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Theatres Changes Hands

The West-Tex Theatre Company this week sold both the Lyric and Spur Theatres to Messrs. R. W. Simpson, J. A. Nelson and E. M. Remington. Mr. Remington is moving to Spur to assume the management of the Spur Theatres. These men own and operate six theatres in West Texas, and since going into the business have built from one theatre up to six.

In speaking of the future of the show business in Spur Mr. Simpson stated that they expected to erect a new building in the near future and give the people a theatre of high class. They are planning on a fifty foot front lot and to make this building modern in every respect. In this theatre will be found only high priced programs. They wish to maintain another theatre in town where moderately priced programs will be given.

When questioned as to the character of pictures they use Mr. Simpson and Mr. Remington both stated that they believed in good pictures and clean shows. They stated they would give the people of Spur programs that they would be proud of seeing, and that they wanted all entertainments to be clean and elevating.

One other feature that seems to be fine is that the theatres in Spur will be run independent of other theatres. Mr. Simpson stated that Mr. Remington would be in full charge in Spur so far as the show business is concerned. No one will have any right to dictate to him as to the class of shows given the people here. He stated further that they expected to install a talky-movie.

At this time these people are building a new theatre in Floydada which will cost them around \$28,000. They will start another building in Anson soon. They have just completed a nice building in Paducah and have the talky-movies there. Both Mr. Simpson and Mr. Remington appear to be high class gentlemen. Such citizens Spur is in need of.

Dallas Election Selects No Straight Ticket

According to returns at nine o'clock Tuesday evening it developed that the city election in Dallas was not centered upon any one set of candidates. Men from various tickets were elected to conduct the city affairs for another two years. 33 boxes with 17 complete, showed a vote of 71,373. The winners are as follows: Mayor Tate, 7453 votes.

Finance Commissioner, Harris, 8837.
Street Commissioner, Crook, 7470.
Water Commissioner, Rozell, 5607.
Police Commissioner, Loudermilk, 6121.

NEW BOOKKEEPER FOR BRYANT-LINK

A new bookkeeper for Bryant-Link Company arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leland D. Campbell Monday morning, April 1st. He is christened Sheridan Snider Campbell and weighed 10 1/2 pounds upon his arrival. His mother weighs 91 pounds. Both mother and son are getting along fine, and Mr. Campbell was able to be back at the office Tuesday.

REVIVAL IN PROGRESS

A revival meeting is in progress at McAadoo under the auspices of the Christian Church. Rev. Albert Hall, of Baird, is doing the preaching and is reported as bringing some great messages. The music is in charge of local talent. Much interest is being manifested in the services. The meeting began last Saturday evening and will continue for several days.

The Fifth Sunday Meeting at McAadoo was well attended Sunday. Rev. Crawford was the principle speaker and preached a great sermon.

SPUR DOWN TOWN BIBLE CLASS BEING ORGANIZED

On Sunday morning, March 31, some thirty men met at the Spur theater for the purpose of organizing a Down Town Bible Class. The demand for such a class has been urgent for some months due to the fact that many men are to be found on the streets of Spur each Sunday who are not affiliated with any Sunday School Class. The purpose of the class being to attract such men, and have something entertaining for them each time the class meets.

H. G. Harcrow acted as temporary chairman, while Ralph Jackson served as usher. A number of songs were sung by the Spur Quartet composed of Mr. Wright, Taylor, Seals and Horner. This Quartet was voted to become the official quartette of the class and accepted same.

An interesting talk was then made on the Sunday School lesson by Rev. F. G. Rogers. The following committees were then appointed: Tom Dickey, S. C. Rawlings and Willis King. Hustling; Luther Hindman, Ralph Jackson, A. R. Howe, and G. C. King; Publicity, Jack Horner and A. C. Hull. Permanent organization will be made in the near future.

This Class meets each Sunday at 9:45 at the Spur Theater and invites all men who are not actively associated with some other class of the city to meet with them and become a member and has always an invitation to the out-of-town men who are spending Sunday in Spur to come and feel at home.

Resigns As Street Commissioner

C. A. Love, who is moving to Oklahoma, tendered his resignation as Street Commissioner for the town of Spur Wednesday, S. H. Twaddell, the newly elected Street Commissioner, was appointed to fill out the unexpired term. During his term of office Mr. Love has done a great deal for the streets in our city. We have had the streets in the best condition in the history of our town. This was due to Mr. Love's interest in the work and to the fact that conditions were more favorable to this line of improvement.

DAD RUSH PASSES AWAY

Alfred (Dad) Rush passed away at the Nichols Sanitarium at 1:40 o'clock Tuesday morning. Mr. Rush had been in failing health for a long time and had been very feeble the past year or two. He went to the sanitarium the last of January and had remained there until his death.

Mr. Rush had been in Spur several years and at one time was engaged in the wagonyard business here. He once owned a little farm in the Wilson Draw community and had been engaged in other business. It appears that he had no near relatives in this country, and although many people here had known him for some twelve or fifteen years they had not inquired into his personal affairs. He had a sister living in Greenville, Texas, who was notified of his death, but she was not physically able to make the journey here and wired she could not come.

Campbell Undertaking Parlor took charge of the body and prepared it for burial. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon by Rev. J. V. Bilberry and Rev. W. B. Bennett. Interment was made in Spur Cemetery, Weber Williams acting as funeral director.

Mr. Rush was 74 years of age at the time of his demise.

SOCIAL

The Teachers and Officers had a very good time at the church Monday night, enjoying a social. The program was interesting throughout. All the men and women should have been there and learned some things about themselves, especially the men. After the program each was served with nice refreshments.

Every teacher and officer is invited to be there each Monday night at eight o'clock.

Old Officials Will Serve Next Term

In the City election Tuesday all of the old officials were re-elected to serve another term. Ned Hogan received 298 votes for Mayor; S. H. Twaddell received 301 votes for Street Commissioner, and J. E. Johnson received 223 votes for Water Commissioner. Mr. Johnson was the only one that had an opponent.

These men with the exception of Twaddell, have served the city the past two years and have given the people a wonderful administration. They still have a fine program which they expect to carry through during the next term.

R. N. Cluck To Head Schools Next Year

At the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees for Spur Independent School District last Friday evening, R. N. Cluck was re-elected Superintendent for another year. O. C. Thomas has been re-elected Principal which gives the people two very fine men in our schools.

Both Mr. Cluck and Mr. Thomas have been in our schools the past two years and have given us one of the best schools found in West Texas. These are well loved by the student body and stand in high esteem with the people. They have an excellent program arranged for next term, and there will be much improvement seen in Spur schools.

Other teachers have not been elected yet, but it is thought the old faculty will be given an opportunity to remain if they care to do so.

