

# Ferguson and Sterling Speaking Sat.

## Big Street Paving Celebration on the 29th in Spur

### SATURDAY WILL BE A BIG-DAY FOR POLITICS IN SPUR

Saturday will be one of the biggest days in the political history of Spur. Two campaign speakers, one for Ferguson and another for Sterling, have been secured from the very best available timber, and are scheduled to speak in Spur Saturday afternoon. There is also a hopeful possibility that "Jim" himself will be here to defend his campaign platform and "Ma's" claim to the Governorship of the State, since a strong delegation of Spur's business men and citizens are going down to Aspermont Friday today, to not only hear Ferguson speak but bring him back if possible to Spur for a speaking date Saturday morning about noon.

It is being arranged for the Ferguson speaker, who is coming from Wichita Falls, to speak on the newly completed paved street from in front of the Powell building on West side of Burlington Avenue, while the Sterling speaker who is coming out of Lubbock, is scheduled to speak in the Spur Theatre building.

Thousands, from every section of the country, are expected to be in Spur Saturday to hear the speakers for Ferguson and for Sterling, become better informed upon the real issues of the campaign—regardless of personal derogatory remarks which may be made.

The campaign issues of Ferguson and Sterling differ very materially, and it will be for the interests of governmental progress and economy for every voter to weigh these issues and determine which will be the better governmental and state administration policies.

Come to Spur Saturday—something will be 'doing' all day.

### BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS UNDER WAY PITCHFORK RCH

Extensive building improvements are now under way at the Pitchfork Ranch headquarters, twenty five miles northeast of Spur.

One large residence building is being constructed at the headquarters, and three other residence buildings are being remodeled and enlarged.

The finishing work of papering and painting is now being done on the several buildings.

The Pitchfork Ranch is now under the management of Virgil V. Parr, who is a most progressive and public spirited gentleman.

### REVIVAL BEGINS SUNDAY AT FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Rev. McKissick, of Cisco, Texas, will begin a revival meeting in Spur at the First Christian Church Sunday, August 17th, and to be protracted over one week or ten days.

Rev. McKissick is one of the strongest and most forceful evangelistic speakers of the Christian denomination, and everybody is respectfully invited to hear him during the progress of this protracted revival.

### School Apportionment of \$17.50 is Made by Board

The state board of education has fixed the per capita school apportionment at \$17.50.

### Ferguson to Speak At Aspermont To-Night.

James E. Ferguson will speak tonight at eight o'clock at Aspermont in the interest of the candidacy of Mrs. Miriam A. Ferguson for Governor of Texas.

A big delegation from Dickens and Kent counties are arranging to attend the speaking in Aspermont.

Governor Ferguson spoke in Floydada Wednesday night, and it is said that the crowd was so great that hundreds and thousands could not even get close enough to see the speaker. Hundreds of Dickens county citizens were in Floydada, and it is said that McAdoo attended in a body, and good representations were there from every community.

We notice that there is one big difference in the attitude of voters in this instance. In former Ferguson campaigns, notwithstanding the fact that Dickens and surrounding counties usually gave Ferguson a good majority, yet the voters were somewhat timid and backward in expressing themselves favorable to the Ferguson campaign, whereas in this campaign merchants, bankers and professional men as well as farmers do not hesitate to state that Ferguson will get their support in his campaign. It now looks like it might be a land slide for the Ferguson sons, regardless of personal political feelings in the campaign. The majority of people are opposed to the Moody governmental policies, and will probably oppose his friend Sterling in the endeavor to further perpetuate the administration program of governmental policies.

### Alton B. Chapman Takes Attorneys Office Following Primary

Immediately following the July primary election, Alton B. Chapman was appointed County Attorney by the Commissioners Court, and is now performing legal duties of the county in a most acceptable manner.

The county attorney's office has been vacant several months, since the death of B. G. Worswick who for thirty odd successive years guided the legal destinies of the county, and no doubt the legal work will be heavy for a time, and Alton is demonstrating his ability as a lawyer and an adaptability in turning out official work.

### Rev. Cecil Bennett is Conducting a Revival at Soldier Mound

Rev. Cecil Bennett, son of Rev. W. B. Bennett of Gilpin, and who has been away for a number of years, is now here visiting with his parents and conducting a revival meeting at the Soldier Mound Baptist church.

People from the Soldier Mound and surrounding communities are attending the services, and those who have been in attendance state that Cecil has become a very forceful and effective preacher.

The meeting will probably continue over Sunday.

#### NOTE OF THANKS.

I am very deeply grateful to every individual who voted for me or who in any way helped me during the recent campaign. Each of you cast the deciding vote and without any one of you success would not have been possible.—Madge D. Twaddell.

### T. J. Hicks Died Wednesday at His Home in the Afton Country

T. J. Hicks, one of the old timers of Dickens county, and about sixty five years of age, died Wednesday of last week at his farm home near Afton, instrument being made Thursday afternoon in the Afton cemetery. Surviving members of the family are his wife and four sons and three daughters.

Mr. Hicks was a good man and citizen, and had many friends who will mourn with the family in his death.

### Democrats Poll Biggest Vote in Political History.

A total of 833,442 votes were canvassed from the July Democratic primary election, the biggest vote ever before polled in the state. The State Executive Committee also received election returns from every county in the state for the first time in political history.

State and county candidates failing to receive a majority vote in the first primary and who will be in the run off primary August 23rd, will be found included in the ticked printed elsewhere in this issue of the Texas Spur.

### Edwin Clapp Jumps From 13th Story Window in N.Y.

Edwin C. Clapp, of New York City, and who owns the Clapp farm near Spur, Thursday jumped from a 13 story window, committing suicide.

Clapp was a noted writer and newspaper man. He had suffered financial reverses.

### Mrs. C. H. Scott Died Saturday Following a Protracted Illness

Mrs. C. H. Scott, wife of Cecil Scott of the Steel Hill community, died Saturday about twelve o'clock at the Nichols Sanitarium where she had been under treatment several weeks, her remains being interred Sunday afternoon at four o'clock in Spur cemetery, Rev. Wayne Grizzle of Keary, an old friend of the family, conducting the funeral services.

Mrs. Scott had been suffering for months of a disease of the bone in one of her legs, something similar to tuberculosis of the bone, and had been at the Nichols Sanitarium undergoing treatment with a view of undergoing a surgical operation. An operation, we understand was performed Saturday morning, she surviving only a few hours.

Mrs. Scott was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hooper of the Twin Wells community, and had been reared in this Western country.

Cecil Scott and the family has the heart felt sympathy of his many friends in this sorrow and great bereavement.

### HOLINESS REVIVAL IN PROGRESS AT ANTELOPE

A protracted meeting is now in progress at Antelope by Jack Thomas of Hereford, Texas, under the auspices of the Holiness denomination. The revival will continue for two or more weeks, and all people and denominations of the community are invited to attend and participate in the daily services.

A large brush arbor has been provided for the services, and all are assured of comfort and as much coolness as the high temperatures may permit.

Relatives are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Robertson at their home in the north part of the city.

### STERLING CLUB IS ORGANIZED BY SPUR WOMEN

Thursday morning of this week Mrs. Phoebe K. Warner of Claude, came to Spur for the purpose of organizing the women of Spur into a "Sterling for Governor Club."

A few ladies of the city met with Mrs. Warner at the picture show building, and following a campaign talk the club organization was perfected and the campaign committees appointed immediately started the work. A speaker from Lubbock has been secured to make a Sterling for governor campaign speech at the theatre building in Spur Saturday afternoon at four o'clock, and the committee invites everybody to hear the speech, the invitation being extended the women especially.

### Bulldogs Will Start Training in Spur Monday.

The Spur High School Bulldogs will start fall training next Monday morning with a new backfield prospect, Word was received from Coach Gne Taylor from Garland, Texas, Thursday that a fine seven and one half pound boy was added to the Taylor family and the squad at 11:30 o'clock.

### REVIVAL TO BEGIN MONDAY NIGHT AT HIGHWAY

Brother F. J. Berry, a widely known preacher of the faith and doctrines of the Church of Christ, will begin a ten days revival meeting Monday night, August 18th, at the Highway school house, west of Spur.

Everybody is invited to attend the meetings and hear the series of sermons each day during the progress of the meeting.

### STREET DANCE IS INCLUDED IN THE PAVING JUBILEE

The paving of five business blocks of Spur streets has been completed, and arrangements are now being made for a big celebration event at the opening of the streets to public traffic Friday night, August 29th.

While there has been no official announcement of the contemplated celebration program, yet we have heard the ladies state that a "street dance" will be made the feature of the entertaining program, and every body in the whole country will be invited to come and participate in the festivities with the assurance that good music and plenty dancing space will be provided for all who may come and participate.

The paving is of concrete, smooth and nice and inviting—the total cost of the work amounting to approximately thirty thousand dollars.

Come to Spur Friday night, August 29th, celebrate with us, and consider Spur your town for both business and pleasure.

### Albert Bingham and Miss Evelyn Bennett Married Saturday

Miss Evelyn Bennett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Bennett of Gilpin, and Albert Bingham, of the Spur Creamery and Bottling Works of Spur, were united in marriage Saturday afternoon, Rev. Rogers performing the ceremony at the Baptist parsonage in the city.

The Texas Spur joins with friends in extending congratulations and and very best wishes to the young couple in their venture on the matrimonial seas.

### Old Settler Reunion Now in Progress on Blanco

The Old Settlers Annual Reunion is in progress at the Hank Smith Memorial Park on Blanco Canyon. It is estimated that ten thousand or more will be in attendance each day.

### Texas Cotton Crop Estimated to be 4,496,000 Bales

The Texas cotton crop for this year was forecast at an estimated yield of 4,496,000 bales, a half million bale gain over last year's crop.

The forecast estimate for the U. S. was 14,362,000 bales, a decline of approximately one million bales from last year's crop.

The Texas crop deteriorated seven per cent in July, and without rain immediately it is likely to go down fifty per cent, in our opinion.

### Rev. Harvey Draper in Protracted Revival at Dry Lake

Rev. Harvey Draper is conducting a most interesting revival meeting for the Baptist Church at Dry Lake. Services are being held daily and large audiences are reported in attendance at each service.

The meeting will probably close Sunday night.

