

American Legion

Held Open Meeting

SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1935

WHOLE NUMBER 531

COTTON ADJUSTMENT OFFICIAL ANNOUNCES MEANS OF DISPOSITION

3 Ways Disposing Of Tax Exemption Cotton Certificates

Cotton producers within the county are fortunate enough to have three ways of disposing of their un-used 1935 Tax Exemption Cotton Certifi-cates. Provided they can make certi-fication that the amount is surplus to him. By this I mean he must have completely harvested his 1935 cotton crop or must have retained sufficient amount to harvest the balance of amount to harvest the balance of same. Cotton producers must remem-ber that certificates can be transferred for surplus cotton and for surplus cotton alone. Speculation in this mat-ter is strictly a violation of the Act. All transfers must be recorded in the county office where the certificate was first issued at a constant price

fixed by the Secretary of Agriculture. The National Tax Exemption Cer-tificate pool will operate in 1935 practically on the same basis as in 1934, with the exception that the Cer-tificates will have the value of not less than 5c per pound for the por-tion that is sold. The Pool is now

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BULL DOGS

Out of our regular 1935 allotment

fice. It might be well for the Producers of Dickens County to know that this office has received at this date a total of 22,409 bales of Tax Exempt-ion Certificates usable on 1935 crop. This county total will be increased by the regular 10% allotment and by a contion of the unsold equivy in the which is not being published to the world, but the work is of untold beneportion of the unsold equity in the 1934 pool, which is come in at a later date. All indications are that

Dickens County will have a total of 25,000 bales to sell tax free when we have received our total allotments. Signed: Wm. W. Gregory, Asst. in Cotton Adjustment, Dickens Coun-ty, Texas.

Taxpayers Advised Of Ad Valorem Discount

recent Legislature passed House Bill No. 6, allowing a discount on Ad Valorem taxes paid during the months of October, November and December at a 3%, 2% and 1% discount res-

pectively. The Attorney General ruled the bill unconstitutional, and at the pres-ent time the validity of this law is The Spur High Bulldogs return month or more until we know whether

home Friday night for their first Dis-trict 4 game of the 1935 season. The Flomot Longhorns from up in the north part of Motley County will fur-nish the opposition in the district opener at Spur. The game will be call-ed promptly at 8:00 o'clock. The Bulldors herer Monday on four

New Tax Exemption Certificates Here

Eight hundred seventy four thou-sand, eight hundred and twenty pounds of Tax Exemption Certificates usable in 1935 were received by this office last week for the old 1934 Certificates that were sent in for replace ment. These Certificates are now a-vailable to all producers who partici-pated and we will appreciate and insist that you call for them at the earliest convenient date.

there still remains uncalled for in our office about 75 producers certificat-es. We would appreciate their calling for same so we can clear our files and send in a report to the state of-

n common. He said there is something bout every secret order which makes ne membership think it is all right

and causes others to join. But, he ad-monished the service men to remem-ber that those who stayed at home had a big job and did the necessary things here to help the boys over

Meeting Tuesday Monday Evening The Boyd M. Williams Post of American Legion at Spur held a soc-ial meeting at the Legion Hall Mon-meeting Tuesday afternoon at the Junday night. Various business men of jor High school auditorium. Mrs. W Spur and their wives were invited to R. Weaver, the president, was in

Interesting Program

Given At P. T. A.

Spur and their wives were invited to be present and a great number re-sponded. A number who could not be present sent their regrets. The meeting was opened by a talk by E. S. Crider, the Post Commander, in which he explained the delight of the service men and Legion members for the presence of the guests. Mr. Crider stated that it is the desire of the Legionnaires that the business people all over the county get a het-

people all over the county get a bet- subject of foval infection. He embefore an over the county get a bet-ter understanding of the aims and pur-poses of the Legion work. Morris C. Golding, a leading dry goods merchant, was introduced and spoke in regard to patriotism. He made it very plain that any man who lived under a concernent to be based of the stated that people based the importance of clean ton-sils and healthy nasal passages. He stated that bad tonsils is often the cause of heart lesions, rheumatism, St. Vitus Dance and in many instances pneumonia. He stated that people

lived under a government should be willing to defend that government even to the extent of his life. He stated that any country which is good even to the extent of his life. He stated that any country which is good enough to live in should be good enough to die for. Mrs. Dave Wilson spoke on the benefits of the Legion Auxiliary. She stated that it is just one way that the wives, mothers, sis-ters and daughters of service men have of helping to take care of the widows, children and buddies who are ridows, children and buddies who are eft helpless. Mrs. Kate Senning gave a very fine the intestinal tract and cause the ap-pendix to rupture, in which case a bad condition is created. He asked

the condition may be more than just

t. Rev. E. L. Yeats, of the First Meth-Rev. K. Yeats, of the First Meth-Rev. Yeats, of the First Meth-Rev. Yeats, of the First Meth-Rev. Yeats, of the First Meth-R

dist Church, made a talk on the cit-izen's side of the World War. He stated that there should be some means or tie by which all people are held together. The American Legion is a great organization for the service men since all of them have something. In common, He said there is something. just the second meeting of the year. The president stated she hoped there would be a big increase in the number

by November 1, that being the time vhen all dues must have been paid, Supt. Thomas made a very fine talk n school ground improvements. He

SPUR'S PAVING FUNDS **APPROVED; RUSHING ADAPTATION OF PLANS**

Beauty Contest Will Be Held Tonite

The Spur High School students and teachers will sponsor a beauty con-test at the Palace Theatre tonight Thursday, October 10. The contest will be held just between the first and sec-ond shows. The purpose of this con-

students and there are no runts to buy more books. Each business firm in town will be charged a fee for a representative will be known by the business they repre-sent. Also, Mr. Parker has promised a certain per cent of the admission fee, and this is no little sum since the Palace will give more than half of the amount of admission that evening. It should be a thrill to all Spur peo-ple to see our school girls in a beauty contest. There will be out of town judges to select the town beauty. Rev. A. P. Stokes, of Afton, was talk on the Legion and its work in the community. She stated that the Leg-ion is doing much for the community which is not being published to the

Rev. A. P. Stokes, of Afton, was attending to business matters in our

Mr. and Mrs. Underwood, of Post, were in our city Sunday visiting friends and attending church services.

Pure Food Show To Be Held Soon

The ladies of the First Christian Church will hold their annual Pur Food Show in the Love Building, Oct 25 and 26th. It is expected that it will bed a big job and did the necessary things here to help the boys over there. L. E. Lee, a past commander of Spur Post, made a talk on the work of the American Legion. He stated that there are many things on the program and which will be the goal to reach. He outlined that being able to tell the next generation just what war means is a big program and the stated that there smade any school yard look better and more inviting. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave as surance that they must foster some school ground improvements. The members of the P. T. A. gave a

One of the most extensive paving programs ever instituted by a town of similar size is being planned by Spur at this time. The plan provides ond shows. The purpose of this con-test will be to raise funds to supply more books for the High School library. The library books in the school are inadequate to supply the students and there are no funds to buy more books. Tack business firm in town will he

Project Gives City

Complete Net Work

Of Paved Streets

vorkmen has not been announced, but

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way will be used as far as Gilpin which is about two miles west and north of the Kent County line. At Gilpin there will be a crossing built over the railroad tracks back into the ld highway. Bids are being asked on 7.5 miles of grading and drainage construction Highway 24. This starts at Lampoert's Store and extends east to a section which has already been con-structed (approximately two miles west of King County line). After this grading has been completed there will remain about 9.5 miles of Highway 24 in Dickens County to be grad-Judge Jim Cloud, Z. W. Fowler, ins in Texas classed last week is Austin C. Rose and Lee Mimms left igher in grade but shorter in staple today for Dallas to consult with length than the cotton classed the members of the Highway Commission in regard to securing extension of Last week about 19 per cent was Strict Middling (White and Extra White) in comparison with 13 per en this work before long.