Big Day For South Plains Chamber of Commerce

The Tahoka Chamber of Commerce and the Chambers of Commerce of the South Plains are preparing to put over one of the largest District Chamber of Commerce Conventions in the history of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, at Tahoka on April 24th. Invitations have been sent to every Chamber of Commerce and High School in the South Plains and those in adjoining territory, inviting them to be present, with their various organizations, Bands, Service Clubs such as the Rotary, Lions, Kiwanis and High School Clubs of various kinds.

A Silver Loving Cup is being offered by the Tahoka Chamber of Commerce to the winner of the My-Home-Town speaking contest. This contest is open to one contestant from each public school on the South Plains. Rivalry is expected to be keen in this contest as several schools have already stated that they were going to enter the contest.

The Convention Luncheon will be served by the Lynn County Home Demonstration Clubs under the direction of Miss Thelma Greenwade, County Demonstrator. Practically all of the food served will be Lynn County products, produced by the ladies of the Home Demonstration Clubs.

All of the large news papers of the state have been requested to have their correspondents at the convention, so as to be in a position to give to the world news of the happenings during the Convention.

LEASES J. D. POWELL

BUILDING J. Sullivan, of Woodson, and Mr. Salem, of Haskell, obtained a lease on the J. D. Powell building this week and will open a new dry goods store there about April 15. This building was formerly occupied by the firm of J. P. Wilkes & Son, and is one of the best locations in town.

Messrs. Sullivan and Salem are experienced business men and have been engaged in the dry goods business for some time. They will arrive in Spur soon and make arrangements for their opening.

Chautauqua In Spur Next Week

With four days of chautauqua programs, or rather we should say four nights and one day, next week Spur is to become the center of high class entertainment again. Beginning Tuesday evening the people of Dickens County and other counties will have the privilege of enjoying good entertainment that is something different from our ordinary every day amusement. The programs will be Tuesday night, Wednesday night, Friday afternoon and Friday night. The chautauqua is under the auspices of the Parent-Teachers' Association and has the endorsement of more than one hundred business men in Spur.

Tuesday evening will be characterized by a gay mixture of clever ventriloquism, baffling magic and unique cartooning. This program will be given by George Staples & Company, and George Staples is said to be the cleverest man that ever produced a magic wand. This program is especially designed for the children.

The program Wednesday evening is to be a thrilling "Night in the Philippines." It is a musical number presented by Oliver's Philippine Troubadours. South Sea Island music played on the instruments used by the native people. Also, there will be a number of American selections added. A program that all music lovers will enjoy.

Thursday evening will be something the parents will enjoy—a lecture by a witty Irishman. This evening the people will have an opportunity of hearing E. Jefferson Gardner give his lecture on the "Joy of the Job." Mr. Gardner is both a philosopher and an orator with it. He leads people to have a greater appreciation of their life's work and get the idea of enjoying it. Everybody wants to hear Mr. Gardner Thursday evening.

On Friday afternoon will be an informal matinee given by "Smiling Bob" Hanscom and his associates. This will be one of the most enjoyable, laughable, and still one of the most instructive numbers on the program. "Smiling Bob" has a way of making people glad they are living. Especially should the children attend this number, and the older people will enjoy it.

Friday night will be the presentation of "Smilin' Thru," one of the masterpieces of drama. You will laugh and you may shed tears, but you will enjoy this number. An excellent company of stage artists will present this number. Everybody enjoys Harley Sadler's plays and you will enjoy this one. It is presented by people who make a study on just one program and are better prepared to present it than those who must study five or six programs. Don't miss it.

Season tickets are on sale now, and don't refuse the Parent-Teachers' Association at this time. Adult tickets for all five numbers cost only \$2.00. Children tickets are \$1.00. This makes each performance cost you only 40c for each adult and 20c for each child. We pay more than that many times to see a picture show which we would not enjoy as much. Buy a season ticket for if you see the play on Friday evening you will not regret the money your ticket cost you. Single admission runs from 50c to \$1.00 per number.

County Track Meet In Spur

The county Meet for Dickens County will be held in Spur Friday and Saturday of this week. All schools in the county will take part in this meet. The Spelling, declamations, debates, etc., will be held at the High School building. The track and field events will be held at the Fair Park where there is plenty of room and adequate equipment.

Miss Minnie Hartman of Sapulpa, Okla., is now manager of the Gambill's 5 cent to \$5 store here, succeeding Mr. Edwards in that position.

Trustees To Be Elected Saturday

It is well that the citizens of Spur Independent School District select four competent men to act as members of our School Board. We have some wonderful school men in the personell of those who are retiring from the Board, and it would be fine if they could be prevailed upon to serve longer.

The election will be held Saturday for selecting the old members or new ones to fill the vacancies cause dby T. C. Ensey, who has acted as secretary, E. J. Cowan, the president, L. E. and E. A. Russell. These are good men and true, and the good work which the present Board has begun should be safeguarded by the voters in the election Saturday.

Mayor Issues Proclamation Ordering Clean-up

Knowing that many of our citizens are desiring to see our town beautified, and that the vacant lots, streets and alleys should be cleared of any debris or rubbish they might contain, and feeling that the sanitary conditions depend upon a clean town, therefore,

I, Ned Hogan, by virtue of authority invested in me as Mayor of the City of Spur, Texas, do proclaim that Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, April 9, 10 and 11, shall be "Clean-up" Days for the city of Spur, Texas, and that all citizens of said town shall see that the trash, rubbish, old cans, etc., be removed from the streets and alleys about their premises.

Witness my signature, this 3rd day of April, A. D., 1929.
Ned Hogan, Mayor.

News From Nichols Sanitarium

Henry Griffin, city, who had undergone an operation a few days ago, was able to return home Saturday.

Mrs. Joe McDonough, city, was able to return home Friday after having undergone an operation a short time ago.

Clarence Robinson, of Dry Lake community, was able to return home Saturday after having undergone an operation here some few days ago.

Mrs. Fred Williams, of Afton, who had undergone an operation in the sanitarium, was able to return to her home Friday.

Mrs. W. E. Ball, who had undergone an operation some weeks ago, was able to return to her home in Espuela community Friday.

Little Addie Pierce was able to return to her home the last of the week, after having undergone an operation three weeks ago.

Mrs. C. P. Ingram, city, underwent an operation last Thursday and is getting along fine at this time.

Mrs. W. P. Howell, Kalgary, who underwent an operation, is getting along all right.

Mrs. M. L. Rickels, city who underwent an operation several days ago, is still in the sanitarium and getting along fine.

Oscar Weaver, of Highway community, who underwent an operation some days ago, is improving and soon will be out.