Endurance Gives Out—On One Side—

By Albert T. Reid



IT'S WISE TO  CHOOSE A SIX

# Announcing a new production record

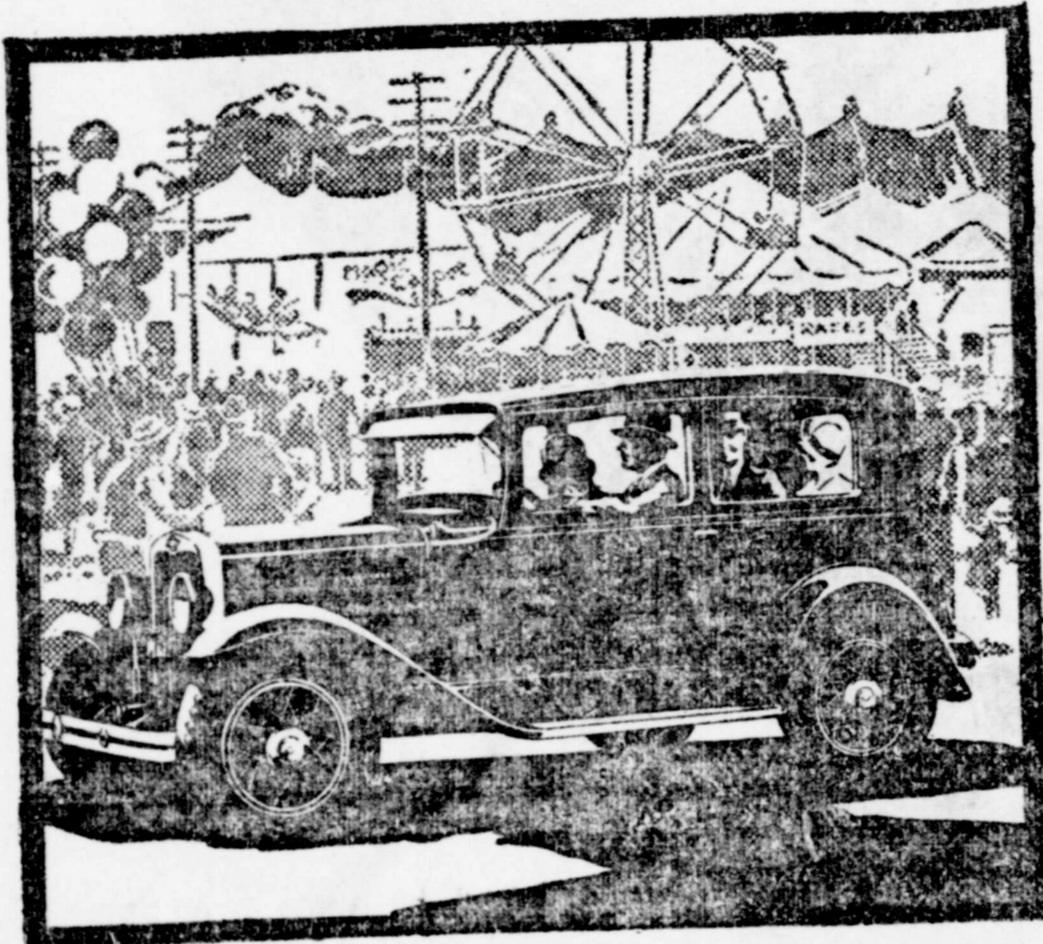
## 2,000,000 Chevrolet Sixes now on the road

Since January, 1929, Chevrolet has produced and sold over 2,000,000 six-cylinder automobiles—nearly five times as many as any other manufacturer has ever built in an equal length of time.

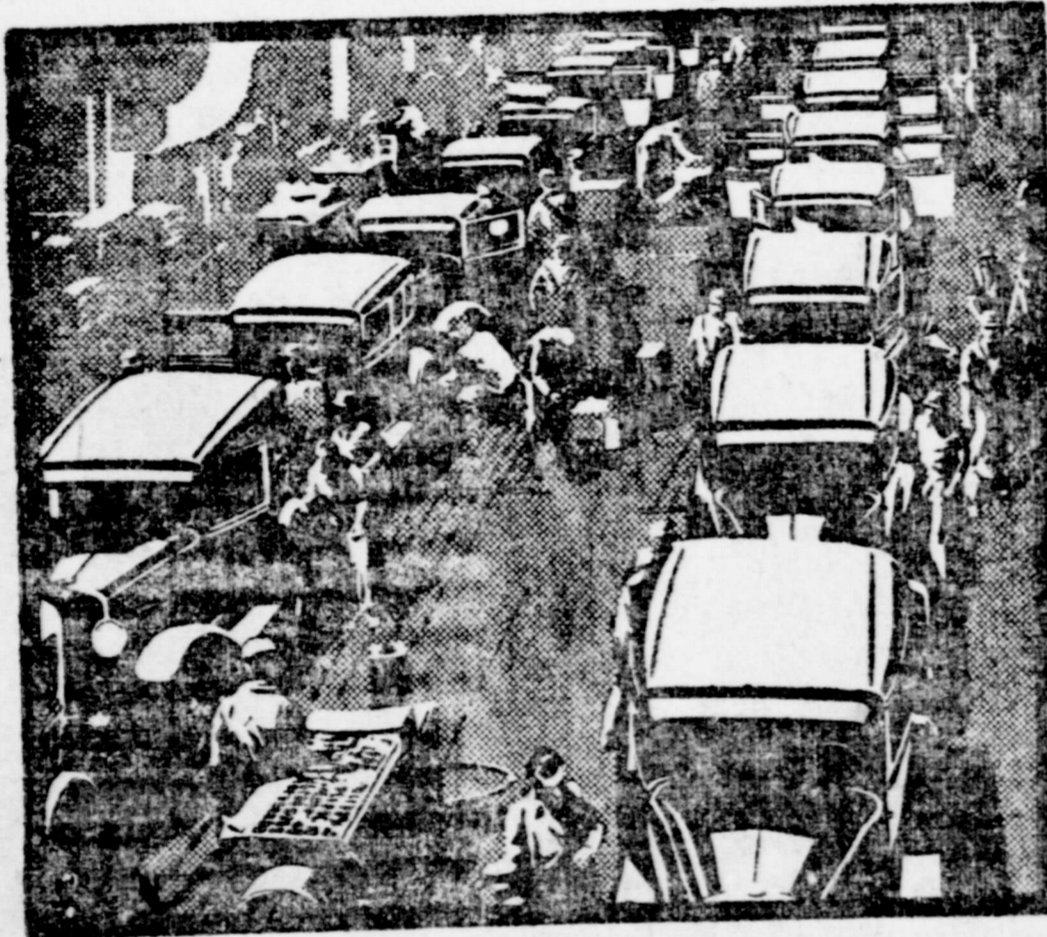
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Sport Coupe.....\$655	(6 wire wheels standard on Special Sedan)	Roadster Delivery.....\$440	Flint, Mich. Special equipment extra	(Pick-up box extra)

# CHEVROLET SIX

SIX-CYLINDER SMOOTHNESS AT LOW COST

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Jones and Mrs. G. L. Barber are spending the month of August in California, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Jones and other relatives and friends of that state. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Jones are indefinitely located in California on account of the health of Mrs. Jones, and their many friends here join us in the hope that their health will soon permit them to return to Texas.

We note that the daily press refers to "Ma" when any reference is made, as being in the race for governor in opposition to Sterling—but after August 23rd it is very probable that it will be admitted that Sterling was on yin opposition to Ma.

—Trade at Home—  
W. E. Love, a prominent citizen of West of Spur, was among those here the past week trading and transacting other business affairs.

Mr. Smith and daughter, of McAdoo, were in Spur Monday of this week, visiting and shopping.

Mrs. Williamson, of near Roaring Springs, was shopping and marketing produce in Spur the past week.



Keep Your Neck Lovely With Exercise And Daily Care

THE beauty of your neck depends largely upon two things: its shape, and your skin texture. And of course your neck should be well set upon your shoulders, to lend grace to your head.

Women often forget that the neck needs exercise the same as the rest of the body. Correct exercises not only will improve the shape of your neck, but also will help your skin texture somewhat through increasing the circulation of blood under your skin. To develop a well-set neck on firm, but not over-developed shoulders, the best exercise is one which moves the entire arms. Try this: Stand erect and extend your arms as far as possible to each side. Slowly raise them as high as you can reach, and then lower them to your sides. Repeat slowly a few times. This is a simple stretching exercise, but it will invigorate tired shoulders. You can feel a gentle pull, too, at the base of your neck.

And here is another good neck exercise: Clasp your hands behind your neck and pull them forward gently while you force your head back. Slowly repeat several times.

When you cleanse your face, do you always give your neck a

thorough cleansing, too? If not, you are very likely to have a dirty neck. And, of course, your skin will not keep its smooth texture long if it is exposed to cold, heat and dirt without daily attention.

At least once daily, spread cleansing cream up over your neck and face. Next, wrap soft cleansing tissues around your hands, and gently wipe off the cream, which will carry with it all the dirt and excess oil from your skin. Follow this by patting on a good skin tonic. And then, if your skin is inclined to be oily, wash your face and neck with a mild soap and warm water.

For keeping your neck contours young, and coaxing the skin into a natural, fresh appearance, try the following treatment after your daily cleansing:

If your skin is oily or normal, use tissue cream; but if your skin is dry, give it the rich lubrication it needs so badly—skin food. Smooth a generous amount of either one of these creams on your neck, working it up from your chest to your chin. Circle your neck with your hands, pressing and smoothing gently upward along your throat column. When the cream has been worked in, oil your palms and fingers with muscle oil, and repeat the upward smoothing. If you give your neck this gentle, pleasant treatment daily (as easily as you brush your hair or attend to your nails) you soon will have your skin back to normal.

## Democratic Ticket to be Voted August 23

See how you'll mark it at this time?

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominees of this primary.