District 4 Conference Race To Be In Full Swing With **Games This Week**

The Bulldogs began Monday on four Collector days of hard practice. Coaches Wad-zeck and Sollis are feeling much better over the team's performance, but are far from satisfied and will use from 25 to 30 men next Friday night in an effort to effect a working com-

from 25 to 30 men next Friday night in an effort to effect a working com-bination that will stand up against strong opposition. Numerous changes in the both line and back field will be made with several of the regular. Chapman and Cravy, who were in-jured on the way to the Colorado game are working out. Chapman's hand is improving and he will probab-ly get the nod for part of the game this week. Cravy will be out for over a week. The rest of the team came out of the Colorado game in fine shape except for a few scratches and shape except for a few scratches and all will be ready to go to town Fri-day night. Manager Golding was in the wreck the other night; but he was in

wreck the other night; but he was in top shape Tuesday and is one of the hardest worked men on the squad. Flomot in all probability will out-weigh Spur this week. Their start-ing line up subject to change is: A. Tanner, F. Anmonet, T. Brown and C. Light in the backfield; Waters and B. Boach code: Amide and Calvart B. Roach, ends; Amick and Calvert, tackles; Purdy and Clements, guards; and A. Thomas at center. W. D. Mc-

and A. Thomas at center. W. D. MC-Williams of Texas Tech, is coach. Two conference games were played last week. Matador downed Quitaque 56 to 0. Turkey and Flomot played a 6 to 6 tie. The following press dis-patch was sent out from Matador un-der Oct. 6 date line: "The Matadors have firmly established themselves as one of the teams to heat in the conone of the teams to beat in the conference race. In three games this season the Matadors have scored 115 points with the stellar defensive play of the Matadors' scrapping forward wall has allowed no team to score and none to advance past the 15-yard line,

District 4-B Standings Team-W. L. T. Matador Turkey 0 00 Flomot 0 0 Floydada Silverton 0

| Games La | ast | Weel | k | |
|----------|-----|------|---|--|
| Quitaque | _ 0 | 1 | 0 | |
| Lockney | . 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Spur | _ 0 | 0 | 0 | |
| Floydada | 0 | 0 | 0 | |

Matador 56. Quitaque 0. Floydada 48, Tulia0. Colorado City 6, Spur 12. Turkey 6, Flomot 6. Paducah 6, Crowell 18. Lockney 21, Estelline 13.

Games This Week Silverton at Matador. lomot at Spur Quitaque at Paducah. Turkey at Lockney. Price Memorial College at Floydada.

The Famous-Vanette Hose

By Wayland A. Lee, Deputy.

has been a handicap all season, but a steady improvement has been noted and with one victory under their belt greatly. the entire squad is working much harder

Suits, veteran half back scored in the first quarter after the Dogs had marched over half the distance of the field, making one first down after anther. Ewing Lee scored for Colorado early in the third quarter. Suits reentered the game toward the close of the third quarter and marched over he line for the second Spur touch-

down and the final score of the game. Bingham, veteran end, who was moved to the backfield two weeks ago, played some good ball, several times making eight and ten yards at a try. His big trouble to date has been that he wont follow the inter-ference. When Bingham gets more experience and learns to follow his interference, he promises to be one of the best backs in the district. Garland Chapman and Gordon Cravy

did not get to play Friday night be-cause of injuries received in a car wreck on the way to the game.

MOTHER IS VERY ILL Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weaver re-turned from Amarillo Sunday where 1.000 .500 they had been visiting Mr. Weaver's and staple. Seed was bringing \$32.00 mother who is very ill. Mr. Weaver had amessage from Amarillo Thurs-day which stated that his mother pro-.000 .000 .000 bably would not live until he reached 000 Amarillo. However, she rallied and the physician stated she might linger for a month. Her condition seems to be beyond medical assistance.

Spur Hardware Bldg. **Being Improved**

L. H. Perry has been improving his building where the Spur Hardware and Furniture Store was located. He is having the old front taken out and a new modern front pat in. J. A. Marsh is doing the work. It will be a very attractive busines front when com ome.

The Famous-Department Store

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ubject of service of the present time. He stated that when they as soldiers laid down their guns that their work was not over. The service at this time ne said is of equal importance, and tunity to be of service to the schools of Spur. The dues are just 35 cents per year, and it will be fine to have that lining up for citizenship as citens is about as great as being called defense of a country.

J. Lealus Hutto spoke in regard to membership and stated that it is time to pay 1936 dues. They want the ganization and you will get a great deal out of it.

quota reached before the time expires. M. A. Lea was introduced who said that he and Mrs. Lea did not have any children in the war but they had two buddies over there who they remem-bered from various occasions. Ned Hogan was introduced but stated he had nothing to add to the program. At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed. Refreshments of doughnuts, coffee, and cocoa were ser-ved to everybody. People ate and talked and enjoyed the association

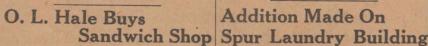
Some of the Legionnaires stated they regretted there was no represen-tation from Girard or Jayton. They said, "We have some good buddies down in those communities who stood by us over yonder and we want them with us here."

Fisher Brings First Bale To Kalgary Gin

The gin at Kalgary ginned its first bale of the present crop Monday. The cotton was grown on the A. Pinkerton rm by a Mr. Fisher. It weighed 45 pounds and was bought by D. E. for \$11.35 per hundred.

Spur Gin Report

The gins of Spur have ginned more than 600 bales since the report of last week. At 4:20 o'clock Wednesday afternoon there had been 1,072 bales ginned here. Cotton was selling at from 10.50 to 11.30 depnding on grade



O. L. Hale made a deal Wednesday On account of extended equipment or account of extended equipment in order to give the people better ser-in order to give the people better ser-vice, the Spur Laundry is making an addition to its building .A new room try having been in the grocery bus-iness here and at Dickens many years and have a great host of friends Mr and has a great host of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Buck Dillahaunty will be associated with Mr. Hale in the bus-charge of the work. It is thought the

ist him with the new Mrs on, who has been in arge business. plans to go to rkansas where she will make her

program and conducted it in a very fine manner. Parents who do not make arrangements to attend the K. T. A. meetings, are missing a great oppor-

WEEKLY

Wholesale Clothing Market At Lubbock October 19 to 22

The 11th semi-annual West Texasew Mexico Wholesale Clothing marcet will be held in Lubbock, Oct. 19 o 22, inclusive, Lubbock Chamber of Commerce officials have announced. From 75 to 100 lines of ready-tovear, millinery, shoes, hosiery, gener-il merchandise, men's wear, and speclty items are expected from Dallas, Kansas City, St. Louis, San Antonio, Los Angeles and other markets, and from 200 to 250 retail merchants from a radius of two hundred miles of Lubbock are expected. Monday, Oct. 21, is to be the big

day at the market. Monday evening, at the Lubbock High School Auditorium, a style show will be staged under the direction of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, with the cooperation of visiting wholesale merchants. Styles for fall Clanahan, a merchant at Kalgary, in sport and street wear, afternoon, and evening dresses, coats, wash frocks, pajamas, millinery, hosiery and other merchandise will be paraded date before visiting merchants, modeled by members of the younger sets of Lubbock.

Following the style show, a dance will be held honoring visiting retail merchants.

Retail merchants, their employees and a few choice customers will be ad-mitted free to both the style show

compartment will be ready for

The Famous-Buck Overalls

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school ground improvements. Mrs. Brannen was in charge of the city Monday.

E. C. Robertson, of McAdoo, was attending to business matters in our city Monday.



The cotton from representative week before.

ent reported the week before. For the season to date, 18 per cent is Strict Middling. The proportion for Strict Middling and Low Middling is Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Jennings re-

smaller than the former week, 22 per cent last week against 29 per cent he week before.

The average staple length for the cotton classed last week is consider-ably shorter than for the cotton class the former week or for the total otton classed this season. Larger proortions were shown last week for sta-le lengths shorter than 7-8 inch and for 7-8 inch staple, while smaller pro-portions are shown for 15-16 inch and longer lengths. About 21 per cent portions are shown for 15-16 inch and longer lengths. About 21 per cent of the cotton classed last week is shorter than 7-8 inch in comparison with 14 per cent the former week and about 9 per cent for the scores and score and about 9 per cent for the season to

District 1, the Trans-Pecos Region, Hudspeth, Pecos and Presidio coun-ties and District 2, the High Plains. Lubbock and other counties, are each reported for the first time this season. All the samples classed from District 1 are extra white, about 98 per cent of which is Strict Middling and Good Middling. All of the cotton classed this season from District 1 is one inch and longer lengths, while in con-trast, over 99 per cent of the cotton from District 2 is of lengths shorter than one inch.

Truett Hutto has accepted a postion with the City Drug Store as salesman.

South Side Grocery **Changes Management**

H. J. Garner bought the South Side grocery from Mrs. C. J. Crouch the last of the week and is now in charge of the business. This business is locat-ed just north of the Engleman Truck

& Tractor Company store. Mr. Garner stated Monday that he will continue the business under its present name.

The Famous-Bargain Tables

urned the last of the week from Mt. Vernon, Mo., where they had been attending the funeral of Mr. Jennings' sister, Miss Bertha Jennings. The sister died September 27 at Spring-field, Ill., of some kind of cerebral trouble, death being very sudden. The body was taken back to Mt. Vernon, Mo., the old home, for interment, and funeral services were held there Tuesday of last week.

ENJOYS 101 BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

W. Blackwell reached his 101 birthday last Saturday, October 5, and seems to be good for many more years yet. He was born in St. Francis County, Ark., September 5, 1834, and came to Texas when a boy about 14 years of age. He was in Texas in slav-ery times and many times has mentioned about killing deer and bear to feed the slaves. He served in the Civil War on the Confederate side and assisted in the capture of gunboats at Galveston

Mr. Blackwell moved with his fam-ily to Cottle County in 1887 and came to Dickens County about 25 years ago. He has been very instrumental in the early development of Dickens County. He makes his home with his daught-

er, Mrs. J. P. Goen, on the ranch west of Dickens. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Goen held open house to friends of Mr. Blackwell and quite a number visited him and enjoyed his rich conversation.