Mrs. C. A. Aldridge, Spur, underwent an operation Monday and seems to be getting along in the very best way.

Mrs. H. E. Powell, of Kalgary, is in the Sanitarium for medical attention at this time. She is improving.

Mr. R. H. Boykin, of Swenson, underwent an operation Sunday and is getting along fine at this time.

Hulin Cargile, of Roaring Springs, who underwent an operation two weeks ago, is improving and soon will be out again.

R. H. Hill, of Duncan Flat, who had been in the Sanitarium several weeks as a result of typhoid fever and pneumonia, was able to return home Saturday.

WAKE UP, RAKE UP, CLEAN UP, BURN UP! TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY, & THURSDAY

April 9th, 10th, and 11th, have been proclaimed clean-up days by the Mayor of Spur and "Spur Civic League" is back of this move "heart and soul." We must make Spur cleaner. Fly time is coming, if you allow filth around your place and flies germinate there and carry these death dealing germs to your neighbor's home and his child is infected and dies from this cause, you are indirectly a murderer.

Yes, we are indeed our brother Keeper, or should be. Your premises have been inspected by the officers of the Civic League. Some premises in Spur are in bad condition. Maybe you have been too busy, maybe it's just carelessness. Look around and see if your place needs attention.

The City has agreed to haul all cans and trash that cannot be burned if you will get such in well arranged piles accessible to wagon or truck for loading. Your property will be inspected again on April 12th, and then publicity will be given if conditions such as now exist are not improved.

Tuesday morning, April 9th, at 9:00, the fire alarm will sound, warning all business men who do business in Spur to send at least one hand equipped with hoe, rake, axes, shovel, or other tools suitable for use in cleaning up our town; to meet on the south side of Spur National Bank, ready for orders. G. H. Snider has been chosen as Commander-in-Chief of this army, Jack Godfrey, Jas. B. Reed, Joe Kellam, and W. S. Patrick, Lieutenants, to have charge of this important work.

Now, folks, you can tell how people have been raised by the way they keep their premises. Join the move heart and hand to make Spur what it ought to be in appearance. If you are a business man, look back of your place of business and see if it needs attention. How about the old auto hells, move them away, and see how much better your place looks. Let us all work together to make Spur a town known by its cleanliness.

SPUR CIVIC LEAGUE.

BACK FROM THE VALLEY

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Haile returned Sunday evening from the Rio Grande Valley where they enjoyed a vacation. They left Spur about three weeks ago for the Fat Stock Show at Fort Worth and then continued on south. They visited in Waco, Austin, San Antonio, Brownsville and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. Haile brought back some very fine fruits from the Valley. They exhibited a cluster of very fine grapefruit and oranges. Also, they handed us a lemon that was about five inches in diameter. They stated that all the fruit in the Valley was pulled the last week, and what was not ready for market was destroyed on account of the Mexican flies which will begin activity within a few days. However, plantings are being made for another crop in the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Haile stated they saw Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Miller and that Mr. Miller stated he would be back in Spur as soon as he could sober up a little. He is drinking Texas lemonade and grapefruit juice, and is becoming intoxicated with the gulf breeze.

Bryant-Link Remodels Ready-to-Wear Dept.

The Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department at Bryant-Link Company is being remodeled at this time. It is also being enlarged to take care of the increased business which has come to this store. A good hardwood floor has been put in and all the wood work has been varnished or painted.

The cases and dressing rooms have been moved to the rear of the department. New mirrors have been placed in the department for the accommodation of the customers. It is nicely arranged and presents a business-like appearance.

Citizens Gin Destroyed By Fire

People of our town were awoken about one o'clock Tuesday morning by the fire siren, and it was found that the Citizens Gin was a mass of flames. The Spur Fire Department answered the summons and did good work in checking the flames. With the exception of the boiler and engine and the seed house, the gin was a complete loss.

M. Hargrove, who is manager and a stock-holder in the gin stated that it is difficult to determine the amount of loss at this time. However, it is conservatively estimated at close to \$25,000.00 and probably fifty per cent of this loss will be recovered by insurance.

Mr. Hargrove stated that he will rebuild the gin and have it ready for the run next fall. He is planning on a good, modern plant. Mr. Hargrove takes pride in building good gins, and this will be the fourth plant he will have installed in the county. Every one of the other plants are of the best in quality.

DO IT NOW!

Take your Progressive Farmer of March 30th, and if you don't have one borrow your neighbor's, and turn to page ten and finish reading that story about "That Fool John Hinson."

Some farmers say they cannot raise alfalfa for their dairy cows. Why not plant cowpeas and supplement peavine hay. It serves nearly the same purpose as alfalfa, being rich in lime.

Now that the rain has come, old Jersey will enjoy seeing you plant that patch of sudan grass in order for her to have some good green grazing soon.

The Farmer may fuss at his wife for spending so much time with raising chickens now, but he will enjoy the fryers later on. What about a green pasture for the hens?

Wonder if our farmers ever think about keeping a farm record and learn just what the income from cows and chickens amount to during the year. Start a set of books now, and next year you can speak with authority.

Does your neighbor's cow give more milk than yours. Suppose you consult with him and find out about his feeding. Your cow may be as good but the ration you give her may not be as good as the ration your neighbor feeds.

Separate the roosters from the hens May 1st. Then brand your eggs as infertile and see if it makes any difference in regard to the price they bring.

Try a balanced ration with your pigs, and see how much quicker they will make hogs of themselves.

For the Purpose of Fire Prevention in the City of Spur:

Be it ordained by the Board of Commissioners of the City of Spur, Texas:

SECTION 1. Hereafter it shall be unlawful for any person to throw, place, or deposit on the ground outside any building, within the fire limits of the city, any loose paper, trash, or combustible material, or to burn any such materials in the open, unless same is securely inclosed in mate wire or iron receptacles.

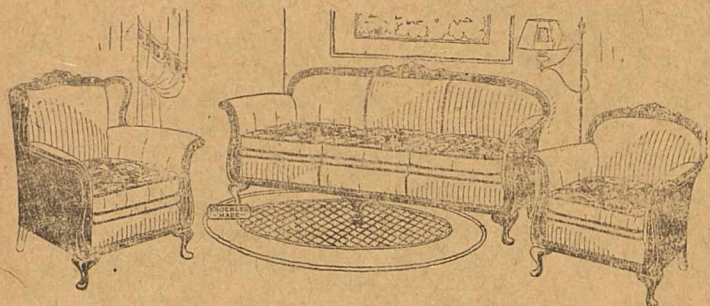
SECTION 2. Any person violating any provisions of the foregoing Section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction shall be fined in an sum not exceeding one hundred (\$100.00) dollars.