For Governor:  
Miriam A. Ferguson of Travis County  
R. S. Sterling of Harris County

For Lieutenant Governor:  
Edgar Witt of McLennan County  
Sterling P. Strong of Dallas County

For State Treasurer:  
Charley Lockhart of Travis County  
John E. Davis of Dallas County

For Attorney General:  
James V. Allred of Wichita County  
Robert Lee Bobbitt of Webb County

For Commissioner of Agriculture:  
A. H. King of Throckmorton County  
J. E. McDonald of Ellis County

For Railroad Commissioner:  
Pat M. Neff of Houston County  
W. Gregory Hatcher of Dallas County

For District Judge, 110th Judicial District:  
H. A. C. Brummett of Dickens County  
Kenneth Bain of Floyd County

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
W. B. Arthur  
M. L. Jones

For Public Weigher, Precinct 2:  
Fred Dozier  
J. H. Palmer

For Public Weigher, Precinct 3:  
A. M. Shepherd  
Fred Hisey

For Constable, Precinct 3:  
J. M. Reese  
E. L. Smith

### Back Quit Hurting

"I was in a very weak condition from a serious sickness," writes Mrs. I. Leonard, 571 Joseph St., New Orleans, La. "I was so weak, I wanted to sleep all the time. I did not have strength to do anything. My back ached nearly all the time. I was just in misery. My mother told me I must arouse myself from the sleepiness, and take something to help get my strength back. She had taken Cardui and had been helped, so I decided to take Cardui, too. After my first bottle, I could see that it was helping me. I took four bottles at this time. My strength came back and I gained weight. Pretty soon, I was my old self again. My back quit hurting, and I haven't had any more trouble since I took Cardui."

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Judge H. A. C. Brummett and wife were last week called to Lockney to attend the funeral of her brother, Mr. Phillips, who had resided in the Plains country a number of years.

—Trade at Home—  
S. B. Scott Jr., was in the city the past week end. S. B. stated that he had had rains and that fairly good crop prospects prevailed in his section. However, those who are not personally affected by the drought are worrying about possible market prices to be paid later.

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**W**HEN the dog days are upon us, and our appetites must be tempted with a special appeal if they are to respond with their wonted vigor, nothing is more appropriate than a cold main dish for either the noon or evening meal.

Carefully prepared, with a proper use of seasonings, and thoroughly chilled before serving, jellied dishes well deserve the more prominent place they are rapidly being given on the summer menu. Meat, seafoods or vegetables may constitute the chief ingredient, or we may decide upon a combination of the last with either of the other two.

**Tongue in Aspic**—Wash and scrub a beef tongue in salted water and boil until tender. Remove skin and place the tongue in a saucepan. Add two onions, one stalk of celery, four cloves, and salt and pepper. Cover with liquor in which tongue was boiled. Add one blade of mace, one bunch of thyme, one bunch of parsley and one teaspoon

sugar. Simmer for two hours. Remove tongue. For each pint of the liquor add one tablespoon of gelatin that has been soaked in cold water. Stir for two minutes over very low flame. Strain and pour over tongue. Chill thoroughly, garnish with watercress, and serve.

**Fish in Jelly**—Bring to a boil in a saucepan the following mixture: one cup thick tomato puree, one cup water, one-fourth cup vinegar, one-half teaspoon salt, one-fourth teaspoon pepper, one tablespoon sugar, one-half teaspoon mace, and one bay leaf. Simmer for ten minutes. Add one and a half tablespoons gelatin soaked for five minutes in one-fourth cup cold water. Remove immediately from fire. Let gelatin dissolve. Then strain mixture and cool. Have ready one cup cooked peas, one-half cup chopped celery, and one green pepper, seeded and chopped fine. Cover bottom of cold, wet ring mold with a layer of peas. Then one of the celery and green pepper. Cover with the thickened gelatin mixture, and continue in this order until all ingredients are used. Chill two hours before serving. When ready to serve turn out of mold in bed of lettuce. In center pile two cups cold cooked or canned fish, well broken up and mixed with three-fourths cup salad dressing. Sprinkle with finely chopped parsley.

Mrs. F. W. Jennings returned the past week from Mineral Wells and Stamford where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Stewart and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sparks, of several miles west of Spur, were shopping and visiting in the city the past week end.

—Trade at Home—

**GIRARD NEWS,**

Mr. and Mrs. Skyler Boothe of Spur were visiting in Girard with relatives Sunday.

E. W. Clark has been very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Langford and family visited in Lubbock one day last week.

John Goodall's daughter, of Santiago, California, visited with them last week.

Miss Sis Rose of Jayton was visiting in Girard last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Cooper of Oklahoma City visited in Girard last week with relatives.

Mr. Fred Harwell of Girard was visiting with Hargroves last week at Spur.

Reports of good rains have come from most every part of the county but Girard has been an unlucky number this time, but we hope that a good rain will finally reach this part of the country.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kennon who have been attending school at Boulder Colorado returned last week to Girard.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carlisle of Girard left last week for parts of California where they will spend their vacation.

The Church of God began their revival Monday and large crowds have been attending.

The Church of Christ will begin their revival the 22 of this month which will be next Friday night.

Miss Lorila Stephens and father of Girard were transacting business in Lubbock last week. While there Lorila visited with Miss Pearl Edwards who is ill in the Lubbock Sanitarium. She has been very ill but is much better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Cook of Peacock were visiting with relatives in Girard last Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Vincell.

Mr. and Mrs. Slim Hood of Girard were visiting with relatives in Plainview last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fincher of Girard were visiting in San Antonio last week with relatives.

Rev. Smith of Dry Lake preached at the Baptist Church last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Mayfield who recently moved from Jayton here are moving this week to Spur where they will make their home for the school term.

Mr. Harris Harwell of Girard left last week for Dallas where he will visit with relatives.

Grandpa McClain has been very ill, he is now at his daughters Mrs. Tom Bonds of near Girard.

The men who have bought Mrs. Pursleys land have been in Girard most ever day last week. They say they are going to improve the ranch and make one of the best ranches in this part of the country, we hope this will be true. Mrs. Pursley is moving to near Amorillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Stey Brooks of Hamlin were transacting business in Girard last week.

W. W. (Shorty) Allen and family of Cross Plains, were here spending the past week end with her mother. Mrs. Wood of just north of Spur and who has been ill and confined to her bed for many months. Shorty Allen and family formerly lived here. He is now engaged in trucking and other lines of business at Cross Plains, and is prospering.

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Red Front Drug Store Agents.

M. E. Tree and wife and Carl Tree and wife returned Friday of last week from Lake Kemp where they had spent the greater part of the week. Since fish stories are generally discredited, Carl is showing a photograph of their 'catch' one day on the lake, and this showing is conclusive that they are good fishermen and experienced the real fisherman's luck.

—Trade at Home—  
T. M. Green, of Dickens, was on the streets of Spur Wednesday.

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For Representative, 118th District: J. M. CLAUNCH, of Snyder

For District Judge 110th District: KENNETH BAIN H. A. C. BRUMMETT

For District Attorney 110th District: A. J. FOLLEY

For District Clerk: MISS VIRGINIA WORSWICK

For County Clerk: ROBT. REYNOLDS (Re-election)

For County Attorney: ALTON B. CHAPMAN

For County Treasurer: MRS. C. C. COBB (Re-election)

For County Judge: O. C. NEWBERRY (Re-election)

For Tax Assessor: A. B. HOGAN (Re-election)

For Commissioner Precinct One: AUSTIN C. ROSE (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Precinct 2: E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Precinct 3: W. F. FOREMAN

For Commissioner, Precinct 4: LEE MIMS

For Public Weigher, Precinct 3: FRED HISEY (Re-election) A. M. SHEPHERD

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2: FRED DOZIER J. H. PALMER

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct 3: S. E. RODDY, (Re-election)

For County School Superintendent: MADGE D. TWADDELL

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: M. L. JONES W. B. (BILL) ARTHUR

For Constable, Precinct 3: E. L. SMITH J. M. REESE

For Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1: C. P. AUFILL

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C. P. Aufill, of McAdoo, was in Spur one day the past week transacting business affairs and trading with Spur merchants. Mr. Aufill was one of the successful candidates in the July primary election, having won the nomination for public weigher of Precinct One, including, McAdoo, Dickens, Duncan Flat and Elton.

A. W. Jordan, of south of Spur, was among those here during the week. Albert stated that while he had some fine crops and prospects, they are spotted. This has been one of the most unusual years within our history, not only including West Texas, but the entire state and nation, and the Old World as well.

Mrs. E. M. Remington returned this week from an extended vacation and visit with her parents and other relatives at Newcastle.

**"IT'S ME FOR MA AGAIN."**  
At this time it appears that a "land slide" may possibly develop for Miriam A. Ferguson in the campaign for governor. The people as a whole of the state might have preferred some other more suitable candidate, but prefer 'Fergusonism' to 'Sterlingism, and the disbursement of a proposed three hundred and fifty million dollar highway fund, the removal of the penitentiary and sale of lands at an expenditure of millions, and the loss of other millions in disposing of the lands, and the continuation and carrying out of Moody administration policies. Yes, it is "Me for Ma" again, and on election day voters will come in from the 'forks of the creeks' and again register disapproval of the proposed plans and policies of the administration backers by elevating Ma to the Governor's chair—and the material interests and welfare of our country demands such an expression in no uncertain terms. James E. Ferguson may be guilty of everything of which he is charged by the politicians—but he and Ma are again coming to the aid of the country now in distress, and it is very probable that a big majority will express approval and appreciation of the situation at the polls August 23rd.

**NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.**  
Owing to the drouthy conditions that prevail, the resultant condition of our livestock and our desire to furnish protection to all game in this locality, hunting and fishing will not be permitted on any part of our ranching property.

All permits for hauling wood from the ranch are hereby revoked. We expect to make a systematic drive against coyotes on our lands presently and take this means of informing those who are accustomed to using dogs in order that they may take the proper precaution.

