



Methodist Revival Begins Sunday

The Methodist Church has made extensive plans for their revival this year, and everything is in readiness for the first services which begin next Sunday morning, August 25. The morning services will be held in the church auditorium and the evening services will be held in the grove just to the rear of the church building.

The Evangelist

The congregation has secured the services of Rev. Ray N. Johnson, who is beyond question the most successful young evangelist in Texas Methodism today. He is pastor of the Government Hill Methodist Church in San Antonio, which is a very difficult field to handle.

The Singer

W. M. Culwell, who led the singing in the spring revival, will return to direct the choir. The people of Spur had ample opportunity to learn of his ability and consecration at that time. The congregation could not have secured a more satisfactory choir director and young people's worker than he is.

NOTICE

All merchants or business men are hereby notified that the Spur Independent School Board will not be responsible for any account unless signed requisition for each order accompanies purchaser. Such requisition must bear the signature of either the Superintendent of Schools or Secretary of the School Board.

UTILITIES OFFICIALS HERE WEDNESDAY

A number of the officials of the West Texas Utilities Company were in our city Wednesday looking over the business of the local office. Since the local office won the first prize in merchandise sales, the high officials thought they had better pay a visit here and learn how it is being done.

MORE BOYS FOR CCC CAMP

The authorities of the local relief office stated that they can use some more boys to send to CCC camps. An additional allotment has been made to Dickens County to leave between Aug. 27 and 31. The local relief office requests boys who wish to go to report there on or before Monday, August 26. This may be the last call.

CALLED TO CLOVIS CHURCH

Wright Randolph, minister of the Church of Christ at Slaton, has accepted a call to the church at Clovis, Mexico, and will take up his work there soon. Mr. Randolph was with a Spur church a number of years and is an able minister. He was secretary of the Slaton Chamber of Commerce and tendered his resignation at a meeting Monday evening.

Sam Morris Told Story Of Whiskey-Effects

Rev. Sam Morris spoke in Spur Thursday afternoon of last week in behalf of prohibition in Texas. Mr. Morris stated that he was not out in the interest of any organization or association, but was speaking in behalf of a principle of long standing and in the interests of future generations. He cited that the church people in Texas would not commercialize the character of young womanhood and young manhood like the breweries distillers. The only reason why some people are so interested in getting whiskey back in Texas is that it will afford them a means of making a few dollars, in the way Mr. Morris analyzed the situation.

Increasing Interest As Baptist Revival Enters Second Week

The revival under the auspices of the First Baptist Church, is still in progress. Rev. Webb has been bringing some very spiritual messages at every service. There have been large congregations and the singing is very interesting.

School Enrollment Friday

The high school enrollment will begin Friday, August 23rd, at nine o'clock a. m. until twelve o'clock noon. Juniors will be enrolled from two o'clock p. m. until four o'clock. All other students will be enrolled Monday, September second. All students are requested to bring their book cards with them. New students enrolling in the high school for the first time should have a transcript of credits made at other schools.

Football Camp Opened With Forty

The Spur High School Football camp opened Tuesday with forty boys enlisting for the preliminary training period. Fundamentals are being taught these first few days with conditioning receiving its share.

The camp is under the direction of head coach Blackie Wadeck. He is being assisted by L. J. (Lefty) Solis, assistant coach and 1934 Captain Frosty Bostic.

Lefty Solis, who finished his school work this summer at Texas Technological College, will be remembered as a sensational half back on the Matador team of 1932 and 1933. He is a well qualified coach and school man and will be a distinct addition to the coaching staff.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Letter men in camp are: McCombs, Captain and end; Bingham, end; Gilbert, tackle; Perkins, tackle; Hefner, tackle; Willhoit, center; Foster, guard; Chapman, half and Suits, half. Reserve guards are: Red Garner, Pete Willhoit, Bill Caraway, Spencer Lisenby. Reserve ends are: Pershing Lee, Bill Sandlin, Willard Williams and Little Bingham. Reserve tackles are: Herbert Paulner, George Murphy and Pete Willhoit. Reserve half backs are: Gus Meadows, Thomas Haralson, J. B. Haralson, Iworth Hahn, Bill Hahn, Jim Sparks, J. C. Draper, Raymond Smith, Bob Harrold, Gordon Cravy, Wade Scott, Jake Lucas, Victor Arrington, Junior Martin, Denton Draper, J. L. Hutto and James Culbert.

Coach Wadeck has extended an invitation to the public to visit the camp and watch the work out. The stadium is looking good and the grass is being well taken care of.

Mrs. C. H. McCully and children, Joyce and Alton, are in New Mexico this week visiting her brother, Fred Miller.

Election Judges Announced For Saturday

The judges for the various election precincts for the special election to be held Saturday have been announced by the County Commissioners Court. There are 17 voting boxes in the county and the rules and regulations for this special election are the same as those for any other election. The polls will open at eight o'clock Saturday morning and will close at seven o'clock in the evening. Seven proposed Constitutional amendments is all that is to be voted on Saturday.

- No. 1, Dickens, Willow Street. No. 2, Liberty (Midway) G. W. Bennett. No. 3, Afton, J. F. Young. No. 4, Dry Lake, J. C. Dopson. No. 5, Red Mud, J. M. Davis. No. 6, Duck Creek, T. E. Gregory. No. 7, Wichita, G. C. Pierce. No. 8, Dumont, Floyd Forrest. No. 9, Croton, J. P. Legg. No. 10, West Spur, V. C. Smart. No. 11, McAdoo, J. F. Phifer. No. 12, Duncan Flat, Joe M. Rose. No. 13, Highway, R. L. English. No. 14, Espuela, C. A. Brinell. No. 15, Red Hill, Elmer Shugart. No. 16, East Spur, Jephtha Craft. No. 17, Prairie Chapel, W. F. McCarty.

Bumpus Moving Coffee Shop This Week

W. M. Bumpus stated this week that the Spur Coffee Shop will move into its new home just south of Sanders-Chastain Pharmacy Saturday night in time to serve Sunday dinners. The Coffee Shop will remain open where it now is for Saturday night, but will not get into the new place in time for breakfast Sunday morning.

Thursday evening, August 29, the Coffee Shop will have its formal opening from eight o'clock until ten o'clock. Mr. Bumpus said there will be coffee and doughnuts, or iced tea and doughnuts for the adults and ice cream for the kiddies. Everybody is welcome.

The Coffee Shop has been under the management of Mr. Bumpus in its present location since March, 1929. He said that in the new place he will be better equipped to serve the people and could give better attention to those who visited him.

'Plane, She Blew Up!' First Word of Crash Of Will Rogers And Wiley Post

We reproduce the story of Sargent Stanley R. Morgan in charge of the radio station at Point Barrow, Alaska, as he radioed it to Washington after hearing it from a native Eskimo who ran 15 miles to tell of the tragedy of Will Rogers and Wiley Post. United Press Correspondent Frank J. Daugherty and Sargeant Morgan were the only two white men in the party that found the lifeless and crushed bodies of the victims. The story as produced in the Sunday issue of the Dallas News is as follows:

POINT BARROW, Alaska, Aug. 17. At 10 p. m. Thursday I was attracted by a group of excited natives on the beach and, walking down, I discovered one native all out of breath, gasping in pidgin English the strange tale of "Airplane she blew up."

After repeated questioning I learned that this native had witnessed the crash of an airplane at his sealing camp some fifteen miles south of Point Barrow and that he had run the entire distance to summon aid. The native claimed that the plane, flying very low, suddenly appeared from the south and apparently sighting the tents, circled several times and finally settled down on the small river near the camp. Two men climbed out, one wearing a rag on his sore eye (Post), and the other a big man with boots (Rogers).

The big man then called a native to the water's edge and asked the direction and distance to Point Barrow. The direction given, the men then climbed back into the plane and taxied off to the far side of the river for the take-off into the wind. Noses Into Water. After a short run the plane slowly lifted from the water to a height of about fifty feet, banking slightly to the right when, evidently the motor stalled. The plane slipped off on the right wing and nosed down into the water, turning completely over, and the natives claimed a dull explosion occurred and most of the right wing dropped off and a film of gasoline and oil soon covered the water.

Cap-Rock Life Open For Business

The Cap-Rock Life Insurance Company, a local organization, opened doors for business Saturday and seems to be going at a whirlwind rate. This new company is made up of local people and is organized under the supervision of the State Department of Insurance just like an old line company. The officers and directors were forced to file a bond of several thousand dollars to protect the policy holders which makes it an almost gold bond institution.

The officers are: President, Ned Hogan; Vice President, L. E. Lee; Secretary-Treasurer, R. C. Brown; Director, Sam T. Clemmons; Medical Advisor, Dr. Bob Alexander. The official family say that it is a home institution to serve home people and has not been organized to sell and to speculate on. The rates meet the approval of the State Department of Insurance and are adequate to take care of the situation.

The burial association which Mr. Brown had organized was somewhat overthrown in its plan by a change of the laws, and he stated that the new company will, in a measure, take care of the burial side.

BACK FROM MARKET

Mrs. J. L. Rosamond, of Bryant-Link Company, is back on the job this week after two weeks vacation and trip to market. Mrs. Rosamond stated that the markets are lively this year and indication for good business is in the feeling of all. When asked if she secured a good line she stated, "Yes, one of the best this store has ever stocked."

Bryant-Link Company has always carried a good line of merchandise, and especially so in ready to wear.

MUSIC CLASSES TO START

I will start classes in violin and piano Monday, September 2. For information please see me at my home on West Third Street. Mrs. W. R. Jimison.

Miss Vera Shepherd returned Sunday from a visit with her sister, Mrs. Ralph Stewart at Brownfield, and is again on the job at the Speer's Variety Store.

Installing New Store In Abilene

Dick Speer and James Snider left Tuesday for Abilene where they will be several days installing a new variety store. Mr. Speer stated that he would need to be in Abilene several days in order to get the stock of merchandise installed and get business to going just right.

Mrs. Speer plans to leave the first of the week to assist with the work. Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Snider will arrive Sunday to take charge of the local store temporarily while Mr. and Mrs. Speer are away. Just how long it will require their presence in Abilene is not known. The location of the Abilene store is 152 Chestnut Street. It is to be a large store of its kind.

Trench Silo Demonstration To Be Friday, Aug. 23

E. R. Eudaly, Dairy Specialist, will demonstrate proper methods of construction and filling trench silos. The demonstration will be held ten miles east of Guthrie, on the Martin Ranch just off of Highway 24. All those interested should make their plans to attend this demonstration. It will be an all day affair, so make plans to spend the day.

CAP-ROCK SOFTBALL LEAGUE

Spur is still leading the Cap-Rock Soft Ball League with six victories and one defeat. The Jayton Red Shirts came to town Monday and with a barrage of home runs downed the locals for their first loss. Dickens came down last Friday and played a nip-and-tuck affair that wound up with Spur winning 6 to 5.

Results for the week are as follows: August 14th: Spur at Roaring Springs, 2-13; Girard at Jayton, 12 to 7. August 16th: Dickens at Spur, 5-6; Roaring Springs at Girard, 8-12. August 19th: Jayton at Spur, 14-12; Girard at Dickens, 6-7.

Table with columns: Team, W, L, Pct. Spur 6, 1, .833; Girard 4, 3, .570; Dickens 3, 3, .500; Jayton 2, 4, .333; Roaring Springs 1, 5, .167.

Games this week will complete the second round. Places for playing the third round games are to be decided by the two teams playing.

In last week's report it was stated that Jayton defeated Girard 5 to 3 on Aug. 7th. This was an error, Girard won the game 5 to 3.

