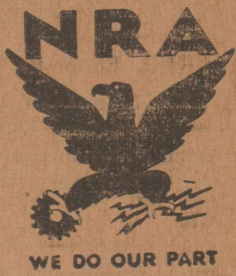




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Old Settlers To Have Arbor Shade

One of the main objects of the officers and board of advisors of the Dickens-Motley County Old Settlers Association this year is to provide comfort for those who attend the annual meeting Thursday, August 24. A large arbor will be ready for the guests this year.

The various members of the board of advisors and their neighbors will meet at the Roaring Springs on Tuesday, August 22, and build a large arbor sufficient to accommodate a great throng of people. There will be a platform for the speakers arranged on a large stump and President Hale says all speakers that day will be "stump-speakers".

The noon hour is expected to be the greatest social feature in the history of the organization. Everybody is expected to prepare a basket dinner for themselves and any friends they desire. People who fail to prepare a basket and who are not so fortunate as to be asked by others to eat, may be left out, for there will be no public table this year. By the lunch basket method people will dine in small groups and will be privileged to invite whoever they desire to be their guests.

There is to be a new speaker this year in the person of C. A. Jones who has been a western pioneer since the days of the early eighties. He will address the meeting in the afternoon and will have a subject that everybody will want to hear.

There will be three bands present this year to furnish music. These will be The Jeff Morris Cotton Pickers String Band, The Matador Brass Band and the Ennis Moss String Band. More music than ever before and it will be good music. There will be other fine numbers on the program which begins at 1:30 in the afternoon. You will miss something if you miss this meeting this year. All old settlers of Motley and Dickens counties are wanted present.

Record Of Cap Rock Golf League Players

W. T. Andrews, manager of the Spur golf team during the 1933 league season, compiled a record of all players in the Cap-Rock Golf League for the season just closed. The first column is for the player, the second column represents the number of games each played and the third column is the team they represent as follows: S is for Spur, M is for Matador, C is for Crosbyton and L for Lockney. The fourth is total strokes for the season, the fifth points won and the sixth, 18 hole average for the season:

Player	G	C	T	S	P	W	Av
Andrews	5	S	397	4.5	79.4		
Barrett	6	S	460	8	76.6		
Burleson	6	M	450	9	75.		
Caraway	5	S	382	5	76.4		
Carter	6	C	461	9.5	76.8		
Childers	6	L	445	9.5	74.1		
Counts	4	L	311	6	77.7		
Collier	6	C	500	4.5	83.3		
Cooper, AR	6	C	454	17	75.6		
Cooper, Roy	6	C	447	12	74.5		
Craven, GS	3	M	245	5	81.6		
Craven, JD	5	M	405	7	81.		
Crump	6	C	441	14	78.5		
Culbert	6	S	468	13.5	78.		
Day	6	L	487	4	81.1		
Glenn	6	M	457	11.5	76.1		
Hegg	3	C	240	5	80.		
Herr	3	L	264	1	88.		
Groves	4	M	324	6	81.		
Harp	5	M	378	8	75.6		
Harris	4	L	343	4	85.6		
Holly	4	S	300	8	75.		
Howard	4	C	441	9	78.5		
Lane	1	S	82	0	82.		
Lee	4	S	332	2.5	83.		
McAdams	2	L	167	5	83.5		
McKee	1	C	86	0	86.		
McLaughlin	4	C	330	1	82.5		
Meriwether, A	5	L	423	6	84.6		
Meriwether, R	6	L	490	6	81.6		
Nally	5	M	408	8	81.6		
Neilson	2	S	161	3.5	80.5		
Parish	6	S	465	14	77.5		
Patterson	6	S	467	6.5	77.8		
Patton	5	M	405	6.5	81.		
Pipkin	6	M	444	9.5	74.		
Powell	6	S	459	5	76.5		
Rever	6	L	445	11.5	74.1		
Reid	3	L	251	3	83.6		
Rents	1	C	84	0	84.		
Swab	6	C	464	14	77.3		
Thompson	5	S	386	3	86.		
Walters	5	M	408	6	81.6		
Ward	6	M	440	15	73.3		
Watts	5	L	377	9	75.4		
Webb	4	C	327	5	81.7		
Webster	4	L	315	5	78.7		
Wells	6	L	445	9.5	74.1		
Went	4	M	316	3.5	79.		
Wright	4	C	319	7.5	79.7		
Young	4	S	294	7.5	73.5		
Zimmer	1	C	79	2.5	79.		
Zimmer	1	S	82	2.5	82.		
Zimmer	1	S	83	0	83.		
Zimmer	1	S	83	3	86.		
Zimmer	1	S	83	3	86.		
Zimmer	1	S	80	2.5	80.		

JOHNSON-PAYNE

Monday evening at seven-thirty o'clock Miss Nina Johnson and Mr. Jackson Payne, were accompanied by their families and a few friends to the Methodist Parsonage, where two fine young people were married. Rev. Joe E. Boyd, of the Methodist Church read the vows. The host of friends joining these young people many years together.

Mrs. Myers Speaks On P. T. A. Work Here

Mrs. Nettie S. Myers addressed a number of ladies at a meeting held in Spur Friday afternoon. Mrs. Myers is associated with the Child Welfare Department at Austin.

The meeting was presided over by Mrs. Madge D. Twaddell, county superintendent of schools, who started her remarks with the thought that child welfare extended over a great field. She stated that the hot school lunch project instituted by parent-teachers associations was just another form of child welfare.

Mrs. Myers, who spoke for about thirty minutes, outlined how parent-teachers association work correlated with the work of the child welfare department. She stated that it is through the work of parent-teachers and other similar organizations that the public are educated as to what is good child welfare. She related that the parent-teachers associations over Dickens County can cooperate with the county child welfare board and great things for the children and the betterment home life can be accomplished.

The speaker gave many experiences she had incurred during her work with P. T. A. organizations. She stated that many associations spent all their time raising money with which to buy play ground equipment and other things needed at the schools, but from now on the state would be willing to allow some money for such things and the P. T. A. would not have to do so much of this work. She stated that in her opinion it will be better for the parents and teachers to enter more into the lives and habits of the children in correcting certain environments. She stated about health programs. She asked if it is better for the health of the child to be looked after while he is acquiring an education and after he has completed his school career then be able to go out into the world and make good, or to neglect his health and let him go out with a weak body and be able to accomplish nothing. Her main theme was along the line of those things which will build character—developing useful manhood and useful womanhood.

The attendance at the meeting was small, but all present felt it was time well spent and declared it to be a valuable afternoon. Mrs. Myers is a very practical and interesting speaker.

NOTICE

Due to the fact that some misunderstanding might arise from a statement published in a recent issue of the Dickens County Times, I wish to make the following explanation: During the winter of 1931 as an emergency measure the Texas Legislature passed a bill making schools for that year issue warrants up to eighty per cent of delinquent taxes in payment of existing contracts. We issued a lot of paper that year, some of which has not yet been paid.

The statement I made on the occasion referred to above was that this year we have issued very little paper except on State Funds which eventually will be paid. This money is coming in very slowly, but we can depend on finally getting it.

Madge D. Twaddell.

