> T. C. ENSEY, Com. J. RECTOR, Recorder

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Thursday at 12 o'clock at Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome. GEORGE LINK, Pres. DODGE STARCHER, Sec.

Stated Meeting of SPUR LODGE No. 1023 A. F. & A. M. Thursday night on or before each full moon. Visitors wel-

> C. J. CROUCH, W. M. W.R. KING, Secy.

Pecos recently celebrated the opening of the new Graham Hotel there. It is Pecos' largest Hotel and repres ents an investment of \$175,000 by Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham and stock that section of the state when comholders. The building is three stories pleted.

high and built of brick. is taking a trip through East Texas and shipping back fifty head of regwhat they cost to interest them in

the people who have been its guests is being set as it arrives. since its recent opening. Mr. and

the Louisiana Fair in Shreeveport, this year. October 24. The WTCC exhibit will not attempt to win prizes and will be totally representative of West Texas agricultural products.

A paper from Amherst states that Boy Scouts of the Central Plains will get the benefit of \$500.00 that was the result of a recent Old Fiddlers contest. A. F. Copeland of Amherst won first prize of \$100.00.

Adcock and Brown of Alvord have loaded their seventh car of peanuts out of town. Peanuts are bringing \$1.00 per bushel and about \$10,000 worth of them have been marketed in Alvord to date.

A new sanitarium is being built near Kerrville for the treatment of tuberculosis. The building is 104 feet in length and 60 feet wide. It is located on an eight and one half acre tract of land two and one half miles

Abernathy was host to a band of musicians estimated to be about 300. strong on October 20th. The musicians were members of bands from neighboring towns, and during the day played in concert and individual-

Natural gas for Roswell, N. M. within a comparatively short time be came a certainty when the city council voted six to four to extend the franchise of the Southwestern Public Service company for 25 years for the purpose of bringing and distributing natural gas to the city.

the most modern lumber yards in The October issue of West Texas

John P. Fleming of Archer City Today, official magazine of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was a Panhandle North Plains special numestered pure bred milch cows. He ber and contained stories on a numwill sell them to farmers who will ber of counties, towns and industries give them proper care for exactly of the northwestern part of the state.

J. E. Johns / n \of Rotan will have his creamery and ice cream factory The Tomoso Hotel at Happy is gain in operation within a short time, it is ing quite a reputation for distinctive expected. Part of the creamery maaccommodation and service among chinery is already at the location and

Slaton's third annual poultry show Mrs. M. M. Morris are proprietors. | will be held December 6, 7 and 8 this The West Texas Chamber of Com- year. About four hundred birds were merce Agricultural exhibit program displayed last year. A large increase for the the year will be launched at in entries is anticipated for the show

rising breeze. A light bluish haze selves.

your shotgun under your arm all hunting rabbits, we know what a ready for the first whir of wings that will open the day's hunt. "You bet it's going to be a great day's shooting

no other sport half so exciting." But wha,t will the shooting be like ten years now. It's not so good as it was ten years ago. Each year the game becomes more scarce. Soon hunting may be a sport of the pastsomething to talk about when you're

Yes good hunting certainly will be grouse rise up in front of you. But The morning sun pokes his red face a thing of the past unless we sports- don't shoot. Leave a few for next Slowly the white frost game conservation seriously-unless disappears from the dry grass and we see to it that good, intelligent con brown leaves underfoot that now be- servation laws are enacted, and then purpose of protecting some other gin to rustle and swirl along in the take care to observe those laws our-

settles over the distant hills, made When the shooting is good it is a who love the out-of-doors, who get scarlet and orange by the marvelous great temptation to keep on after delight out of a good day in the field, brush of that supreme artist, Jack you've reached the bag limit. But woods or marshes will observe rigidremember, it is better to keep a little ly, the laws enacted to protect our Your dogs are rushing about ahead hunting for years to come. When own fun we'll have years and years full of pep and energy. You throw the bird season is closed and you're of real sport.