Passed June 9th, 1924.
Attest: E. J. Cowan, City Sec'y.
Approved: J. L. King, Mayor.
SPUR CIVIC LEAGUE

J. F. Middleton, of Afton, was transacting business in our city Monday.

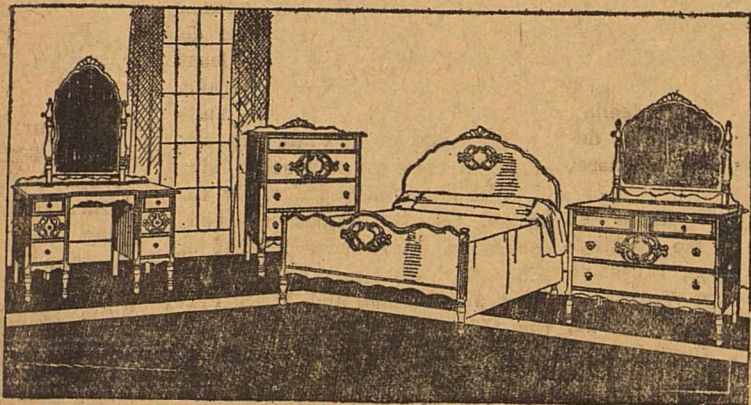
FURNITURE Values

Just received a car load of furniture, consisting of Livingroom, Bedroom and Dining room suites. All up-to-the-minute in Beauty, Style and Quality.



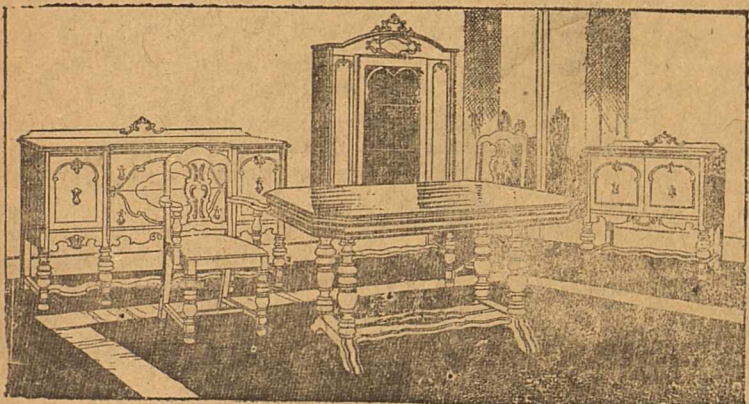
NEW STYLE LIVING ROOM SUITES

We now have a nice assortment of smartly styled living room suites. Upholstered in Mohair, Frieze and Velour. See them before you buy.



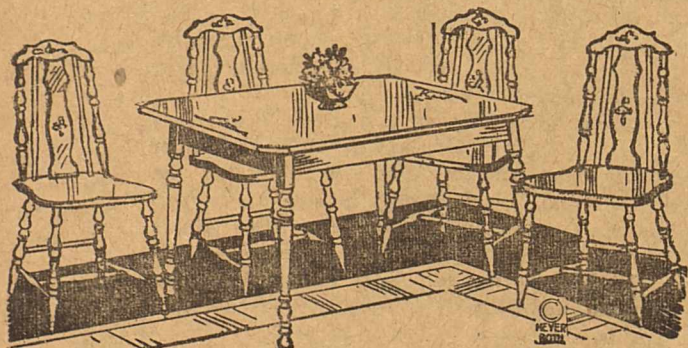
TWO TONE BEDROOM SUITES

These are really great values. These suites are veneered in choice walnut over fine American Gumwood. Lovely two tone effect as illustrated. Our suites include the new style beds, vanity, chest of drawers and vanity bench. Suites you will be proud of for years.



HANDSOME DINING SUITE

An amazing value! The suite consists of extension table, buffet host chair, and 5 side chairs. Table has 5-ply walnut veneered top. Chair seats are velour upholstered.



5-piece Breakfast Set

A good looking sturdy set, lacquer finished, with stenciled decorations. Consists of extension table and 4 chairs.

Bryant-Link Co.

FURNITURE DEPARTMENT. NEW PHONE NO. 120

How to Make A Hog Out Of A Pig

The above was the subject discussed by Mr. Eudaly, of A. & M. College, at the Short Course held in Dickens County March 20-22, and which we promised to tell the people about in this week's Times. Mr. Eudaly stated that in order to accomplish this feat successfully there are three things necessary:

1. You must have a good pig. You just cannot take any kind of old pig and make a good hog out of it.
2. You must feed it correctly. It has been found that it requires eight pounds of maize to create one pound of flesh on the pig. This is because the maize (which means grain sorghums in general) is lacking in many elements that the pig must have to make flesh. Three and one-half pounds of a balanced feed to make one pound of flesh on the pig. In the balanced feed the pig gets what it needs in a right proportion.
3. The management of the pig. This feature will be discussed further down.

Mr. Eudaly passed over the first point with just a few remarks. He stressed the second and third points very forcefully. In speaking of the feeds, he stated that any farmer should raise the greater part of his hog feeds. Then he gave the following rations to balance the feeds as a concentrate:

- 25 lbs of tankage, animal food.
- 25 lbs shorts, vegetable protein.
- 18 3-4 lbs cotton seed meal, protein and phosphorus.
- 12 1-2 lbs of alfalfa meal, lime and vitamin.
- 6 1-4 lbs bone meal, animal lime and phosphorus.
- 12 1-2 lbs ground oats, protein.

Feed one quart per day to each hog regardless of how old or large it is, and give it all the maize it will eat.

It will be observed that we have given the name of feed each substance in the above ration supplies. All of these are necessary to make the hog.

When milk is used, give one gallon per day to each hog regardless of how old it is, and one-half pound of the following mixture:

- 25 lbs shorts.
- 25 lbs cotton seed meal.
- 25 lbs ground oats.
- 25 lbs ground alfalfa.

To this is supposed to be added all the maize the pig will eat. Mr. Eudaly stated the more feed you can get down a pig the earlier he will make a hog.

In speaking of the third point, Mr. Eudaly stated that it required more than feed to make a hog. Two-thirds of a pig's body is water. Therefore, the pig must have plenty of good, clean water to drink and a good place to wallow. Keep plenty of water before the pig all the time. More feed and more water makes more hog.

Keep hogs in the pasture. A hog must have exercise to give him an appetite to make him eat.

The hog must have good shade. Make the shade high enough and large enough to keep hogs apart and keep them cool.

Keep the hogs warm and dry in the winter. Also allow no dust to collect in the houses any time. Keep the dust down.

Provide a good wallow for the hogs. The wallow should not be in the shade but close by it. Keep water six inches deep in the wallow, but it should not be a mud-hole. Mud on hogs in summer makes them hot.