METHODIST CHURCH

Last Sunday was a day of better attendance at the Methodist Church. Every one seemed to be ready to join in with the program of the church with renewed zeal. Summer is just about gone and the work of the church as well as business will take on new life.

Brother Beverly A. Watson, who is pastor of the Methodist Church in Summerville, Texas, was with us and preached Sunday night. We were glad to have the son of our one of our own members preach to us. He is a good preacher and his message was enjoyed.

The pastor will be in the pulpit at both hours next Sunday. We are expecting that the attendance will get better each Sunday now and that no one finds an excuse at any time. Let every one be in your place each Sunday and see what a difference it will make. Come and make the family one hundred per cent in attendance each service.

Strangers and visitors are welcome, come and worship with us.

The young people are doing some fine work in the choir on Sunday night, come and back them up in their work. There are several special services in preparation and you may miss these by staying out on Sunday nights.

Joe E. Boyd, Pastor.

METHODIST PROGRAM AT RULE

A very spiritual and constructive program was held last Monday at Rule for the pastors and laymen of the Stamford District. There were more than two hundred in attendance at this meeting. All who were there went away with a feeling that it is a good thing to belong to the host of workers in the Lord's work, and had a deeper purpose in their lives to do more in the future than they have been doing. Those in attendance from Spur were: Rev. and Mrs. Joe E. Boyd and their boys, Geo. S. Link, John King, J. R. Laine, Mrs. G. J. Lane, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Foote, Rev. S. A. Sifford.

Spur Merchants To Go Forward With First Monday

At a meeting Friday Spur merchants decided to go forward with the First Monday program again for September. D. I. Granberry, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, was authorized to see all merchants and secure their consent to have another program on Labor Day.

The last First Monday seemed to be very successful for the majority of merchants, and all reported a better day than the ordinary Monday.

A very fine feature for First Monday is the trading advantages for farmers. Many farmers have some property they do not need, but there may be a neighbor who does need it. They might want to town on First Monday and exchange for something they can use. This is a great advantage to the country, and the practice has been followed for some time. The farmers have worked up this feature and they are due credit for it.

MISS McCLUNG WENT INTO FINALS

Miss Lavada McClung who was Miss Spur at the Panhandle-New Mexico Bathing Review at Roswell last Thursday and Friday, went into the finals and was close to the winning point.

The eight judges eliminated all contestants to thirteen and Miss McClung was in the number, then others were judged out and eight were left and Miss Spur was one of the eight. The final consisted of two blonds and two brunettes and still Miss Spur was one of the number. Miss Graham of Hagerman, New Mexico, who was Miss Pecos Valley, was declared the winner. The other brunettes were Miss Roswell, and Miss Pampa was the other blond.

The winner gets a free trip to Chicago to attend the Century of Progress exposition which something everybody would appreciate.

Mrs. Dallas, who was here last spring, was sponsor for the girls in the contest.

BAPTIST CHURCH

The services have been well attended, especially in the evening. Those who fail to attend the morning services are depriving themselves of a great privilege.

At this writing there have been 16 souls saved, 20 additions to the church. In spite of the rain Monday night we had a great service, five souls were saved.

Bro. Ray is putting his best into the services and is being led by the Holy Spirit to bring some great messages. He and the pastor together are doing some great work. But they can not do all that is needed. Each one can find plenty to do. Let us depend on God to help us that His name may be glorified in our lives.

We are hoping that next Sunday will be the crowning day. Each one who is on the roll should be in Sunday School. Let each one of us seek to make this possible. If you know someone who is careless and indifferent make an effort to bring that one to church. There are many lost ones about us. Are we cheating ourselves out of a blessing if not seeking to enlist them? If each one will bring just one lost one to the foot of the cross there will be great rejoicing in heaven and we will be happy.

These services will soon close. Are you satisfied and do you feel that you have done your best? Let us pray and work while it is day for the night cometh when no man can work. There will be a special service Sunday morning. —Reporter.

MRS. T. E. GREGORY PASSES AWAY

Mrs. T. E. Gregory, of Duck Creek community, passed away Saturday afternoon after an illness of many months. He was afflicted with a malignant tumor of the ear and face. Funeral services were held at Duck Creek Sunday morning. Howard Stubblefield, minister of the Church of Christ, reading the funeral rites. Burial was in the Whiteflat cemetery in Motley County Sunday afternoon. Webber Williams acting as funeral director.

Mrs. Gregory and her family moved to Gilpin community about eleven years ago from Whiteflat. She was born January 6, 1876, and was in her 58th year when she passed away. Her maiden name was Miss Mary C. Thompson and she was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Thompson.

She is survived by her husband, four children: Henry Gregory of Detroit, Mich., Mrs. Lee Nelson of Matador, Mrs. Lofton Bennett of Gilpin and Vernon Gregory of Spur; two brothers and one sister.

She had been affiliated with the Church of Christ more than 40 years and was a faithful and consecrated Christian lady.

Mrs. M. S. Thacker and little daughter, Joyce Marie, of Roaring Springs, were in our city Monday doing some shopping and visiting friends.

E. L. Caraway, the Chevrolet dealer, was in Matador Monday attending to business matters.

Child Welfare Board Organized

The Dickens County Child Welfare Board met in Dickens Thursday, August 10, and perfected an organization. The following officers were elected:

Chairman, Mrs. E. J. Cowan; vice chairman, Mrs. W. M. Hunter, secretary-treasurer, Paige E. Gollihar, Mrs. Nettie S. Myers, Assistant Chief of the State Division of Child Welfare, was present and explained the work to the board.

The following members were present: Mrs. E. J. Cowan of Spur, Mrs. Mack Brown of Spur, Mrs. W. M. Hunter of Wilson Draw, O. C. Newberry of Dickens, and Paige E. Gollihar of McAdoo.

—Reporter.

NEW GAS TAX LAW DOING GOOD

Comptroller George Sheppard's gas line tax enforcement "army" of detectives and auditors, created by the Legislature last March, recovered the record sum of \$330,000 in "missing" gasoline taxes during June, at an expense of but \$15,600.

This is the gist of a summary of June activities released to the Texas Good Roads Association by J. W. McReynolds, division chief at the request of the comptroller.

Comptroller Sheppard, elated, saw in the figures "proof" that if the people will help, Texas can save the predicted \$4,000,000 a year in gas taxes heretofore stolen.

"Consider what this means to the taxpayers," the comptroller said. "It means that in February, the month before this new law was passed we were headed for a \$2,500,000 decrease in annual gas-tax revenues; but now we have wiped that out and are moving at the rate of \$1,500,000 increase."

"Here's how: the state's gas tax income in February was \$207,514 short of the same month a year ago, or nearly 10 per cent. March was almost as bad. Thousands of cars were not being used and bootleggers were running wild."

"Then this new law, making evasion a felony, went into effect March 21. Our staff went to work. In April the decrease over 1932 was very small, in May it had been turned into a small increase. These June figures show we collected \$122,370 more gas taxes than in June, 1932."

"The motorist nearly always pays this tax at the filling station whether it's passed on to the state or not; when it's not, the schools, the bond fund and the highways are being robbed. So is the taxpayer who must make up the difference. That's why we are asking the public to look for evaders."