There are four children in the fam-ily: Mrs. Goen, Dr. T. H. Blackwell of Spur, Mrs. Mittie Davis of New Mex-ico and Joe Blackwell of Arizona.

The Famous-Davis Hats

The Famous-Spur Store

use by next week. Judge J. E. Handy, of Wichita Falls, was professionally engaged in our city Tuesday.



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THE DICKENS COUNTY TIMES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1935

American Legion. Harley has been in

One of the outstanding features with the Harley Sadler-Bailey Bros. Circus is the parade of The Gay Nineties. The only motorized circus in the world today carrying parade equipment. Cages of wild animals

papers for announcements.

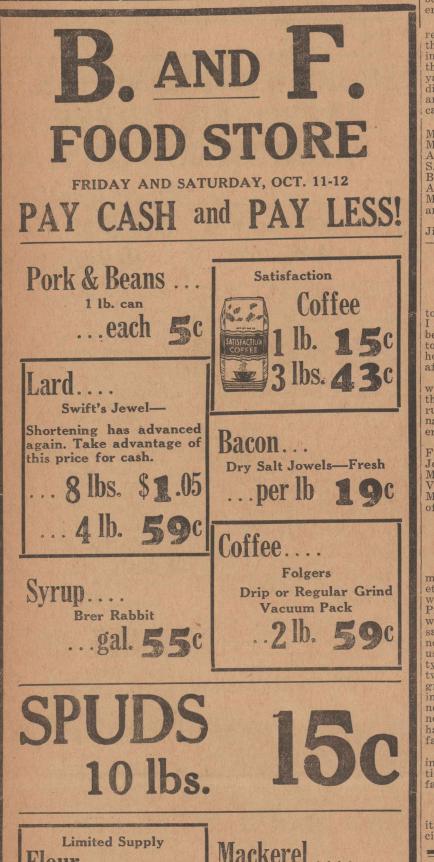
DICKENS COUNTY HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS REPORT MUCH ACT

CLUB HAS PLANT CONTEST

To learn native flowers, shrubs,

and trees is one of the goals in club work this year.

The Ball Jar contest which consists In a contest to identify native plants the McAdoo 4-H club girls learned Tuesday morning that they need to study their plants more close-ly. To learn native flavore close-Members present were: Clara Rich, Daisy Jo Rose, Louise Dozier, Dor-



othy Lee Hines, Doris Early. Mary Lee Brock, Wanda McLaughlin, Ruth Ward, and LaRue Holmes. —Reporter "I have learned a lot through my work as a yard improvement demon-

CLUB WORKS ON RECIPE FILES

The McAdoo Home Demonstration Club met in an all day meeting with Mrs. Leonard Cox, Tuesday, Septemper 23, each member bringing a covered dish.

The morning was spent in making recipe files. Miss Pratt was there in he afternoon for the regular meet- she had her achievement program. ing. She gave information concerning the Ball Jar contest and judging the yard of the demonstrator. She also the center of the front yard and filled

discussed storing dry foods and seeds, and the labeling and arrangement of canned foods. Those making recipe files were: the car left the place we collected

Those making recipe files were: Mrs. A. Y. Allen, Mrs. Leonard Cox, Mrs. Norman Eldredge, Mrs. C. A. Allen, Mrs. Johnnie Wooley, Mrs. J. S. Hodges, Mrs. Jim Early, Mrs. Price Brownlow, Mrs. G. G. Allen, and Aline, Allen, Others present work. the back door to the outbuildings." "We set trees, foundation shrubs and grass in March. We used flower-Aline Allen. Others present were: Mrs. L. B. Fox, Mrs. Jim Eldredge, and Mrs. D. E. Woods.

afternoon at her achievement meeting. Only two members laid flag-stone valks but all the cooperators repaired their yard fences and removed the rubbish and learned and located five native shrubs, a report of the cooprators showed.

"My family deserves more credit than I for what has been done in the yard for without their help my ac-

complishments would be small. They

have been only too glad to carry out every suggestion our home demon-stration agent has made about im-

proving the yard," added Mrs. Barnett.

ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAMS ORDER OF MONTH

Yard achievement programs are be-

ing held in the women's home dem-onstration clubs this month, finishing

Short Course next year to the demon-

strator who scores the highest on her yard. The yards are being judged

club has held its achievement pro

gram.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. F. Alexander, Mrs. Leslie Peak, Mrs. Johnnie Hale, Mrs. R. C. Alexander, Mrs. C. W. VanCleve, visitors, Mrs. Vaughn White, Mrs. Carl Randolph, Miss Pratt and Mrs. O. C. Thomas of Snur who judged the word of Spur who judged the yard.

DEMONSTRATOR TELLS OF WORK

"The first thing we did to improve my yard was to remove the old pick-et fence, reset the posts and build a wire fence, reset the posts and build a wire fence," reports Mrs. T. D. Hale of Prairie Chapel club. "Then the ground was broken deep and levelled for the sand had drifted in until the yard was not level. We laid a flagstone walk using red shale rock that is very pretthe afternoon of the achievement pro-gram by the following score card: general appearance of the place, 15; planting plan complete, 25; report of cooperators, 25; demonstrator's story, 15; exhibit table of native shrubs ready to transplant, 10; number nam-es in guest book, 10, Mrs. O. C. Thomas, Spur, is judging the yards. Judging will not be completed until the last of the month when the last club has hold its achievement ty with the green grass growing be-tween them. We set the Bermuda grass roots in rows about eighteen nches apart. As it grew we set runners out between the rows until it is now a solid turf across the front. We have set the sides and back yard this

"We had enough trees already grow-ing. I set a few shrubs in the founda-tion planting and will complete it this all," added Mrs. Hale.

Demonstrators' yards that will be ludged are Mrs. T. D. Hale. Prairie Chapel; Mrs. Floyd Barnett, Soldier Mound; Mrs. R. L. Griffin, Duck Creek; Mrs. Tom Gilmore, Twin Wells; Mrs. R. Y. Allen, McAdoo; R. H. Hill, of Duncan Flat commun-ity, was transacting business in our city Monday. Miss Bertha Cooper, Chandler; Mrs. Matt Howell, Red Top; and Mrs. E. A. Bailey, Friendship.

CLUB FILES RECIPES

"The home demonstration club cook and many friends will be glad to see book is my best source of recipes," him again. said Miss Cora Durham, farm food strator because I didn't realize what supply demonstrator for the Duck Creek home demonstration club, when the club met in her home to file recimoving our yard fence 18 feet could pes. "I have copied many of the recipes. "I have copied many of the rect pes from it for my files for I did not want to cut the book." Mrs. J. L. Hagins, who was the club's delegate to Short Course gave ings to tie your house to the ground," Mrs. Floyd Barnett, of the Soldier

Mound home demonstration club, told her cooperators and visitors when

a report of her trip.
Those present and working on files were: Mrs. E. Durham, Mrs. J. L. Hagins, Mrs. C. R. Bennett, Mrs. H. A. McLaurin, Mrs. E. E. Hagins and Miss Cora Durham. —Reporter.
HARLEY SADLER BRINGS BACK STREET PARADE
Harley Sadler and Bailey Bros.
Circus parade has one of the oldest band wagons there is to be found in the world today, being over seventy-five years old. This parade is very beautiful both in color and appearance, and here you will see the worlds largest elephant, standing over fourteen feet high. Worth traveling miles to see. This parade will delight the hearts of everyone. Watch the newspapers for announcements.

Harley Sadler and Bailey Bros. Circus will be in Spur, Monday, Oct-

ber 28, under the auspices of the Adding Machine Paper at the Times.

Browniow, Mrs. C. G. Allen, and Aline Allen. Others present were Mrs. L. B. Fox, Mrs. Jim Eldredge, The next meeting will be with Mrs. Jim Eldredge, Tuesday. October 8th. -Reporter. *** CLUB HOLDS ACHIEVEMENT PROGRAM "I am glad I was a yard demonstra-tor for I made improvements I know I never would have made if I had not been demonstrator," Mrs. T. D. Hale told members of the Prairie Chapel Mome demonstration club Wednesday afternoon at her achievement meeting. Orbit was members haid florester. Orbit was members haid florester. "My family deserves more credit

The attention of the bidders is directed to the required special provisions covering subletting or assigning the contract, the use of domestic materials, the selection of labor, hours and conditions of employment, required employment, methods of undertaking the work and violation of Special Provisions.