Old Settlers In Session At Roaring Springs

The Motley-Dickens County Old Settlers Association go into convention at ten o'clock this morning at the gymnasium at Roaring Springs school. A very fine program has been outlined for the day. Memorial services will be held before dinner and the business session will be taken care of.

The afternoon will consist of reports from the various early settlers, giving experiences of early days. A big ball game and roping contest will feature the afternoon programs too. An old time square dance will be given the old timers tonight in the school gymnasium.

Taxes In Dickens County Below State Average

"Combining taxing districts in Dickens County owe a debt of \$78.76 for each person in the county," said State Auditor Orville S. Carpenter last week about the recent "Report on Taxes and Indebtedness of Local Units of Government in Texas for 1934."

"Dickens County's per capita debt is below the State average of \$115.10 for all local units of government. Some counties have debts averaging as high as \$400 or \$500 for each person," Carpenter said.

The indebtedness of local units of government in Dickens County at time of this survey was \$677,373. The largest item was \$333,732 county road and bridge warrants and bonds. Units considered were school districts, road districts, cities, and the county itself. "Property listed on the Dickens County tax rolls was valued at \$10,251,280. The records show that an average of 50 per cent of the true value was used for assessments. Other counties have assessment bases ranging from 20 to 100 per cent average of their property value," Carpenter stated.

DISTRICT COURT BUSINESS

After being in session for two days the grand jury returned ten felony charges to the Court. The Spur Motor Company cases were all settled out of court.

Spur Schools To Open Sept. 2

Just one week from next Monday the students of Spur School District will assemble at the various schools in the city to start a new year of work. The various buildings are being gone over and the needed repairs made, preparatory to the opening of the new term of school. Nearly 90 teachers have been employed on the faculty, and the School Board have been very careful in the selection of this faculty. It is the hope of the board and all others that this will be the banner school year for Spur.

The faculty assignment is as follows: O. C. Thomas, Superintendent. East Ward School. F. F. Vernon, Principal and High Fourth Grade.

Miss Ruby Rae Williamson, Low Fourth. Miss Athelda Yeats, High Third. Miss Charlish Hayes, Low Third. Mrs. Jane Douglas Wilson McArthur, High Second.

Mrs. Dan H. Zachry, Low Second. Miss Wilma McArthur, High First. Miss Annie Mae Lassetter, Low First. Mrs. F. G. Collier, Low First.

Junior High School. H. C. Foote, Principal, History. Miss Minibel Johnson, Geography. Mrs. Rachel Langston Barfoot, Arithmetic.

Mrs. A. O. White, Reading. Mrs. O. L. Kelley, English. Mrs. Violet McKnight, Music. L. D. Solis, History. Senior High School. O. L. Kelley, Principal, Mathematics.

Miss Pauline Buster, English. Miss Sarah McNeill, English. Mrs. Ila Lassetter Johnson, History. O. F. Martin, History. David Sisto, Spanish. G. B. Wadzeck, Mathematics. Miss Virginia Murray, Home Economics.

C. B. Middleton, Vocational Agriculture. Miss Quannah Lewis, Public Speaking. Burgess Brown, Science. Supt. Thomas will teach the commercial course this year.

Further announcements will be made next week relative to arrangements for opening exercises the first day. Opening programs will be made out for each school and definite plans specified for the opening day. People are invited to be present for the opening day exercises. In fact, Spur Schools have always been open for visits from the patrons.

Patton Springs School Starts September 2

The Patton Springs school will open the 1935-36 term, Monday, September 2. Fifteen teachers will comprise the faculty for the current year. In addition to the courses offered last year, Home Economics will be offered this year. Commercial courses will be offered as usual, and Vocational Agriculture will be continued, with an additional year work for second year pupils being given. A new farm shop has been completed during the summer and will be ready for occupancy with the opening of the current term.

Seven buses will be operated this year. One new bus has been purchased to replace an old one used last year. The bus routes will be operated substantially as they were last year. The old routes will be served as they were last year, and some extensions will be made to accommodate new additions to the school. Population changes within the district always necessitate some minor bus route changes from year to year. Everyone served by the buses last year may rest assured that the same service, or better if possible, will be given them this year. Bruce Scoggins will drive the Deer Lake bus, Joe Offield and Abe Morgan will drive the Croton buses. E. M. Richardson and Sam Putman will handle the Midway buses. A. J. Dozier will take care of the Chandler bus, and F. M. McCarty will be back on the job with the Duncan Flat bus.

Appropriate opening exercises will be held at the school beginning 9:00 a. m. Monday, September 2. Everyone is invited to attend. A full day of school will be held the first day, and pupils should come prepared to stay all day.

Wins Regional Sales Honors

L. B. Tillotson, of the merchandising department of the West Texas Utilities Company, won first honors in salesmanship in the entire 163 towns served by the company. Mr. Tillotson handles the sales of merchandise at the local office and was awarded first prize in the work of the entire territory of the company. This consisted of a trip to San Diego, Cal. Exposition which is in progress at this time.

Of seven prizes offered by the company in their territory, the Stamford District received four of them. Mrs. Granville B. Whittle, of Clebourne, is in our city the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Bowman, and other relatives.



**Let's Talk About Clothes**  
 by YOUNG MODERN  
 TEXAS STATE COLLEGE WOMENICA

While Dame Fashion is making up her mind whether to force her followers into fall clothes or to be lenient and consider the heat, Young Moderns at Texas State College for Women at Denton triumph over the problem by choosing warm, fall colors in cool materials.

Those women, particularly blondes, who mean that they cannot wear yellow, should try that new shade which can best be described as a gold beige. It gives high-lights to blonde hair, and yet, still shows off a brunette with the usual success. A combination especially suited to flaxen heads is that of pale yellow and navy blue, which has been more than popular this summer and should last through the early fall.

While we're on the subject of navy blue, which has reached the stage of

being always with us, we might mention that it is a better tie-over from one season to another than any other color. Trim it with white, yellow, checks, stripes, light blue, or prints; or make it changeable and trim it with all of them alternately, but be sure to have this indispensable dress in your wardrobe.

For those who chafe at the sobriety of navy blue, we recommend the warm or, though still steady, color of brown. For the past five years brown and white have been tops with the sport world and have even invaded the evening wardrobe. One can be safe then, in re-stocking on a complete brown and white outfit to carry through the remainder of the summer and a little into fall. A careful choice of materials, including those cottons that look

exactly like silks and wools, will decide the smartness of your attire.

**NOBODY'S BUSINESS**

By JULIAN CAPERS, JR.

Austin—Ratification by congress of the oil states' compact, written by Gov. James V. Allred and Chairman E. O. Thompson of the railroad commission, and adopted at a meeting of the oil producing states' representatives in Dallas Feb. 17, is expected to follow quickly the special message from President Roosevelt, urging its adoption. The president conspicuously asked the congress to ratify, and thus give legal effectiveness to the compact, and nothing else. He did not ask adoption of the amended Cole-Disney compromise federal oil control bill, which state control advocates declare contains a joker in the form of an "advisory" administration bill, blossoming into a full-fledged federal dictatorship. It appears that the president has now become fully convinced that the oil-producing states are able to manage their own oil business, and Gov. Allred and Rail Commission Chairman Thompson, who pioneered this doctrine more than two years ago in the face of terrific opposition, are entitled to a couple of orchids.

Exoneration by a 3 to 1 vote, with one member not voting, of State Commissioner of Agriculture J. E. McDonald on charges of official misconduct, by a special house investigating committee, leaves the question of Mr. McDonald's record up to the people. The commissioner announced immediately he will seek re-election next year on his record.

The state highway department this week is working nights on some road-building plans that its engineers had almost forgotten how to draft. With gasoline tax funds and federal aid available, they have been concentrating on de luxe main highways. But Chairman Harry Hines and Highway Commissioner John Wood burned some midnight oil studying the provisions of the famous \$4,800,000,000 federal work-relief bill. They found that Texas is entitled to \$23,000,000 additional federal funds which can be spent under supervision of the federal and

state highway authorities. Half must go to grade crossing and grade separation projects. A minimum of 25 per cent of the remainder must be spent for rural farm-to-market roads. That means that some \$4,000,000 worth of modest-cost hard-surface roads are going to be built in sections of Texas remote from the de luxe high-speed highways. Hines and Wood think if they concentrate on this work, do a good job without delay, and the contractors utilize considerable relief labor, the federal government may consider favorably additional allocations of funds. So they started their engineers mapping plans for the program. Work probably will be actually under way on some of these projects by October 1, if present speed is maintained.

Wallace Houghton of McKinney, formerly state senator, who resigned to become northeast Texas district director for the Federal Housing Administration, has taken to his federal job a fine ability which won the respect and admiration of his colleagues during his brief tenure in the senate. Recent reports show his district far ahead of all others in the southwest region in volume of FHA business done. Partly through his efforts, the F. H. A. is planning an elaborate and costly exhibit of model homes at the Texas Centennial in 1936.

Decision of the Centennial control commission last week to spend \$50,000 for paid advertising with Texas newspapers (outside the metropolitan centers and the cities where Centennial celebrations are to be held) marks a victory for officials of the Texas Press Association and other who have contended the small newspapers were entitled to some paid advertising. They have carried the burden of advance publicity for the Centennial for more than a year, and some advertising revenue will enable many smaller newspapers of Texas to continue their loyal support of the Centennial, which has been given without cost in the past. The decision is logical, since 60 per cent of the total attendance at the Centennial events will come from Texas based on the attendance figures of other expeditions.

There will be some unexpected political campaigning, particularly in the congressional races, in Texas this fall and early winter. Under the new system of congress convening in January, instead of December, adjournment is delayed until long after the usual quitting date in other years. Congressmen, facing re-election campaigns next year, expect to be tied up in Washington during the months in which they usually make their primary races next year. Therefore, many of them expect to do their political fence-building when they return to Texas immediately after adjournment of the present session of Congress.

**1907 GRADUATE AND DAUGHTERS ATTEND TSCW**

Loyal to her Alma Mater for twenty-eight years, a graduate of 1907 has returned to Texas State College for Women at Denton with her two daughters, all three being enrolled as students in the second summer session. Mrs. J. W. Mead, of Coleman, received her diploma in a graduating class of 27 members, the school then being in its fourth year of existence.

Contrasting strangely with her memories of that student group twenty-eight years ago is the present appearance of her daughters' class. Her 1907 classmates wore the long blue serge uniform skirts, the square-top hats, and white sun-bonnets for every day use. Erile and Mary attend classes in smartly-tailored white linen suits, trim white poplins of fashionable length, sporty white oxfords, and their choice of hats in white or dark blue.

**HALE COUNTY ANNOUNCES FAIR EXHIBIT**

Hale County is the first county to announce intentions of having an exhibit at the Panhandle South Plains Fair at Lubbock Sept. 23 to 28, inclusive. C. C. Jobson, superintendent of the department, said today. The Plainview Board of City Development at a meeting Aug. 13 voted to appropriate fifty dollars to the Hale County Farm Association to assemble exhibits for the fair at Lubbock and the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo.

A number of county fairs are planned for the week preceding the fair at Lubbock from which county exhibits will no doubt be prepared and brought to the regional fair.

The Hale County exhibit will compete with other Plains county exhibits for \$475.00 in premiums in that division.

Seventy-five dollars will go to the blue ribbon exhibit, with second place taking sixty dollars; third place forty; fourth place and all others to fifteenth getting twenty-five dollars. Lubbock County, being host county, will not have a county exhibit in competition. Lubbock County agricultural products, however, will be well displayed through community exhibits

competing for \$120.00 worth of prizes. First place exhibit will receive \$25.00 and \$10.00 worth of trees. Other premiums are second \$20.00; third \$15.00; fourth, fifth and sixth \$10.00; seventh to tenth \$5.00.