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regard to the attitude of certain or, the candidacy of Governor Smith for ca have to pass through Gethsemane to enforce the law now when he is certainly must be, will you agree to ganization relative to the present President.

"In an open letter to the press, Mrs.

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aders. It has some information in has announced that he will support prohibition laws, nor do I think that be done. any of us are under any misapprehenhis election would constitute the great without better evidence than I give. est blow that could possibly be struck against prohibition and temperance. swer from a Senator who commends right now? It would be a blow heard around the a man to this Nation. You are in a world.

gence by suggesting that you may drinks. Newspaper men everywhere drink, should under present circumbe under any misapprehension about say he does. The charge has been re- stances be allowed to occupy the

Temperance Union is in the habit of been a denial. being informed on subjects. It has always had to fight enemies who told nounces persons whom he says have it did not know what it was doing. hard for us, but we have always been but why did Senator Robinson conable to locate our enemy, and we hav fine himself to the term "drunkard"? no doubt that we have located him Everywhere the charge is being made this time. In fact he proclaims him- that Governor Smith drinks, and Senself from the housetops.

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again to undo the work the politicians "Mrs. De Van Watts' letter follows: are now doing. But they have done "'My Dear Senator Sheppard: May it once, they can do it again. Quite Claude De Van Watts, president of I address you again on the subject of possibly they will have to do it again the Women's Christian Temperance Governor Smith? I do not think that and again, until they can put men in The following article appeared stand taken by Senator Morris Shep- any of us are under any misappre- office who will stand there for the the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Union of Texas, again questions the hension as to the Governor's part in principles they have proclaimed becently, nad we reproduce it for our pard of Texas, in which the latter New York's determination to defy the fore the people. But that, too, will

> "'Just now I am interested only in of the liquor interests, nor under any that Governor Smith drinks. You misapprehension as to the fact that say that you will not pass on that

"'That is hardly a satisfactory anposition to know, Senator. It is com Senator: Do you think that a man "'I will not belittle your intelli- mon gossip that Governor Smith who drinks, and who will continue to peated over and over again in scores "'Certainly the Woman's Christian of newspapers, and never has there

"'Senator Robinson bitterly desaid Governor Smith is a drunkard. Understanding liquor politics has been I know of no one who has said that, ator Robinson is as silent as the grave "The Christian women of Ameri- on the charge that is being made, while he grows indignant in his denial of one that is not being made.

"'I think, Senator Sheppard, you might ask Senator Robinson. Since he essays to talk on the subject he must know something about it. Surely some body knows something about it. And the question is made particularly pertinent in view of the fact that the Republican party platform pledges Mr. Hoover to observe the prohibition law in the White House, while the Democratic party significantly fails to make any such pledge for Governor Smith.

"'Now, Senator, there is something more than the personal habits of a man involved here, however much we might dislike to see a drinking man set up as example to the youth of dry America. There is the question of law enforcement.

"'If Governor Smtih drinks, then he traffics, directly or indirectly, with bootleggers, does he not? If he drinks then he not only has nullified the law in so far as he himself is concerned but he has violated the law-for as you say he is just as much obligated

if he becomes President.

toxicants in the White House that he elected President? will be having the law of the land enforcer of the land, will be in the morally and legally." - Star-Telesion as to the Governor's long service asking you further about the charge business of enforcing the prohibition gram. law against others while he daily caused its violation for himself.

man, that that is what he is doing urday.