Except as otherwise specified, the minimum wages paid to all laborers, workmen or mechanics employed on this contract shall be Seventy-Five (75c) Cents per hour for "Skilled Labor". Forty-Five (45c) Cents per hour for "Intermediate Grade Labor", and Thirty (30c) Cents per hour for "Unskilled Labor'

Attention is directed to the special provisions, included in up the demonstration for the year. The county home demonstration coun-cil is giving a scholarship to the the proposal to insure compliance with the requirement of House Bill No. 54 of the Forty-Third Legislature of the State of Texas.

Type of Laborer, *Prevailing Minimum

Per Diem Wage Prevailing Minimum (Based on an Eight Hourly Wage Workman or Mechanic (8) Hour Working Day) Rate

| Skilled Labor | \$6.00 | \$.75 |
|--------------------------|--------|--------|
| Intermediate Grade Labor | 3.60 | .45 |
| Unskilled Labor | 2.40 | .30 |

For the classification of particular position under the above types of Laborers, Workmen, or Mechanics, see the Re quired Special Provisions.

The above prevailing minimum wage rates shall govern on this contract. Overtime and legal holiday work shall be paid for at the regular governing rates.

A local employment agency from which the Contractor shall obtain employment list will be designated prior to the award of contract. Plans and specifications available at the office of E. W. Mars, Resident Engineer, Spur, Texas, and State Highway Department, Austin. Usual rights reserved. (October 10-17, 1935, 2tc.)

| | That Cooking Salmon 3 tall cans 2,5c | | | |
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| Plums Finest of Fruit gal. 2.9c | Grapes Tokay's lb. 5c | | | |
| For The School Lunc Vienna Sausage 10c size Potted Meat Regular 5c Peanut Butter Short Quart | 6c | | | |
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Governor Allred Rebukes Memphis Police * * * * * * * * * ADVISES CHIEF ABOUT EX-CONVICTS * * *

"Let That Be A Lesson to Officers"

The following letter, which is self-explanatory, was sent by Gov. James V. Allred to Chief of Police Will Lee

"We are in receipt of a letter from your Secretary Edward Clark under date of the 18th inst. attach-ing carbon of your proclamation num-ber 28051, paroling Carl Mack Thomp-carbon of Your to me without ber 28051, paroling Carl Mack Thompson may son, a Texas convict, to me, without even showing me the courtesy of ask-ing whether such an arrangement tary until the erd of his sentence."

presume, if you did presume, that this convict should be paroled to me. It is unfair and without justification. "Your proclamation is returned herewith and in the event this par-oled convict shows up at Police Head-

quarters he will be immedately taken into custody as an undesirable per-son and charged with vagrancy, which charge will be prosecuted vig-orously and this proceedure will be followed as long as he attempts to remain in Memphis.

"In writing you as I have I beg to assure you no discourtesy is intend-ed, but I have a duty to perform as Chief of Police of this City and I in-



It's more sensible to keep well than to wait until you are ill and then try to get well.

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I tend to do this without fear or fav-The following letter, which is self-explanatory, was sent by Gov. James V. Allred to Chief of Police Will Lee of Memphis, Tenn., recently. Its con-tents are timely in view of the Gov-ernor's state-wide move to establish county parole boards and thereby pro-vide a means of rehabilitating par-doned and paroled convicts. September 24, 1935. Mr. Will D. Lee, Chief of Police Memphis, Tennessee. Dear Sir: I am in receipt of your letter of September 20th returning the copy of the barole of Carl Thompson, and in which you state: "We are in receipt of a letter from your Secretary Edward Clark under date of the 18th inst, attach-ing carbon of your neclemation numlismretion, with or without hearing, as the Governor may determine, and the said Carl Mack Thompson may

was satisfactory or not. "We have our own criminals to deal with and do not take kindly to having them imported from other states into Tennessee. We are at a loss to understand why you should if confess that I was "presumptu-ous" in paroling this man to you. I presumed the great City of Memphis had a human-hearted chief of police who would at least be fair, who would be interested in helping rather than who would at least be fair, who would be interested in helping rather than kicking down a man who has been in the penitentiary. You are the first chief of police to whom I have parol-ed a man who has declined the op-portunity to be of some service.

Frankly, I assumed that the best evidence of a man's desire to be a law abiding citizen would be his willto report to police headquarters just as often as the chief of police might require.

require. As to his being sent to Memphis-if you had waited until he reported to you you would have found that his mother, wife and child live there. Thompson had expressed a desire to return to his family. The district at-torney who prosecuted him and the injured parties all recommended Thompson's parole because, in their minds, there was a doubt as to his guilt. In a recent letter this man's mother says that she is 63 years old; that her health is bad and this son is "all we have to depend on for a liv-"all we have to depend on for a liv-ing and I believe God will answer my prayers-never had any trouble be-fore and I pray my broken heart will e relieved by sending my dear son

be relieved by sending my dear son home." I am sure your statement that he would be promptly arrested when he reports to you will hardly be God's answer to anybody's prayer. Frankly, Mr. Lee, I am surprised that a man big enough to be chief of police of Memphis would make the as-tounding statement that: "... in the event this paroled con-vict shows up at Police Headquarters he will be immediately taken into custody as an undesirable person and charged with vagrancy, which charge will be prosecuted vigorously and this proceedure will be followed so long as he attempts to remain in Memphis." Evidently you figure that if a man Evidently you figure that if a man has ever been in the penitentiary he ought to be there the rest of his life; and that it is your duty, as an



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possible so that he will be forced to return to crime, ultimately winding up where you think he ought to be

officer, to make it as hard on him as 🗐



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always-in the penitentiary

you will conclude that you ought not to arrest a man simply because he has been in the penitentiary in this or any other state. I am sure if you continue this attitude—of arresting and prosecuting a man because he has been in the penitentiary—you will not only have failed as a chief of police, but as a man. In hours when you must be alone with your conscience, no great comforts can come to you from such an inhuman

course. I do not want to be officious, but you saw fit to lecture the Governor of Texas, who is truly concerned not only with the welfare of men turned out of the nenitertiary but with what out of the penitentiary but with what he deems to be the coldly cruel atti-tude of the chief of police of Memphis, Tennessee; hence, these statements are made, not by way of retaliation did, on the 10th day of September,

always—in the penitentiary. Frankly, this attitude on the part of a few police officers throughout the country is responsible for one of so cjety's greatest problems—that of re-habilitation of convicted men. It is to often true that when a man comes out of the penitentiary he cannot get a job; if he conceals it and gets a job, he is promptly discharged when people find out about it. All too frequently he is treated as you think he ought to be—by being arrested be cause he is an ex-convict. Society's responsibility does not end or with his conviction, EVEN FOR YAGRANCY. I hope upon reflection you will conclude that you ought not to arrest a man simply because he has been in the penitentiary in this

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS County of Dickens BY VIRTUE of a certain Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dickens County, on the 10th day of September, 1935, by Mrs. Nettie Littlefield, Clerk of said Court

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Project Gives City Complete Net Work Of Paved Streets

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The work will be a triple covering have to remain in hospital some two treatment. The first covering will con- weeks. pavement to the highway between Spur and Dickens which has proven Thursday for X-Ray examination and very satisfactory to the traveling pub- treatment.

The paving project will include paving Granite Street to Calvert Ave-Edwin, son of J. R. Jones, of Girard, Edwin, son of J. R. Jones, of Girard, First Street and Third Street, had an operation for appendicitis Satnue; First Street and Third Street, will be paved between Cowan Ave-nue on the East side to Calvert Ave-nue on the west side of town. Second Street will be paved from Willard Avenue east to Cowan. Harris Street will be paved from the city limits on the east side to the city limits on the will be paved from the city limits on the east side to the city limits on the west side—the full length of Harris Street. Fifth Street will be paved from Willard Avenue east to Trumbell Avenue. Sixth Street, where the gins are located, will be paved from Par-hor Avenue east to the city limits ker Avenue east to the city limits.

The various avenues are: Calvert Avenue will be paved from Harris Street north past the High School. Miller Avenue will be paved from Har-ris Street north to Hill Street. Car-roll Avenue will be paved from the railroad crossing north full length, and the railroad crossing will be paved to the south side of the railroad right of way. Willard Avenue will be paved from Sixth Street north full length. Burlington Avenue is paved except between Sixth Street and the depot and this block will be put in. Trum-bell Avenue, Keeler Avenue and Cow-an Avenue each will be paved from Sixth Street north full length.

Since Highway 18 has been routed out Hill Street, that work will be in-cluded in the highway construction when the east end of Highway 18 is paved.

With the above program any one can understand how near our town will have a system of paved streets complete. Almost every block in town will have been paved when this project shall have been completed. When com-pleted this will make Spur one of the cleanest, prettiest towns in all of Texas. Our city authorities are to be commended for their work in this respect and everybody will be glad when

spect and everybody will be glad when the streets are paved. Where people do not have in their curb and gutter on streets where the paving will be done, the city authori-ties will furnish the sand and gravel and do the work free and the property owner will furnish just the cement used. This will be a very accomminal used. This will be a very economical way for property owners to get in their curb and gutter and improve the looks of their property.