**EASTERN STAR**  
 \* 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 Joplín, W. M. \*  
 \* Mrs. Georgia Barrett, Secretary \*  
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If you feel sour and sunk and the world looks pink, don't swallow a lot of salts, mineral water, oil, laxative candy or chewing gum and expect them to make you suddenly sweet and buoyant and full of sunshine.

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

If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas bloats up your stomach. You have a thick, bad taste and your breath is foul. Stomach often breaks out in blemishes. Your head aches and you feel down and out. Your whole system is poisoned.

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| <b>LETTUCE</b><br>Large Heads<br><b>each 4c</b>      | <b>CRACKERS</b><br>Soda<br><b>2 lb. 19c</b> |
| <b>CORN</b><br>Fresh Roasting Ears<br><b>Each 1c</b> |   |

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| <b>MUSTARD</b><br>quart <b>13c</b>               | <b>SOAP</b><br>Laundry Soap<br>Large Yellow<br><b>6 bars 25c</b> |
| <b>KRAUT</b><br>No. 2 can<br><b>3 for 25c</b>    | <b>Hardwater SOAP</b><br>Cocoa<br><b>4 bars 15c</b>              |
| <b>TEA</b><br>White Swan<br><b>1/4 lb. 18c</b>   | <b>Puffed Wheat</b><br><b>Puffed Rice</b><br><b>Pkg. 9c</b>      |
| <b>EXTRACT</b><br>Worth Brand<br><b>8 oz. 8c</b> | <b>TOMATO JUICE</b><br>Blue Bonnet—No. 1<br><b>each 5c</b>       |
| <b>JELLO</b><br>All Flavors<br><b>each 5c</b>    | <b>COFFEE</b><br>Admiration<br><b>3 lb. 79c</b><br>GLASS FREE    |

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**YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL**

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND  
 Director, Physical and Health Education  
 New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

**The Spring Play Day**

It's time to be planning the spring play day. Give thought to making it a happy, joyous occasion. To do that, provide some activity or job for every child. No one likes to be left out. If one can't run, play, or dance, he can serve in some useful capacity.

A large share of the planning should fall to the pupils. Let them organize committees and hold regular meetings with discussions of program, costumes, picnic luncheon and so on. Play up the health factor, for this is opportunity. Talk about training through observance of the health rules. And give a prominent place to sportsmanship, for these occasions are truly laboratories of citizenship.

For the program, stress the dances and the simple games and stunts dear to children. This calls for minimizing the old type of athletic field day, but in the end you will be more content.

What about the boy who is called a sissy? Dr. Ireland will tell parents how to deal with him next week.



**Lubbock Fair Catalogues Ready Soon**

Catalogs for the 22nd annual Panhandle South Plains Fair at Lubbock, to be held September 23 to 28, inclusive, will be off the press and ready for distribution within a few days, A. B. Davis, manager, has announced.

The catalogs will give the rules and premium list of the fair, the names of superintendents, dates for entries

and other pertinent information. Departments this year will include: agriculture, boy scouts, beef cattle, dairy cattle, horse and mule, swine, boys and girls agricultural clubs, poultry, rabbits, textiles, culinary, girls' clubs, plants and cut flowers, art, relics, antiques, curios and other departments.

**TAXING AGENCIES TAXING SHOW INCREASE**

"Texas has nearly nine thousand local taxing authorities bearing heavily on the taxpayer," said State Auditor Orville S. Carpenter this week about the recent "Report on Taxes and Indebtedness of Local Units of Government in Texas for 1934."

"In spite of the present trend toward efficiency in government and elimination of duplication between departments, we find in this State cities, counties, schools, water districts, drainage districts, road districts, irrigation districts and many others, all assessing and collecting taxes on the same property. As a result most property owners must render the same property to several assessors and pay taxes to several collectors," Carpenter explained.

"The number of local taxing authorities seems increasing. A similar survey made by Moore Lynn, former state auditor, for the year 1932 showed at that time 8742 tax districts. He called attention to the 'present chaotic conditions' then existing in local taxation matters," Carpenter said. "The survey just completed for the year 1934 shows 8,936 local taxing units, an increase of 194 in two years," he stated.

In the 8,936 districts an enormous taxpayers' debt of three-fifths of a billion dollars has been built up. The actual figure in 1934 was \$670,442,174, with sinking funds deducted, he said.

**American Royal Live Stock Show Oct. 19-26**

The premium list of the 37th Annual American Royal Live Stock Show to be held at Kansas City October 19 to 26, has just been received from the printer, and is being sent to a large list of prospective exhibitors. Prizes of approximately \$20,000.00 are being offered in the beef cattle section on Herefords, Shorthorns, and Aberdeen Angus. The classification is for breeding cattle individual fat steers, carlot fat and feeder cattle.

Dairy cattle are represented by Milking Shorthorns, Jerseys, Guernseys and Holsteins. Dairy cattle breeders will have the opportunity to compete for approximately \$3,500.00. The swine exhibit will again consist of a fat barrow show, and \$2,200.00 is offered on Berkshires, Hampshires, Chesterwhites, Poland Chinas, Duroc Jerseys, Spotted Polands, and fat carlots.

Sheep are represented with classes for breeding sheep and fat wether lambs of the Hampshire, Rambouillet, Shropshire, Southdown, Oxford, Dorset and Cotswold breeds, and will compete for approximately \$2,900.00.

Percheron, Belgian and mule breeders will have the opportunity to vie with one another for more than \$4,600.00.

4-H Club boys and girls and Vocational Agricultural High School students will have separate classifications for calves, pigs and lambs, as well as for inter-state contests in judging live stock and dressed meats—a complete Live Stock Show of their own.

These premium offerings will assure a large comprehensive entry list and another outstanding Live Stock Show.

**ON TEXAS FARMS**  
by  
Minnie Fisher Cunningham  
Extension Service Editor

About one out of every 12 cultivated acres was shifted from surplus basic crops this year in the United States.

A related fact, as Joseph F. Cox, chief of the replacement crops section of the AAA, sees it, is the largest increase in legume acreage ever reported in this country.

Alfalfa acreage went up from 11,482,000 acres in 1934 to 13,198,000 in 1935, a 14 per cent increase; soy bean acreage rose from 4,223,000 acres in 1934 to 5,463,000, an increase of over 29 per cent.

The significance of these figures will be felt by the children of the owners of this land. Soil erosion is checked and soil fertility built up by this type of crop.

More home raised meat will be served on the rural home makers' tables; more milk and butter and chickens and eggs will appear in the diet of rural families because of these crops.

Future generations will farm better land and enjoy better health because of today's agricultural program which conserves the soil and improves the food on the farms of today.

Misses Fern and Ruth Clay, of Fort Worth, arrived here the last of the week for a few days visit with their grandfather, Frank Goff, and aunt, Mrs. Joe S. Clay. They are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Clay.

Mr. and Mrs. Cline Edmonds, of Borger, are the proud parents of a daughter born Tuesday of last week. Mrs. C. L. Love left here Sunday, August 11, to be with Mrs. Edmonds for a few weeks. The little lady will be known as Virginia Love Edmonds.

**SUNDAY DINNER Suggestions**

By ANN PAGE

PEACHES are almost as plentiful this week as last and plums even more so. Various kinds of melons are especially choice and inexpensive. The first Bartlett pears have arrived. Lower prices are anticipated as soon as they are more abundant.

Corn and lima beans, peas and green beans, red and white cabbage, beets and carrots are all moderately priced or even cheap. Lettuce is lower and tomatoes plentiful though somewhat affected by the humid hot weather.

Lamb is the best meat buy and pork of all kinds the highest. New crop broiling chickens are choice and unusually good value.

Here are three menus made up from seasonable foods adapted to different budget levels:

- Low Cost Dinner**  
Veal Chops Creamed Potatoes  
Stewed Tomatoes  
Bread and Butter  
Stewed Plums Cup Cakes  
Tea or Coffee Milk
- Medium Cost Dinner**  
Cold Fried Chicken Tomatoes  
Mixed Vegetable Salad  
Hot Rolls and Butter  
Peach Roly Poly  
Tea or Coffee Milk
- Very Special Dinner**  
Fruit Cup  
Roast Lamb Boiled Rice  
Creamed Onions Fried Bananas  
Mint Jelly  
Rolls and Butter  
Plum Ice Sponge Cakes  
Coffee

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**MEAT**

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Pound **12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>c**

**BACON**

Sliced—Celo Wrapped

Pound . . . **34c**

LUNCH MEATS lb. **20c**

STEAK, choice cuts lb. **23c**

MUSTARD In Ash Tray 8 oz. **10c**  
Glass Jar

SALT Morton's 2 26 oz. **15c**  
Iodized Pkg.

SODA A. & H. 2 1 lb. **15c**  
Pkg.

**APRICOTS**

Choice California

No. 10 Tin **55c**

**PEACHES**

Choice Halves

No. 10 Tin **43c**

WAX PAPER 40 foot Roll **5c**

SALMON Nile No. 1 **10c**  
Pink Tall Can

**CLEANSER**

Sunbrite

6 Cans **25c**

**SARDINES**

King Solomon

3 16 oz. Cans **25c**

LAMP CHIMNEYS 2 No. 2 Stand. **15c**



CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP 5 Bars **23c**  
PALMOLIVE TOILET SOAP 3 Bars **15c**  
SUPER SUDS 2 Pkg. **17c**

BLUEING Elk Brand Pint Bottle **10c**

CATSUP H-C-B 14 oz. Bottle **17c**

FLOUR TULIA'S BEST 48 lb. Bag **\$1.73**

JET OIL Black or Brown Bottle **10c**

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**50c**  
Regular 59c Quality  
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All Sizes to 14 1-2