"'Will you answer me specifically,

"'And if your answer is

Governor of New York, as he will be quit your support of Smith if we produce the evidence that Governor "'Is it not true, Senator Sheppard, Smith does drink, and has every inten that if Governor Smith uses in- tion of continuing to drink if he is

"'It seems to me that this is some violated to serve his own appetite? thing more than a matter passing im Is it not true that he, the chief law portance; that it is a vital matter

C. Y. Allen, of Dickens, was attend-"'Isn't it true, if he is a drinking ing to matters of interest here Sat-

> Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Foreman, of Espuela, were doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

W. H. Johnson, of Afton, was transacting business in our city Sat-

Coat and Trousers Held a Confab

Coat and trousers held a confab one night. Coat said to trousers, "You're sure some sight. Your legs so flop about the boss's shins, That everyone we meet turns around and grins." Said pants, "We flop because we have no crease:

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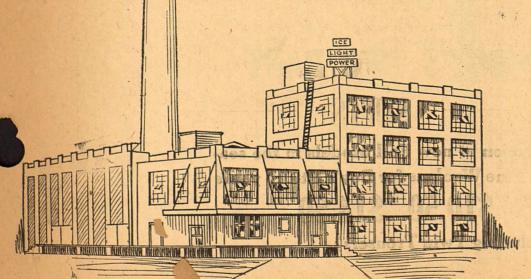
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ing members of the faculty of Spur J. A. Marsh, Clayton McCarty, Olan

house attractive and there was much ris.

to do this was fined. At the end of Craig. the games the forefeits were sold at

Lovely refreshments of orange TAINS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS sherbet and angel food cake were served to the Misses Maud Morgan, Lean Belle Scudder, Lora Barrett, Mar- members of her Sunday School Class garet Eliott, Arline Scudder, Ada Dabney, Georgia Donaldson, Julia Jen evening with a Hallowe'en party. ley, Hilton Manning, Geo. S. Link, of water. Bill McAlpine, Jim Sample, Bullock Tillison, D. U. Baker.

ENTERTAINED

Miss Mildred Hammock entertained Hammock. 11 10 E # F

Hallowe'en colors and symbols, the bell. colors also being used in the refreshments. Games and music were enjoyed with fortune telling, the feature of the evening.

A dainty sandwich plate with hot chocolate was served to Misses Nell Collett, Robbie Lee Abernathy, Dorothy Carson, Dot Lisenby, Rita Mecom, Ruth Spivey, Mae Dell Stuart Roberta Hisey, Syble Hazel, Nellie Mecom, Evalene Hazel, Pauline

FACULTY MEMBERS ENTER- Shawn, and Estelle Ponder and Messrs. Stafford Forbis, Garland Parks, Bert Shepherd, Johnnie Po-On Saturday, Mrs. P. C. Nichols en- well, Dial Hindman, John Hiner Wiltertained with a "42" party honor- son, Robert McGaughy, Cecil Wolfe, Hagins, William Rogers, Morris Col-Halloween decorations made the lett, Tom Verner and Melborn Mor-

merriment throughout the evening. Miss Hammock was assisted in All the guests called each other by caring for her guests by her mother their first names and anyone failing and Mmes. Homer Cargile and Jeptha

MRS. W. S. CAMPBELL ENTER-

Mrs. W. S. Campbell entertained and their friends on last Thursday

Mullino, Ruth Lowe, Various games proved enteraining Anna Mae Lassiter, Ann Cross and during the evening and each was Ella Mae Hogan. Messrs O. C. interested in his fortune which was Thomas, Bob Cluck, Williams, Kel- found in an apple drawn from a tub

Mrs. Campbell served lovely refreshments of chicken salad, potato chips, olives, crackers, cakes and hot chocolate to the following:

Uda Mae Whitener, Era Belle Hogan, Nelda Shields, Le Vada McClung a group of her friends with a Hallow- Weldon Bell, Helen Hisey, Dorothy e'en party Saturday night at the home Carson, C. W. Barrett, Cecil Mcof her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Clung, Tom Verner, John King, Jr., Morris Laine, Melvin. Ensey, John The rooms were attractive with Jackson Payne, and Spencer Camp-

MESDAMES NICHOLS AND

STARCHER ENTERTAIN

Hallowe'en decorations made unusually attractive the Nichols home on Friday when Mesdames Nichols and Starcher entertained with a "42" party.

Orange and black prevailed in the allies, score pads and favors, harmonizing with the decorations.