Use sweet feeds. Do not make up feeds and let them sour. Your hogs will not do well if you do. Feed three times per day and keep the feed troughs a short distance from the shade except at the noon feeding. Take the noon feeding to the hog in the shade.

Don't feed the hogs in the evening until late and the daily heat is off. Give him time to get some exercise before feeding him, then he will eat more.

Give the hog all the feed he will eat. It requires one eighth of the feed to maintain the hog. He must have this maintenance before he will put on any flesh.

A hog needs both vegetable and animal substances in its feeds. Be sure that these are supplied. Use a little common sense with the hog. Treat him like a hog should be treated and he will bring you good returns for your time and money.

CHICKENS

This subject was discussed by Mr. Holmgreen who specializes in feeding and care of chickens. He

stated that in feeding chickens to make them lay eggs that there are only about three things required.

1. Be sure that the hen gets enough protein to make egg white. For this feed skim milk and meat scraps.

2. See that the hen gets enough mineral matter. The hen needs salt, lime and iron. Every twelve dozens of eggs has 2 1-2 pounds of lime in them. There should be one pound of salt for every 100 pounds of mash fed.

3. Vitamins. For vitamin A use green feeds, yellow corn and alfalfa meal. For vitamin D, use codliver oil, or milk and plenty of sunlight.

Then Mr. Holmgreen summed up the whole statement by saying "Get plenty of protein, use salt, oyster shells, sunlight, and let the chickens have green feed."

He then gave the following as a ration to be used in feeding laying hens:

Use four gallons of milk per day for each one hundred hens and the following concentrate:

- 100 lbs bran.
- 100 lbs shorts.
- 100 lbs ground oats.
- 100 lbs ground maize green pasture.

Use 10 to 12 pounds per day for Leghorns and other small breeds. 1 to 14 pounds per day for large breeds for each 100 hens.

If you do not have green pasture, then add 20 lbs of alfalfa meal to the above ration. If you do not have the milk, then add 100 lbs of meat scraps to the ration.

All hens do their best work when they have plenty of exercise. The hen must have a well balanced ration because her body is too small to draw on very much. Hence, the mineral and protein must be supplied in her feeds or she will not lay eggs.

As much of the feeds as possible should be raised on the farm. Mr. Holmgreen made special mention of this, and it will be observed that practically everything in the above ration can be supplied from the farm, and eliminate buying commercial feeds.

CHICKEN TALK

W. M. Hunter, east of Spur, and G. F. Harris, of McAdoo, were noticed having a very interesting conversation on our streets Saturday. It developed that Mr. Harris was trying to talk Mr. Hunter out of a few settings of eggs from his fine Rhode Island Red Hens. Both of these men have fine chickens on their farms and take great pride in keeping up their flocks.

LODGES

Stated Meeting of SPUR LODGE No. 1023 A. F. & A. M. Thursday night on or before each full moon. Visitors welcome.
C. J. CROUCH, W. M.
W. R. KING, Secy.

ROTARY CLUB OF SPUR Meets every Thursday at 12 o'clock at Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome
WALTER LEE, Pres.
DODGE STARCHER, Sec

SPUR REBEKAH LODGE No. 178 Meets each Friday night. Members be present. Visitors welcome.
MRS. A. C. BURGESSON, N. G.
MRS. T. A. ROGERS, Sec.

Stated Conclave of Spur Commandery No. 76 K. T. Second Tuesday in each month. Visiting Sir Knights welcome.
T. C. ENSEY, Com.
SPUR REBEKAH LODGE
J. RECTOR, Recorder

Stated Meeting Of SPUR CHAPTER No. 340 R. A. M. Monday night on or after each full moon. Visitors welcome.
M. E. TREE, H. P.
J. RECTOR, Sec.

SPUR LODGE No. 771 I. O. O. F. Meets every Monday night. Visitors welcome.
A. R. HOWE, N. G.
C. F. APPLIGATE, Sec.

PHIFER-MACOM

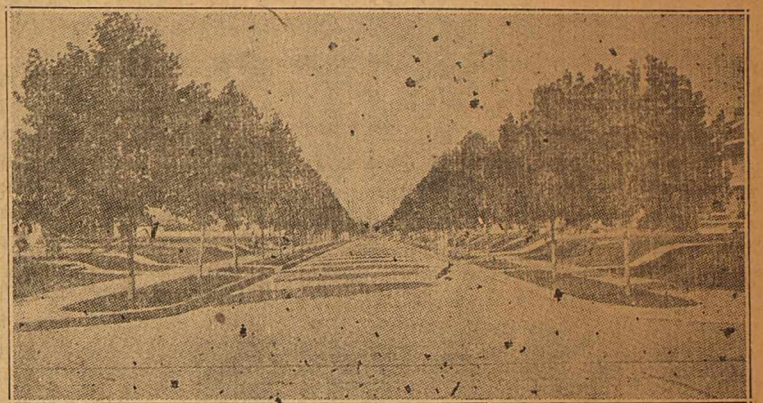
Mr. Frank Macom and Miss Oha Phifer, both of McAdoo, were quietly married in Spur last Friday. Judge Roddy officiated and the ceremony took place in the presence of a few friends.

These young people come from fine families in the McAdoo community, and have many friends there who join in wishing them the best of success. They will make their home in the McAdoo country.

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THE SPUR BAKERY

WOMAN'S MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Woman's Missionary Soc-

ety met on Monday, April 1, at 3 p. m., at the Methodist church. Mrs. J. C. Payne read the scripture lesson, followed by the song "I Must Tell Jesus."

Mrs. V. C. Smart taught the lesson taken from "Study in Prophecy." Mrs. W. B. Vaughn told in a very pretty manner the story of "Easter."

Members present were: Mesdames Campbell, Laine, Payne, Vaughn, Newberry, Morris, Keene.

Manning, Smart, Fite, Watson, Link, Joplin, Barber, Rawlings, Lea, Rogers, Misses Fite and Stokes.

EASTER PARTY

On Tuesday evening, Mrs. Geo. S. Link's Sunday School class entertained in the basement of the Methodist church with an Easter party.

The decorative scheme carried out the Easter note, with baskets of gorgeous white lilies placed at routage points.

As the guests arrived they were met by Mrs. Dan H. Zachry and Mr. Faust Collier, who, with tape measure and yard stick, gave each a square measure.