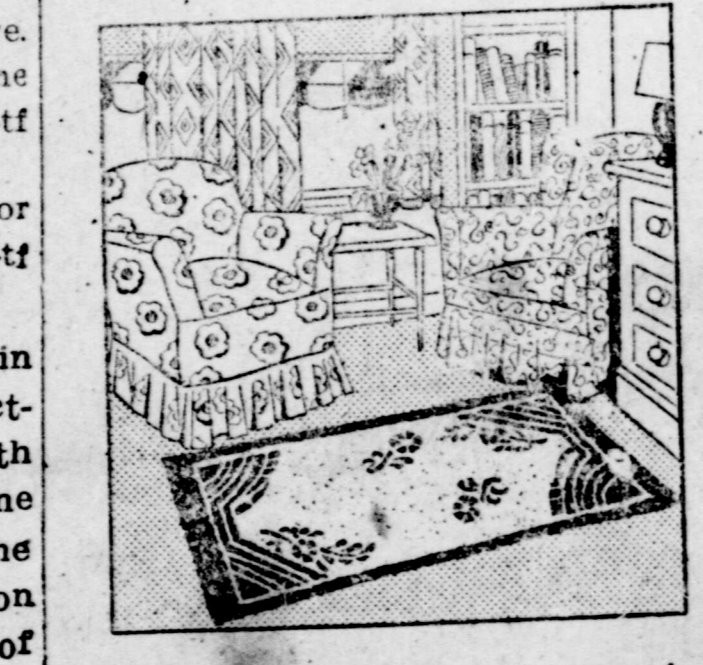
We will give liberally of our resources to any effort that may be made toward ridding the country of coyotes in order to increase livestock production, protection of game and otherwise making West Texas a better place in which to live.—Pitchfork Land & Cattle Co. 44-34m5

**W. G. HINSON ENJOYS FAMILY REUNION IN MINERAL WELLS THE WEEK JUST PASSED**

W. G. Hinson, of west of Spur, was in the city Tuesday and while there was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office. Mr. Hinson and family had just returned from Mineral Wells where they had spent a week, enjoying a family reunion with his parents, P. Hinson and family, and brothers from other points of the state. One brother came down from Amarillo and joined W. G. here and driving with him to Mineral Wells. Two other brothers came from Houston and the occasion was made a most pleasant family reunion. P. Hinson formerly lived here, settling his farm and ranch several miles west in the early days following the establishment and opening of Spur. After several years he traded for property at Mineral Wells, retaining his farm and ranch lands here but moving with his family to Mineral Wells where he has been engaged for several years in the grocery business. W. G. Hinson is managing an operating the Hinson farm and ranch with success.

W. H. Smith, of southwest of the city, was in Spur Wednesday of this week, trading and incidentally meeting with friends and discussing the political situation and complexion of the country at this time.

**Hints For Homemakers**  
By Jane Rogers



**THE** new cotton chenille rugs in gay colors and striking patterns are the very thing to brighten up the rooms in the summer home. The fact that they are washable is a great advantage. The better kind are absolutely color fast, and will emerge from the harshest laundering without the slightest loss of shape. A little grated orange peel gives squash a different and wonderfully delicate flavor. Squash should always be steamed. When tender, mash in a hot bowl until smooth. Season with salt to taste, one-half teaspoon sugar, and butter the size of an egg, for each quart. Beat well, adding four tablespoons thick cream. Pile in hot dish and serve.

**POULTRY FACTS**

**INSURE PROFITS FROM HEN FLOCK**

**Protection From the Wintry Blasts Quite Important.**

Insuring the poultry flock against wintry blasts will insure the profits to be received from the birds this winter. Incomes from farm flocks depend upon poultry housing conditions. A good flock poorly housed is almost certain to be less profitable than a poor flock sheltered in an adequate building," warns G. T. Klein, extension poultryman, Kansas State Agricultural College.

The modern poultry house has facilities for the hens to scratch, feed, roost, lay, and exercise in the same room, according to the poultry specialist. One large, well-ventilated, well-lighted, clean sanitary room has replaced the separate roosting quarters, scratching shed, and laying house. An up-to-date house is so complete that hens are confined in them in September and are not given range until the following spring. Klein says that the most satisfactory house is one 20 feet in depth. It should have about one-fourth of the south side open and be tight on the other three sides except for windows in the east and west ends and under the droppings board on the north. A 10-inch layer of straw as a ceiling gives protection to the birds by modifying the temperature in both winter and summer. Such a ceiling keeps the air in the building free from dampness, prevents accumulation of frost, and keeps the litter dry.

**Lanterns as Henhouse Lights During Winter**

There is no question but what providing the laying flock with a twelve-hour day throughout the winter by means of artificial light at the beginning or end of the day, or both, pays under Iowa conditions. More and more farm flocks are being thus helped to make the best of warm houses and good rations during the months of short days. Generally, providing the poultry house with lights has been assumed to go hand in hand with electricity on the farm. But as yet a comparatively small per cent of Iowa farms are electrically equipped.

During the last two years I have visited at least a dozen Iowa farms where it was called to my attention that lanterns had been used to furnish light for the chicken house, says a writer in Wallace's Farmer. In most cases, these were gasoline lanterns, although I know at least one farm woman reported the use of an oil pressure kerosene lamp. If equipped with reflectors of the right sort and hung in the right part of the poultry house, these lanterns have proved a safe and desirable sort of light. For those without electricity, this sort of lighting for the poultry house is worth investigation and trial.

**Poultry Facts**

Turkeys have the annoying habit of getting into a lot of difficulties.

A damp house causes colds and other troubles for the birds, and a loss of money to the owners.

Experience has shown that washed eggs are suitable only for immediate consumption, and will not stand for any length of time under storage conditions.

If Leghorns are hatched too early they may start laying early and have a fall moult before cold weather. This throws them out of laying all winter.

Hatch the turkey eggs in the incubator. Put the poult in chick boxes until they are forty-eight hours old. Have the brooder houses thoroughly cleaned and disinfected and keep the temperature under the hover around 90 degrees.

Give each poult a drink of warm water when they are put under the hover. Use a good intestinal antiseptic in the water for seven days, then skip seven days.

Test after test has proved that a plentiful supply of liquid milk is one of the best ingredients in the ration for chicks of any size.

Many farm flock owners fail to realize the importance of selecting good cockerels for the breeding purposes the following season.

Shavings are superior to straw as litter for hens, as well as for nest material to prevent soiled eggs.

This is a good time to get rid of the unpromising pullets. Later you will have to part with them, even though you know they will lay few eggs.

The most certain means of controlling blackhead of turkeys is to prevent its development by artificial hatching and brooding and rearing the fowls on ground not used for poultry of any kind previously.

**The DAIRY**

**LARGE COWS ARE MOST ECONOMICAL**

**Survey Shows Big, Roomy Animals Pay Most Profit.**

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)  
The small, refined dairy cow may look best, but the big, roomy cow pays most profit to her owner, according to a survey made by the United States Department of Agriculture. In making the study large and small cows within one breed were compared, both pure bred and grades of every age being included.

On an average the largest cows—those weighing 1,500 pounds—exceeded the smallest cows—those weighing 800 pounds—by 98 pounds of butterfat per cow. Their cost of feed was \$20 higher, but they returned \$43 more per cow in yearly income over cost of feed.

An analysis of figures obtained in the survey shows that as size of cow advanced 100 pounds for each group there was a fairly uniform gain in production of milk and of butterfat, in cost of feed per cow, and in income above feed cost. On the other hand, there was a slight decrease in the butterfat test, but this was not enough to merit special attention.

Though the group figures always favored the large cows, it was found that many individuals among the large cows in each breed were unprofitable producers and that many small cows in each breed were profitable producers. Therefore in selecting dairy cows of any breed it is not wise to select on the basis of size alone. Size, however, is a factor of great importance.

**Grain Mixtures for Any Medium Producing Animal**

Since there is seldom a deficiency in carbohydrates and fat when the dairy cow has all the roughage that she can eat, a roughly balanced ration may be obtained by balancing the protein of the grain mixture to go with the roughage and disregarding the carbohydrates and fat. For low to medium-producing cows good alfalfa hay and corn meal make up a reasonably good ration. To go with alfalfa hay, some grain mixtures are as follows: Mixture 1.—200 pounds corn, 100 pounds oats, 100 pounds wheat bran, and 100 pounds linseed oil meal. Mixture 2.—100 pounds barley, 100 pounds wheat bran, and 100 pounds linseed oil meal. Mixture 3.—100 pounds barley, 100 pounds oats, 100 pounds wheat bran, and 200 pounds corn oil meal. Mixture 4.—200 pounds corn and cob meal, 200 pounds oats, 100 pounds wheat bran, and 100 pounds cottonseed meal.

If prairie hay is used as roughage the ration may be as follows: Mixture 1.—100 pounds corn, 100 pounds oats, 100 pounds wheat bran, and 250 pounds linseed oil meal. Mixture 2.—100 pounds barley, 100 pounds alfalfa meal, 100 pounds corn oil meal, and 200 pounds linseed oil meal.

**Underfeeding Will Cut Profits From Any Herd**

Underfeeding, or feeding of an incomplete ration, keeps down or wipes out profits in many a dairy herd. One reader goes so far as to say that dairy cows are now better bred than fed; that starved pure bred are no better than starved scrubs. There is still room for improvement along both lines.

The point is, every dairy cow should be fed a complete ration, and as much of it as she will turn into profit. It is the wrong way to feed as little as the cow will get along on and still show a profit or just break even. Cow testing records prove that liberal feeding is not an expense, but an investment.

**Dairy Hints**

Now is the time to plan for a future supply of alfalfa, sweet clover or common red clover.

Dairymen find silage to be the best substitute for the fresh, green grass of early spring.

Many dairymen find that the most satisfactory way to handle silage is to build two silos, one for winter feeding and one for summer.

Dairying without legumes is an uphill proposition for legumes cheapen the cost of production as well as make the rations more effective.

Good winter management of the cow herd will pay big dividends in the spring calf crop.

One cow often eats the profits made by another. Feed each cow according to her production. A high producing cow needs much more grain than a low producer.

If the cows have all the dry fodder or silage, or preferably both, that they want, with four or five pounds of alfalfa or clover hay per head daily, their needs will be supplied.

**Texas Motor Ways, Inc., Bus Lines**

Leaves Spur 12:30 p. m.	Arrives Lubbock 3:00 p. m.
Leaves Spur 6:00 p. m.	Arrives Lubbock 9:45 p. m.
Leaves Lubbock 7:30 a. m.	Arrives at Spur 10:20 a. m.
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**NEW BUS LINE TO QUANAH**

Leaves Spur at 9:15 a. m.	Arrives Quanah 1:00 p. m.
Leaves Spur at 2:40 p. m.	Arrives Quanah 7:45 p. m.
Leaves Quanah 9:45 a. m.	Arrives at Spur 1:30 p. m.
Leaves Quanah 4:45 p. m.	Arrives at Spur 8:05 p. m.

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**Bus Terminal at Hotel Wilson, Spur**

L. D. Davis, of McAdoo, was in town Monday. He says conditions are already 'stringent' at McAdoo with many. There is no use in trying to 'kid ourselves'—we are up against the real thing, and it will be a proposition to get meat, bread and feed on which to keep going for another year.

C. A. Denson returned this week from Borger where he visited several days with his daughter, Mrs. Thelma Pendleton and family. Mrs. Pendleton returned home with Mr. Denson and will spend some time with the family in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry, of east of Dickens, were shopping in Spur last Wednesday, and also visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Elliott.