The hostesses most attractive in Hallowe'en costumes greeted the guests at the door, and showed them to their places. A cart drawn by a black cat bore the name of each guest and were placed at the tables.

When one was successful at making a lone 84 hand she was given the privilege of drawing from the "grab bag" which contained favors of many

Those enjoying the afternoon party were Mmes. W. C. Gruben, C. R. Edwards, J.O. Smith, W. E. Manning, Shirley Robbins, M E. Manning, S. H. Twaddell, W. W. Sample, M. A. Lea, C. A. Love, Oran McClure, C. L. Love, Bowman, Dickey, T. H. Blackwell, G. M. Williams, W.E. Flint, J. M. Foster, Jack Rector, Luther Hindman, Ned Hogan, Godfrey, L. R.

Barrett and D. H. Zachry. At the conclusion of the games, each guest drew a slip which told that person's fortune. Much fun was derived from the reading of these a

loud. In the evening the following people enjoyed the hospitality of Mrs. Nichols and Mrs. Starcher: Messrs and Mmes. W. S. Campbell, G. R. Elkins, C. Hogan, W. B. Lee, A. C. Hull, W. L. Gibbs, Jr., H. P Schrimsher, F W. Jernings. Joe Kellam. J.

Geo. S. Link, Webber Williams, M. ceived?"-The Dallas Advance. C. Golding, Hubert Wester, Dick Speer, Elmo Townsend, Murray Lea, Jr., Dr. and Mesdames B. F. Hale, J. H. Grace, Mrs. Newman, Mrs. Janie King, Miss Julia Mae Hickman.

VOTERS IN 1922

Pawling, N. Y., Oct. 7.—Governor Alfred E. Smith misled his supporters in 1922 on the subject of state enforcement of the Eighteenth Amendment, it was charged by Orville S. Po land, head of the legal department of the Anti-Saloon League, in an address in the Methodist church here today. Mr. Poland said the governor declared for state enforcement during his campaign, yet in June, 1923, he signed the enforcement repeal meas-

ure. Mr. Poland remarked: "I n 1922 when Alfred E. Smith was running for governor the New York State League of Women Voters asked him this question: 'Are you for or against state legislation necessary for the strict enforcement of the prohibition amendment?' He answered: 'I believe in the enforcement of the prohibition amendment and the laws sustaining it. I am in doubt on the matter of state enforcement only as to the method. I am of the belief that better results will be obtained at a minimum cost by an enforcement through local agencies than by enforcement on the part of the state it-

his word and voted for him. Women like Mrs. Ida B. Sammis Woodruff, the first Republican assemblywoman in New York State, to whom I am indebted for this record, was one of those who believed him and supported him for governor in that year. Yet on the first day of June, 1923, after he had delivered every Tammany vote in the legislature for the repeal of the New York State enforcement law, he signed and repeal measure and said he did so because he believed that 'the fastening of the primary responsibility for prosecution for vio-

"A great many people took him at

Amendment should be upon the Federal authorities.' "Is it any wonder that the thoulying on his assertion that he was in favor of state enforcement laws now

B. Reed, J. E. Hall, R E. Dickson, feel that they were duped and de-

CLEAN-UP NOW

The grass is turning brown. Weeds have ripened and are scattering their damage. seeds over the landscape. The air is HOW AL SMITH DECEIVED THE pungent with the odor of burning leaves, and piles of junk and rubbish that were hidden by the luxurious growth of summer are poking forth their unsightly visages.

So now is the time to clean up. Don't permit an accumulation of weeds and rubbish in the back lot to make your property present an unattractive appearance and serve as a ire-hazard.

We all want to see Spur recognized as an attractive and beautiful little city. The way to achieve that end is for each and all of us to take especially good care of the appearance of our own property.

The normal time to clean-up and paint up is spring. But why wait? Wouldn't it be a good idea to get at least part of the job done now?