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Simpson were in Lubbock Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. J. A. Goodwin, of Lubbock, was in our city Monday doing some shopping and greeting friends.

Frank Holford, of Roaring Springs, was transacting business in our city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Webber B. Williams and daughter, Miss Glenna, left Sunday for Abilene where they visited relatives and friends a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Landers and child returned from Colorado Wednesday where they have been spending the summer. During the time they built a nice summer home in sight of the snow clad mountains.

Chattel Mortgages at Times Office.

Misses Louise Collier and Mildred Williams, who had been visiting friends in Dallas, returned home Monday.

Misses Johnnie Brown and Ellis Brady Harrington are visiting their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Chalk Brown at Snyder this week.

Glenn Knouse, of Duncan, Okla., who had been visiting Dick Lewis, left Monday for Swenson where he will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Laverty, who had been in Fort Worth at the bedside of Mrs. S. S. Noblett who had undergone an operation, returned home Monday and stated Mrs. Noblett is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar C. McGee and daughter, Miss Sammie, and Mrs. H. Kelsey and Miss Gladys Fox, left Wednesday for Chicago to attend the Century of Progress exposition a few days.

Mrs. Joe Ramsey of Abilene and Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Craddock, of Robert Lee, are guests of Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Brannen this week.

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NOTICE OF BIDS FOR DEPOSITORY

The Board of Education of the Dickens Independent School District will receive bids until Friday, August 25, 1933 for depository of the school funds of the district for ensuing two years, said depository, when approved, shall give approved security for safety of the funds.

C. A. Hulsey, President of the board
O. D. Thompson, secretary of the board.

Spur Merchants Discuss NRA Code

At a meeting held Friday morning in the Palace Theatre auditorium, Spur merchants discussed the temporary NRA code of business practice. The code was read with some discussion and a number of questions asked some of which were answered by the code interpretation and some were not answered.

All firms represented expressed a view to carrying out the wishes of the President so far as they understood the code. The local secretary of the Chamber of Commerce is to act as the agency for the town in this work. All questions to be answered and all requests to be made are submitted to the national administrator through the local Chamber of Commerce.

County Tax Rate Set At \$1.40

At a recent meeting of the County Commissioners Court, the county tax rate for 1933 was set at \$1.40 per hundred dollars valuation.

This is ten cents higher than last year, but much lower than it had been in former years.

The reduction was \$5,100,000. If the taxes are paid in full this year it will mean that the county will have \$71,400 with which to meet all expenses of county government and take care of warrants already issued.

The state rate has been set by the Automatic Tax Board at 77 cents per hundred dollars valuation which is the constitutional limit. The people of Dickens County will have to pay into the state treasury in property tax this year if taxes are paid in full, \$39,270. The total amount of state and county taxes for Dickens County this year will be \$110,670.



"RACE NIGHT", NEW SCREEN FEATURE, TO BE UNUSUAL ATTRACTION AT THE PALACE

Film fans will literally be "off to the races" soon when the Palace Theatre stages the first of a series of "Race Nights".

"Race Night" is described by the management as a thrilling and fascinating new type of entertainment in which the audience takes an active part.

Just how the audience takes a part in the proceedings is being kept a secret by the management, but it is understood that this contest, for it is all of that, carries all the thrills of a Lalonia, a Caliente, or a Kentucky Derby.

According to the management, "Race Night" is the most unusual novelty of the screen. This feature has been many months in the making and is now sweeping the country like wildfire. Its presentation next week at the Palace theatre will mark its first offering in this territory.

TRIO OF MEN SURROUND JOAN CRAWFORD IN "TODAY WE LIVE"

"Trio" of men or women have brought success to many a talking and silent picture. Who will forget Douglas Fairbanks and "The Three Musketeers"? Memory of Gilbert, Dane and O'Brien in "The Big Parade" will always remain fresh in the minds of filmgoers. The trio of men in "Beau Geste" is unforgettable. The same is true of the three girls in "The Greeks Had a Word for Them".

The latest trio to pop up in pictures comprises Gary Cooper, Robert Young and Franchot Tone, who are seen with Joan Crawford in "Today We Live", which opens Sunday at the Palace Theatre. It is a Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture directed by Howard Hawks from an original story by William Faulkner, author of "Light in August" and "Sanctuary."

Cooper and Young are seen as Miss Crawford's lovers, with Tone playing the part of her brother. All three play a part in the World War, Cooper as an American aviator, Young and Tone in the operation of two-man torpedo boats, the most dangerous branch of the British navy. Miss Crawford comes to love Cooper and then is told that he is dead. His unexpected return after the heroine has given herself to another man provides the nucleus of this romance "behind the lines."

MEETING AT DRY LAKE CLOSED

The revival meeting at Dry Lake which was in progress last week closed with the services Sunday evening. During the meeting there were three conversions, six restorations and a number of additions to the church. Rev. Stokes did the preaching thru the meeting and delivered some wonderful messages. The people claim it was a great meeting.

A. M. SHEPPARD NOW SERVING AS DEPUTY SHERIFF

A. M. Sheppard has been granted a special commission to act as deputy sheriff during the term of district court which is to meet this month. Mr. Sheppard is a man who believes in people living up to the intentions of the law and is sincere in his action. There has been no deputy since the death of H. R. Black which occurred a few weeks ago, and Sheriff Arthur needs a good man to lend assistance.

Ralph Gibson, who was a guest of Erick Malone last week, returned to Tipton, Okla., where he makes his home in the Tipton Orphan Home. He says the home is a wonderful place for a boy.

Hassen Bros. Store To Open Saturday

L. C. Parker, manager of the local store of Hassen Bros. Company, announces that his firm will be ready to open doors to public Saturday morning. He and his assistants are working diligently to get the large stock of merchandise in readiness for the opening. Practically all of the available space in the large double front building just north of the bank has been consumed in arranging the merchandise, and Mr. Parker stated that there is more than \$8,000 worth of new merchandise that has not arrived yet.

Mrs. Birl Hight and Mrs. G. H. Stack are to be associated with this new firm and will look after the needs of the ladies who will visit the store. Mr. Parker and Mr. Kirkpatrick will be prepared to show the men a very fine line of merchandise. There will be other sales people in the store for the opening, and people may expect excellent service and a large stock of merchandise to make selections.

SPUR GOLFERS ATTEND TOURNAMENT

Spur golfers crossed brassies with other golf clubs on the Matador golf course Sunday afternoon. There were 18 holes qualifying in the morning and the main event in the afternoon, an 18-hole tournament match. Members of Crosbyton and Lockney were present and a number of Matador players took part.

The first flight honors were won as follows:
J. L. Reecer of Lockney, first place
C. M. Glenn of Matador, second place
Oran Crump, of Crosbyton, third place
Charlie Powell of Spur, fourth place
Elmer Stearns and W. N. Pipkin both of Matador tied for fifth place.

In the second flight Jeff Webborn of Lockney took first place; Stephenson of Lockney, second place; E. M. Rice of Matador and R. B. Neilson of Spur tied for third and fourth places; Oscar Nalley of Matador, took fifth place.

The next tournament will be at Spur August 27.