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All sizes to 16 years  
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Our best 220 weight Overall. Quality in every thread of the Fabric.  
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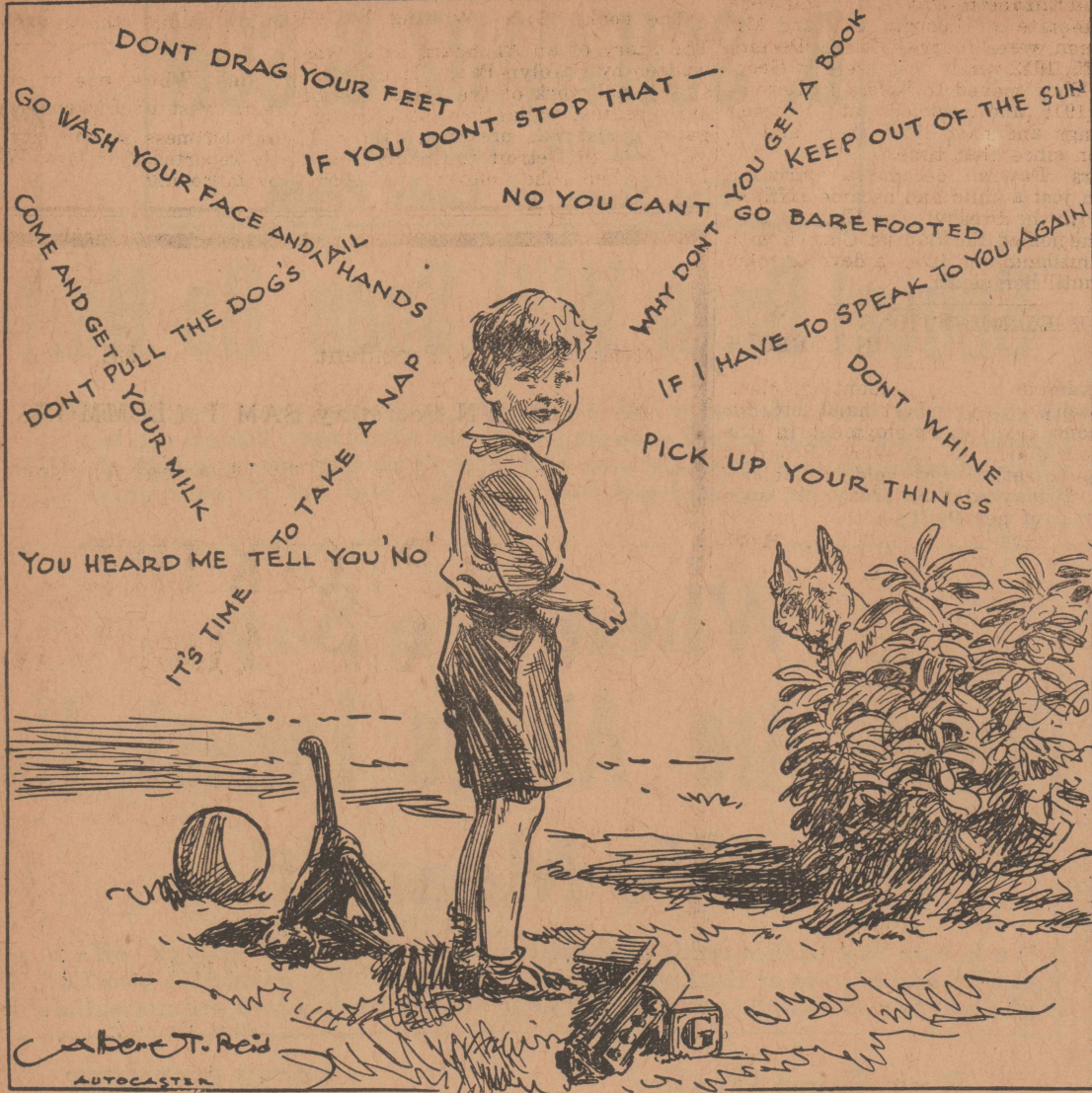
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STATIC

By Albert T. Reid



THE SCHOOL BOOKS AND APPORTIONMENT AMENDMENT

This proposed Amendment which will be voted on Saturday seems to be attracting a great deal of attention. There are two provisions in the Amendment. First, that the State of Texas provide free text books for children who attend private schools and church schools that teach the same work as is taught in the public schools, the books in all cases being the same. Some say that a child is entitled to free text books if he attends school in Texas and that it will cost the state no more to furnish said books for the child to attend a private school or church school than it will cost to attend a public school. Those in opposition say that it is just one step toward the union of church and state and that it is contrary to the principles of American government.

The second feature of the Amendment provides that the present method of apportioning the general school fund according to scholastic population shall be done away with and that the State Legislature shall by law provide a new plan. Those favoring the Amendment say that it will bring much more money from the general school fund into West Texas and that West Texas will greatly benefit from it. They say that in many East and South Texas districts that thousands of negroes and Mexican children are placed on the scholastic rolls and they never attend school anywhere. They point out that the State of Texas is paying children to stay out of school and that any plan provided by the Legislature will be an inducement for children to attend school. Those favoring the amendment feel that the Legislature will make the apportionment on the basis of average attendance at school. If this plan is adopted it will mean that Texas will secure about \$3,000,000 more of the general fund each year, or else the negroes and Mexicans of East and South Texas will have to attend school.

THE PROHIBITION AMENDMENT

The church people and ministers of Texas are taking much interest in this Amendment. It simply provides that open saloons in Texas shall never be allowed, but at the same time provides for the state Legislature to pass laws regulating the manufacture, sale, transportation, and possession of intoxicating liquors, including the power to provide for a State Monopoly on the sale of distilled liquors.

Those who are opposed to this Amendment say that while it prohibits the open saloon, that any place where intoxicating liquors are licensed to be sold would be a saloon. They recall the days when whiskey was sold openly in Texas and recount that it was unsafe for women and children to be alone on the streets of towns where liquor was sold. Also, that many people became a slave to liquor and would neglect their family's needs in order to get whiskey to drink. Many times men would permit their family to go hungry in order to buy whiskey. The opposition say that it will mean reinstatement of the local option plan which was a failure in the early days. If whiskey is sold in adjoining counties that people will go from the dry counties to the wet county to get it and that it will not help to keep people from drinking.

INTEREST IN COMMUNITY CLUB MEETINGS IS MANIFESTING ITSELF

The Dickens Community Agricultural Club is issuing a call to arms on agricultural problems. There will be a meeting of the Dickens Club on Wednesday, August 28, at 8:00 p. m. at the gym at Dickens.

The County Agent will be present to assist in the program, which will center around the idea of building up interest in community activities. Other things of interest will be discussed, particularly as to compliance requirements and probability of early settlement of benefit payments.

The meeting is being called by L. C. Murphy, Chairman and states that everyone is invited and urged to be present and on time.

Clifford B. Jones, manager of S. M. Swenson & Sons, left a few days ago for the Northwest where he will spend a month fishing and enjoying a vacation. He was joined by his brother, Hoyle Jones, of Tulsa.

Burnett Haney, merchant at Afton, was transacting business in our city Wednesday.

FAMILY REUNION

Sunday, August 4, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Oates, who reside in the Foster community, near Haskell, had as their guests all their children, grandchildren and Mr. Oates' mother, Mrs. Nancy Anne Temple, of Brady. This proved to be a very rare as well as a delightful occasion since the entire family had never been assembled before. Pictures were taken throughout the day. Many friends called to wish this family a pleasant day.

A delicious lunch was served at the noon hour to the following: Mr. and Mrs. T. V. Shockley and son, Ray Teal, of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Spraberry and children of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Oates and sons, Leo and James, of Melvin; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tanner of Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Oates and daughter of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Oates and son, Tommie Ray, of Groom; Mr. and Mrs. George Oates of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Oates and daughters, Wanda and Lydia, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Oates of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Comer and sons, Jackie and H. L. of Haskell.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Smith of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Oates and son, Wayburn of Haskell; Franklin Baer of Pampa, Mary Ruth Clark of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Arley Clark and children of Rochester, Mrs. Nancy Anne Temple of Brady and the host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Shockley report that there were lots of good things to eat, and much pleasure in greeting relatives and friends. Also, they saw some real pretty crops. —Contributed.

representative R. E. Morse of Houston says, "Texas voters will decide to force a giant industry to share the burden of taxation, or allow the growing liquor traffic to escape its unpaid bill of from \$6,000,000 to \$10,000,000 a year in taxes. The electorate will decide whether the liquor traffic is to be kept in strictly prescribed bounds, or whether the old game of 'hide-and-seek' between the officers and the bootlegger is to be traditionally resumed—whether the state must go to the enormous futile expense for an attempt of impossible enforcement of prohibition." Those favoring the Amendment say that the bootlegger will be prosecuted and that little children will be protected by keeping whiskey from them as the bootlegger will sell to a child as readily as to an adult.

MISS ERNESTINE HALE INJURED BY FALL

Miss Ernestine Hale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hale, was painfully injured Wednesday evening of last week by a fall from a truck while it was in motion. Miss Hale was accompanying a number of young people to the Roaring Springs and when the party was at Glenn, near the residence of Mr. Dobkins, she lost her balance and fell from the truck.

She suffered a broken collar bone and a skull fracture at the base of the head. Her face was bruised and bleeding from the right ear was active.

She was brought to Spur where Dr. Blackwell gave her medical aid and set the fractured bone in the shoulder. She is resting very well at this time, and unless some complications set in she will be able to be up within another week or ten days. She is being kept quiet at this time as too much company is injurious to her.

PILOT OF NEW WINGLESS AUTOGIRO "REFUELS"

When James G. Ray, famed in aviation circles as the "milk-drinking" pilot, recently demonstrated the new wingless autogiro's adaptability to aerial ferry service in the Metropolitan New York City area, he landed on Pier 9 on the East River. Waiting for him with a plentiful supply of Ray's favorite liquid was Phillip Cahill, driver of one of the new noiseless milk wagons of Borden's Farm Products Company, Inc.

After "refueling", Ray showed New York City Dock Commissioner John McKenzie and other city officials the principles of the new type of autogiro which is expected to make vertical take-offs as easy as vertical landings. A similar demonstration was previously made in



Washington before government officials interested in aviation. At that time, Ray flew the new "windmill" over the Capitol City and over Mount Vernon.

On his landing at Pier 9, Cahill welcomed Ray with a loud "MO-O-O-O" from the horn of his wagon. Horns tuned to simulate this appropriate sound have been placed in all of the new wagons which have been found to reduce the rattle and clatter of before-dawn milk delivery by more than 90 per cent. The wagons are pneumatically-tired and the horses are shod with rubber-covered shoes. Cahill's company is pioneering in introducing this noiseless delivery equipment in the New York Metropolitan Area.

Miss Nellie B. Albin left the first of the week for Aspermont where she will serve as bookkeeper for the West Texas Utilities Company. She had been with the local office many years.

Robert Butler, of McAdoo, was in our city Tuesday attending to business matters, and stated he had in an order for a good rain and he did not want any substitute.

William Starcher, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Oklahoma the past two weeks, returned here Tuesday and is again at the Times office.

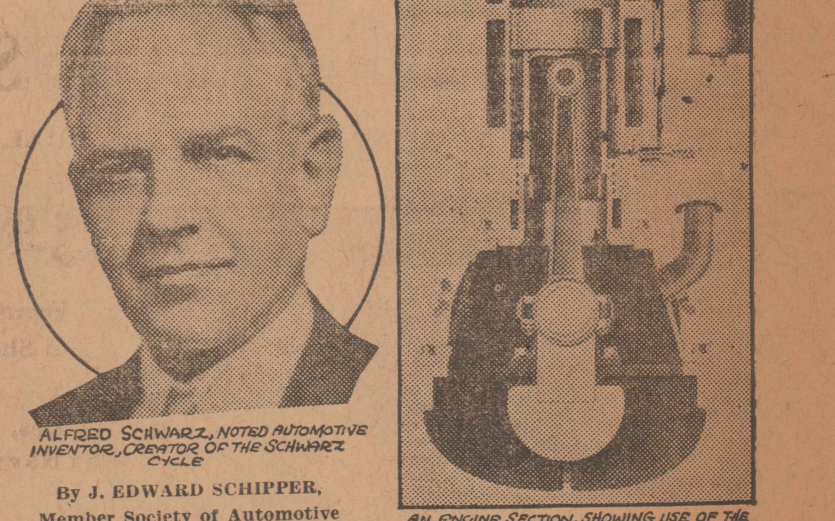
R. B. Neilson, formerly High School Principal here for several years, was in our city this week greeting old friends and looking after business matters.

IT WILL PAY YOU TO PATRONIZE THE ADVERTISERS IN THIS PAPER

World-Famous Aviator Criticizes Fuel Extravagance



ALFRED SCHWARZ, NOTED AUTOMOTIVE INVENTOR, CRITICIZES OUR NATIONAL WASTE OF MOTOR FUEL.



Progress in aviation is delayed today because of our extravagant and unscientific use of fuel, according to Lieutenant Commander G. O. Noville, second in command on the Byrd Polar flight, who also made the famous trip across the Atlantic in the airplane "America." Commander Noville has made an intensive study of the economics of flight, particularly in connection with his work as the first general superintendent of the United States air mail. He is at present consulting engineer in the aviation department of the Fuel Oil Motors Corp. of New York, which is developing engines to operate on the Schwarz Cycle principle.