And above all things don't forget about those weeds on the vacant lot. Cut them down, burn them up. In spite of all you can do they will leave plenty of seeds for a good crops next

Let's all tackle the job of making Spur a truly neat and beautiful city by taking proper care of our own

Claude James, of Dry Lake, was greeting friends on our streets Monday. He said he had actually gone to work and had not been to town in

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Henry, of Duncan Flat, were doing some trading with our merchants Saturday. M. L. Luna, of Girard, was looking

after business matters here Saturday. W. G H.inson, of Red Mud, was

trading here Saturday. W. H. Bateman, of Afton, was in

our city Saturday taking advantage of bargains offered by our merchants. lations of the laws enforcing the 18th

W. F. Farmer, of Afton, was a business visitor in our city Saturday. sands who voted for him in 1922 reing after matters of interest in our city Saturday.

transacting business in our city Mon- our city Saturday looking after bus day. He stated the rain was falling ness interests. out in his community but thought it would do much good and little

A. J. Shackelford, of Girard, was looking after business affairs in our

city Saturday.

J. M. Robertson, of Dickens, was a ousiness visitors in our city Saturday.

I. J. Hurley, of Dickens, was in our Saturday. rity Saturday doing some trading. J. B. Morrison, of Red Mud, was chants Saturday.

M. S. Faver, of Prairie Chapel, was | Lee Watson, of McAdoo, was

Wesley Frazier, of Red Top com munity, was trading with our mer chants Saturday.

L. B. McMeans, of Twin Well community, was transact busine in our city Monday.

Miss Claudia Mints, or Dickens was doing some shopping in our cit

G. T. O'Guinn, of Dry Lake, wa ransacting business with our mer- doing some trading in our city Sat

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November 5 and 6

N. T. Cochran, of Abilene, was greeting friends in our city Tuesday. Mr. Cochran is now in the wholesale tire business.

Rev. and Mrs. R. P. Drennon and ing Springs, were in our city Tuesday doing some trading.

K. P. Branter, of Cat Fish, was transacting business here Monday.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioners' Court of Dickens County, Texas, will receive bids at Dickens, Texas, on October 15th, 1928, for the purpose of one or more roadmaintainer.

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STUDENTS NEED BOARDING PLACES

Rev. Drennon's mother, all of Roar- the American Business College, need to be wise. So please don't any one boarding places. It is claimed by tell him. some that board in our town is rather high and that rooms are coming a little steep.

> in Spur, it will be necessary to have lot more cotton. a number of homes open their doors to students and give them boarding | Groceries are cheaper in Spur than most towns in Teaxs, and living expenses can be reduced quite a great deal from this standpoint.

President Harcrow, of the Business College states that a number of students in the college would like to do some work about homes to assist in students, be sure to get in touch with getting a supply of new stove pipe.

GIRARD BREEZES

Everyone is so busy there isn't pany. much to report. After picking cotton all week we don't feel much like visiting on Sunday.

Since our last report there was quite a fire at the cotton yard. Some six bales being totally destroyed. Orgin of fire is unknown. Several men were slightly burned in trying to put out the fire and one man, Mr. Pruitt seriously hurt, his hip and several ribs were broken when he fell off a truck and a bale of cotton fell on him. We are glad to report him doing very well at this writing.

Mrs. Ruby Cooper visited Mrs.

Bertie James Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Darden, from the Plains country were guests of friends and relatives Sunday. We are always glad to see them at

Mr. and Mrs. Kennon and daughter are visiting on the Plains this

Mrs. Clifford Hanes visited her mother at Jayton the past week end. Mrs. Lee Russell and kiddies spent Sunday at Lost Lake with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harris.

The W. M. U. met at the home of their president, Mrs. C. A. Morrison, Monday afternoon and quilted the quilt they have been working on. This quilt has 240 names embroidered with green thread on the white blocks, each name means a dime donated by the owner of that name. The quilt is stripped together with pink and is really very lovely. It will be sold to the highest bidder soon and will make a lovely keep sake for who ever is lucky enough to get it. After the quilt was finished ice cream and cake was served to the following ladies: Mesdames Ruby Cooper, Bertie James, Ora Davidson, Eula Darden, B. J. Kellett, D. Graves, Jewel Cooper, Check Jay, Cliff Hanes, Lee Russell, A. M. Turner, Otho Vincent Morrison and Miss Mody Cooper.