FORT WORTH GROCERY STORES REPORTED

A number of grocery stores in Fort Worth that held open doors last Sunday in violation of the state laws were reported to the State District Attorney's office Tuesday. Also, a number who violated the grocer NRA code were reported to the United States District Attorney's office the same day. Just what the outcome will be is yet to be seen. The reports were made by I. H. Cohen, President of the Retail Grocers Association.

A violation of the grocers code is considered a violation of a pledge to the government, and it is the opinion of many lawyers that courts will not be very lenient in regard to willful violations. The government is asking business firms to cooperate in the practice of their business code or if the business code has not been approved, to follow out the temporary code at this time. The chief object is to place more people on payrolls, and at the same time to conduct your business on a basis of fair competition. If you will apply the Golden Rule to your business in regard to competition, you will not go far wrong.

BOWLING ALLEY BEING STARTED

Junior (Cotton) Ensey has secured a lease of the Davis building just south of Spur Bakery and has installed a bowling alley. Mr. Ensey has owned bowling alleys here before and runs a nice, clean business. He has been in the business at Floydada this summer, but came back to Spur recently and is now opening his business to the public again. Bowling is a fine exercise and is recommended by all health specialists. Mr. Ensey will be glad for you to meet your friends at his place and enjoy a few nice games.

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TAX CONDITION IN TEXAS LAST YEAR

The property owners of Dickens County paid a total tax bill in 1932 of \$168,892 according to a report given out by the State Auditor of Texas. Of this amount \$29,772 was for state purposes. This would leave \$139,120 to be used in the county. This report came out under bulletin No. 1 of August 9.

Other reports of the State Auditor showed by careful estimate that state's general revenue fund would show a deficit of \$9,944,755 by August 31, 1933; the available school fund would be behind \$7,704,505; and the pension fund will show a deficit of \$3,910,313, making a total deficit in the three funds of \$21,559,573.

The total taxes paid on property in Texas last year for all purposes is as follows:

State ad valorem taxes	\$27,024,653
County ad valorem taxes	15,747,576
Cities, including all taxes	37,744,695
Road districts, and county roads	27,521,194
School districts	34,512,163
Water districts	5,637,162
Total property tax 1932	\$148,187,443

THE CONSTITUTIONAL BOND ISSUE

August 26, the voters of Texas, including Dickens County, will be asked to state by ballot whether or not the legislature of Texas shall have power to issue and sell bonds up to the amount of \$20,000,000 for the purpose of creating jobs for the unemployed in our state. The constitutional amendment will require that these bonds shall run for a period of ten years, shall be issued within a period of two years after passage of the amendment and shall bear interest at the rate of 4-1/2 per cent tax rate to the highest the consti-

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



per annum. The amendment further specifies that the legislature shall make appropriations to take care of the interest and sinking fund.

At this time it does not look very favorable for our state to take on any new obligations. The latest report in regard to the financial condition of our state shows that by August 31 there will be a deficit in the general fund of \$9,944,755; the available school fund will be short \$7,704,505, and the pension fund will be lacking \$3,910,313. The sum total shows that our state will be in the hole on these three funds alone \$21,559,573. The State Automatic Tax Board met recently and set the state tuition will allow—77 cents. Then if the bond amendment should carry, undoubtedly a new tax must be raised for the interest and sinking fund will have to be met. In the period of ten years the people will have to pay \$9,000,000 interest on these bonds. Some may say, oh, we won't need all the bonds right now. They must be floated within two years or the deal is off. Again, the federal authorities at Washington say that Texas must raise \$20,000,000 by October or all federal assistance will be withdrawn. Then the bonds must be floated immediately to that amount and the people of Texas will pay \$900,000 each year interest.

Again, we are wondering if the bonds will be needed. With a wonderful cotton crop in Texas, with cotton

mills employing more people, with the NRA program being strictly followed out which is estimated to furnish employment for thousands of idle people, with the Public Works Recovery program in effect soon, do you feel that the deserving laborer will be able to secure employment under these conditions? Again, the \$900,000 interest to be raised for bonds could be raised any way and be used for relief work instead of bond interest. And there is the \$2,000,000 annually that must be raised for the sinking fund. Why not raise that and use it for relief work fund instead of paying it to some New York broker or financier?

Have you thought that if Texas gives the Legislature the right to float bonds on a relief basis, that good excuses can be found for floating bonds on other measures? Texas has no state bond issue to date, but every state in the union when the constitution grants the right of bonds is heavily in debt on account of bonds. If we grant the legislature the privilege this time, it will be just opening the gate for other opportunities and excuses, and before we realize our condition we will be paying taxes to support a lot of state bond issues.

It might be possible if the bond amendment is defeated that the state legislature will find some other means to provide relief. Why not place a portion of the state highway fund on relief basis and let a great number of unemployed work on our highways? There is about \$20,000,000 per year of this fund that could go for labor. It is an equitable fund for everybody pays into it. County road overseers could arrange to give the unemployed work on our county roads. Some say, this work is done with machinery. True, but it does not have to be done that way. Machinery only affords a quick method—not a cheaper one.

Some say you will not have to pay taxes on real estate to settle for these bonds. What is the difference whether we pay it on the land or on the chickens and cows. We will have to pay it just the same. Texas has as good roads as any state in the southwest and we have not floated any state road bonds yet. We have paid for our roads as we have built them—other states have floated bonds and still owe for their roads. We should thank our efficient highway department for this condition. They refuse to go in debt on roads.

The best informed students are of the opinion that state funds required to supplement Federal relief funds in the next year or two could be raised by some form of special taxation. The advantage in this arrangement is a degree of protection in having one that may be abolished as soon as the emergency is over. If higher taxes are necessary, let's have them under control. The principal and interest payments on \$20,000,000 bond issue would make a very substantial relief fund within itself. Once the bonds are issued, the taxes to pay interest and provide sinking funds will go on and must be paid, and paid by the people.

Under the most strenuous conditions the past year Texas has used \$7,000,000 of federal money for relief and unemployment work. There has been no public works program and no NRA regulations which is expected to place more people at work. If the bonds are necessary, it is a worthy cause, but we had better be sure we need the bonds before we assume the obligation. It will be too late to regret once the bonds are issued.

Sheppard Increases Enforcement Forces

The Texas Legislature's sweetest gift to the taxpayers—Comptroller Sheppard's new gasoline tax enforcement division—is steadily stretching out over the state after fugitive millions in public money. The enforcement "army" now num-

bers more than 70 trained men, according to the latest report of J. W. McReynolds, division chief, to the comptroller, and establishment of two more district headquarters has brought the total of such offices to eight. The report was requested by the Texas Good Roads Association. The new district offices, already established and working, are in Corpus Christi and Eastland. Mr. McReynolds report said, and they augment similar centers in San Antonio, Houston, Long view, Dallas, Fort Worth and Amarillo. To date, the comptroller's operatives have obtained 36 felony indictments against alleged gas tax violators. Three cases have resulted in con-

victions, while many more trials are pending. Three refineries have been placed in receivership to preserve assets.

The great benefit, however, has not come from prosecutions but from the \$300,000 per month increase in gas tax payments which is expected to give a \$1,000,000 "bonus" yearly to the common school fund, a similar amount to the bond refunding fund and \$2,000,000 to the highway fund.