Refreshment plates holding chicken salad, potato chips, olives and tea, were passed to the following: Mesrs and Mmes. Paige Gollibar, Clifford Jones, G. H. Stack, Jack Rector, Faust Collier, Lewis E. Lea, J. P. Carson, M. A. Lea, M. A. Lea, Jr., Chas. Whitner, D. E. Burns, Willie King, J. R. Laine, J. C. Payne, Mmes. Dan H. Zachry, G. L. Barber, Roy Stovall, J. M. Foster, Jno. McComb, A. O. White, Misses Ruth Lohn, Lena Belle Scudder, Vera Shepherd, Ruth and Millicent Anderson, Lora Barrett, and Arlene Scudder, Messrs Spencer Browning, Willie Giddens, O. C. Thomas, J. W. Henry and L. C. Ramey.

Elzy Watson winning a pretty butterfly pin as high score favor, Miss Uellie Balbin received a lovely blue pendant for having won low score.

Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Misses Nellie B. Albin, Mildred Williams, Dorothy Love, Hazell Mullino, Margaret Elliott, Lora Barrett, Ella Mae Hogan, Jane Douglas Wilson, Lena Belle and Arlene Scudder, Mesdames Joe Stotts, Horace Hyatt, Mac Watson, Elzy Watson, A. C. Hull, and Bill McAlpin.

BLUEBONNET AND FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. E. L. Caraway entertained members of the Bluebonnet and Friday Afternoon clubs at her home on Hill Street on Friday afternoon.

The spacious rooms, where tables were ready for games of progressive "42" were made more attractive with vases of lovely Easter lilies.

The Easter motif was carried out in the tallies, and table appointments. The guest list included Mesdames H. T. Andrews, L. R. Barrett, J. P. Carson, W. S. Campbell, Nellie Davis, W. F. Godfrey, R. C. Forbis, B. F. Hale, Joe Kellam, Geo. S. Link, C. A. Love, C. L. Love, Chas. Whitner, Riley Wooten, Malcom Brannen, W. D. Stacher, Oran McClure, G. L. Barber, P. C. Nichols, Shirley Robbins, E. A. Russell, Roy Stovall, J. H. Busby, and W. B. Lee.

EASTERN STAR CONTEST ENDS WITH ENTERTAINMENT

The contest between the Blues and the Yellow in the Spur Chapter of the Eastern Star ended this week with the Blues victorious.

MRS. RILEY R. WOOTEN ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Riley R. Wooten was a charming hostess on Thursday afternoon to members of the 1925 Bridge Club and other friends.

Sprays of spring blossoms in bowls and wall pockets made the reception rooms most attractive. At the conclusion of a few games of bridge high scores were held by Mrs. James B. Reed, for club members, and Mrs. Cecil Fox, Guest. Low score favors went to Mrs. Frank Laverty, and Mrs. Malcolm Braunen.

The prizes of rose tinted glass, tied with green ribbon, carried out the color scheme of rose and green.

The guest list read: Mmes Nellie Davis, W. D. Wilson, Hill Perry, Oran McClure, Malcom Brannen, J. L. Jones, Margaret Newman, E. A. Russell, R. C. Forbis, E. F. Laverty, Nobliett of Fort Worth, James B. Reed, Cecil Fox, Jack Rector, M. C. Golding, Shirley Robbins, C. A. Love, C. L. Love and Miss Julia Mae Hickman.

MRS. NOBLITT HONORED

On Friday afternoon of last week, Mrs. E. F. Laverty entertained with bridge, complimenting her sister, Mrs. Nobliett of Fort Worth.

Clusters of peach blossoms decorated the rooms where three tables were arranged for the bridge games. Mrs. Margaret Newman made high score, with Mrs. O. B. Bowman receiving low score favor. A lovely guest prize was presented to the honoree, Mrs. Nobliett.

A dainty salad course was served to the following: Mesdames Nobliett, W. D. Wilson, Cecil Senning, O. B. Bowman, Cecil Fox, Dan H. Zachry, W. E. Flint, Margaret Newman, Hill Perry, Willis King, Tom Dickey, and Jack Rector.

MISS LUCILE LUCAS ENTERTAINS

Miss Lucile Lucas entertained a number of her friends on last Thursday evening at the home of her mother, Mrs. Riley Wooten. Bridge was the interesting diversion for the evening, with Mrs.

The Yellow's with Mrs. E. S. Lee as captain, entertained the winners, Mrs. Faust Collier, captain, on Thursday evening at the Hall. Soda pop, with all-day suckers, was served to the guests, much to their astonishment. Later, however, a delicious ice course, with the Eastern Star emblem, was served to a large number of guests.

P. M. W. CLUB

The P. M. W. Club met on Thursday with Mrs. Cecil Addie at the home of Mrs. Edgar McGee. A very pleasant afternoon was spent playing 42. Easter colors and motifs were used in decorations, tallies and score pads.

Assisted by Mrs. McGee the hostess served lovely refreshments of sandwiches, pie and iced tea to the following: Mrs. Ousley, McCombs, Dyers, Harky, Teague, Swan, Vernon, Barrow, Tidwell, Pryor, Stack, McGlathery, Crockett, Gilbert and Ericson.

C. W. M. SOCIETY

Christian Women's Missionary Society met with Mrs. R. R. Wooten on Monday afternoon with Mrs. F. B. Crockett as leader. Christianity in Africa was the subject discussed. Mrs. Elkins and Mrs. Stafford made very interesting talks on the conditions there-while Mrs. Abbott located the Mission Stations. A round table discussion of the World call lesson was held. Miss Anna Mae Hale sang, "The Return of the Robin" which was enjoyed very much. The hostess was assisted by Miss Lucas in serving a delicious ice course to the following: Mrs. O. L. Hale, B. F. Hale, E. L. Caraway, W. R. Stafford, G. R. Elkins, Bercham, Ed Lisenby, F. B. Crockett, Tom Teague, I. G. Van Leer, A. G. Abbott.

S. B. Scott, Jr., Miss Annie Mae Hale.

J. O. Barrett of Afton, was in our city Saturday taking in bargains offered by our merchants.

W. R. Baker, of Dickens, was in our city the first of the week looking after business interests.

S. T. Battles, of Espuela, was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

A. J. Shackelford, of Red Mud, was doing some trading with our

merchants Saturday.

Mrs. Alonzo Lollar, east of town was in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bennefield, of Espuela, two of our county's teachers, were transacting business in our city Saturday.

W. W. Garner, east of town, was doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

Clyde Bennett, of near Girard, was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

Charter No. 9611

Reserve District No. 11

Report of Condition of the

SPUR NATIONAL BANK of Spur, in the State of Texas

At The Close of Business on March 27, 1929

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource and Amount. Includes Loans and discounts, United States Government securities, Other bonds, stocks and securities, Banking house, Real estate, Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank, Cash and due from banks, Outside checks and other cash items, Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer, S. Treasurer, Other assets, and TOTAL.