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F. F. Dawson, Dallas, entered hosit certainly is a big program for a pital Thursday for treatment of in-town the size of Spur. pital Thursday for treatment of in-He has a badly fractured leg and will

which will be followed by a double coating of asphalt surface treatment. When completed it will be a similar When completed it will be a similar

Jim Foster, city, has been in three

lays this week for clinical examina-

Miss Jerome Cooner, Spur, was in

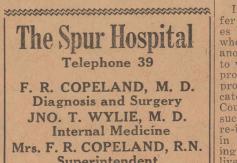
turned home Sunday. Bill Caraway, city, was in for X-Ray examination and treatment of frac-

tured leg Tuesday. Claudelle, little daughter of J. I.

Mack Wilson, Jr. returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. P. P. Black, of Hallville, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Miller last week. She returned home Friday.

Rev. I. A. Smith, of Floydada, was in our city Tuesday greeting friends and talking up the Price Memorial College football game which will be played against Floydada High school Whirlwinds tonight (Thursday).



Superintendent **X-RAY AND RADIUM**

3 Ways Disposing Of Tax Exemption Cotton Certificates

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As in 1934 Producers have the same privilage in 1935 to buy and sell Certificates from producers within the county. Before any local transfers can be made under this section they nust also be recorded in the County Office and the producer certify that they are surplus to him and he is reing a uniform price as fixed by the Secretary of Agriculture.

Transfer from one Producer to Another within the same State

Any cotton producer may transfer which is not needed by him to pro-cure bale tags for any cotton produc-er by or for him in the crop year of 1935-36 or the crop year of 1934-35 at the uniform price fixed by the Sec-retary to be paid for each pound of tax exemption expressed in each Cer-tificate which is transferred or as-signed. In such case the statement, stating that the Certificates are sur-plus to the producer shall first be exe-cuted and filed by the person who will be the transferr or a assignor with the Assistant in Cotton Adjustment for his county and found acceptible, producer acquiring Certificates unbe amount he may have left over from his that was being built. all Certificates issued or re-issued to or otherwise acquired by him in for 1934 and in 1935 will be sufficient to procure bale tags for all his line cot-ton produced by or for him in the erop year of 1934-35 and in the crop year of 1935-36, which has not al-ready been identified by bale tags thereto affixed.

Where Transferer designates Transferee

If the producer desiring to transer or assign his certificate designat-es by name and address a transferee es by name and address a transferee who is a cotton producer residing in another county within the same state to whom he desires to transfer it, the procedure shall be as follows: The producer shall deliver the certifi-cate to the Assistant in or for his County, who shall immediately cancel such certificate and in lieu thereof such certificate and in lieu thereof re-issue a certificate in like poundage in the name of the transferee, bear-ing the transferee's address, and de-iver the reissued certificate to the transferer. A receipt for the reissued certificate shall be signed by the



Continued From Page One) open to all producers who wish to participate. As in 1934 Producers have the same

irom different positions. "Mark Sullivan, story journalist and AAA hater, lays down this pronounce-ment as a fundamental principle of government: "The farmer should have the right to decide what crops he

marily concerned with income. The right with which they are concerned

is the right to live. In a world of conor assign to any other cotton produ-cer who is a resident of the same trolled prices they can live only by state any Certificate issued or re-issued to him or any portion thereof which is not needed by him to pro-

his county and found acceptible, consent of the city council. He canwhich Assistant shall file such state-ment in his office if acceptible. No meat. If he builds a new home, the location and plans must satisfy the der this section shall acquire any greater amount of Certificates than an amount which when added to may think it was their house instead of

"It is no longer legal for a man to beat his own wife. It is against the law for him to keep his children out of school to mow the lawn. If he tires of hese restrictions on his personal liberty, he cannot even take his own life legally. "The day of rugged individualism

transferer on a prescribed form, setting forth the name and address of the person to whom and the price at which such certificate is being transferred. In the event that the intended wishes lishing the fact that no part of the transfer price has been paid. Note: Approved by the Secretary of

Agriculture (Signed). Wm. W. Gregory, Asst Cotton Adjustment, Dickens County, Texas.

Concerning Rights— Whose Rights? The following editorial came out re-cently in The Prairie Farmer and we

this publication stands on any ques-tion, we want our readers to get an opportunity to study every question ruin his farm by letting it wash a-

whe right to decide what crops he should raise, and how much." "That is a 'right' that has no value. Farmers like everyone else are pri-"Our rights as property owners are better, that we stop soil erosion and the wasting of soil fertility. Public interest demands, too, that we re-frain from ruing our markets by pro-ducing too much. The rights of all of us are superior to our individual right to do as we please.

"Mark Sullivan and other rugged in-

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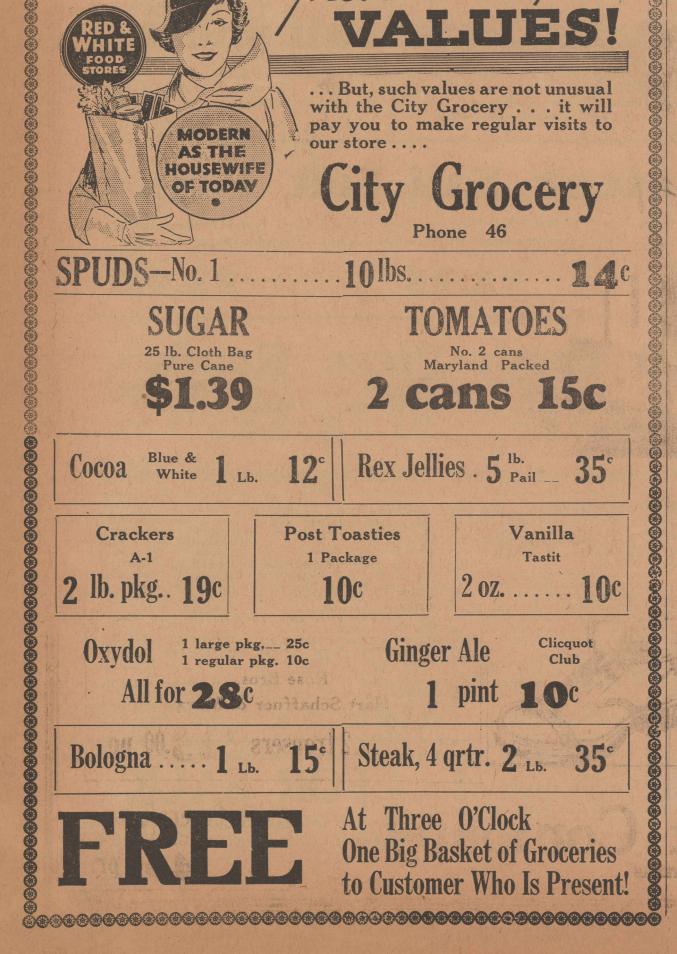
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THE HAUNTED HOUSE BY JOHN HOWARD LATHAM

foundation and a sagging pole correl. A long time ago a wise old Mexi-In a few years they will be gone and with them the memories that habituate the carrals a bit and quartered his to cross the river several miles below Dobe Walls. At that time a bunch of Mexican robbers were using the old house as a hide-out and they fre-quently looted the stage. On one such occasion they killed the guard and driver and took \$50,000 in gold. Vig-ilantes trailed them to the old house and in a gun battle all but three of the robbers were killed. Those three, how-ever, refused to reveal where the gold was hidden. They swung at rope ends from an ancient cottonwood on the ar-royo bank near the house. Dobe Walls is place of memories.

Dobe Walls is place of memories. Long ago natives and alien treasure seekers tore down the walls and dug up the floor in search of buried loot Quiescent vagueros used the correl as a branding pen for many years, then abandoned it for the home correls. China grass and the chapparo

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Theruins of dobe walls moulder in a so common to the southwest have over-big pasture down the river a ways take a native eye to discern the shamfrom the Rancho del Hondo. Nothing bled foundation of the old house and remains today but a trace of the adobe the quadralmear lines of the carral.

between Carrizozzo and Hondo used to cross the river several miles below

shadowy figures swaying in the breeze peneath the old cottonwood tree. To Estaban this meant that the ghosts of the bandits were trying to recover their treasure. Oh, he was very wise. One night he dreamed that one of the bandit ghosts came and stood look-ing down on him. There was blood on

ts hands. He awakened, restless and afraid, to find the moon had gone lown and the coyotes had ceased owling. In the distance rose

A WORD ABOUT THE GAME FRIDAY NIGHT **Chevrolet New Radio** Program Out Oct. 19

Some people around our city have the idea that there will not be much to the game here Friday night between his 30-piece orchestra, Virginia Rae, his 30-piece orchestra, Virginia Rae,

Supt. Southall, of Patton Springs school, was attending to business af-fairs in our city Monday. role in "Thanks a Mi the process of release. McNamee, whose nar

ler told Estaban that he was on the eve of a great fortune. He said that Estaban must go in the dead of night to recover the loot. If he did not, something terrible would happen to him. Quien sabe—who knows?

and be good sports.