"An air transport company with a fleet of ten tri-motor planes throws away \$60,000 worth of fuel a year," says Commander Noville. "The three 300-horsepower motors use 960 pounds of fuel per hour. Aviation gasoline weighs six pounds to the gallon. These ships, therefore, consume 160 gallons every hour. Aviation gasoline costs about 18 cents per gallon, which makes the fuel cost of each ship \$28.80 per hour.

"If fuel oil were employed instead of gasoline the cost would only be 5 cents a gallon or \$8.00 per hour per ship. In other words, there would be a saving of \$20.80 per hour during the entire

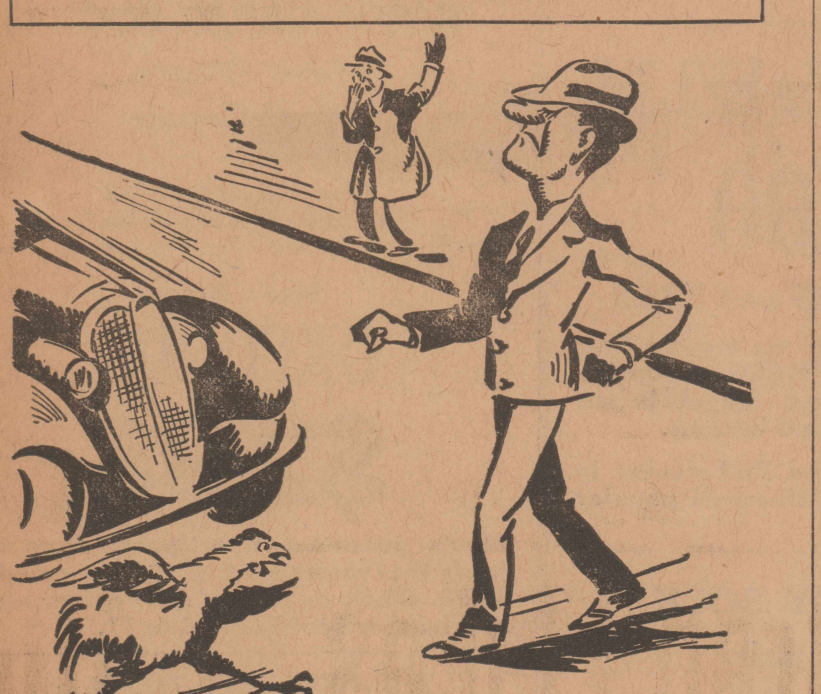
time the ship is in the air. Assuming ten hours of flight, each ship is wasting more than \$200 worth of fuel per day and the total loss for the ten ships is \$2,000 daily, a serious sum these days.

"The fleet of three ships, figuring on 900 days' flight per year, is consequently wasting \$60,000 worth of fuel annually. This adds greatly to the overhead expense, increases passenger fares and has other bad effects.

"In addition to this tremendous waste," continues the Commander, "the use of the volatile fuel exposes the pilot and passengers to the continuous danger of fire. Many accidents would be trivial were it not for this flaming destroyer. Fuel oil will not burn except in the engine. But even this isn't the entire story," says this aviation expert. "The fuel that we are burning is so inefficiently employed in the engine that 80 percent of the heat value contained in it is being thrown away through the exhaust pipe and through the cooling medium, whether the latter be air or water."

Commander Noville states that elaborate and scientific tests are now being conducted by New York University on engines operating on the Schwarz Cycle which are designed to overcome the deficiency of present types.

You Expect It in a Hen



Many pedestrians are in such a hurry that they cross streets whenever the idea pops into their head, without looking either to right or left to see whether it is safe to cross. Many pedestrians contend that it is safer for them to cross in the middle of the block than at the intersection crosswalks. But they are flirting with serious injury and death.

Many motorists are of the opinion that chickens don't cross the road as they once did. Perhaps bitter experience in the animal world has developed a new species of hen—one that is more careful in crossing the road. If that is so, it may be that bitter experience will bring about a change in the crossing habits of pedestrians.

In 1934 more than 72,000 pedestrians were hit when they were crossing streets in the middle of the block. More than 4,300 were killed and nearly 68,000 were injured. But only 9,910 pedestrians were hit when crossing intersections with the signal, and 190 were killed and 9,720 were injured. In crossing against signals, there were 39,730 pedestrians hit, and 1,100 were killed and 31,860 were injured. These statistics are presented in the most recent study of the traffic problem published by the Travelers Insurance Company.

Some one has said that those who walk without looking are the world's prize examples of absent-mindedness.

OUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND

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

The Scout's Trip

Preparations were being made for the annual hiking and camping trip of the Boy Scout troop. Food was the chief topic of discussion. Some boys were worried about the amount they would have to carry, but the others had different ideas.

"We don't need to carry much," they said. "There are farms near camp and along the road we're taking."

"That's right, fresh vegetables and milk. Nothing better than that. The farmers have butter too, and we can get bread at the village store."

"What about the milk," asked one boy. "Will it be safe?"

"Sure it will," replied one who seemed to be posted. "Some of the farmers pasteurize their milk at the farm and the other farms are approved by the state inspectors."

"Wait until you see those dairy barns," added another, "they're as clean as a kitchen. And you won't find any diseased cows either. The state is very strict. You'll drink milk all right, a quart every day. That's what I'm going to do."

"Peas and string beans will be ready, and young carrots, lettuce, and tomatoes. Boy! I can taste them now. Berries for dessert. Some eggs from the farmers and some bacon and meat from the store. We're all set. Let's go!"

In his next article Dr. Ireland will discuss the problems of touring, especially when children are along.

NEW BOOKS ADDED TO LIBRARY

Some new volumes have been added to the City Library by the 1917 Study Club who are fostering the library. Among these new volumes will be found, "Santa Anna—The Napoleon of the West", written by Frank C. Hanighen. It is the biography of an outstanding villain of American history. Eleven times president of Mexico, Santa Anna was one of the bloodiest, cruelest and most colorful of our Latin American dictators.

Another fine volume is "Wolf Solent" written by John Cowper Powys. In making a compliment to this book F. F. Van De Water, of the New York Evening Post, said, "A strange, a ponderously powerful, a monumental novel."

These books are at the service of the people and the library committee request that you read them.

RETURN TO FLOYDADA

Miss Jennie Legg, in company with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Swepston and children of Floydada, returned there a few days ago after touring New Mexico and Southern Texas. They visited at Santa Fe, N. Mex.; Juarez, Mexico, and Corpus Christi, Texas.

Harmon Bennett, who has been attending CCC camp at Santa Fe New Mexico, has been the guest of his father and mother, Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Bennett. Harmon stated that he had enjoyed his work and it was worth lots to him. He returned to camp Saturday.

William Rodgers, of Duncan, Okla., is in our city at this time visiting friends. He stated that Rev. and Mrs. Rodgers are getting along fine. He expects to return to Baylor University soon to take up school work again.

Woodrow Thomas, of New York City, arrived here Saturday to assist his father, Edward Thomas, in getting ready to open the new dry goods store, The Famous, which will start business soon.

Miss Mabel King, who has been visiting relatives in Corpus Christi, Houston, Dallas and other points, returned home Saturday. She will teach English in the high school at Pecos the coming term. Her school begins next Monday.

C. H. Rogers (known as Uncle Charlie) was in our community the last of the week visiting relatives and friends. He once made his home in this country, but is now living in Amarillo. He paid the Times office a very pleasant visit while here.



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**YOUR CHILD  
AND THE SCHOOL**

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND  
Director, Physical and Health Education,  
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

**The Swimming Hole**

Children should never be deprived of the pleasure, the exercise, or the safeguard which swimming affords. Although the familiar plea, "May I go swimming?" makes us a little squeamish, there are few parents who don't see the importance of granting that wish.



It's folly to be always saying "No." And it's worse to scare the child. Probably the sensible move is to get acquainted with the swimming hole. Enlist the aid of other parents. Call upon the health department to test a sample of the water. There may be other departments that will help you rid the bottom of old tin cans, broken glass, and rocks. If not, organize a group of fathers to tackle the job. But if the hole can't be made healthful and safe, petition the police or town council to close it.

There are many instances where that "ole swimmin' hole" has been transformed into a place of beauty and a cause of community pride. Some of the worst places are now public parks where the whole family may enjoy a daily frolic in the water and a picnic supper. No one believes it can be done, until they try it. Many believe there is no such place near their town, until they look around. The effort will more than repay you.

Should a child's summer meals differ from those of winter? Next week Dr. Ireland will give advice on this problem.

**Business Man Snaps  
Unusual Promotion  
For School Opening**

We always think of that phrase ascribed to Napoleon: "Circumstances! I make circumstances", when we see evidence of a business man really making an active effort to get new business, increase present business, or even keep satisfied the business he has. We think Dick Speer of the Speer 5-Cent to 5-Dollar Store is doing all three of these with the current contest idea he is using.

Naturally Mr. Speer cannot, by himself, give away \$5,000.00 to put over a school sale. But, and here is where we congratulate him, when a national distributor for school supplies offered him the exclusive local hook-up with a national contest, Mr. Speer wasted no time in snapping it up. By doing so he has tied his school sale to what would seem an irresistible hook up for children under 18 years of age. Well, wouldn't you be interested in \$5,000.00 if you were under 18 years of age? For our part we just wish we were a kid again.

The point is, Mr. Speer is making an aggressive move to get business. He's shown himself alert and modern and incidentally has given Spur children a chance at money they otherwise wouldn't have even had a chance of winning. Thanks, Mr. Speer, and congratulations.

Mrs. P. C. Nichols and children left the first of the week for Austin where they will make their home for the present. Dr. Nichols, who has been in a sanitarium in Dallas probably will join them soon.

Mrs. J. W. Miller and daughter, Miss Marlene, and son, Lloyd, are in our city the guests of Mrs. Miller's daughter, Mrs. C. H. McCully, and family.

George Gabriel and sister, Miss Ramza Gabriel, and Carl Proctor, returned the last of the week from New York where they had been buying new stock for the Fair Store.

A. C. Hull came in Tuesday from New Mexico where he had been looking after business interests.

J. C. Gipson, of Afton, was in our city Wednesday attending to business affairs.

**Agricultural Assn.  
Holds Meeting**

Dickens County Agricultural Association responded to a call by their chairman, R. R. Wooten, as indicated by their fine attendance, there being 30 officers present out of a total of 35. The meeting which was in Spur was called to order by the chairman, Mr. Wooten, who introduced the subject for discussion, that of stimulating community interests in our community clubs. He then called on the County Agent, G. J. Lane, who stressed the importance of organization, stating that community organizations were recognized in Washington as an important medium of transmitting information on all A. A. A. programs.

Other interesting talks were given by the following: Mrs. W. M. Hunter, A. W. Watson, W. T. Lovell, Joe M. Rose, E. A. Bailey, Robt. A. Butler, G. W. Bennett and J. H. Webster. Following the talks and discussions it was decided that a definite date should be set for a monthly meeting and programs selected. The date decided on being the third Saturday of each month. Program committee consists of Joe M. Rose, W. P. Shugart and G. J. Lane, County Agent.

**CALLED TO WACO; FATHER ILL**

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Markum have just returned from Waco where they were called on account of illness of his father. They report the father is slowly improving. He is a brother to Mrs. Bob Wade, northwest of Spur. Mr. and Mrs. John Wade and Mrs. Bob Wade went to Waco, too.

While in Waco Mrs. Markum consulted a doctor about her throat which has been giving her some trouble. She reports her throat is improving.

**WE APPRECIATE YOUR HELP**

We want our friends to know that we appreciate the little news items which have been mailed to us the past few weeks. We thank you for your kindness and we hope you keep the good work going. If your friends visit you, just drop us a post card about it giving names and dates. Our phone number is 30. We hope you use it.