Comptroller Sheppard added that "just as a sideline," his men have raised cigaret tax collections at such a rapid rate that he expects from \$500,000 to \$1,000,000 to the school fund each year from "smokes." All of the cigaret tax now goes to schools.

DULL HEADACHES GONE SIMPLE REMEDY DOES IT

Headaches caused by constipation are gone after one dose of Adlerika. This cleans all poisons out of BOTH upper and lower bowels. Gives better sleep, ends nervousness. Sanders Pharmacy

CARD OF THANKS

With grateful hearts do we wish to thank our many friends who so kindly and lovingly did so much for us during the sickness and death of our loved one. For each kind word, deed and flower we thank you. Your manifestations of love could not have been more, and we wish for God's richest blessings upon each and every one of you.

- T. E. Gregory.
- Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gregory.
- Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Nelson.
- Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gregory.
- Mr. and Mrs. Lofton Bennett.
- Clifton Kimbrough.
- Mr. and Mrs. Joe Geaslen.
- Mr. and Mrs. Henry Thompson.

Second Sheets at Times Office.



When your head aches; when Neuralgia tortures you; when Muscular Pains make you miserable—take a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill. Mr. Smith is one of millions who have found this easy way to prompt relief. He says: "I keep Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills in my pocket and when I get a dull heavy feeling in my head, I take a Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pill and the pain passes off." DR. MILES' -ANTI-PAIN PILLS-

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Parme McAdoo, were in our city doing some trading.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, of Roaring Springs, were greeting a friend of our city Tuesday. Mr. McDonald teacher at Roaring Springs.

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Your own beating heart... your own quivering lips... your own tears and cheers... will tell you best that here truly is a great motion picture... one to see again and again... one to treasure in your memory!

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You will find the following sports at hand for your enjoyment:

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Dont worry about reservations—Just come on out!

CRAZY WATER HOTEL
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The Changing Times

Many of we merchants will not be able to stand the demands now placed upon us, however, just and justifiable they may be, and many criticisms will be made unjustly. But we are going to do our best to go on as we have done in West Texas since the foundation of our institution in 1884. And by the help of our many faithful customers who know by experiences, that our merchandise and prices are equal to the best. Don't be lured away by some new Red ink spread by some fellow who tells you he can sell merchandise cheaper than any other merchant. His sweat shop merchandise is going to be stopped by Uncle Sam. We are proud of the fact we have never knowingly bought Sweat Shop merchandise, and you who have hunted for red ink bargains know how disappointing this merchandise was.

LADIES WEAR. Our Ladies Wear department is now ready. Come and see for yourself. Visit some large town or city first and you will see how much cheaper our Ladies Wear is.

We are proud of our dry goods department, and Men's Wear too. We have doubled our stocks, and are counting on a big business.

Spur has many new dry goods stores and from indications it is going to be the dry goods center of the West. So come to Spur to do your shopping. We should attract trade from Lubbock and the larger places.

GROCERIES. No place can beat Spur in this line and as you know Bryant-Link Company is always in line with quality, price and service.

FURNITURE. Better buy now, prices will be 30 to 40 per cent higher. See Tom Teague the furniture man.

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COME ON WITH THE CROWDS AND BRING THE CHILDREN



Bryant-Link Co.

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How many times do Gas on Stomach, Headache, Sour Stomach, "That Tired Feeling," That "Morning After" Feeling, Neuralgia, Rheumatic, Sciatic, Muscular or Periodic Pains keep you at home or interfere with your doing a full day's work?

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Why don't you try it? Get a drink at your drug store soda fountain for a nickel. Buy a package for home use.



Large Package 60 cents
Small Package 30 cents

NRA QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11—What does the NRA mean?

The following questions were developed and answered today by officials of the national recovery administration:

Are government employes on a 40 hour week?

No, the president's reemployment agreement excepts government and state employes. No reason given for this exception.

Does the 40 hour week apply to municipal employes?

No, but employes of municipally owned utilities are affected.

Are employes of banks affected by the reemployment agreement?

Yes. As yet there is no banking code, but clerical employes of banks come in under the blanket code when the bank signs it.

Is time out for lunch included in eight hour day?

No.

What constitutes an eight hour day under the president's reemployment agreement?

Generally speaking, an employe who starts at 8 in the morning has a 4 hour for lunch, and quits at 5 in the afternoon.

Is Sunday considered a legal holiday under the president's reemployment agreement?

In the absence of a ruling from the policy board of the NRA on this question, the officials are advising that Sunday is not a legal holiday.

If the Blue Eagle is taken away from a business or an individual will it be a matter of public information?

Yes. Publicity concerning the action probably will come from Washington.

Is there any limit to what restaurant operators may charge their employes for meals?

Yes, under the restaurant industry code, \$3 a week is all that may be deducted.

Are tips included in the minimum wage set for waiters and waitresses?

No.

What are the maximum hours barbers and operators of beauty shops may work?

Under the temporary code, pending the acceptance by the NRA of a permanent one, they may work 48 hours a week. Clerical help in such shops, however, are on a 40 hour a week basis.

What does the NRA propose to do when it has been furnished evidence that firms or individuals are violating the president's reemployment agreement?

The NRA wants all the codes in before it starts any investigations of this sort. Industries now are being told to straighten out their own problems.

Will the NRA attempt police power after all the codes have been submitted and approved?

NRA officials now do not contemplate such action preferring if possible to place such power in the hands of a governmental agency such as the federal trade commission.

What about profiteers under the NRA?

Complaints of this sort are first referred to the consumers board of the NRA for recommendations as to future action.

REDTOP-CATFISH

Old stork has made another... our midst, and now Mr. and... ete Orand of Red Top, have... sons, the last one weighing 14... s. at birth, he is nearly grown al... Mother and babe are both do... well.

Saturday a week ago, Mrs. A. E. McClain and Fount Harrell's two... and families from Greenville, ... rised their folks with a visit... y stayed until Wednesday when... went on near Tahoka to visit... their mother and a brother, Mrs.

in progress the... went with them to... Theford and Lucille Fry of Catfish are going down to the meeting Sunday afternoon and night services with Mattie and Clark Howell accompanying them.

There is lots of garden seed being planted here now, and what survived the dry weather is coming on now and lets hope all the cans get filled again.

Dock Love started a meeting at Red Top Friday night. Everyone invited to come out and help in the winning of souls.

Hope McClain went to Spur First Monday with Mrs. Fuqua and Mrs. Howell.

WHAT NEXT?

I have been requested to write a piece to the paper and express my views on the question of voting to repeal the Eighteenth Amendment.

To begin with, I cannot see how any one who is old enough to remember the days of the open saloon would think for a minute of wanting our country in the condition it was then.

Some one is ready to say, "There is as much or more drinking now as there was then, and the government getting no benefit in the way of taxes," and thus they are in favor of legalizing the sale of beer and mild drinks, and let the men who drink it pay for it. Now my reply to such reasoning is that if the ones who drank had to pay for it would all together different.

But we who lived back in the day of the open saloon know full well that that was not the case, but that the man who drank would spend his last dime for the cursed stuff and his loved ones suffered the consequences.

But, let's grant for argument's sake that there is as much liquor sold and drunk as in the days of the open saloon. Does that necessitate legalizing it? We still have stealing and murder, but are you in favor of repealing those laws and making theft and murder perfectly legitimate? I think not.