Little Betty Jo Cooper was the guest of little Rose Marie Morrison,

Mr. and Mrs. John Vincent visited relatives at Rule Saturday and Sun-

Mrs. Sally Wilson is on the sick list. Hope she will soon be o. k.

Lots of Girard people were in Spur Saturday taking advantage of the many bargains offered by the Spur

When the norther started up Sunday evening we began to see visions of sausage and spare ribs. Wont be long now before that vision will be a reality. We honestly feel sorry for town folks that only have butcher shop spare ribs. Frost hold off a little longer so our late peaches will

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Elmer James is riding around and afflicted with appendicitis. looking happy in his new Chevrolet. The students who are coming to Oh, well it isn't quite new, but Elmer Spur for the advantages of instruc- doesn't think we know the difference tending to business matters in our tion in our high school and also for and where ignorance is bliss tis folly city Monday.

M. S. Faver, of Afton, was trans-city Monday. acting business in our city Tuesday. If we ever expect to make any He stated that if frost would wait Hugh Gray, of Dry Lake, was in advancement in regard to schools a day longer he would have quite a Monday selling a big supply of cream

facilities at as low price as possible. ton, were doing some trading in our was doing some trading with our mer city Monday.

> C. R. Gunn, of Dickens, was at- T. S. Lambert, of Wichita, was in city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Blair, east of town were in trading Monday. Mr. bearing their expenses. If any one Blair stated he believed winter is has work of any kind they can give close and verified his statement by

> Floyd Adams, foreman of the Pitch Fork Ranch, was in our city Monday looking after interests for his com-

N. E .Weaver, of Highway, was transacting business in our city Tues day. Mr. Weaver stated he had a

very sick child in his home, it being man and stockman of Matador, was

W. R. George, of Highway, was at-

L. G. Bass, of Dry Lake, was looking after business interests in our

and looking after other interests.

Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Lawson, of Af- Henry Williams, of Duck Creek

tending to business matters in our our city Monday securing a supply of goods for his store.

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transacting business niour city Tues-

W. P. Marshall, of Duck Creek. was attending to business matters in our city Monday.

doing some trading with our mer- Afton cemetery. chants Monday.

P. T. B. Robinson, of Highway, was looking after business matters in our city Monday.

G. T. O'Guinn, of Dry Lake, was n trading with our merchants Mon-

Mrs. J. F. Young, of Abilene, was nere the first of the week visiting ner sister, Mrs. Lollar.

AFTON BABY DIES

Infant of Mr. and Mrs. J. H Whitten, of Afton, died Tuesday of last week. It lived less than one hour after birth. Funeral services were conducted at Afton Wednesday C. H. Alpine, of Red Hill, was in after which interment was made in

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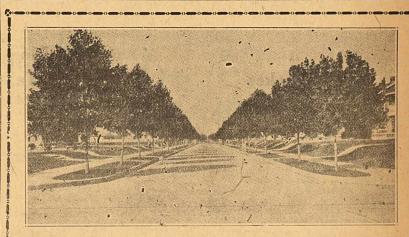
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ANTI SALOON LEAGUE OFFI-

drinks should not be countenanced. that adheres to a prohibition law."

there is that much whiskey being to be prosperous." used here or not." Continuing he In speaking of the moral side he said, "They tell you the prohibition said, "This law has safeguarded the A message received from Mrs. A have just come into light."

he stated, "The prohibition laws have ment. People tell us the girls were question, but stated they thought established credit to more people not employed in the saloons. Mrs. they would open their studio in the than any other law in existence. It Matthews, a social worker, stated Campbell Building. They expect to made no difference how good a busi- she counted fourteen girls in saloons be ready for business within a day or ness man one was, or what was his on State and Madison Streets in the two, and be prepared to give the peofinancial standing, if he were a drunk city of Chicago at one time. Let ple some real service in making ard, not one wanted to extend credit them tell us girls were not concern- photos for them. to him. The banks, the merchants, ed about saloons. or anybody else, wanted to turn him

we have four times that number. years."