LIABILITIES

Table with 2 columns: Liability and Amount. Includes Capital stock paid in, Surplus, Undivided profits-net, Circulating notes outstanding, Due to banks, Demand deposits, Time deposits, Bills payable and rediscounts, and TOTAL.

TOTAL \$872,554.18

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF DICKENS, ss:

I, W. T. Andrews, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. T. ANDREWS, Cashier.

CORRECT-ATTEST:

NED HOGAN, GEO. S. LINK, W. B. LEE, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of April, 1929. JULIA M. HICKMAN, Notary Public, Dickens County, Texas.

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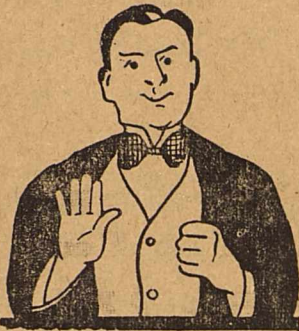
—And we are ready to make some good farmer happy.

DON'T FORGET THE DATE—IT WILL BE FIRST MONDAY, MAY 6TH.

An auctioneer will be furnished the farmers free by the Merchants Association. If you have anything to sell, bring it in and get it sold.

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County Surveyor --- D. J. Harkey

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Precinct 2, E. N. Johnson
Precinct 3, H. O. Albin
Precinct 4, Charlie Perrin.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Commissioner's Court of Dickens County will receive sealed bids on one or more road maintainers on the 13th day of April, 1929.

O. C. Newberry, Co. Judge.
Mar. 14-21-28, Apr. 4.

TWIN WELLS CLUB NEWS

Mrs. L. B. McMeans was hostess to the Twin Wells Ladies' Home Demonstration club on March 28, 1929. The subject was on health and proper diets.

Several members were present and Mrs. Tanner gave a wonderful lecture on diets. We all appreciated her lecture and hope she will meet with us often and tell us more about what we should eat. We know she practices what she teaches from her healthy appearance and cheerful disposition.

Our next meeting will be April 11, 1929, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hooper. The subject will be on yard beautification. Would be glad all our members could be present and always glad to have new members, and visitors are always welcome.

---CLUB REPORTER.

COTTONSEED FOR SALE

To farmers and cotton raisers of Dickens County---If you want good cottonseed come to the Spur warehouse after them. I have about 25 tons of early gin run seed at \$1.00 per bushel, at the warehouse now. I know these seed are good. The most of these seed came from the Croton Country and around Dickens. Come down to the warehouse and examine these seed and you know most of the farmers of this country plant good seed and I have saved the cream of these seed for you, if you want them but a great many men wants to be humbugged and will buy from these seed bootleggers.

4-4c. J. J. ALBIN.

RED TOP CLUB NEWS

On March 4th, the club met with Mrs. Childress. Miss Osborn gave a demonstration on "packing the school lunch," introducing the vegetable sandwich, and made a plea for milk to be added to the lunch.

The second meeting of the month was on the 18th, and Mrs. Fuqua was hostess. Some business was disposed of in which each member was assigned an article to make for the booth. We are planning to make this the best booth we have ever had.

The entire program time was given over to Mrs. Tanner, who gave a very interesting and instructive talk on "vitamin and calories." We feel that we derived much good from Mrs. Tanner's talk and hope to have her with us again soon.

Most of our members attended the linen contest, and demonstration on linens, Friday. We always enjoy having Miss Murry to judge us. She seems so capable and we feel we will love Mrs. Clayton just as well when we know her better. Her talk was most interesting and beneficial.

Red Top was well represented in the linens and feels very much elated over carrying off so many of the prizes. Our only regret is that we could not hear the talks on dairying given the same day. However, we are glad that others heard and enjoyed them. We meet with Mrs. Harrell next on the first Monday in April. ---Reporter.

Rev. G. F. Rogers is attending a meeting at Roaring Springs this week.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL P-T A. MEETING APRIL 12

The Parent-Teachers' Association of Prairie Chapel School will have an open meeting at the school building Friday night, April 12. One of the features of the meeting will be a debate on the question of school consolidation. Mr. Jenkins will speak on the affirmative side of the question and Prof. H. P. Bell will handle the negative.

There has been quite a number of people in that country that have been talking consolidation with Afton, Duncan Flat, Chandler and Elton, and making one fine centralized school for the whole country. Prairie Chapel people have a very fine school and they are people who want to be for the best of everything in school life.

WALL-AWFULL

On last Sunday evening, March 31, Mr. Burl Wall and Miss Ruby Lee Awfill of McAdoo were quietly united in marriage at the home of Rev. F. G. Rogers, Pastor of the Baptist Church.

The bride wore a blue georgette with accessories to match, while the groom wore conventional black.

Friends wish them much joy and happiness. They will make their home at McAdoo.

Bob Hahn, of Dry Lake, was in our city the first of the week talking good chickens and cows to friends.

NOTICE TO FARMERS

I am installing a saw filing machine across the street from Baisden & Co. All work guaranteed. Your work solicited.

Farmers and Carpenters work especially solicited.

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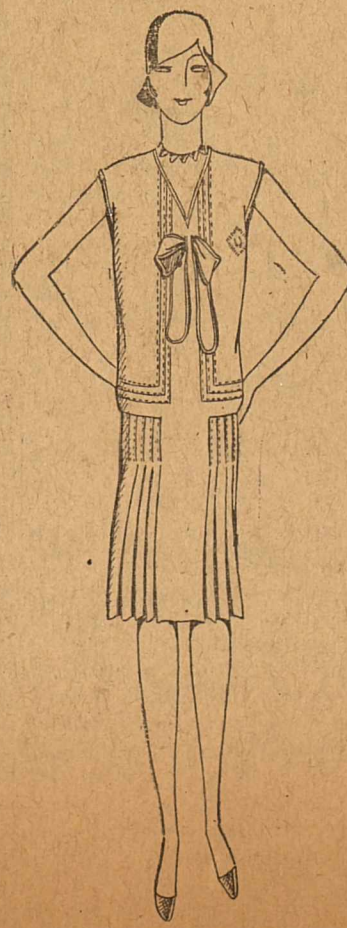
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THANKS

We wish to thank each and every one who attended our Big Easter Sale—and from now on we will be able to give you Quality Merchandise at Cheap Prices. Saturday will be the last day of our sale, but as we have said we are able to give you a large stock of Merchandise to select from. Good Merchandise at a cheap price, when you buy from BARRIER BROS., INC. We expect you to Dollar for Dollar Value. We wish to thank every one again and ask you to make our store your store.