Then the only logical conclusion to arrive at is, "which is worth more to America, the raw material or the finished product of the gin mill? The raw material is corn, wheat, rye and various and sundry other things of which we make bread to feed the hungry nation. The finished product is beer, whiskey and other intoxicants of many types which, if used as a

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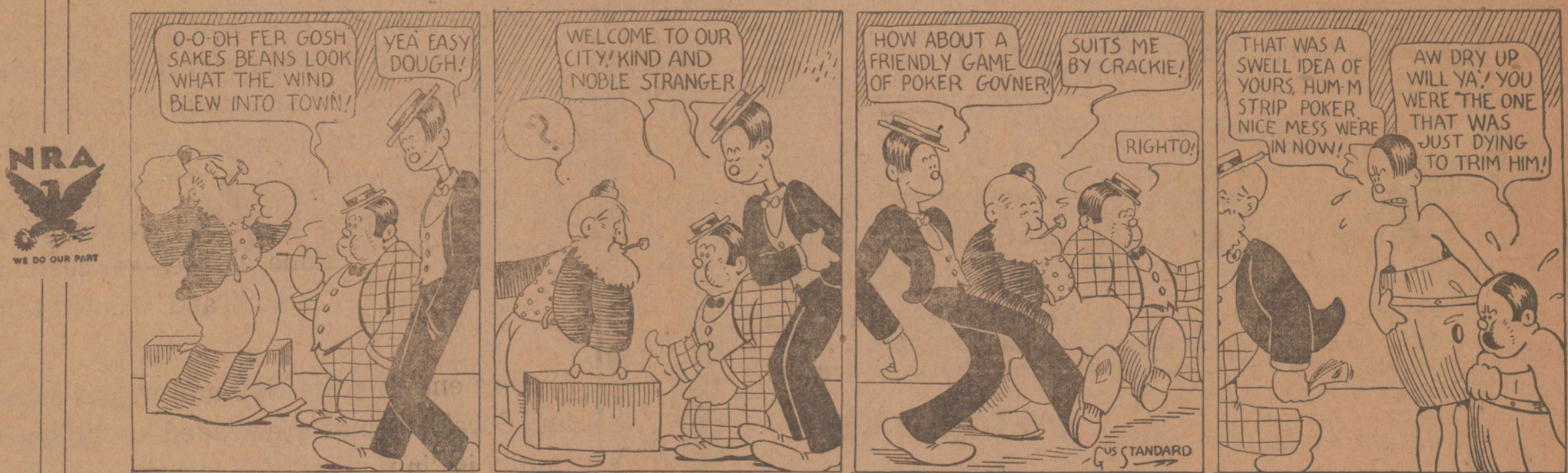
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West Texas Utilities Company

DRUGSTORE COWBOYS



We want the public to know we are 100 per cent for our President, and you have heard and read a lot about the tax on cotton goods by September 1st—we therefore recommend and urge you to buy a liberal supply of cotton goods during August.

Since this tax on cotton goods will amount to a fraction over four cents per pound, we urge you to buy as liberally as possible of such goods as OVERALLS, WORK SHIRTS, WORK PANTS, SHEETS and SHEETING, TICKING, DOMESTIC, OUTING, BLANKETS, STAPLE PRINTS, TOWELS AND OTHER ITEMS MADE FROM COTTON.

This increase in the cost of cotton goods will be in addition to that brought about by the inauguration of the President's NRA code, which is designed to relieve unemployment. For instance, textile workers who have been working long hours at a very low wage will hereafter receive a minimum salary of \$14.00 per week of not more than 40 hours. Is it not easy to understand why prices should advance under such radical changes.

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CAMPBELL NUPTIALS

A very quiet wedding occurred in
 our city Saturday afternoon, the con-
 tracting parties being Mr. Alton Es-
 tep of Espuela community, and Miss
 Novella Campbell of Spur. Rev. J. V.
 Bilberry read the ceremony in the

**CHALK BROWN TO BE
 VARIETY STORE HEAD**

Chalk Brown, who has been associa-
 ted for sometime with the local Bry-
 ant Link Company store, will be man-
 ager of the variety store that is to
 open on the north side of the square
 in a few days.

In announcing Mr. Brown selection
 as manager, W. C. Shull, owner, of
 the new store, states that he expects
 to be ready for business the latter
 part of next week. The new store will
 occupy the east half of the building
 that has been occupied by Carton-Dod
 County Times, Snyder Aug 10.

Mr. Brown and his good family
 were citizens of Spur for many years
 and have many friends in this com-
 munity who will be glad to know a-
 bout his new position. He was associ-
 ated with C. Hogan & Company here
 for a long time and is a good merchant

**Highway Woman
 Cures Cucumbers**

"I now have 35 gallon of cucumbers
 in brine, 12 gallons have been in the
 cure five weeks, I think they are go-
 ing to be fine, said Mrs. Bob Morgan
 of Highway community the other day.
 "I followed the directions the home
 agent gave me for making the brine.
 I made a 10 percent brine using 1 lb.
 of salt to nine pints of water. In using
 the larger keg of barrels 1 lb. of salt
 should be added to nine pints of water
 In using the large kegs of barrels
 1 lb. of salt should be added for every
 10 lb. cucumbers added. Then at the
 end of each week for five weeks I
 am adding one-fourth lb. salt to keep
 the brine the same strength.

"I have a board sawed to fit in the
 jar that I use for a cover. A weight
 on this keeps the cucumbers well un-
 der the brine. When I add the salt
 each week I place it on the cover. If
 it is added directly to the brine it
 may sink to the bottom making the
 brine in the bottom of the barrel very
 strong while that at the top may be
 so weak that the pickles will spoil.

"When the cucumbers are thor-
 oughly cured they will be a clear
 olive green to the center. I can tell
 how near mine are cured by slicing
 one and observing the whitish center
 with the olive green ring around it.
 After the cucumbers are cured, in
 six weeks to two and a half months,
 they may be left in the brine and
 made into pickles as needed or all

**BARBER, BEAUTY
 SHOP RULES GIVEN**

WASHINGTON, Aug. 11—Barbers
 and operators of beauty shops have
 been given authority to operate un-
 der the President's re-employment
 agreement by the NRA with certain
 concessions.

These concessions follow:
 No barber and no other employes
 can be employed more than 48 hours
 a week.

No barber or beautician can em-
 ploy any accounting, clerical, or of-
 fice employes for more than 40 hours
 a week.

No barber or beautician can em-
 ploy any persons under 16 years of
 age.

The maximum hours of work do not
 apply to those engaged in managerial
 or executive capacities but do apply
 to the owners or operators of a barber
 or beauty shop who are actively work-
 ing in their shops.

The barbers and beauticians are re-
 quired to finish serving all patrons,
 who arrived and remained in the shop
 for service before the time of closing,
 but such service shall not be comput-
 ed in determining the total number of
 hours worked under the code. No
 overtime can be paid for such ser-
 vices.

The business hours of barber shops
 and beauty shops can not be reduced
 below 52 hours in any one week, and
 if the shops were operating on less
 hours before July 1 they can not be
 reduced at all.