C. D. Copeland states that his section failed to get any of the rain here last Thursday and Friday. His crops are going rapidly to the bad.

W. L. McAteer and wife are spending the month in California visiting with their children and other friends now in that state.

Messrs. Edmonds and Wilson returned the past week end from a business and professional trip to New Mexico and Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Stokes, of Temple, were here the past week visiting with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Presley.

H. P. Berry is now in Sudan where he has a contract laying concrete and doing building construction work for individuals.

Miss Comere, who has been the guest of Mrs. P. C. Nichols, returned this week to her home in Abilene.

Mrs. P. C. Nichols and son, John, visited with friends in Crowell, returning home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McAlpine returned this week from an extended visit with their parents at Brownwood and Ballenger. Bill states that the Spur country had better crops than any section between here and Runnels country, the intervening territory having withered and burned greatly by the protracted drouth.

Uncle Dick Holly was on the Spur streets the past week, meeting with his friends and acquaintances—and incidentally talking politics and 'Ma' Ferguson—notwithstanding the fact that he is strictly opposed to "woman suffrage."

Thurman Harris has sold out his market business and he and wife have gone to California where he has a position as meat cutter for a big concern.

Bob Griffin returned this week from Nebraska and other states to the West where he has been some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Nichols of Temple, were in Spur last week visiting with Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols.

Joe Long, of the Sanders Pharmacy, made a trip Monday to Lubbock, Ralls and other Plains points.

Mrs. Jarrett, of Grandbury, has been the guest of Mrs. W. C. Presley at her suburban home.

S. H. Twaddell and family are this week visiting with relatives in Amarillo.

S. B. Scott Jr., was in the city the past week end. S. B. stated that he had had rains and that fairly good crop prospects prevailed in his section. However, those who are not personally affected by the drouth are worrying about possible market prices to be paid later.

**Hors D'Oeuvres Jog Jaded Appetites**

By ETIENNE ALLIO, Chef, Hotel New Yorker, New York City

**N**OTHING can contribute more to assure the success of the meal, whether it be a formal or informal repast, than a hors d'oeuvre, skillfully prepared, of carefully selected ingredients to insure their freshness, and served in a manner to appeal to the eye as well as to the appetite.

Whether the hors d'oeuvre be hot or cold, its chief purpose is, of course, to act as an appetizer and this it can do as much by its appearance as by its taste, for there is a full measure of truth in the old saying, "The eye does half the eating." The portions should be small, merely large enough to stimulate the appetite, without any danger of dulling the diner's zest for the dishes that are to follow.



CHEF ALLIO

**Clams in Nest (Individual)**—Halve a grapefruit, remove the pulp, and fill with shaved ice. Place a small glass in the center for the sauce. Place five small clams on the half shell on the ice. For the sauce mix one tablespoon Worcestershire sauce, one tablespoon horseradish, one tablespoon vinegar, and one tablespoon tomato ketchup. Add two tablespoons lemon juice, one-half teaspoon sugar, one-fourth teaspoon tabasco, and one teaspoon salt. Chill by placing sauce in the glass a sufficient time before serving.

**Southampton Hors d'Oeuvre**—Scoop out the stem ends of six whole, firm tomatoes, leaving a cone-shaped cavity. Sprinkle with pepper, salt, and a little sugar. Fill with butter. Bake in a moderate oven until tender. Just before serving place the tomatoes on the individual plates and pour over each of them two tablespoons of hot cream seasoned with salt and pepper. Sprinkle with minced parsley and serve hot on thin toast strips.

**Vienna Hors d'Oeuvre**—Simmer calves liver until very tender. Chop fine and rub to a paste. To one cup of liver add one tablespoon melted butter, one-half teaspoon



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### MESDAMES HARKEY AND REYNOLDS ENTERTAIN AT FORTY TWO AT DICKENS LAST WEEK

A pretty affair of the week was a forty two party given by Mesdames D. J. Harkey and Robt. Reynolds as hostesses at the latter's beautiful home in the north part of the city of Elkins.

The entertaining rooms were made lovely with cut flowers. The color theme was emphasized in green and white, and each table had a bowl of combination colors of green and white mints for guests thruout the evening. Summer flowers in art used tallies and score pads were in harmony with the natural setting.

At the close of the pleasant evening a dainty course of combination sandwiches, olives, punch, cake and cream was served to the following:

Messrs. and Mesdames J. H. Adors, J. D. Gipson, Barney Nichol, Frank Speer, T. M. Green, W. W. Ze. Z. W. Fowler, S. L. Davis, of D. J. Harkey and Robt. Reynolds; Mesdames Elbert Green, Nettie Littlefield, Emma Underwood, Lena Walker of Dallas, Lena Walker of Wink; Misses Virginia Worswick, Olive Meadors, Anna Ruth Parker of Dallas; and Mrs. J. H. Reynolds, Alton Chapman and Fred Arrington.

Clayton Willis, of the Antelope community, was shopping in the Thursday and while here was a pleasant caller at the Texas office. Mrs. Willis reported a interesting revival meeting now in progress at Antelope.

### MR. AND MRS. G. R. ELKINS HONOR MISSES ELLA MAE HOGAN AND ILLA LASSETER WITH "42" PARTY

Misses Ella Mae Hogan and Illa Lasseter were honor guests Friday of last week when Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins entertained at their home on North Humble St.

Five tables with lovely appointments were arranged for progressive 42 and bridge. During the progression of the games a very refreshing iced punch was served. After the games a number of dances were enjoyed.

The hostess was assisted in serving an iced refreshment to the guests including Misses Hazel Watson, Nig Lisenby, Virginia Forbis, Maud Clemmons, Vivian Baskin, Mary Elizabeth Hogan, honor guests Illa Lasseter and Ella Mae Hogan, Guy Carr, Joe Long, George Lisenby, Harvey Giddings, Bob Connor, Sam Clemmons, Alton Chapman, John A. Davis, Jack Hogan, Robert Arledge, Mrs. Arledge, Mrs. Nellie Davis and the hostesses Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins.

### MRS. McGLATHERY HOSTESS P. M. W. CLUB MEMBERS

Mrs. Fontis McGlathery was a delightful hostess to members of the P. M. W. Club and other guests last Thursday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. Tom Teague. After a number of games of forty two a delicious refreshment was served to those present and enjoying the occasion.

### MRS. LAWIS LEE HONORS HER GUEST WITH A LAWN PARTY

Miss Vivian Baskin of Waco was the guest of honor at a lawn party Monday evening when Mrs. Lawis Lee most delightfully entertained at her home on North Trumbull St. Progressive 42 was the diversion of the evening. After the games a delicious salad course was served to those enjoying the hospitality of the hostess: Misses Jennie Osborne, Jane Wilson, Jennings, Velda Crouch, Ella Mae Hogan, Illa Lasseter, Mary E. Hogan, Maud Clemmons, Mary Hogan, Virginia Forbis, Alice Brasher, and Messrs. Ramey Cap McNeill, Bob Connor, Crate Snider, A. B. Smart, Alton Chapman, Guy Karr, Jack Hogan, Rodgers and George Lisenby.

### MRS. WELDON GRIMES ENTERTAINS WITH SWIMMING PARTY

Mrs. Weldon Grimes entertained with a swimming party at Roaring Springs Tuesday night, complimentary to her niece, Miss Maxine Roland of Stamford. After the swim a picnic lunch was enjoyed by the guests, including Misses Dot Lisenby, Margaret Koon, Robbie Lee Abernathy, Agnes Winkler, John King Jr., Pike Nichols, Bert Shepherd, John Lee, and Mr. and Mrs. I. E. Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Gipson and little daughter, Francis, Mrs. Lawis Lee and daughters, Winifred and Sonnie Bill, and Miss Vivian Baskin of Waco, and the honor guest, Miss Maxine Roland.

Mrs. Laverty has been acting as postmaster recently.

### MRS. HOGAN AND ELKINS ARE JOINT HOSTESSES TO THEIR CLUBS

Many were the happy participants in the progressive 42 party at the Elkins' home Tuesday evening at 8:30 o'clock when Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins with Mrs. C. Hogan as joint hostess entertained their Friday Afternoon and Blue Bonnet Club members their husbands and other guests.

Beautiful hand decorated score pads were in evidence on the 18 tables arranged on the lawn.

The hostesses were assisted in serving a refreshing iced punch during the games and a lovely ice course at the finish by Misses Faye Jamison, Ella Mae Hogan and Illa Lasseter to the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caraway, Faust Collier, W. S. Campbell, C. L. Love, J. E. Morris, M. E. Manning, J. P. Carson, Chas. Whitner, P. C. Nichols, Geo. S. Link, M. L. Jones, Ralph Jackson, Harrison, Ned Hogan, Earl Hight, H. O. Everts, A. C. Hull, W. D. Wilson, F. W. Jennings, D. L. Granberry, W. R. Lewis, W. Manning, Oran McClure, Roy Stovall, E. A. Russell, E. C. Edmonds, Roy Harkey, Hill Perry, Mr. Laurie Burras, Dr. Brannen, Mesdames Lilburn Barrett, Horton Barrett, Jim Foster, R. E. Dickson, Janie King, Riley Wooten, Margaret Newman, Nellie Davis, Tom Dickey, Geo. M. Williams, Pitts, E. M. Remington, T. A. Johnson, Misses Julia Mae Hickman, Helen Latham, and Jack Hogan.

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When taken for six to eight weeks Konjola, the new and different medicine, will work wonders that will astonish those who suffer from the stubborn ills of the stomach, liver, and kidneys and bowels, and of rheumatism, neuritis, and nervousness. Konjola is sold in Spur, Texas, at Sanders Pharmacy, and by all the best druggists in all towns throughout this entire section.

Miss Maxine Roland, of Stamford, is the guest of Mrs. Weldon Grimes this and the past week.

# August Bargains

## Here are Some Real Buys for This Month or as Long as They Last!!

### Mens Felt Hats

in all the leading shades, and priced from

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### Mens Summer Unions

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Mrs. James B. Reed and daughter, Miriam, left last week for Corsicana to visit with Mrs. Alger. From Corsicana Mrs. Reed will go to McKinney to visit her parents, and will be accompanied by Mrs. Alger and Julia Jo who has been with Mrs. Alger some time.

Trade at Home— Sheriff Bob Goodall was in Spur the first of the week from Claremont. Bob has C. W. Fincher of Girard in the run-off primary with him for sheriff, and both of them are calling on their friends to now come to their aid.