Estaban followed the instruction given by the brujo. The next night he took his pick, shovel and lantern and set out to recover the treasure. It was nearly midnight. The moon was full and the sky was flawlessly clear. As he neared the old house he fancied he could see dark forms sway-ing beneath the old cottonwood tree. He could not be certain for they vanshed as he came closer. Arrived at the old house he measured off ten feet south of the old tree and began to dig.

By this time the wind had risen to a moaning wail, clouds had sprung up and scurried across the moon, and the far away howling of the coyotes came to mingle faitly with the wind. In the distance thunder rolled and lightning flashes added a weird glow to the scene.

Estaban soon discovered that in-stead of digging a new hole he was actually taking the filling out of an old one. That was encouraging. About three feet he came upon a rusty old gun and the hull of an old saddle with a bit of leather still clinging to it. A bit farther he found the skeleton of a man. He carefully laid the skeleton to one side and went on digging. The wind blew his lantern out; he worked on in the darkness. At last the his shovel struck metal. At the momvailing cry of a panther and near at and a shadow flitted through the

him the skeleton rose to its feet. A cloud swept down and blotted out the whole scene. Now living in Carrizozo at this time was a brujo (wizard or fortune teller) that was famed far and wide for his genius at locating treasures. Estaban thought the lights and noises at the old house a muy buena sign of buried loot and the strange happen-ings at the old house. The forune tel-

The field with there will not be match to the game here Friday night between Spur and Flomot. It may be well for Spur people to be on their guard about this game as there is plenty of material at Flomot to make a real football team. That is no small coun-try school as there are some ten or twelve teachers, several school buses are used to convey children to school and there is an enrollment of about 300 students. There is a fine school spirit at Flomot, and those people are coming here to give Spur all they have, and it might be plenty. Flomot held Turkey to a 6-6 tie last week and Turkey has a good team. So let's all be out to the game Friday night and expect to see a good one. Also, give our visitors a friendly reception and be good sports. In addition to numerous short sub jects, he has just finished a featured role in "Thanks a Million" now in

McNamee, whose name is synono-mous with radio, is not only one of the most colorful figures and greatest

Mr. and Mrs. George Gabriel are visiting relatives and friends at Waur-ika, Okla.

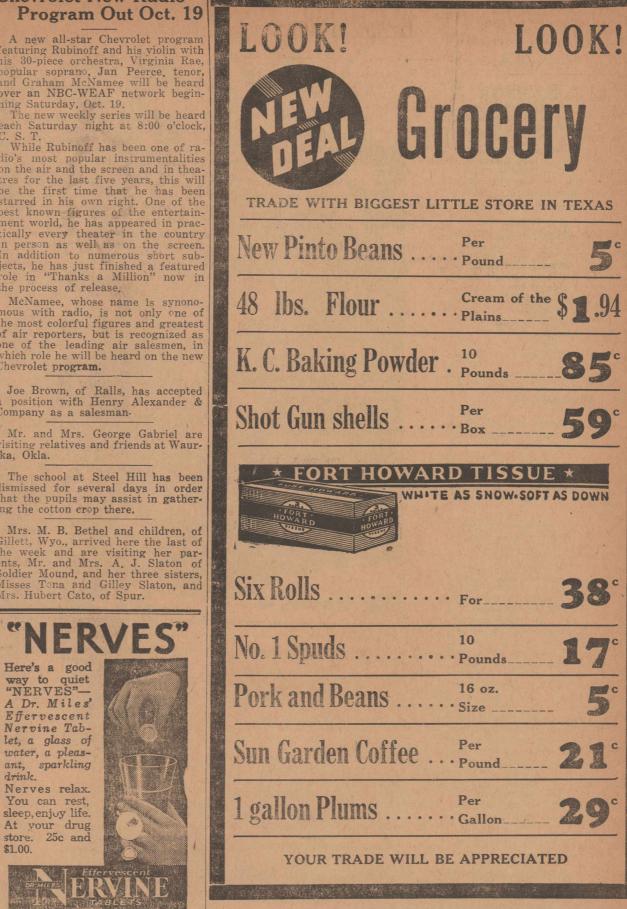
The school at Steel Hill has been dismissed for several days in order that the pupils may assist in gather-ing the cotton crop there.

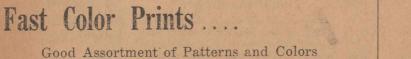
Mrs. M. B. Bethel and children, of Gillett, Wyo., arrived here the last of the week and are visiting her par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Slaton of Soldier Mound, and her three sisters, Misses Tona and Gilley Slaton, and Mrs. Hubert Cato, of Spur.

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Our Opinion Is That most any crank can criticise but it requires a real statesman to offer a constructive plan. * * * * * *

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MAKES THE EDITOR FEEL GOOD

Rev. E. L. Yeats, pastor of the First Methodist Church, has always held a big place in the friendly circle of the Times editor. We do not know why, but Bro. Yeats has always commanded our respect and friendship, we feel largely because he is a good man. That is why we appreciate the very kind thing he did a few days ago. A nice present was found on the editor's desk. It was a desk tree which

Rev. Yeats had made from a piece of Juniper tree which came from the mountain near Ruidosa, N. Mexico. It was turned with a lathe and has five compartments which is enough to take care of the paper clips, pins, etc. of any business man's desk. To say we appreciate this remembrance does not begin to express our feelings, and we don't care if every member of the Methodist Church gets jealous. We think you have a wonderfully good man for a pastor. We thought it long before he so kindly remembered us take care of the paper clips, pins, etc. of any business man's desk. To say

A BIG MELON TO THE EDITOR

The Times family received a pleasant surprise Saturday afternoon. J. T. Cozby, of White River commun-ity, came into the office with one of the largest watermelons we have ever the largest watermelons we have ever seen and announced it was for the editor and family. Just how much this melon would have weighed is not known, but probably 40 pounds or more. It was a big one. Mr. Cozby stated that he had grown the melon on his farm at White River, and if he can grow other vegetables in proper can grow other vegetables in propor-

THINGS-GOERS Dryre on and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckner, Jr. C. C. Neeley and children and Mrs. Lee Parker and little daughter, Shir-ley Joan, spent the week end at Roby **NOBODY'S** BUSINESS JULIAN CAPERS, JR. man for a pastor. We thought it long before he so kindly remembered us, and if you members feel toward him as we do, you will never let him move away from our fine little city. A PIC MELON TO THE EDITOR friends. Mr. and Mrs. Blackwell are former residents of McAdoo. Miss Juanita Henderson is visiting relatives and friends of Childress. A. C. Bell of Spur, was a business visitor in the community one day last week. Mattin. — Political straws which show which way the wind blows, ap-pearing out of the Aug. 24 election, brought about two important legis-lative events last week in the special session.

The junior girls and boys baseball teams of McAdoo went to Dickens Thursday afternoon and played the Dickens teams. McAdoo teams won First, the senate passed by an over-vhelming vote, Senator Clint Small's ill defining an open saloon as any

place where liquor is sold to be drunk on or adjacent to the premises. The senate has heretofore been regarded but the very close vote on repeal and the very large territory repre-sented by the dry sentiment, has had

THE DICKENS COUNTY TIMES

Highway commissioners and other public officers learned some new facts about Comal county when they visited New Braunfels recently to at-tend the dedication of a new \$200,000 concrete bridge over the Guadalupe river. County Judge B. W. Klingeman told them the county had the smallest percentage of delinquent taxes in the state. He also reminded them Comal was the first county in Texas to ever impose a tax for public education. impose a tax for public education. The tax was declared unconstitutional at that time, but county officials collected it anyway to provide free public schools.

program.

The report of Rep. Augustin Cel-eya's \$1,000 oil investigation com-mittee filed in the house last week, as a predicate for an additional appropriation to continue the probe, brought scarcely a ripple of excite-ment. The committee used its mater-ial for newspaper headlines through the summer and the rehashed caterial already published, wasn't very excit-ing. Political observors here were ing. Political observors here were wondering whether Rep. Sidney Latham of Longview, the committee's chief cross-examiner, planned to an-nounce as a candidate for railroad commissioner against Chairman E. O. Thompson, or whether the material

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Highway commissioners and other

gathered by the committee would be used in another attempt to create a separate oil and gas commission. All such attempts have failed in the past.

Ed Clark, No. 1 secretary to the governor, saved Sen. John Redditt of Lufkin, his senate seat last week. Redditt, president pro tem of the sen-ate, became governor for a day when the governor and lieutenant governor both left the state. He was about to be sworn in as governor, by Chief Jus-tice Sharp of the supreme court, when Clark suddenly recalled that taking the oath would vacate Redditt's other office. office.