ZONE MEETING HELD HERE

The second meeting of zone No. 1,
 Stamford district, was held at Spur,
 August 9th. 44 were present, repre-
 senting McAdoo, Roaring Springs,
 Jayton, Afton and Spur. Devotion was
 held by Bro. Baughman of Jayton.

Mrs. Paige Gollihar, zone leader,
 gave a very interesting and under-
 standing talk on "Status of Wom-
 an". We had Mrs. J. B. Dobson, dis-
 trict secretary of Stamford, to bring
 a very helpful talk on "Our Work in
 this District."

A Probation talk was given by Mrs.
 Robinson. Mrs. Joe E. Boyd discus-
 sed the Mission Study Plan, mention-
 ing several books we might study. A
 very interesting little play was pre-
 sented by McAdoo, the Land of Mis-
 sion Study.

Luncheon was served by Spur Mis-
 sionary ladies. A great day was en-
 joyed by all.

Mrs. L. S. Wilson, Secretary.

S. M. BAILEY PASSES AWAY

Stephen M. Bailey, a prominent
 citizen of McAdoo community, died
 at his home Wednesday morning of
 last week. He had been ill a long
 time suffering of Bright's disease
 and high blood pressure. Funeral
 services were held at the Method-
 ist Church at McAdoo Wednesday af-
 ternoon. Interment followed in Mc-
 Adoo cemetery. Webber Williams
 acting as funeral director.

Mr. Bailey was a native of the
 state of Georgia and was born March
 17, 1871. He came to Texas in an
 early day and several years ago
 moved to the Plains where he had
 been engaged in the farming busi-
 ness.

He is survived by his wife and
 children.

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on our part that each and every customer is

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The task of selecting only the cream of the manu-

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permit shoddy merchandise to enter our store-this

alone assures our customers that they receive the

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We are entering the Fall and winter seasons, a time when warm
 and durable things are needed - a time when each member of the
 family is "in market" for something to wear. We are of the opin-
 ion that WE HAVE JUST WHAT YOU NEED. It will be a pleas-
 ure to show you - and you will not be urged to buy.

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 and lets get acquainted. Loaf with us, and visit with us, we will
 have plenty of ice water for you to drink.

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For they can't do it. They only
 move the bowels and a mere move-
 ment doesn't get at the cause. The
 reason for your down-and-out
 feeling is your liver. It should
 pour out two pounds of liquid bile
 into your bowels daily.

If this bile is not flowing freely, your
 food doesn't digest. It just decays in
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 have a thick, bad taste and your breath
 is foul, skin often breaks out in blen-
 ches. Your head aches and you feel down
 and out. Your whole system is poisoned.

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 pounds of bile flowing freely and make
 you feel "up and up." They contain won-
 derful, harmless, gentle vegetable ex-
 tracts, amazing when it comes to making
 the bile flow freely.

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A Century Of Progress Chevrolets

Assembly of new automobiles in the plant operated at Chicago on A Century of Progress grounds by the Chevrolet Motor Company will pass the 2,000 mark late this month, officials have announced.

Since the line was set into motion by the light of a cosmic ray just

prior to the opening of the Fair, output has held at a steady pace of 24 cars a day, six days a week.

In July exactly 600 new Chevrolet Master six coaches and coupes came off the line; in June 589 were built, and in May 165, bringing the total produced here from the time the line started through July 31, to 1354 units.

If present schedules are maintained car number 2,000 will be completed during the last hour of the last day of this month, officials said.

They estimated that by the closing of the Fair upwards of 3,500 new Chevrolets will have been assembled there. This figure exceeds the total 1932 production of eleven different automobile companies then in business.

So insistent has been the demand for cars carrying the distinction of having been built at the World's Fair that every unit so far produced has been purchased at the end of the line and driven away by its new owner. Color options may be specified in advance and the purchaser is given the privilege of going into the assembly pit and helping to build his own car.

People have gone there from more than a thousand miles distant with the primary object of purchasing a car built at the Fair and driving it home.

The huge assembly room, housed in the special General Motors exposition building with a wide balcony a fifth of a mile long completely circling the assembly operations, is attracting nearly half of all the people who visit the Fair.

George Ross was a Spur Monday.

Jim Watson made a business trip to Waco and Dallas the first of the week.

Mrs. M. Hargrove and Ralph of Spur, spent Sunday here with Mrs. H. F. Harwell and family.

Mrs. Clarence Edwards of Jayton, was greeting friends here Sunday.

CHEVROLET SHOWS LARGEST JULY INCREASE SINCE 1929

The largest July production since 1929, nearly trebling the output for the corresponding month last year, was achieved by Chevrolet when the company built 80,250 new cars and trucks in the month just ended, W. S. Knudsen, president and general manager announced today.

This compared with 32,281 built last July and with 81,526 in June of this year, which was the highest production month since early 1931, Mr. Knudsen stated. The current July was the fourth largest July in the 21-years history of the company.

Not since 1920 has July production come as close to June as this year Mr. Knudsen said, attesting to much less—than—seasonal slack, now being experienced by the company.

While some seasonal let-up is bound to be felt in August, Mr. Knudsen said he hoped that the sustained high level of retail sales would enable his company again to effect a reduction in the normal average decline from July into the coming month.

For the first seven months this year this company produced more than 438,000 new cars and trucks as compared with 394,000 for the full twelve months of 1932, the Chevrolet executive stated.

URGES THAT CHILDREN BE IMMUNIZED AGAINST DIPHTHERIA

Dr. H. N. Barnett, Director, Bureau of Child Hygiene, State Department of Health, in a statement today, urged all parents to have their children immunized against diphtheria. Each child six months old or over should have this preventive treatment now as it takes some time for immunity to develop after the last inoculation.

In the use of toxoid we have an agent that will give passive immunity to this disease; still 812 persons died last year in Texas from diphtheria. Two thirds of all cases occur before the tenth year and approximately eighty per cent of the deaths from this disease occur between the ages one to five years. Our young children are therefore in danger of contracting the disease and dying from it.

It is a treacherous disease. The first symptoms are so indefinite that the mother can easily overlook their presence. It is necessary even for the physician to look closely for the signs of diphtheria in order to discover them as the child does not necessarily complain of pain in the throat. Take your children to your family physician and have them protected against diphtheria.

This is a special appeal to the parents of Texas. If you have children between the ages of six months and twelve years, who have not been immunized against this dreadful disease, have them protected by the injection of toxoid. Parents who know that it is now possible to prevent diphtheria and nevertheless fail to have their

...unized, take a great responsibility on their shoulders. The immunization consists of two or three injections three to six weeks apart. When prevention is so simple, do not take chances on illness and possibly death from diphtheria.

Eldon Wade, of the Jayton Chronicle, was in our city Wednesday attending to business affairs He has been working at Lamesa the past month assisting with the newspaper there. Mr. and Mrs. Schuyler Boothe returned from Lubbock Monday where they had been at the bedside of a sick friend.

Fred P. Dawson, one of the progressive farmers of Roaring Springs, was in our city Monday looking after business matters.

G. L. Godfrey and son, Cecil, of Roaring Springs, were in our city Monday attending to business matters.

W. S. Smiley, of Duncan Flat, was transacting business in our city Monday. He stated conditions looked encouraging at this time.