Trade at Home— Mr. and Mrs. Saddler and son, Jack Wayne, of Gunter, are in Spur visiting with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Snider.

### ENJOYABLE WATER MELON PARTY AT SILVER FALLS

One of the entertaining events for Mrs. Virgie Davis, which was inadvertently omitted from the paper last week, was a "water melon party" on Sunday evening at Silver Falls Lake, and given by Mesdames Rob Davis and M. L. Jones, their families being present with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forbis, Miss Virginia Forbis, Duff Green, Mrs. Nellie Davis and Bailey of Rochester. This was only one of a number of pleasant entertainments given for Mrs. Davis during her two weeks visit here from her home in Los Angeles, California.

Wright Henson, of the Cat Fish country, was a recent business visit-

## Soups Test Culinary Skill

BY ETIENNE ALLIO, Chef, Hotel New Yorker, New York City

**S**CUP holds, and deserves, the honor of opening the evening meal in thousands of American homes. Than a perfect soup there is no more delicious dish. Than a poor soup—watery and tasteless—there is no more ruinous prelude to what otherwise might have proved a thoroughly soul and appetite-satisfying repast.

To avoid the disaster of a really poor soup is not difficult. Fairly good results are easy to attain. But to prepare the perfect soup? That is indeed an art which calls for all the housewife's skill in the choice and mixing of ingredients, and the use of seasonings. It is, however, an art which offers as its reward the heartfelt appreciation of all the diners at her board.

**Potage a la Creme d'Epinards**—Carefully wash and stem one-half peck of spinach. Cook in double boiler until tender, being sure that the water is boiling before putting the spinach in the boiler. Rub

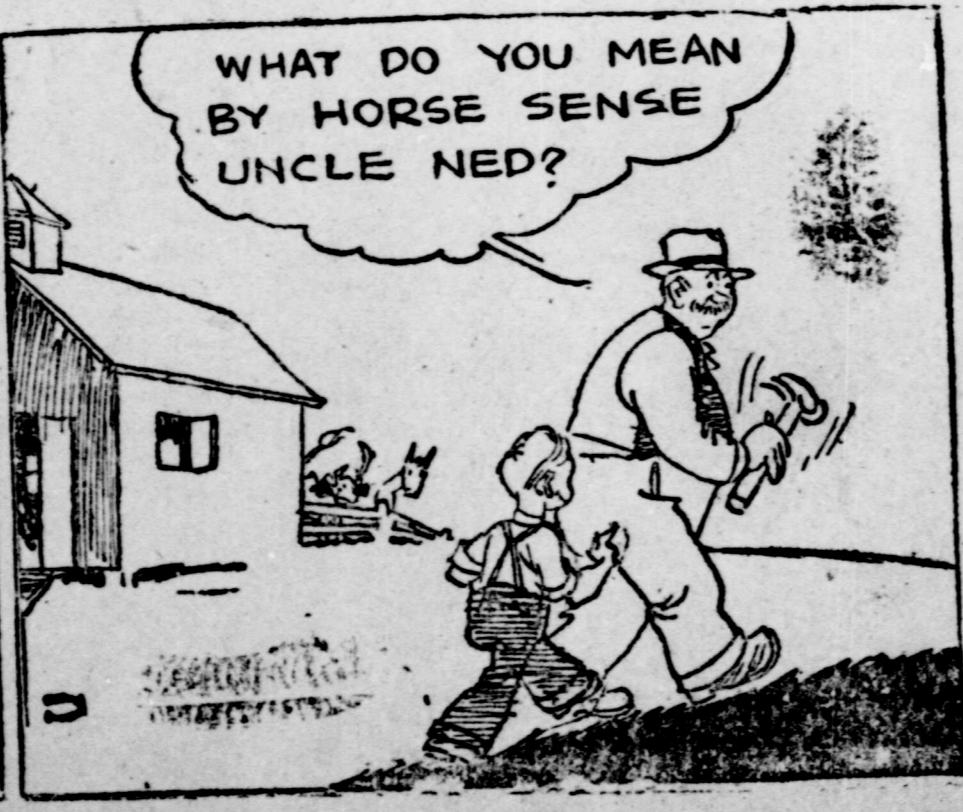
through a colander into a saucepan. Add two cups good stock. Season with salt, pepper, one teaspoon sugar, a pinch of mace. Bring quickly to the boiling point. Stir in one tablespoon butter rolled in one teaspoon flour. Cook one minute and remove from fire.

**Potage Longchamps**—Drain one can of peas into a saucepan. Add two slices of onion, three cups chicken stock, and one and a half teaspoons sugar. Bring to a boil and simmer for one-half hour. Blend in a saucepan, one tablespoon flour with one tablespoon melted butter. Pour in slowly, stirring all the while, the pea mixture. Bring to boiling point; then remove and put through strainer. Add one cup milk and a few sprigs of fresh mint. Reheat, removing mint in about five minutes, after it has had an opportunity to impart its delicate flavor. Add one-half cup cooked vermicelli and season with salt and pepper.

**Potage de Carottes**—Wash, scrape and slice thin, twelve medium-size carrots. Place in saucepan with two tablespoons butter. Season with salt and one teaspoon sugar. Cook slowly, turning constantly until the carrots begin to color. Add two cups good broth and let carrots boil slowly to a glaze. Remove carrots and press through strainer. Return to the broth in the saucepan. Simmer until very hot, and serve.



CHEF ALLIO



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### PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930.

Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas, that Art. V of the Constitution of Texas shall be amended by adding a new section to be known as Section 3a, to read as follows:

"Section 3a. The Supreme Court may sit at any time during the year at the seat of government for the transaction of business and each term thereof shall begin and end with each calendar year."

Section 2. That Section 3 of Art. V of the Constitution of Texas shall be amended by repealing the sentence of said section which reads: "The Supreme Court shall sit for the transaction of business from the first Monday of October in each year until the last Saturday in June of the next year, inclusive, at the Capitol of the State."

Section 3. If the Constitution shall not have been previously amended so as to provide that the Supreme Court shall be open at all times, then, in that event the foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Tuesday, November, A. D. 1930.

(A correct copy.)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

S. J. R. No. 7

### PROPOSING A CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON NOVEMBER 4, 1930.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 11 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

Section 11 In order to enable the Legislature to perform the duties set forth in the foregoing section, it is hereby declared all lands and other property heretofore set apart and appropriated for the establishment and maintenance of the University of Texas, together with all the proceeds of sales of the same, heretofore made or hereafter to be made, and all grants, donations and appropriations that may hereafter be made by the State of Texas or from any other source, shall constitute and become a permanent university fund. And the same as realized and received into the Treasury of the State (together with such sums belonging to the fund, as may now be in the Treasury), shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties of said State, or in obligations and pledges issued by the Board of Regents of the University of Texas, or secured by such obligations and pledges, for the construction of dormitories and other buildings for the use of the University of Texas, or in bonds issued under and by virtue of the Federal Farm Loan Act approved by the President of the United States, July 17, 1916, and amendments thereto; and the interest accruing thereon shall be subject to appropriation by the Legislature to accomplish the purpose declared in the foregoing section; provided, that the one-tenth of the alternate sections of the lands granted to railroads, reserved by the State, which were set apart and appropriated to the establishment of the University of Texas, by an Act of the Legislature of February 11, 1858, entitled, "An Act to establish the University of Texas" shall not be included in, or constitute a part of, permanent university fund."

Sec. 2. Said proposed amendment shall be voted on by the electors of this State qualified to vote on constitutional amendments at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1930.

(A correct copy.)  
JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

Trade at Home  
Edd Potts returned the past week from a trip out to Hobbs, New Mexico, and other points still further West. Edd stated that while he was not "crying" for a job at the time, yet he found labor light and laborers plentiful throughout that oil developing territory.



## How to Play BRIDGE

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Author of "PRACTICAL AUCTION BRIDGE"

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ARTICLE No. 35

One of the charms of Auction is the element of the unexpected. Big hands that are apparently unbeatable, are beaten. Ordinary hands that look unpromising often turn out to contain the exact cards to produce wonderful results. Here are two fine examples. Number One shows what often happens to the apparently unbeatable hand, and Number Two shows how an ordinary hand turns out to be a little slam.

**Example Hand No. 1**

H hearts—9, 8, 3	H hearts—7, 6, 2
C clubs—8, 6, 3	C clubs—5
D diamonds—Q, 9, 8, 6	D diamonds—A, 10, 5
S spades—9, 8, 5	S spades—A, K, Q, J, 4, 2

Y : A : B :  
Z : C : D :

H hearts—A, K, Q, J, 10, 4  
C clubs—Q, J, 9, 7, 4, 2  
D diamonds—K  
S spades—none

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and when he looked at his hand, he had the comforting thought "Here's a wonderful hand that ought to win the rubber". But see what happened to him: He made an original bid of four hearts, A and Y passed and B, of course, bid four spades, the bid Z was trying to shut out. Z now correctly bid five clubs, to show his other suit and thus give his partner the choice between hearts and clubs. A, of course, doubled five clubs and Y bid five hearts. This bid is correct, although his holding in hearts and clubs is practically the same. His partner had already shown his preference for hearts so Y should do likewise so long as both suits are of the same strength.

B now bid five spades and Z began to wonder if his wonderful hand was really so wonderful after all. A's double of five clubs indicated that the top clubs were against him and that a bid of six hearts couldn't be made; but, on the other hand, it looked as if A B could make five spades. For that reason Z decided to bid six hearts, not with any idea of making it, but solely as a justifiable overbid to save game and rubber. A doubled and all passed.

In the play, A B must win three clubs and one diamond trick, so that Y Z lose their contract by three tricks, less 100 honors, or a net loss of 200 points. That was a good sacrifice is apparent for Y Z easily could have made five spades. Z, however, was very downcast for his apparently unbeatable hand had cost him 200 points.

**Example Hand No. 2**

H hearts—Q, J, 7	H hearts—K, 6, 3
C clubs—4	C clubs—A, J, 10, 7, 3
D diamonds—A, 9, 7, 6	D diamonds—Q, 8, 3
S spades—A, J, 7, 6, 2	S spades—Q, 8

Y : A : B :  
Z : C : D :

H hearts—10, 9, 8, 5  
C clubs—Q, 9, 8  
D diamonds—K, 10, 5  
S spades—9

No score, rubber game. Z dealt and bid one heart. This is an ordinary average hand so Z had no idea of just what it develops. A passed and Y bid one spade. B bid two clubs and Z bid two no trumps. A passed and Y bid three hearts. All passed and A opened the four of spades.