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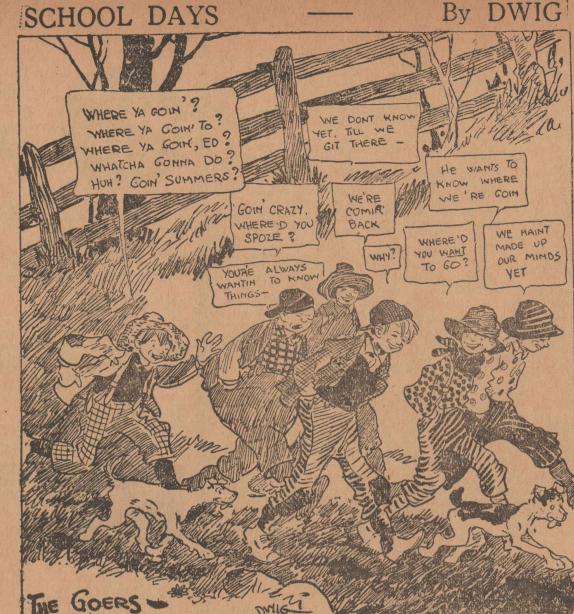
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any portion of Texas. The Times family appreciates being remembered in these kindly ways. It enables us to go to work in a little more earnestness for the good of our comumnity. Thanks Mr. Cozby.

McAdoo *

Weather, cotton picking on the East Plains has been progressing in a fair way. Something near three hun-dred bales of cotton had been reiner. Laughlin store. Mr. and Mrs. Bush Pipkin spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker. The McAdoo Vocational to the Ado up to Saturday night of the past week. All the cotton seemed to be turning out good.

Roy Ward returned home the first of last week after spending a short visit in Hill County and Dallas.

Visit in Hill County and Dallas. Mary Francis Van Meter, student of Texas Tech, spent last week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Van Meter and family. The Parent-Teachers Association held their second meeting of this school term at the high school audi-torium Eriday avaning Sent 27 A

torium Friday evening, Sept 27. A program was sponsored by the asso-ciation. After the enjoyable program was given, games were played and refreshments, consisting of cake and punch, were served to the large number present.

The contest of attendance between the boys and girls of the Epworth League ended recently. The boys lost the contest and entertained the girls with a social last Monday eve-ning. A very enjoyable time was had at the social. Bread, fried chicken and pickles were served to those present

Inez Rose, who is attending Tech College, spent the week end at home. Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Parker and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Parker visited Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Aldridge of Afton the past Sunday. Mrs. Aldridge is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckner and Mrs. Jim Eldredge visited near Tur-key last Sunday as the guests of their

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- Spur Chapter meets on Thursday * * night just after the full of the * *moon in each month. Meeting hour * * eight o'clock. All members re- *
- * quested to be present. Visiting
- * members welcome.
- * Mrs. Eula Joplin, W. M.
- Mrs. Georgia Barrett, Secretary

history

The Senior Girls basket ball team went to Girard Friday night and play-ed the Girard team. The McAdoo helps to clear away the gloom and enables us to go to work in a little more earnestness for the good of our Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hines and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hines and family were among the business vis-itors in Spur Saturday afternoon. Two beef markets have been added to the business district of McAdoo. Mr. Wallace is in charge of the mar-ket near Consumers gas and oil sta-tion. Dubbs McLaughlin is operating the other market located in the Mc.

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dred bales of cotton had been ginned Class and a number of invited guests

Cotton seed were bringing \$30 per ton on the local market during the last week end. Cotton was selling in a price range from 10.00c to 11.00c. Roy Ward returned home the finite Base Structure and Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Brown were at Floydada during the week end to see Mrs. Harbor, who is seriously ill.

McAdoo Runs Rough Shod Over Crosbyton

The McAdoo High football team, which appears to be going places this season, defeated the Crosbyton Chiefs, Class B. District 5 team, last Friday afternoon at Crosbyton 38 to 18. This was the fourth straight victory for the McAdoo boys in their first persons who are indigent and without eason of football

Robertson and Boucher were the stars for McAdoo.

McAdoo is scheduled to play at Roaring Springs Friday afternoon in a Class C league contest.

business here last year.

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Regarding the National Housing Act

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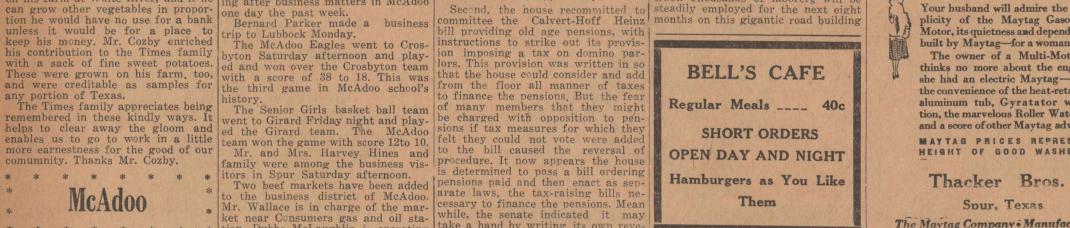
finance the pensions. But the fear many members that they might be charged with opposition to pen ons if tax measures for which the felt they could not vote were added to the bill caused the reversal of procedure. It now appears the house is determined to pass a bill ordering pensions paid and then enact as sep arate laws, the tax-raising bills ne essary to finance the pensions. Mean while, the senate indicated it may take a hand by writing its own reve-nue meaures for this purpose were asked of the attorney-general.

A second special session, at a cost of about \$100,000, will be necessary n the belief of most members of both ouses. The pension matter is likely were entertained with a party Satur-day night, October 5 in the home of the teacher, Henry Elder. ord of Belton heads this group, with a bill providing a 3 per cent sales tax to raise the \$40,000,000 it would require. The bill is said to have been written by Ex-Gov. Jim Fergusos,

who is here professionally lobbying for a sales tax. The senate is against a sales tax, and barring a miracle, will not pass one.

The other school of thought would pay pensions as charity only to old relatives to whom they could lawful-ly look for aid. Such a bill following the restrictions laid down by most

* * * * * * * DR. T. H. BLACKWELL



other states, would require about \$10,-

000,000 a year, experts here figure. This is most likely the form the law finally enacted will take.

Probably the largest gathering of

Probably the largest gathering of the political clans seen this year in Texas occurred in Austin Monday. Oct. 7, when Jesse Jones of Houston, who has made an outstanding record as chairman of the RFC board, visit-ed Austin to participate in cere-monies connected with the unveiling of his portrait a the senate chamber

The state highway commission broke all records for the past four

years when it let aproximately \$1,-600,000 worth of road building con-tracts here Sept. 24. With the let-ting this month of an additional \$2,-800.000 now ready, about one-seventh of the total of \$32,000,000 of highway

and the very large territory repre-ented by the dry sentiment, has had is effect on the upper body. Second, the house recommitted to standard of ss2,000,000 of highway by July 1, 1936, will be under con-tract. Thousands of laborers will be steadily employed for the next eight

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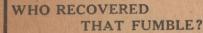


THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1935

Bullpups Win Second Game From Paducah

Displaying a lot of power and play-ing heads-up football the Spur Hill Bullpups defeated the Paducah High second team for the second time in two weeks Friday afternoon at the Jones Memorial Stadium 24 to 0. The Pups goal was never threatened by the Paducah team.

On the eighth play of the game Martin went around right end for five yards after returning a punt from Spur's 40 yard line to the Paducah 28 yard marker. Cravy went over right tackle for eight yards, followed



You are sitting away up in the stadium . . . the playing field is far below

a Spur



You can't tell who recovers. A pair of 3-power binoculars (adjustable) would have saved you the suspense . . . would have he suspense brought the play clearly.

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with four more, then Martin covered the balance, behind some good block-ing, to score the first touchdown. The try for point failed. The balance of the first quarter was

The balance of the first quarter was a see-saw with Spur showing more power than Paducah, and making con-sistent gains with the ball. One nice pass, Martin to Kinney, was completed for 30 yards. The Pups threw Padu-cah for several losses and then inter-cepted a pass on the 33 yard line. Habn went around left for 29 yards Habn Went around left for 29 yards Habn Went around left for 29 yards Hahn went around left for 29 yards. Cravy 2 at center, then Cravy went over the line for the second touch-down. Spur again failed to convert.

Kicking to Spur's 49 yard line, a day. Paducah boy was put out of the game for slugging, Paducah being penalized 25 yards. Little Martin went around right end for 30 yards. Garner went the other five on the next play for the third touchdown.