Mrs. J. H. Grace and daughter, Miss Helen, returned from Dallas Sunday where they had been at the bedside of Mrs. Joe Grace who is dangerously ill.

J. B. Richbourg, of Munday, was in our city the first of the week visiting his daughter, Mrs. Jack Rector, and greeting friends.

C. O. Parker, of Elton, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

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SAVE WITH A NEW CHEVROLET

The women of Duck Creek community surprised Mr. and Mrs. C. Evans August 8 with an all day quilting party. While Mrs. Evans was in Oklahoma the women of the W. M. U. of which she is teacher of the Bible study, decided to piece a friendship quilt to show their appreciation for the work of Mr. and Mrs. Evans in the community, not only as teachers, but spiritually and socially.

Mr. Evans was let in on the secret and told if he let Mrs. Evans know one thing of it, it wouldn't be good for him. He must know how to keep a secret or else was afraid of what the ladies might do, for we never saw a more surprised person than Mrs. Evans when, after church services, a number of women went to her and told her they were going home with her for dinner. Mrs. Evans told them she thought she and Mr. Evans were to go to Mrs. Carl Hagins for dinner with Mrs. and Mrs. Cox and didn't have one thing cooked. The men were all standing back grinning—the women insisting they were going with her—By this time she had decided there must be some kind of surprise in store for them.

In the mean time some of the women had gone to the teacherage with well filled baskets and had put the quilt in the frames. Everyone at church followed to the teacherage to see the surprise when Mrs. Evans saw the quilt so great was the surprise that she cried, laughed and talked all the same time to feel and know such manifestations of love and appreciation. As she read the names on each block her heart was so full of thankfulness that she could hardly talk. Said she and Mr. Evans never could do enough to repay such thoughtfulness. After a sumptuous dinner of fried chicken, salads, cakes, pies and iced tea, and all the men gone but Bro. Cox and Mr. Evans, the women began to quilt. There were too many for all to work at once, so Mrs. Evans told them that we always have games at parties, we are going to have a game—an unusual game. To show the men that we are not going to spend the afternoon in idle gossip, as they think we usually do, let's each one tell how and when they were converted and any interesting event in connection with it. Every one responded when his or her time came. I think there were twenty four women present, of all denominations, a community affair and a veritable love feast. I can truthfully say I never experienced a sweeter testimony and experience meeting in my life. Many tears were shed, prayer asked for and right then and there a special

SUNDAY DINNER SUGGESTIONS

By ANN PAGE

WHEN you hear a person say, "I just eat to live," take it with a grain of salt. For after all is said and done everyone has favorite foods, and there's real satisfaction in an attractive, wholesome, well-cooked dinner.

Anyone with a jaded appetite is bound to get a thrill by going to market these days, for this is the season when nearby home-grown vegetables are very much in evidence.

Spring salads are popular whether served with olive oil and vinegar or prepared salad dressing, and there are fine displays of spinach, string beans, beets, and green onions in the vegetable bins.

Oranges, new cabbage, and lettuce are very plentiful and low in price. The Quaker Maid Kitchen has planned three particularly appetizing menus for this week, using meats which are in good supply, and therefore reasonable in price.

Low Cost Dinner

- Pot Roast of Beef with Carrots and Potatoes
- Turnip Greens
- Bread and Butter
- Banana Custard Tapioca or Coffee Milk

Medium Cost Dinner

- Broiled Lamb Chops
- Egg Plant Croquette String Beans
- Scalloped Potatoes
- Quince Preserves
- Corn Muffins and Butter
- Grapefruit with Honey
- Iced Tea or Coffee Milk

Very Special Dinner

- Jellied Tomato Bouillon
- Olives Green Onions Radishes
- Broiled Spring Chicken
- Fresh Spinach in Cream
- Julienne Potatoes
- Hot Rolls and Butter
- Lettuce Salad with Bacon Dressing
- Peach Meringues
- Iced Tea or Coffee Milk

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BUT I WON'T HAVE TO WASH MY FACE IF I DON'T WANT TO EITHER!

GEE! THEY AINT NOthin' WHAT THE FOLKS WONT DO FOR YOU WHEN YOU GET BACK 'MICKY!

prayer was offered by Bro. Cox for the unsaved in the community. This was in keeping with the revival going on at Duck Creek held by Bro. Cox of Jayton. Of course, much fun and pleasure was enjoyed also. Then ice cream was served. All this time as many as could would be quilting, except when eating cream. Mr. and Mrs. Evans have a beautiful Duck Creek friendship quilt of which they are very proud and thankful.

—One Who Was There.

F. L. Byars, of prairie Chapel, was attending to business affairs in our city Tuesday. Reported a good shower Monday evening.

HIGHWAY

Our singing school closed last Friday with a good attendance and some fine singing in the afternoon. The number by the little Hoover girl of Steel Hill was especially good. Basket lunch was served at the noon hour.

Mrs. Moudy of Seminole is here this week visiting her son Ted Moudy and family.

Mrs. Bucker is quiet ill at this time.

Mrs. Vernon Powell returned last week from Fort Worth where she was called to see her mother during her last illness and death.

Arville George has been on the sick list this week.

Miss Novella Campbell of Spur and Mr. Alton Estep were united in marriage on Saturday, August 12th. We wish them a long and happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Martin announce the arrival of an 8 lb. grandson, Jimmie Truman White on Saturday, August 12th.

Rev. Boyd is bringing some good messages. The public is invited to take part in these revival services. Several of our folks have been attending the Baptist meeting at Dry Lake the past week.

Gladys Reece has been very sick for several days.

Mrs. Young of Red Hill, was in our community last Friday and attended singing school.

Our school started Monday with a large number enrolled. Miss Imogene Neaves will teach the primary grades. Mr. Taylor the third and fourth grades, Miss Lena Goodrich the 5th to the 7th grades. We are looking forward to a successful school term.

Mr. and Mrs. Watted Thomason and Mrs. Grover Thomason attended a family reunion at Two Draw Lake near Post Saturday and Sunday.

Jessie Jones of Haskell, visited his sister and family, Mrs. Will Smith, Saturday night.

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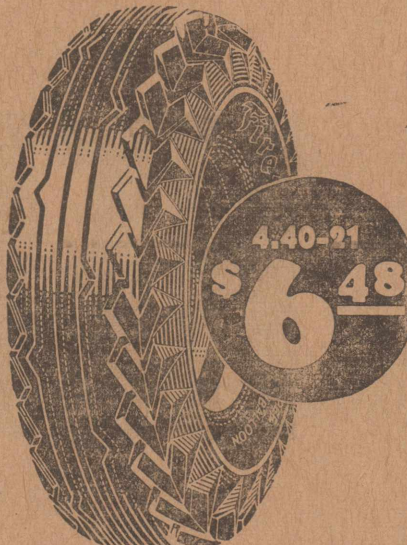
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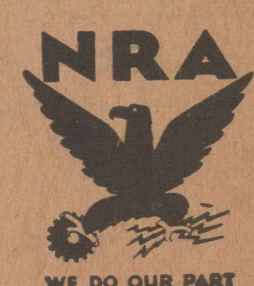
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