**MRS. MATT DAWSON  
BURIED TUESDAY**

Mrs. J. Matt Dawson, of Afton, was buried in Roaring Springs cemetery Tuesday afternoon. Funeral services were held at Afton, Rev. A. P. Stokes delivered the message and he was assisted by Rev. Harcastle the pastor of the Afton Baptist Church.

Mrs. Dawson died of injuries received in a car wreck two weeks ago at a road crossing near Childress. She in company with her husband, Mrs. Luther Stark and A. K. McAlister were enroute to Gary, Okla., to consult a physician in regard to Mrs. Dawson's health. As they made the road crossing and other car plowed into the side of their car. Mrs. Dawson received internal injuries. Mr. Dawson had his nose and three ribs broken. Mr. McAlister received cuts and bruises. Mrs. Stark suffered a great shock but escaped any great injuries. The owner of the other car received three broken ribs.

Mrs. Dawson was taken on to Gary, Okla., where she was placed in a sanitarium for medical aid. She died Monday evening just before twelve o'clock, midnight.

She is survived by her husband and nine children: Mrs. John Stokes, of Afton; Effie, Audrey, Lucille, Wilma, Willeta, Louise, Barbara Jo, and a son, Carlton; her father, W. A. Graves of Georgia; two sisters, Mrs. Janie

Adair and Miss Lula who live in Georgia; and three brothers: Bob, Jim and Lewis Graves of Georgia.

Before her marriage she was Miss Minnie Elizabeth Graves and was born in the state of Georgia. She and Mr. Dawson were married there December 25, 1912, while they were in Georgia. They moved to Texas in December 1916 and settled at Roaring Springs and have lived there and at Afton since that time.

Mrs. Dawson became a Christian when just a child and became affiliated with the Presbyterian Church. Later she joined the Baptist Church with her husband and lived a devoted member until her death.

**TAKE EXAMINATIONS  
IN LUBBOCK**

Examinations in accounting, clerical work, typing, short hand, etc. for persons desiring employment in the various offices of the Works Progress Administration were held in Lubbock last Friday and Saturday. A large number of persons took the examinations especially in the clerical work. The papers will be graded in Washington, D. C., and reports made to the applicants later.

Persons in Spur who took one or more of these examinations were: Mrs. Johnnie Gilbert, Mrs. Dot Slough, Misses Kanna Stephens and Bonnie Lawrence and F. H. Beaver.

**COUSIN TO WILL ROGERS**

Mrs. Kim Hisey, who lives on South Carroll Avenue, is a first cousin to the late Will Rogers. Mrs. Hisey stated that her mother and Rogers' father were brother and sister. Also, that there were cross marriages in the two families and there were a number of double cousins to the Rogers family in her family. Mrs. Hisey is a daughter of Will Ketrone of Dallas.

**LIBRARY GETS BOOK AS PRESENT**

The 1917 Study Club recently received a new book to be placed in the Spur Public Library which was a present from Mrs. Volney W. Taylor of Brownsville. Mrs. Taylor is president of the Texas Federation of

Womens Clubs, and the gift came as a result of the fine report made by the 1917 Study Club at the regional convention in Plainview in March.

The book, "Grace Whiting Roff—The Story of an Abundant Life" was written by Carolyn Patch. It is an inspirational work of the life of one of our greatest philanthropists. She organized and was president of the Y. W. C. A. in Detroit for many years. Later when she moved to Paris,

France, she organized the British-American Y. W. C. A. and was its first president.

Any one interested in accomplishment of great things in any life will enjoy reading this book.

John White, one of our good farmers west of Dickens, was transacting business in our city Wednesday. He reported that Mrs. White's health is improving.

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**13-Year Old Wins Soap Box Derby**

Eighty thousand spectators saw Indiana boyhood triumph for the second consecutive year in the All-American Soap Box Derby at Akron, Ohio, when 13-year old Maurice E. Bale, Jr., of Anderson, Ind., drove his scarlet and gray coaster to victory over juvenile champions of 41 other contending cities last week.

Seventy-pound Everett Miller, 13, St. Louis, was second, and Lonny Kline, 15, of Akron, O., third. The three finalists flew down the bricked slope to cross the finish line scant three inches apart. The first Derby, in 1934 at Dayton, O., was won by Robert Turner, of Muncie, Ind.

The winner of first place received a \$2,000 four-year scholarship in any state university. Second was awarded a Master Chevrolet coach, and third a Standard Chevrolet coach.

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Each of the three boys reaching the final also received a silver trophy and a medal. A wrist watch was given to each of the 52 city champions. Other awards:

Charles F. Kettering Trophy (for the best designed and constructed car)—Drayton Dhodes, Philadelphia.  
Indianapolis Motor Speedway Trophy (fastest heat)—Lonny Kline, Akron, 30.4 seconds.

J. D. Tew Trophy (best brakes)—William Spain, Rochester, N. Y.

Collins & Aikman Trophy (best upholstered car)—Kenneth Shatto, Louisville.

Cimalene Trophy (best balanced car)—Joseph Ogilvie, Cleveland.

The young contestants, eyes unblinking on the track and steering wheels in the grip of small determined fists, took the stiff 1181-foot roadway in their stride, and with only minor mishaps, to the roar of a sweltering crowd of over 80,000 people that packed every seat and every foot of standing space.

The Ohio National Guard, State police, uniformed county deputy sheriffs and Akron City Police guarded the course and handled the tremendous flow of traffic. The entire hill, and areas at top and bottom were fenced in.

The radio program was disarranged when Paul C. Brown, Oklahoma City, developed side swing on the hill and lost control of his car after it finished, striking Graham McNamee and Tom Manning, NBC radio announcers. Both were removed to a field hospital and later to Akron City Hospital. Their injuries were found to be not serious, but both were advised to remain for several days. McNamee was unable to make his scheduled broadcast.

The Tulsa, Okla., car was forced into the fence a few yards after it left the hilltop ramp, but the driver escaped a tumble and drove his car in a later heat. Twenty-four preliminary heats, with three entries to each, narrowed the field to six contestants in the semi-finals—Bale, of Anderson, Ind.; Miller, St. Louis; Kline, Akron, O.; David Macaffree, Portland, Ore.; Way Ferdinand, South Bend, Ind.; and L. C. Hawkins, Dallas, Texas.—and Bale, Miller and Kline disposed of their rivals in the semi-finals.

Young Kline made the fastest time of all contestants when he negotiated the steep incline in 30.4 seconds in his second heat to beat Kenneth Shatto, Louisville, and Roy Peterson, of Oakland, Calif. Racing in another lane in the final, however, he was unable to duplicate the feat and 31.2 seconds was good enough to decide the race in Bale's favor.

The national final climaxed a two-day program which greeted the young Derby champions with all the ceremony and heartiness of an Olympic Games opening. Akron was theirs and they took it over. When they were not posing for a battery of camera men, they were at a night baseball game or the theaters, or were honor guests at banquets.

Newspaper planes flew the title-holders of Rochester, N. Y., and Detroit to Akron. Others came by family automobile, with all the family, and trains delivered the remainder to a hospitable city sumptuously festooned in tribute to them.

UNDULANT FEVER ACQUIRED FROM ANIMALS  
Undulant (Malta) fever is a disease which is transmitted to human beings by infected animals. Individuals may acquire the disease (1) as the result of direct contact with infected animals or (2) following the use of raw dairy products obtained from infected cows. If the disease is due to contact with infected animals or their waste products, the germ gains entrance to the human body through the skin, stated Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer.

Persons who live on farms are more subject to undulant fever than those who live in cities. On farms, the disease is more apt to affect men due to the fact that men come in contact with hogs and sows to a much greater extent than do farm women. Farmers have direct contact with animals during loading and unloading for market. The handling of infected cows or sows and of the young at time of birth, represent hazardous types of contact. The danger of undulant fever may be reduced greatly by avoiding as much as possible, all forms of direct contact with animals which may be infected. The wearing of heavy gloves if contact is unavoidable, should aid in protecting the skin against exposure.

Urban residents have little or no occasion to come in direct contact with infected animals. Undulant fever acquired in city or town, is due, as a rule, to the use of milk, cream, and butter which lack certain safeguards. Prevention of undulant fever, whether due to contact with infected animals or to ingestion of contaminated dairy products, is dependent to a further extent, upon the eradication of contagious abortion from farm animals and careful pasteurization of dairy products.

Mrs. J. S. Clay returned Saturday from Fort Worth where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Henry Clay, and other relatives. Mr. Clay and Mr. Goff met her in Wichita Falls Saturday and accompanied her home.

E. L. Johnson, of McAdoo, was transacting business in our city Monday. He stated there is going to be a protracted meeting start at McAdoo soon.

**McADOO**

Mrs. O. S. Harvey and Mrs. Robbie Allen attended the all day meeting of the home demonstration club women at Spur Saturday, and had the opportunity to hear those who attended the Short Course at College Station tell of their trip.

Mrs. Charlie Barker and Mrs. Buckner were in Floydada Saturday to see Mrs. Harbor, a sister of Mrs. Barker and daughter of Mrs. Buckner.

"Curley" Fox of Oklahoma is here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. Clark spent a few days this past week visiting her daughter, Mrs. Starley Dennis and family of Soldier Mound community near Spur.

Mrs. Clyde Gardner and little daughter, Ray Nell, of Winters, Texas, are here for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Nickles and family.

Ida Floyd Finney returned home recently from Plainview where she spent several days visiting relatives and friends.

Miss Ruth Ward is in Lubbock visiting relatives.

C. C. Neeley and children are spending a vacation in Arkansas visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Minor Yarbor and children of Morton, Texas, are here visiting Mrs. Yarbor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Barton and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Clark were looking after business matters and visiting relatives in Lubbock during the week end.

Gordon Miller, who has been in the Marines for the past several years, came home Saturday for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller and family and friends.

Raymond Eldredge of Canyon was at home this week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Eldredge.

Beulah Mae Phifer was in Stamford the past week guest of relatives.

Mr. Campbell and daughters of Blum are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Truman Wallace and family. Mrs. Wallace is a daughter of Mr. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Henson and little daughter, of Pecos, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pullen and family during the week end. Mrs. Henson and Mrs. Pullen are sisters.

The crops are beginning to need rain badly. During the past week we have had the hottest weather of the season. The scorching sun will ruin some of the crops within a few days unless rains fall. Vegetation curled in protest of the heat this past week.

The Baptist revival that is being conducted by Rev. Sabell will continue until Thursday with services at night only.

Bob Lilly and family of Throckmorton were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lilly the past week.