The third quarter saw a number of penalties with Coach Martin of Spur arner intercepted a pass and



Director, Physical and Health Education New Jersey State Department of Public Instruc-

Summer Heat

Too many cautions cannot be printed against sunburn. No matter how much is said or written, no matter what one's past experience may have been,

the majority of people show unreasonable haste in acquiring a sunburn. "I'm going to be tanned like an Indian," they say, for-

getting that the Indian's red-brown skin is natural. Children are in danger, because they don't know there is any danger. In the summer, they have all day for play. The release from school is tempting, with so many things to do. If parents aren't mindful and watching, the first day or two in the summer sun may

bring a serious burn. Then a week of suffering, often confined to bed. And it isn't always as simple as that. Burn from the sun is no different from any burn. It isn't confined to a sore skin. Poisons, or body toxins, are formed. The child may be feverish and nauseated. In attempting to throw off the poisons, the kidneys may be injured. Sometimes severe prostration results.

In all cases of sunburn, it is advisable to place a child in a physician's care. Wise treatment will prevent the complications. But the greatest wisdom is shown at the beginning. Take the sunburn gradually, a little each day. Give the skin a chance to tan painlessly.

Are you making your child's life a nightmare by insisting on regu-

ited with Dr. Ewton.

G. F. Harris, of McAdoo, was transacting business in our city Satur-

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Chevrolet Told How Kidnappers Caught Age Pension Slickers

How underworld whispers put spec-ial agents of the Federal Bureau of Investigation of the United States De-II. of Denver, and haw a soapy shaving brush pushed into the eyes of one of them by a helpful Chicago barber "The people of this St made the final capture easy was re-vealed in the twelfth Chevrolet Mo-tor Company's series of "G-Men" Old Age Pension or to mutth broadcasts, Saturday, October 5, at 9

Sankey, one of the kidnappers, "Numerous requests are received hanged himself with a strip of cloth daily by the Office of the State Audin his cell. Alcorn, his partner, pleaded guilty and is serving a life sentence in a Federal prison.

Boettcher was running his automobile into his home garage in Feb-ruary, 1933, when he was carried aruary, 1933, when he was carried a-way by the pair after they had hand-be made for pensions."

criminal dives. The ruse was immediately product-

ive A drunk dropped the names of Sankey and Alcorn, and the chase be-gan. It ended for Sankey in a Chicago parber's chair, where a buzzer noti fied agents in a rear room the mom ent the kidnapper came in and the co-operative barber had soaped hi eyes so he could see nothing unti the handcuffs were on his wrists. Alcorn was stopped in his Chicago apartment before he could reach a gun on the table.

Jim McArthur, of Red Mud, was in Monday looking after business af-fairs. He stated that if frost will stay another three weeks that there will be lots of late cotton.

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Old Age Pension or to put their name on the 'rolls' or do anything else in his connection for pay.'

tor. These letters come from all parts

of the State from persons interested in Old Age Pensions. These people ask for application blanks and for the names of the proper persons in

ed his wife a written demand for ran-som. On payment of the money he was released 13 days later and two agents of the Federal Bureau of In-vestigation, heavily disguised, took up residence in the Denver under-up residence in the Denver underworld, and began to haunt known one is authorized to receive applications for Old Age Pensions."

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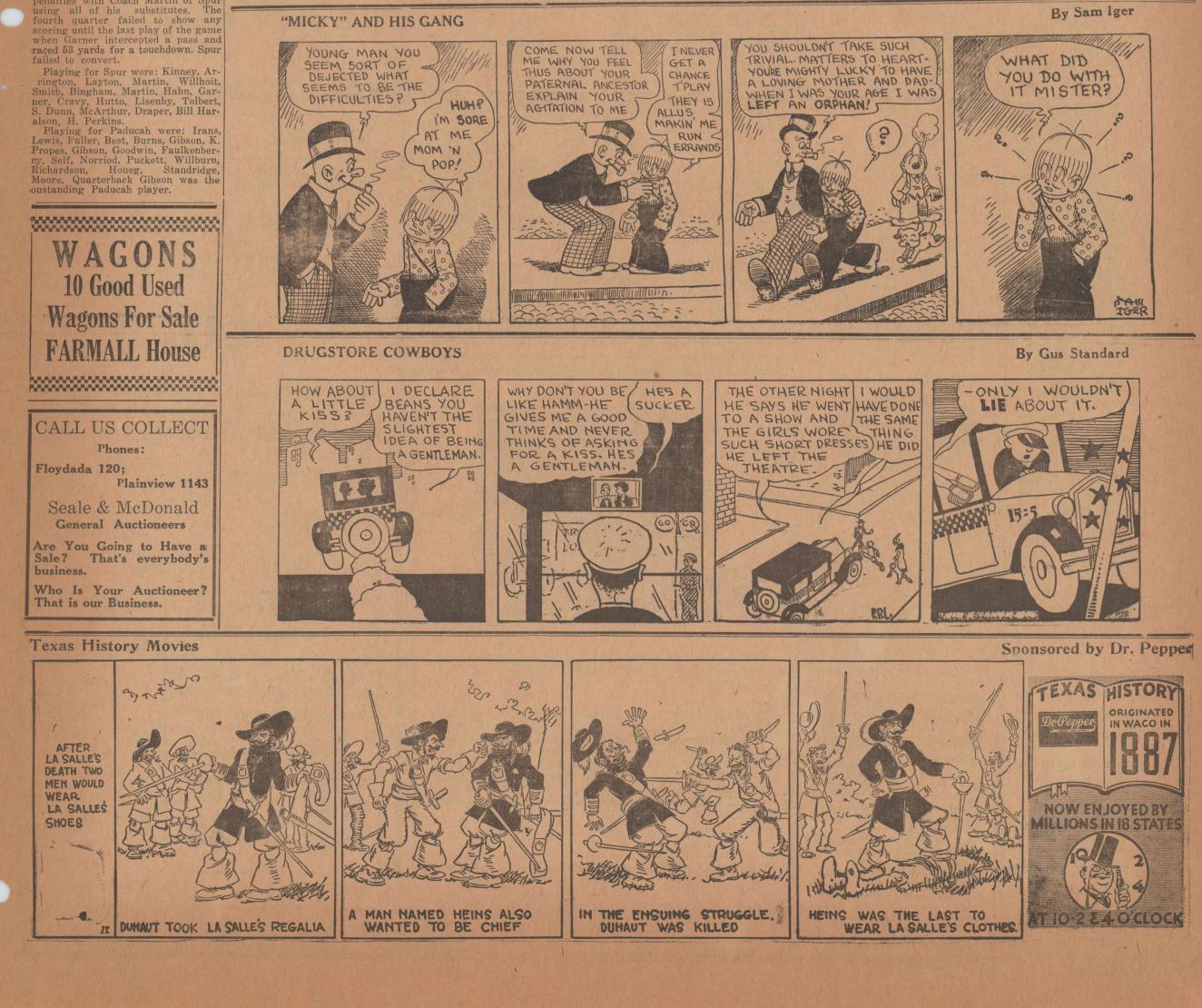
Don't Be Caught By Old "The Legislature is now working on time no legislation has been enacted he problem of enacting legislation to and there is, therefore, at present no carry out the provisions of the Old agency to whom applications may be Age Pension amendment, but at this made."



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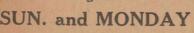
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JOHN JACKSON PAYNE MARRIED AT CLOVIS

The P. T. A. of Steel Hill had their first meeting of the year on the night of September 27. Quite a number of parents and other interested in the

ported.

. L. Adams on October 1. Mrs. F. R. Copeland and Mrs. John dams were elected to membership in

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HONORING A RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. Rex Carlisle gave a miscel-laneous shower Thursday, October 3, in honor of a recent bride, Mrs. Hen-the Mission Mrs. Hen-the Mission Mrs. Hen-the State of the State of the State of the State of the State Mrs. Rex Carlisle gave a miscel-allowed on the field or side lines. Those sitting in the stands are also ry Harris, formerly Miss Exie Mrois, Mrs. Carlisle was at the bride's book where the guests registered. Little Misses Letha Nell Williams,

Norweata Williams and May Foy Car-lisle gave readings, and Miss Sue Loe gave some acrobatic stunts. After

Insurance Agency, the local agent for the Hartford Fire Insurance Company the donor of the medal that will be awarded to the winner of the essay contest. A sample medal is on display in the window of the Clemmons In-surance Agency as well as one in Mc-Adoo and one in Patton Springs schools.

Purchasers of car tickets at the Stadium for football games are urged to remain in their cars during the

urged to stay off the field. Mrs. Alonzo Lollar, east of town, was in Monday doing some shopping

LIVER BILE

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1935

MRS. DAVIS PASSES AWAY Mrs. Minnie Davis, of Jayton, died Mrs. Minnie Davis, of Jayton, died

in the Spur Hospital about 1:30 o'clock last Thursday morning. She was brought to the sanitarium about 6:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon and her husband, H. L. Davis, three daughters

condition was too serious for the phy-sicians to give any help. There was no operation, and it is thought she was Mr. and Mrs. Horton Barrett and sinking when she arrived. Funeral services were held at Jay-ton Thursday afternoon about 5:30