"B efore the prohibition laws were Sunday morning. enacted there were only 5,000,000 25,000,000 of them are in use in Unit- city Friday.

ed States-the only dry nation in the NEW HOUSEKEEPER AT CIAL SPEAKS IN SPUR world. Why place the saloons back in business and kill this prosperity? Rev. A. R. Toby, of Dallas, made There is no time in our history that an address at the First Baptist Church we have enjoyed more prosperity Fork Ranch, and Miss Audrey Yancy, Sunday evening, using as his subject than since the 18th Amendment went of near Afton, were married in the "Liquor Traffic." He spoke for into effect, and there is no country Spur Saturday. Rev. H. P. Cooper, something like an hour giving many that is enjoying the prosperity that pastor of the Church of Christ, perreasons why the sale of intoxicating we are, and we are the only country formed the ceremony in the presence

He used as a basis for his address In speaking further on the subject Mr. Wilbanks has been an emscriptural quotations and U. S. he stated that people are howling ployee of the Pitch Fork Ranch for about expense of enforcing the pro- some time where he has rendered ef-He stated that, "some people to- hibition laws. "This law has turn- ficient service. He will have charge day say there is more liquor being ed \$52.00 per capita back to the peo- of the South Camp on the ranch used than there was in the days of ple, and according to government where there has been erected a nice open saloons. According to reports statistics it has cost 5-cents per new home for him and his bride. This sent out by our government there capita to enforce it. The people are home is just being completed especwere 55 gallons per capita being used winners \$51.95 each by having the jally for these young people. before the 18th Amendment was prohibitions laws of our land. When Friends join in wishing them adopted. Now you people know about any of you hear a fellow talking of abundance of success during their how many people live in your com- going broke on account of enforcing journey through life. munity. Just multiply that number the prohibition laws, give him back by 55 and see whether you think his nickel it cost him and tell him MR. AND MRS. SHUGART

girls out of the saloons and club tures for the people.

down. Now, since people are sober ter business. Henry Ford, who pays home and establish a permanent there is only one question to deal the highest wages of any industry, studio here. They have expressed with-honesty-and people are given said he could not pay common labor the view that Spur has a wonderful the rate of \$8.00 per day were it not future and will make a real city with-"In addition to this, finance has for the fact that his men are sober in a short time. been bettered. Before the 18th and at their best all the time. Put Amendment was enacted there were saloons back into this country and COLEMAN TO DOUBLE only 11,000,000 savings accounts, now wages will be lowered before two

People place their earnings insavings Rev. Mr. Toby then apepaled to accounts instead of investing it in the people to stand for right and hondrinks. There are five times as many esty in life and not to be misled into dollars in savings accounts today as agreeing for saloons to be re-estabthere was before the prohibition laws lished in this country. He had spoken to the people at Aspermont steam engine, just purchased by the

automobiles in use. Today there are W. J. Haynie, of Afton, was at-30,000,000 automobiles in use, and tending to business matters in our

PITCHFORK RANCH

Mr. Charlie Wilbanks, of the Pitch of a few immediate friends.

laws have caused boot-leggers all over social life of our nation. When sa- L. Shugart Monday stated that she the country. There were just as loons were in business how many and her husband expected to be in many boot-leggers in the days of the of you wanted to see your wife or Spur today to serve the people with saloons as there are now. The only daughter go down on the streets? a photograph studio. Mr. and Mrs. difference the saloon traffic kept the Not one. Now our wives and daugh- Shugart are well known in this comboot-leggers under cover. Since the ters can go to town and be safe from munity in as much they have been in saloons have quit, the boot-leggers a drunken broil. It has taken many our town several times and made pic-

In speaking of the credit system rooms and given them other employ- They had not definitely settled the

Mr. and Mrs. Shugart have favor-"Prohibition laws have made bet- ably spoken of making Spur their

ITS POWER PLANT

Coleman, Oct. 28.—The capacity of the Coleman municipal light and power plant will be more than doubled with the installation of a 750-kilowatt generator and a 750-horsepower city commission. The new equipment involving an expenditure of approximately \$40,000 will be installed within the next 90 days, Mayor E. P. carborough said.