Z won this trick in Y's hand with the ace and led the four of clubs. B won this trick with the ace of clubs and led back the trey of hearts. Z let this run up to Y's hand and won the trick with the seven of hearts. Three tricks have now been played. How should Z play the balance so that he will score a small slam against any defense? Think this over before you read the following:

Solution: At trick four, Z should lead the deuce of spades from Y's hand and trump in his own hand with the eight of hearts. At tricks five and six, Z should lead the king and queen of clubs and discard the six and seven of diamonds from Y's hand. At trick seven Z should lead a low diamond from his hand and win the trick in Y's hand with the ace.

At trick eight, he should lead the nine of diamonds from Y's hand and win the trick in his own hand with the king. At trick nine he should lead the ten of diamonds and trump in Y's hand with the jack of hearts.

At trick ten Z should lead the six of spades from Y's hand and trump in his own hand with the nine of hearts. On this lead of spades, B should discard a club. He cannot trump or he will surely lose his king of hearts and so make the small slam easy for Z. At trick eleven, Z should lead the losing club from his hand and trump in Y's hand with the queen of hearts. At trick twelve, B has left the king six of hearts and Z has the ace ten. Z must win the last two tricks.

Played in this way, and A B have no defense, Y Z must make a small slam. In other words, Z's ordinary, average hand turned out to be a wonderful hand, due to a good break of luck and skillful play. Never despair of a bad hand or exult over a good one, for you never can tell until the cards are played out what the result will be.

**Problem No. 29**

H hearts—8, 6, 3, 2	H hearts—K, 6, 5
C clubs—Q, 8	C clubs—A, 10, 7, 3
D diamonds—J, 5	D diamonds—Q, 8, 3
S spades—none	S spades—10, 6, 2

Y : A : B :  
Z : C : D :

H hearts—Q, J, 10  
C clubs—none  
D diamonds—K, 9  
S spades—Q, 9, 7

Diamonds are trumps and Z is in the lead. How can Y Z win the last two of the eight tricks against any defense? Solution in the next article.

Dr. P. C. Nichols last week returned from a business and professional trip and visit with relatives in Abilene.

Mrs. Jim Blair and daughter, Mrs. Jack Lusk, of Dickens, were among those shopping in Spur last week end.

## Summer Is Sandwich Time

By JOSEPH BOGGIA, Chef  
The Plaza Hotel, New York City

FROM the dainty, three-cornered sandwich served with afternoon tea on the porch or in the garden, to the substantial affair that becomes the main dish for lunch or supper, or the in-between one that goes with us on picnics, the sandwich fits perfectly into the summer menu.

The rules for making sandwiches are easy to learn and follow. Wash and dry your lettuce. Cut the bread thin, removing the crusts. Cream the butter by working it with a spoon until it becomes soft and pliable. Season the filling with due care, and spread it evenly. Remove all gristle and superfluous fat from the meat. There you have all the fundamentals of the sandwich-making art.

**Piquant Cheese Sandwiches**—Mix together one cup sour cream, three eggs, one tablespoon butter, one tablespoon sugar, one teaspoon salt, one teaspoon mustard. Beat sufficiently to break up the eggs, but not enough to make them frothy. Place over boiling water and stir until mixture begins to thicken. Add gradually three tablespoons hot vinegar. When mixture coats the spoon thickly remove and put aside to cool. Put through food chopper one and a half pounds American cheese and four seeded sweet red peppers. Mix together and add enough of the cream dressing to make the final mixture spread easily. Spread smoothly and evenly between thin slices of bread. Fine for picnics.

**Derbyshire Sandwiches**—Run through the meat grinder enough finely sliced boiled ham to make one cup of it when minced. Add one-half teaspoon mixed mustard, few drops tobaco sauce, one teaspoon sugar, salt and pepper to taste, and enough Chill sauce to make a smooth paste. Spread on thin slices of buttered bread. Sprinkle with grated American cheese. Cover each with second slice of thn, buttered bread. Place in oven until bread is lightly browned. Serve immediately.

**Madison Club Special**—Put through meat grinder enough cooked veal and cooked tongue to make one-half cup of each. Add one teaspoon vinegar, one teaspoon mixed mustard, one-half teaspoon sugar, two tablespoons mayonnaise, one tablespoon tomato ketchup. Mix thoroughly and spread evenly on buttered slices of bread.



Chef Boggia

Melvin Landers this week left the city and the state, Mrs. Landers now being in charge of the business. He has gone to Boise, Oklahoma, with a herd of cattle which he will "farm out" to people of that section for feeding purposes as well as dairying. Present conditions are forcing the sale of milk cows and other livestock which otherwise would be profitable in remaining on the premises. The Oklahoma country is said to be in fairly good shape in comparison with other sections.

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This prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative. It has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds, fevers. At your druggist, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.



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Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lambert, of Lubbock, were here the past week visiting with relatives and friends. Mr. Lambert was formerly manager of the Pitchfork Ranch, but is now engaged in the real estate and land loan business at Lubbock. However, he evidently is not pleased with this character of business, however profitable it may be, since he informed us that he is seriously considering accepting a position with another one of the few remaining ranches of the West.

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J. P. Goen was in Spur the week from his ranch the northwest of Dickens, reports everything o. k. on the land throughout that section country.

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## MODEL TAILORS

Ol Taylor, of Duck Creek, was in the city one day the first of the week. He reports fine rains last week throughout the Duck Creek, Antelope and other communities of that part of the Spur country. The local rains of the past week were of inestimable benefit to the sections covered—but not being general the drouth is not broken, and the moisture of localities covered will soon be gone.

—Trade at Home—  
W. M. Walker returned last week to Spur from Hobbs where he had been visiting with his son, Jim Walker and family. Mr. Walker states that the Hobbs oil field is booming in comparison with other sections of the country at this time. However, as oil field work goes, the field is not inviting to more labor than is at present on the ground.

W. H. Deuwall, of the Twin Wells community, called in one day last week, having his paper discontinued for a time, stating that he and family were leaving for Corsicana and other points in that part of Texas to pick cotton in an endeavor to provide funds sufficient to meet living expenses, failing to make a surplus in recouping from the effects of the protracted drouth. Here is hoping they strike it rich—and that in the meantime a "chunk mover" will break the drouth here.

—Trade at Home—  
John Murdock, of the Girard section of country, with his son, were in Spur Wednesday trading with the live-wire merchants, John Murdock has been in this country some twenty or thirty years. He has been here long enough to know and appreciate Western conditions, and states that times are tighter now than ever before, and that nothing like this has ever happened before. We all realize that we are up against the real thing, and that there is no occasion to try to fool ourselves with reference to conditions now confronting us.

—Trade at Home—  
Charley McKay is now in the Corpus Christi country, taking advantages of early cotton picking employment. Mrs. McKay states that he writes that sixty five and seventy five cents a hundred is being paid for picking at this time, and that he has picked as much as three hundred pounds in a day. It may not be very remunerative to travel such long distance for temporary employment—but it beats doing nothing and bringing in less.

—Trade at Home—  
Wright Henson, of the Cat Fish country, was a recent business visitor in Spur.

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Nightwatchman W. M. Malone recently spent ten days with his mother in Waco. During his absence his son, Frederick, had charge of the second hand furniture business, and Mr. Malone admitted that during his absence Frederick did more business, took in more money and turned the business back into his hands even in better shape than when he left it.

—Trade at Home—

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Gipson and daughter, Donna Lou, Mrs. J. A. Blair, and Fred Arrington, of Dickens, left Saturday for Los Angeles, California, where they will visit relatives and friends, as well as sight-seeing.

Will Young, of Red Hill, was in town Wednesday. In a friendly manner we endeavored to interview him with reference to rural conditions and the rains especially in his section—but he in just as friendly manner, but firmly, forbid the interview, stating that he wanted no man to talk to him about rain at this time. The local rain last week failed to reach that section of the great Spur country.

—Trade at Home—  
Mr. Gatling and daughter, of McAdoo, were shopping and transacting other business affairs in Spur Monday of this week.

—Trade at Home—

### Advertising, Like Business, Must be Continuous

It is superfluous to say that commercial enterprises must be open every business day to be successful. Still many merchants who keep their doors open figuratively close them to a vast group of customers, whose index to buying is the Texas Spur columns, by not advertising weekly. Without advertising that merchant's business is closed for the day to a number of potential buyers.

John Wanamaker once said, "continuous advertising, like continuous work, is most effective. If there is any enterprise in the world that a quitter should leave alone it is advertising. Advertising does not jerk, it pulls. It begins very gently at first, but the pull is steady. It increases day by day, year by year, until it exerts an irresistible power. To discontinue your advertisement is the same thing as taking down your sign. If you want to do business you must let the public know it. I would as soon think of doing business without clerks as without advertising."

Even the Editor Can't Please Everybody — By Albert T. Reid

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**FARM-NOTES**

By E. L. TANNER, COUNTY AGENT DICKENS COUNTY

**Cotton Leaf Worm Shows Up In Dickens County**

Cotton leaf worm has shown up in quantities in several parts of the county. Up around Prairie Chapple and the Afton Community on the sandy loam soils in particular this pest is found. As many as sixteen caterpillars of all ages were found to the stalk. In the Spur Community they have appeared on the same type of soil. In most sections of Texas where people are lucky enough to have a crop they are having to do some poisoning.

**Nortex Oats**

Nortex is the name of a variety of red winter oats developed at the Denton Experiment Station a few years ago. Several people in Dickens County have grown a few of them. These oats at Denton yield from one-fourth to twice as many bushels to the acre as ordinary red oats. They can be obtained from the Denton County Pedigreed Grain Association, Denton Texas and are state certified and guaranteed to be free from Johnson grass.

**On Feeding Wheat To Livestock**

On top of all our local hard luck of drought for three years there comes the drought that covers several states and particularly the corn belt states. That means that corn should be pretty scarce and high. Wheat is cheap. It has been going up a little lately and probably just as soon as the price of corn settles down it will go still higher. They tell me that you can buy wheat on the plains for a dollar and less. If wheat is selling for a dollar a bushel you can pay \$27 per ton for maize heads and come out even so far as feeding value is concerned. If wheat is worth \$1.20 per bushel you can pay \$34 per ton for maize heads and come out even.