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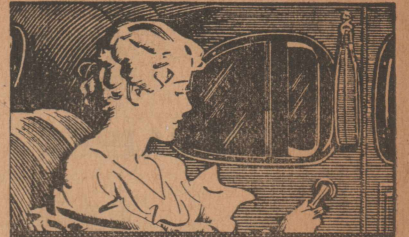
CIVIL PRACTICE ONLY

D. F. Henley, of Ada, Okla., was in our city Monday. He is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Johnson at McAdoo. Mr. Henley and Mr. John

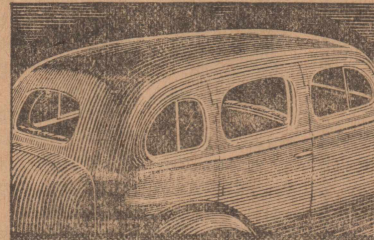
son were boys together and seem almost like brothers to each other. B. A. Carter, of Lubbock, was in our city Monday greeting friends and

looking after business matters. County Commissioner E. N. Johnson, of Afton, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

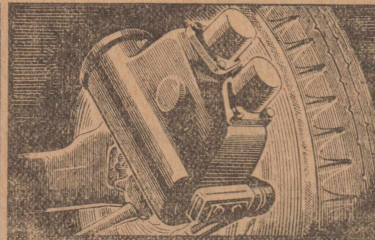
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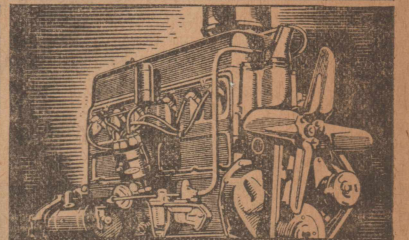
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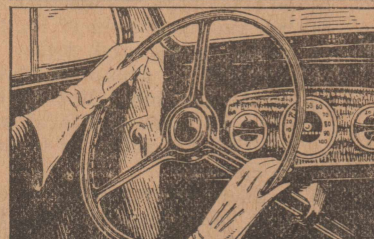
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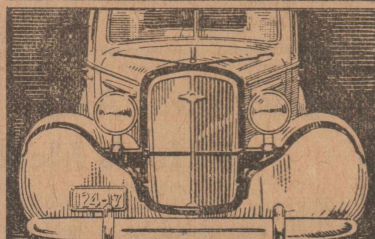
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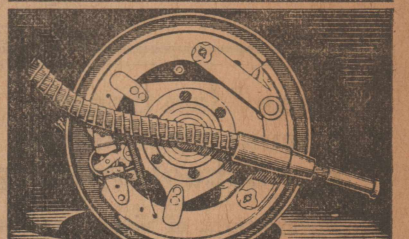
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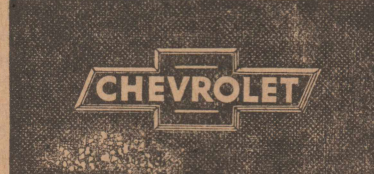
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# YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND  
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New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

## Sissy

Only one who has been called "sissy" in real earnest can describe the full horror of what is implied.

Our mistake is to say "Oh, it's just a kid's fun, it doesn't mean anything." And it's a particularly sad mistake when spoken by one who is the parent or teacher of a child so tagged by his playmates. Because it means that a real opportunity for service is being overlooked. It's a challenge.

When the kids tag on that label "sissy" don't think it's their mistake. They're seldom wrong. They know all the signs. If you can, consult a good psychologist or psychiatrist. "Sissy" needs the best treatment. If you can't, steel yourself to keep hands off. Let him fight his own battles. Let him taste defeat. Withhold your too ready sympathy, but show interest in his every effort to make good. Encourage self-confidence, and for each success have a simple word of praise.

Encourage hobbies, is Dr. Ireland's advice to the school. He tells why in his next article.

## Home Demonstration

### CLUB NEWS

#### TEXAS FOLKLORE

##### IS INTERESTING

"Folklore of yesterday is the history of today," said Clara Rich, McAdoo club girl, Saturday, quoting A. W. Eddins, vice-president of the Texas Folk Lore Society in his talk on Texas Folklore and Its Relation to Texas History in one of the Short Course programs.

"Folklore is unbiased and unprejudiced and gives the true history and characteristics of the country and the people," he said.

"Texas has a very colorful and peculiar folklore all its own derived from the stories told by the Indians, Mexicans, Southern White-folks, Northern people, Germans, Irish and negro slaves. Their stories show the great religious nature of the early settlers and their undying faith in themselves and the country to which they dedicated their lives."

#### A CLOTHES CLOSET

##### COME TO LIFE

"One of the most interesting programs for the girls during the Short Course was the Clothes Closet Come to Life, I think," said Lizzie Lou Baxter, of Patton Springs club, Saturday afternoon when the girls who went to the Short Course told those not attending some of the things they saw and learned.

"The various types of clothes for girls were modeled by club girls, then a complete wardrobe was assembled and modeled. The garden costume is something each of us should have and could have, with little or no expense, and we do need to care for our complexions as well as our gardens. The garden aprons were made of a burlap sack, the gloves were of cotton material with deep cuffs. A big sunbonnet completed the garden costume," said Miss Baxter.

## Pain Passes Off

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### ANTI-PAIN PILLS

## GIRLS TELL OF WORK AS REPORTER

"There were 24 boys and girls who served as reporters for the 'Daily Star', the paper edited by the boys and girls at Short Course. We worked each morning writing stories of the Short Course. All copy was turned in not later than 11:30 each morning so that the paper, a four page daily, could be distributed in the afternoon," said Clara Rich, McAdoo club girl, who served as a reporter, in telling of her work during the annual meeting.

"After our stories were turned in each morning we were given assignments for the afternoon and night programs. Sometimes eight or ten of us were assigned to the same program; for example, the Gold Star banquet and program. Each one wrote his story and Mrs. Cunningham, our editor, selected the best or else used paragraphs from each story turned in for the final story in the paper."

"Being a Daily Star reporter gave us many privileges and liberties we would not have had otherwise. Of course, we missed a number of programs that had been planned for the girls by being reporters too. But I'm glad I had the opportunity to serve again this year," said Miss Rich.

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 7

### Free Text Books For Private And Parochial Schools

The Texas Constitution at the present time provides that the State is without authority to furnish free text books to other than public schools. Proposed Amendment number seven on the ballot for the August 24th election would permit the State to supply free textbooks to all schools, private and parochial. Such textbooks, it is presumed, to be the same as used in the public schools.

Advocates of this Amendment state that this would entail no additional expense because the State now purchases more books than are necessary. However, this point is merely one of the claims made and has not been substantiated by the Secretary of State. Advocates point out that they pay taxes to support public schools but that if they choose to send their children to private or parochial schools, the least the State can do is to supply the textbooks free.

Probably the most important and less publicized provision of this Amendment is the fact that it proposes to rewrite Section 5 of Article Seven of the Constitution so as to permit the apportionment of school funds on some other basis than scholastic population.

For many years there has been considerable agitation in certain quarters to abolish the "school census" or scholastic population system of apportioning school funds and substitute in lieu thereof the "average attendance" basis or some other basis. The Legislature would determine just how this was to be done, if this Amendment is adopted.

If adopted this proposed Amendment Number seven would mean, in effect: (1) that the State would furnish free textbooks to pupils in all the schools of Texas; and (2) that a new basis for apportioning school funds other than the scholastic census basis, could be set up.

## PROPOSED AMENDMENT NO. 6

### Abolish Fee System For Paying Officials

Two years ago a Senate investigating committee discovered a number of flagrant abuses of the fee system as practiced in Texas for recompensing certain public officials. The fee system was established and written into the Texas Constitution at a time when it was impossible to pay salaries and the theory was that an official was entitled to "all he could make." Since the Senate committee discovered and revealed the malpractices existing under the system there has been a demand for a Constitutional change on this score, according to Secretary of State Gerald C. Mann.

Proposed Amendment No. 6 on the ballot provides that the fee system as

instead of the officer. The evident purpose of this amendment is to place as many public officials on straight salaries as is possible and thus abolish, insofar as is possible the payment of officials through the present fee system.

J. P. Sharp, of Highway community, was attending to business affairs in our city Tuesday.

S. C. Rawlings, of Lubbock, was in our city Tuesday greeting friends and attending to business matters.

W. F. McCarty, of Prairie Chapel community, was looking after business affairs in our city Monday.

C. Bearden, of Lubbock, was attending to business affairs in our city Monday.

Miss Lynn McGaughy, who has been visiting relatives and friends in Lawton, Okla., Decatur and Fort Worth the past three weeks, returned home Friday.

Dr. M. F. Ewton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, preached at the First Church in Memphis Sunday for Rev. Webb who is in a meeting here.

Buster Morgan, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Morgan of Espuela community, arrived here Tuesday from Berkeley, Calif., to be with his parents for a visit. He is a brother to Mrs. Bynum Brittain of our city.

Miss Marjorie Morgan, of Berkeley, Calif., arrived here Tuesday to visit her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Terry of Dickens, and other relatives in this community.

## SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



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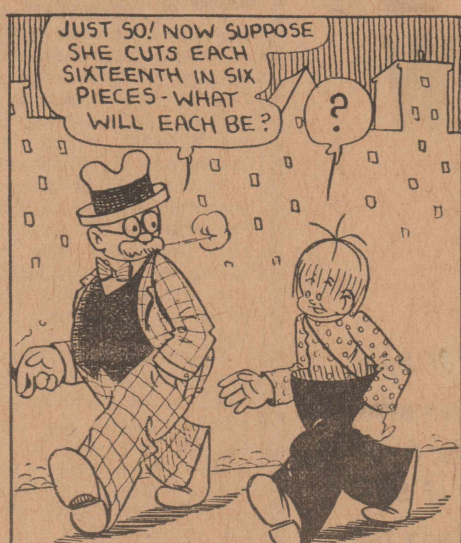
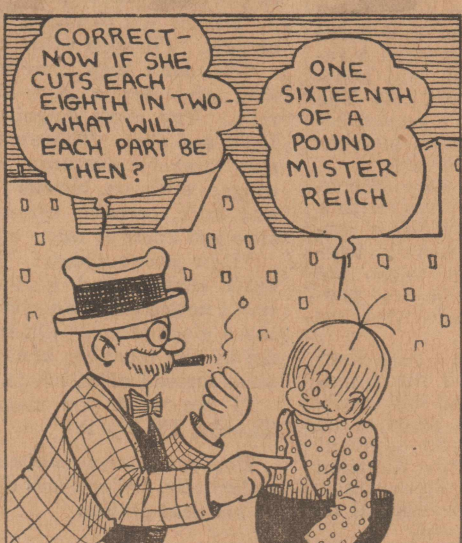
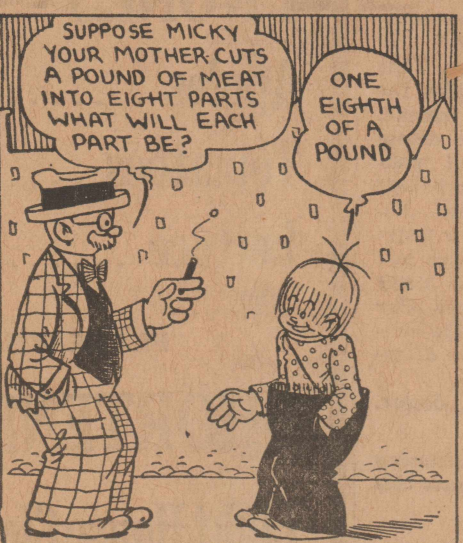
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By Gus Standard



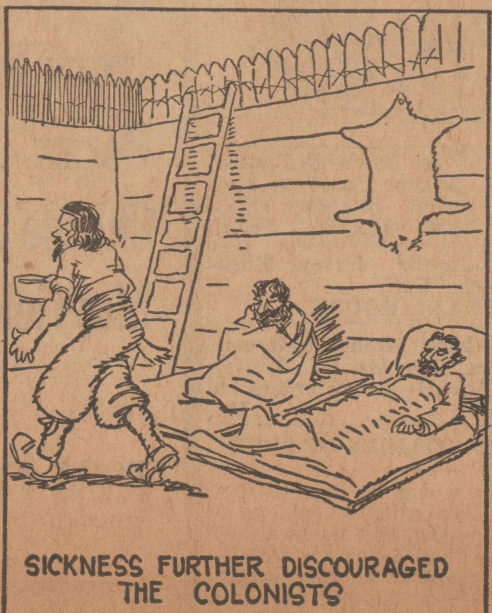
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"The Friendly Shop"

### Attended Press Convention

The editor and the business manager of the Dickens County Times spent Friday and Saturday in Big Spring attending the session of the West Texas Press Association. About the first thing we learned after arriving in the oil city was the tragic death of Will Rogers and Wiley Post, the news of which came over the wire just short time before we arrived.