The light plant, according to city officials, has been a profitable investment for the city, netting from \$35,000 to \$40,000 annually. S. R. Hale, superintendent, has been in charge of the plant for several years. -Star-Telegram.

GUESS HE QUIT FOR THAT

A few days ago John J. Raskob wrote Dr. Hubert Works stating that the Republican Party had become the Prohibition party of America. As will be remembered John has known reer until Governor Smith was nomnated the Democratic candidate. John had voted the Republican ticket solid for twenty three years and had been a straight royalist to the principles of that party all his life.

It is not so much that the Republican party is so strictly pro as it is that the Democrats have become so strictly anti. John just moved over with the other crowd because he found a few more bottles on that side. Again, he got the job of managing the Democratic campaign. All our good Democratic campaign engineers have been set aside and an avowed Republican placed in charge of the

There is another reason why John quit his party. He knows there are three great corporations that want to consolidate and freeze out a number of smaller concerns. John has been closely associated with one of these coroprations, and he knows that during the past eight years this consolidation has been refused him and the other two corporations three times. John thinks if he can get Governor Smith into the Presidency he will get this consolidation over and then they will do just as they please about other business concerns. John is not so much for Al Smith or the Democratic party as he is for John. He is not so much opposed to the Republican party on account of their dry attitude as he is against them because he could not get his graft

John did not accept the treasurership just for an accommodation, nor for the love he has for the Democratic party. John will get his, and don't any one forget it.

John A. Scott, of Steel Hill community, had his tonsils removed Wed nesday morning. Dr. Blackwell and Dr. Morris did the work and the little fellow is doing all right.

Tom Rumfield, southwest of town, as in doing some trading Saturday.



To Our Farmer Friends:

You are hearing a great deal about round bales and round bale ginners. Three years ago, when we bought a gin in Spur, there was not a gin here equipped to handle snap, or bollie cotton efficiently. Our first year we installed the best machinery to be had at that time for this work.

Some of our competitors knocked the Burr Machinery.

By the next season there had been built, and perfected, a larger and much better Burr Machine. We took out our first machines and at a cost of something near five thousand dollars we installed the latest and best machines to be had.

Our same competitors instead of knocking were forced to put in Burr Machinery.

In an honest effort to render our customers the best possible service we have this year installed an Anderson Clayton Round Bale press. And again we find some who knock.

We wish to say to you that we think the round bale is another step forward in handling your cotton to the best advantage. It effects a saving in that the cotton is compressed when it leaves the gin, more than twice as much cotton can be loaded in a car. It does not have to be re-pressed, or handled, from the time of leaving the gin till it reaches the ship-side. There is no cut bagging nor waste and is not left out in all kinds of weather to damage.

However, we say to you if at any time you can realize more money out of your cotton in the square bale, gin it square. We gin both round and square and get the same for ginning and wrapping. We will be glad to tell you before you gin which way we think it will bring you the most money.

Our competitors are good gin men and have good gins. We do not get our business by knocking them but by keeping a modern gin, and rendering the very best service that we kow how to render after thrity years of

Any part of your business will be appreciated by us whether you wish to gin square or round bale.

WILLIAMSON BROS.



Wilson Compound, 8 lb. 1.08 No. 2 Standard Corn 09c No. 2 Kraut 09c Washing Powder, Star Naptha 3 10c Coffee, our special, 1 lb. 39c

Car of Kansas Flour to arrive. Priced Right.

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