In feeding wheat experiment stations advocate that it be ground very coarsely for all animals except sheep which animal they say uses it best whole. On account of the fact that wheat is gummy when mixed in the stomach it should be fed with bulky roughness as much as possible.

**Sweet Clover Pasture and Cheap Butterfat Production**

By far the cheapest butterfat produced anywhere is produced on pasture of sweet clover. Sweet clover is produced in all climates and all types of soil. It will grow here in Dickens County as well as anywhere else. Only one stand of sweet clover has been obtained the past two years here that I know of that lived thru. However this is nothing against the crop. Five men that I know of have tried it out. They are not discouraged and expect to try it again. Sweet clover will give pasturage for five months the first year and then three months the second year. The first year it should be pastured from about June first till frost which will be around five months. The second year it comes from the roots and should be up and ready about the first of April and will give a heavy crop till about July, and if it

is pastured heavily until the first of August, at that time it will seed out and die.

There is no nation or community in all history which has become permanently prosperous in its agriculture which has not had a good and sound system of pastures. And likewise there is no nation or community which has been permanently prosperous in its agriculture which has not had a system of legumes for restoring soil fertility. Sweet clover answers both of these problems and sooner or later it will become a permanent part of Dickens County Agriculture.

It is a crop which has to be studied and mastered so that you can depend on a stand. It can be planted either in fall or spring. The seed to plant an acre should cost about fifty cents at the present writing.

**The Four Horsemen of Good Farming**

The FOUR HORSEMEN of good farming are (1) volume of business or acre of farm, (2) crop returns above average for the Community, (3) livestock returns above the average for the community, (4) efficiency of labor or more than average crop and livestock per man.

The four above points were found in the survey of over four thousand farms by the U.S.D.A. to be the controlling factors as to who was making money. It was found that of these 4000 farmers those who were above the average of the community in which they lived in only one of these factors were making only fifty cents; those who were above average in two factors were making \$1; those who were above the average of the community in three factors made \$1.75 and those who were above average in all four of them made \$2.75. In short the man who worked a little more land than the average neighbor; who got a little better yields than the average neighbor; who got more money out of livestock than the average neighbor; and who had a little more land in cultivation than the neighbor—this man made \$2.75 where the other boys were only making \$1.

The results of the above surveys can be found in Farmers Bulletin 1139 of the U. S. D. A. and I will have a supply for distribution in about ten days. If you want to analyze your farm business and find out just where you stand drop in and get one.

**"Jimnie" at Rest.**



New York's popular mayor, Hon. James J. Walker, taking his ease in Bernuda where he went to recuperate from his strenuous job.

Miss Rosie Boling, of Lubbock, is in the city the guest of Mrs. H. V. Turner. Trade at Home. Miss Vivian Baskin, of Abilene, is the guest of Mrs. Lawis Lee at her

**TO VISIT CITY**

Five women below are to be the score or more in the Women's National Derby which will include several hours here, 21, landing and taking from Lubbock's new airport which is likely to be completed with the arrival of the



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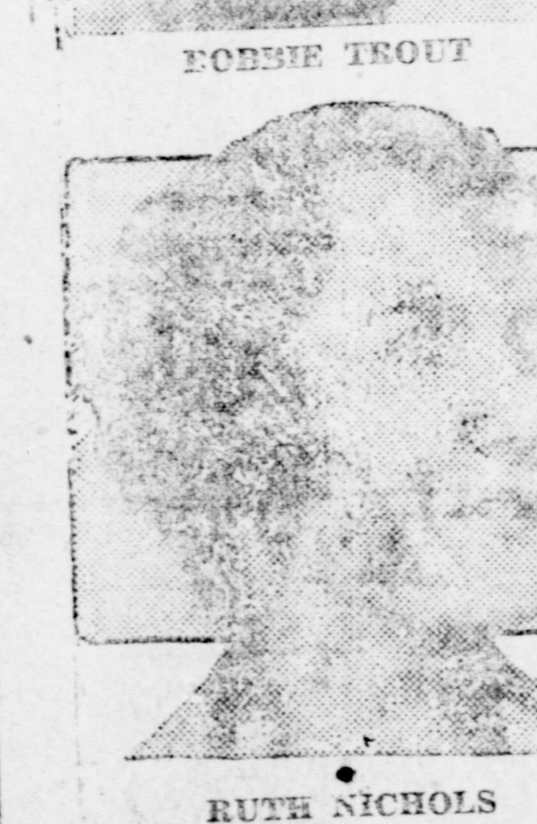
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RUTH ELDER CAMP



CORBIE TROUT



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**Boxer Now Actor**



Georges Carpentier, who fought Dempsey for the heavyweight championship, returns to America, to act in the talkies.

Trade at Home. Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forbis left their town home this week for the Forbis ranch where they will spend some time. Max McClure went along with them and will be "straw boss" during his stay on the ranch.

**FEDERAL AID IS SOUGHT ON THE SPUR-DICKENS HIGHWAY**

**Federal Inspector to be Here Soon to Make a Survey.**

The Texas Spur was informed by Judge Newberry that the Commissioners Court of Dickens County had recently made application for Federal Aid on that part of the highway from Spur to Dickens, and that an inspector would be on the ground within a short time to make a survey of the situation with reference to the granting of recognition and aid by the Federal Department.

This part of the highway was formerly recognized by the Federal Department and received aid, but the recognition and aid was withdrawn.

We understand that the Federal Department withdrew its aid and recognition because of the inability to secure the required one hundred-foot right-of-way through the City of Spur and in accord with the surveys made and the desired routing on the part of those in authority.

It would be a wise move now on the part of the City authorities to arrange for securing a one hundred-foot right-of-way through the corporate limits of Spur, or else be prepared to either lose this highway, probably altogether, or have it miss the town entirely. We all have worked too hard and spent too much money in building and maintaining a system of highways to now be deprived of a Federal and State designated and aided highway—but the Federal requirements and desires must be met without quibbling in order to secure Federal recognition and aid.

We would prefer to have the highway routed as it now is, to run thru the city along the main streets, but since a one-hundred-foot right-of-way would be too costly, we suggest that the one hundred feet demanded could be most practically provided through the west part of the city limits, in a direct course south from where the highway now enters the city limits, by the high school and directly to the railway right-of-way and from whence it could then be extended on either the north or the south side of the railway, as preferred or designated by highway engineers.

Let us urge the "City Dads" to now get busy on this highway proposition, see that the demands of the state and federal highway departments are fully met, in order that road work may not be further delayed and the city, as well as the people of all sections may have the advantages and benefits of better highways built and maintained by both federal and state aid as well as county tax funds.

**Smartest Boy**



Arthur O. Williams, of Providence, R. I., winner of the annual four-year educational prize given by Thomas A. Edison. Young Williams is 17 and won the scholarship over 47 other boys.

Trade at Home. J. P. Goen was here the past week from his ranch home northwest of Dickens.

**Bishop Attacked**



Rev. James Cannon, Jr., Methodist Bishop of Virginia, whose activities as a "dry" lobbyist are under scrutiny by church and Congressional authorities

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**CARD OF THANKS**

We sincerely thank our many friends and acquaintances for their kindness and sympathy during the protracted illness and death of our loved one, Gene. May God be your consolation should you have to suffer such a loss as ours.—Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Rogers and family; Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rogers; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Nichols and family of Roaring Springs.

**LOWER RED MUD NEWS.**

Everybody on Red Mud is all smiles, since it rained last night. School started Tuesday morning, and there is a good attendance.

Our Sunday school is progressing nicely. There are 128 enrolled.

The Epworth League organized a Junior class Sunday. We have prayer meeting every Wednesday night and there is good attendance.

Misses Audrey and Emma Lewis visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fuqua Wednesday and Thursday.

There was an ice cream supper and birthday supper given Mrs. Bettie Cravey Thursday night, seventy odd people being present and enjoying the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Johnson and mother left Tuesday for East Texas to visit friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker have gone on a cotton picking trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Smith are visiting J. J. Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lewis are visiting L. B. Fuqua and family this week end.

A. C. Berguson and family moved this week to Donna, down in the Rio Grande Valley where he is establishing his top and paint shop. Bill Flournoy accompanied them.

Trade at Home. G. W. Mayfield of Girard is reported critically ill.

Trade at Home. R. J. Hairgrove was smilingly meeting his friends on the streets Wednesday.

**1.67 INCHES RAIN REGISTERED IN LAST WEEK**

The rain of last Thursday and Friday registered a total of 1.67 inches at the experiment station gauge. The rain was confined to local communities, but was of inestimable value in that it will prolong the life of crops and make green grass come. Clouds are forming as we go to press, and it may be that a general rain will come to break the long protracted drought.

WANTED—Washing at twenty five cents per dozen, one block south of Junior High School building.—Mrs. Mamie Weaver. lfto.

Trade at Home. A. H. KING

of Throckmorton, candidate for Commissioner of Agriculture in the runoff, has been identified with the agricultural interests and development of West Texas for more than twenty years. He has been in the legislature several terms and has always fought to preserve the integrity of the land laws, and was instrumental in establishing the Texas Technological College. He proposes to take the work of the department into the country and render aid to the real dirt farmer.

He thanks the voters of Dickens County for the splendid vote given him in the first primary and trusts you will see proper to give him even a stronger support August 23rd. (Paid political advertisement.)

**Rifle Champion**



Miss M. E. Foster, English woman who amazed everybody by out-shooting the crack shots of the British Army and winning the King's Trophy

Trade at Home. W. P. Foster and Steve Crocker returned this week from the harvest fields where they have been several weeks. They were in Wyoming and Nebraska—but refused to give any the details of the trip.

**PRICES GOOD ALL THIS WEEK!**

48lbs. Golden Crust Flour \$1.25

24lbs Golden Crust Flour .70c

24lb. Kiln Dried Cream Meal 59c

10lb. Kiln Dried Cream Meal 28c

**ALL FOR**

10 Bars Naptha Soap  
1 Can Clenser  
1 Box Soap Chips  
1 Bar Toilet Soap

**39c**

5lb. Large White Beans ... 38c

**TIRES AND TUBES.**

30x3 1/2 Tubes (Guaranteed) .75c

29.440 Tubes (Guaranteed) .85c

Other sizes priced in proportion.

Nothing charged at these prices. The reason we can sell at these low prices, we buy on time and sell for the cash.

YOURS TRULY

**MELVIN LANDERS**