The morning session of the convention was called to order by acting president E. B. Harris. The convention had the privilege of hearing Ray H. Nichols, president of the West Texas

Chamber of Commerce and editor of the Vernon Record. Mr. Nichols pointed out many of the possibilities of West Texas and urged the various editors to place these before their readers. Committee were then appointed and the convention adjourned to enjoy a good lunch.

The editors and others of the press were invited to the banquet room of the Settles Hotel where a good luncheon was enjoyed. Dr. W. A. Jackson, of the Texas Technological College, was the speaker of the hour. He stressed some of the discriminations that are being made upon West Texas and urged the editors to get facts before the people in regard to these things. He said that West Texas lands had built the railroads in Texas, that West Texas lands had built the state university, that West Texas lands had built the state capitol buildings, that West Texas lands had made up much of the permanent school fund of Texas. Then he said that West Texas taxpayers will pay more than 40 percent of the \$3,000,000 appropriated for the Texas Centennial and to date not one dollar of it had been allocated to West Texas.

The afternoon session of the convention consisted of a talk by Ralph Shuffler of the Odessa Times and a round table discussion of shop problems. The session was short, after which the editors got out to try the golf course, to attend the shows and various other attractions in the city.

Friday evening was a treat to the pen pushers as a banquet was given at the Crawford Hotel by the citizens of Big Spring for them. Business men and editors came together and discussed events of the day in a wide open manner. Harry Hines, chairman of the State Highway Commission, was the speaker of the evening and he told that assembly more in ten minutes about highways and highway service than they had ever heard of in

## MOVING TO NEW LOCATION

We want to thank our many friends of Spur country for their very liberal patronage in days gone by. We are moving into the building formerly occupied by Harkey Motor Company just south of Sanders & Chastain Pharmacy and hope to be ready for business by Sunday morning. Come to see us.

We will have our formal opening Thursday evening, August 29, from 8:00 o'clock until 10:00 P. M. We extend an invitation to you to be with us at that time.

A nice, new roomy place where we can give you the best of service.

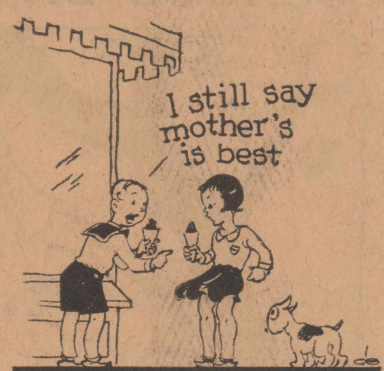
## SPUR COFFEE SHOP

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Bumpus

## Culinary Jingles by Marcia Camp

Johnny Jones was most suspicious Food, he'd found, that ranked nutritious Rarely could be called delicious. Now his face is all a-beam, True has come his fondest dream—Mother's making SMOOTH ice cream!

**SUCCESS ASSURED**  
Do YOU know that the very best assurance of success with home-made ice cream is—a box of marshmallows in the pantry? Not so long as they stay in the pantry, of course;



they have to get into the ice cream before they can be responsible for its superior texture. And when they do get into it, thereby ousting the sugar, they turn it from an ordinary ice cream into a marlow. Which is a "can't fail" dessert.

You can't get a crystalline, disappointing product when you make a marlow. You may use a mechanical refrigerator, or an ice cream freezer, without the bothersome agitating usually called for, or simply pack it in a tightly sealed covered mold, in an ice-salt pack. Seal the mold with adhesive tape.

About those marshmallows—you really can keep them on the pantry shelf, with no danger of their drying out and becoming stale and hard. That is because they now come in quarter-pound pack-ettes, each holding sixteen marshmallows, each sealed separately in waxed paper, and the four contained in a triple-sealed pound carton. This recipe, as you see, contains just sixteen marshmallows, or a quarter of a pound, so you need open only one of the four pack-ettes, and the others will remain moist and tender indefinitely.

**MAPLE NUT MARLOW**  
16 marshmallows 1/2 cup pecans, chopped fine  
1/4 cup maple syrup Pinch of salt  
1/2 cup water 1/2 pint whipping cream  
lemon juice

Put marshmallows, syrup and water in top of double boiler and steam until marshmallows are melted and blended with liquid. Remove from stove, add lemon juice, pecans and salt, and set aside to cool. When quite cold and slightly stiffened, combine carefully with the stiffly beaten cream. Pour into containers and freeze without stirring.

their lives before.

Through the courtesy of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce the editors enjoyed a breakfast at the Settles Hotel. Manager D. A. Bandeen of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, was present and welcomed the editors. Max Bentley, of the Abilene Reporter-News acted as toastmaster. Mr. Bandeen brought some very excellent remarks in regard to the future possibilities of West Texas.

The editors then went into the business session of the convention. E. B. Harris, of the Rule Review, was elected president; R. Henderson Shuffler, of the Odessa Times, was elected vice president; J. C. Smythe, of the Snyder Times, was elected secretary. Snyder Barron, of the Midland Reporter and Douglas Meador, of the Matador Tribune, were elected directors for the year. The board of directors for the year are: Max Bentley, of Abilene, Mrs. Mary Dunbar of the Palo Pinto Star, and W. D. Starcher of the Dickens County Times with the two new members named above. Midland gets the next convention.

In the contest for the best all round newspaper in West Texas, the Snyder Times won by a small margin over the Nolan County News which was accorded second place. The Dickens County Times stood third in rank. This is a new feature of the convention and many papers say they are going to try for the first honors next year.

### Wheat Control Committee Makes Report For Year

The Dickens County Wheat Production Control Association completed their contracts for the years of 1933-1934-1935 with the closing of the fiscal year July 15. With this program there has been six benefit payments that totaled 84c per farm allotment bushel, or 28c per year for three years. These 28c per bushel have been divided into semi-annual payments of 20c and 8c respectively. Of these six payments, three have been liquidated, two 20c and one 8c, leaving two 8c and one 20c payment outstanding.

In the years 1933 and 1934 there were 29 contracts carrying 4839 acres of wheat land that necessitated a reduction of 736 acres and paid benefits of approximately \$8127.00. The cost of administering the program being \$214.82, which is born by contracts per % allotment bushel. In the year 1935 there were 40 contracts consisting of 5358 acres, with a reduction of 538 acres only. This carried the same rate of benefit payments as the preceding years, the cost of which was \$240.45 and prorated as before per % allotment bushel.

The 1936-37-38 Wheat Allotment Contracts will be offered for signatures at an early date and will carry approximately the same features as the old ones, only the parity payment will be more liberal, and the duration of the contract will be a split contract, with the privileges of withdrawal at the expiration of two years.

Robert A. Butler, Secretary D. C. W. P. C. A.

### GINNERS MEET IN ABILENE

More than 300 West Texas gingers held a very interesting session in Abilene last Thursday. New federal regulations in regard to ginning for the coming season were discussed before the meeting. Resolutions of respect for members who had passed away during the year were adopted.

Those attending the meeting from Spur were: B. Williamson, W. S. Carlisle and J. A. Goodwin.

### OUR OPINION IS

That truth may be stretched until it is of no effect.

### HOME BURNED MONDAY

The home of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Jackson at Jayton was destroyed by fire early Monday morning. Mrs. Jackson and little son spent Sunday in Spur visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marsh. She left here about six o'clock Monday morning and when she arrived home she found it in ashes.

The house and all contents were destroyed.

### CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank our many friends for their helpfulness and kindness during the illness and death of our loving wife and mother. May God bless you all.

Matt Dawson and children.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Stokes.

### ARRIVE IN SPUR TO MAKE HOME

Mrs. Roscoe Fort and two daughters, Misses Genella and Jo, of Silverton, recently arrived in Spur to make their home here. Mr. Fort has been in Spur several weeks, being associated with the Bailey Food Store as a partner in the business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Corley, of Santa Anna, Calif., are visiting with Mrs. Corley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gentry of Elton, at this time.

Spencer Sullivan, of Hobbs, N. Mex. is here this week visiting friends. He reports that business at Hobbs is good.

### YOUR CHILD AND THE SCHOOL

By Dr. ALLEN G. IRELAND  
Director, Physical and Health Education  
New Jersey State Department of Public Instruction

### Milk In Disguise

"Doctor," began a worried mother, "Betty is complaining again about drinking milk. Does she really need so much?"

"Yes, she does," the doctor replied, "and that isn't just my opinion. We know it is true from countless scientific experiments. The findings have been checked and tested

over and over again. Betty is growing. She needs the minerals of milk for her bones. She needs the vitamins to keep her healthy and growing. And we know that most children need the full quart to get their share."

"I know you're right," the mother said, "I'll keep after her."

"No, don't keep after her. That may give her a real dislike for milk. Try some disguise instead. Let's see now. There's ice cream and junket; custards and puddings; milk on berries; crackers and milk, cereals; egg-nogg. I'm sure you know of many other ways.

"How about cheese? Have you tried that? And perhaps Betty won't notice the change if you offer her a glass of cool milk in the middle of the morning and the afternoon instead of at meals."

"I see what you mean, doctor. Thanks, I'll try it."

How can parents make swimming safer? Dr. Ireland will discuss this in his next article.

### WANT ADS

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes in Stonevall, Scurry Counties and Spur. Write today. Rawleigh Co., Dept. TXG-704-SB, Memphis, Tenn.

FOR SALE—Young Jersey Milch Cow with Heifer Calf.  
FARMALL HOUSE

FOR RENT—Nice front bedroom. Bath convenient. See Mrs. J. L. Wolfe. WOOD FOR SALE—Leave orders at Times office.  
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### NOTICE TO CITIZENS OF SPUR

If you keep a dog be sure to pay the City Dog Tax on it. If I take up a dog that has no tag, the pound fee is one dollar, and then if the dog is taken up again there is another dollar pound fee. So pay the dog tax and save the pound expenses.  
W. C. Suits, City Pound Man.

Kelley Marsh, who has been working at Clovis N. Mexico, the past three months, arrived home the first of the week for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Marsh.

Ray Hill, of Stamford, manager of the merchandising department of the West Texas Utilities Company, was in our city Monday in the interests of his company.

## SAFEWAY STORES

LEAD THE FIELD IN

## Food Values



AIRWAY Coffee, pound 15c

EDWARDS DEPENDABLE COFFEE Pound Can ..... 25c

Chum Salmons ..... Tall Can 11c

Puffed Rice ..... Large Pkg. 10c

Post Toasties ..... Large Size 10c

Post Bran ..... Regular Size 11c

Prince Albert TOBACCO ..... Pocket Tin 10c

Tomatoes ..... New Pack 3 No. 2 Cans 25c

Pork and Beans ..... 16 oz. Can 5c

Blue Bonnet OLEO lb. 15c  
Bliss Cocoa lb. Can 9c

Williams Apples No. 10 Tin 39c  
TEXACO SALT Plain or Iodized 26 oz. Box 7c

NEW CROP PRUNES 25 lb. Box \$1.00  
Apples ..... Medium Size Dozen 19c  
Tomatoes ..... California No. 1 2 lb. 15c  
Lettuce ..... Large Heads 3 For 10c

FLAKE WHITE SHORTENING 8 lb. Carton 98c  
Light House Cleanser ..... can 4c  
Greenwich Lye ..... 2 Cans 15c  
Ivory Flakes ..... Large Pkg. 19c  
Borax ..... Washing Powder 6 Boxes 15c  
Cheese ..... Full Cream lb. 19c  
Mayfield Corn ..... No. 2 Can 10c

FRESH SHIPMENT BOLOGNA — pound 10c  
Thursday, Friday and Saturday, August 22-23-24 in Spur