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FOR SALE—Eleven months old registered Jersey Bull. Ready for service at \$100. A. E. McClain, Red Mud Community. 3-7-tn. 4tp

FOR SALE—One 1 1-2 and one 2 on heavy duty International truck will take good car as part payment. E. M. Hale. tn

FOR SALE—Eggs from prize winning Minorcas, \$1.50 per setting, 15. Also some good milk cows for sale or trade. See S. T. Battles at Edwin Clapp Farm. 225-tp.

HAVE for sale or trade for vacant lot, one living room suite. J. D. POWELL. 2tc

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PAPER FROM CORNSTALKS

What is said to have been the first edition of any newspaper in the world to be printed on paper made from cornstalks was issued by the Commercial-News of Danville, Ill., one day last month. And it was an edition of 116 pages at that, using 25 tons of newsprint.

The paper was produced in Danville by the Corn Products Company, which has expended \$750,000 in the erection of a plant and research laboratory. The process employed is based on that originated by Dr. Bela Dornier, a Hungarian, with suitable modifications resulting from the labors of Dr. J. E. Jackson, an American industrial chemist.

While further research and experiments will be necessary to bring production of cornstalk paper to the level of that from wood pulp in cost, the technical problems have been practically solved and fear of a future paper famine through depletion of forests has been eliminated.

How this new industry will benefit farmers of the corn belt is forecast by one of the men interested in the new process, who said:

"We can visualize in the years to come innumerable comparatively small pulp mills scattered throughout the corn belt, making pulp from cornstalks grown on millions of acres now non-producing."

Commenting on the matter, Secretary Jardine declared that with the rapid progress being made in technical and commercial procedures a new day is at hand when many agricultural wastes will become sources of profit, not only to the farmer, but to the country at large.

SPUR BAPTIST CHURCH

Easter Sunday was a great day with the Baptist people here. Sunday school was fine and a good crowd.

The Knights Templar marched in immediately after Sunday school was over. They were a beautiful sight to see and to know what they represent, we were happy to have them. They were an inspiration to the church and to our Sunday school, as well. Then our Easter Song "He Arose From The Grave," by a double quartet was well rendered.

The Pastor's lesson found in Luke-24. Subject "The Risen Christ" and what He was made." It was a great service renewing our faith in our risen Lord the third day.

The number is growing larger for the B. Y. P. U. and a very interesting lesson followed by a program of Missions by two groups of our boys and girls in B. Y. P. U. Bro. Rogers brought in a good message on "Missions" found in Math-29. Come to prayer service each Wednesday night from time to time. Each lady is invited to attend one of the four circles in town each Monday. COME.—Reporter.

W. O. Davenport, of Twin Wells, was in our city Saturday trading with our merchants.

Six Loving Cups To Be Awarded

ABILENE, April 4.—Six loving cups will be given as prizes when the first annual contest for West Texas high school bands is held in Abilene April 17 under the auspices of the Simmons University Cowboy band. The contest will be held the morning before the concert of the Royal Belgian Guard Band that evening, and the Belgian musicians will serve as judges of the event.

High schools are to be divided into classes A. and B. according to the rating given them by the Interscholastic League and three prizes given in each division.

The grand prize will be a \$100 loving cup given by the Cowboy Band to the winner in class A, not to be kept permanently by any band until it has won three of the annual contests. A smaller cup will be given to the winner to be kept permanently. A loving cup will also be given to the winner of second place.

The same arrangements have been made for Class B except that loving cups are slightly smaller.

The contest is under the supervision of the Simmons University school of band music, D. O. Wiley, director. Competing bands will be allowed to choose their own selection and also play one number to warm up on, Mr. Wiley announces. Awards will be made on the same basis as in the West Texas Chamber of Commerce contests.

Visitors will be furnished sleeping quarters while in Abilene.

DICKENS COUNTY GIRL HAS FINE COLLEGE RECORD

We feel that any young lady or young man of Dickens County who makes good in an institution of higher learning should be commended for their efforts, and yet it is no more than they should do. Last week a report came, showing the record of Miss Ethel Cox who is a student in Baylor College for Girls at Belton, Texas. In the entire five units of college work which Miss Cox is carrying in that institution she made a straight A record.

Miss Cox is not devoting all of her time to classroom work as the record showed. No student is allowed more than 15 points in social and religious activities in the college. Miss Cox rounded out thirteen of the fifteen points. She is a member of both the Soccer and Hockey teams and is engaged in other athletic activities. She is a member of the Baylor Students' Governing Council which engages her a great deal of the time.

During the two years of which Miss Cox has been a student in Baylor College she has been on the honor roll the entire time since her first report was made out. She is a graduate of the Spur High School and was Salutatorian of the Class of '27.

Miss Cox is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Cox, two and one half miles northeast of Spur.

MUSIC TOURNAMENT AT SIMMONS U.

ABILENE, Texas, April 3.—Colleges of the Southwest will compete for the first time in piano playing when the First Inter-Collegiate Piano Tournament is held at Simmons University here on May 3rd and 4th. The contest will also include a high school and grade school division and every school in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico will be invited to compete.

Loving cups will be offered as prizes to the winning school and silver medals to the winning contestants. Judges of national reputation will be selected to officiate. Irl Allison, head of the Simmons piano school, is director of the tournament.

Any college, high school, or grade school, whether state or private institution, in one of the three states, is eligible. Rules regarding eligibility of contestants follow the lines of all inter-scholastic and inter-collegiate contests. Age limits for college entrants are 16 to 22, for high school, 12 to 17, and for grade pupils, 8 to 14. Numbers to be played in the tournament have been set by the director and include classic, romantic, modern, and technique numbers.

The meet will become an annual affair, according to Allison. In addition to the loving cup, the winning school will receive a banner. Any student may enter any number of contests.

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Spearman will be burning natural gas by August 1st. Six inch pipe lines are to be laid to the town from the Stinnett fields to supply the commodity. The price is to be reduced from 75 cents to 65 cents per 1000 cubic feet of gas.

Fort Stockton is experiencing a lively building boom. The new opera house when completed and furnished will represent an expenditure of \$75,000. Brick business houses costing \$20,000 are being built and plans for more are going up.

Santa Anna, after completing a new school and a modern city hall has now started excavation preliminary to paving five blocks of the town's main streets. Plans are being considered for additional paving to be done upon the completion of these five blocks.

Although having an adequate water supply at the present time, Childress is preparing for the future by purchasing a tract of 280 acres of land at a price of \$16,000 to be used in drilling water wells. A dam may be built later to make a lake.

Contract has been let for the new Silvertown high school building to cost approximately \$85,000.00. The building will be completed by September. It will be modern in every respect and will be built and equipped with the latest and most modern of conveniences and material.

Tulia will represent Swisher County at the Second annual Panhandle Plains Dairy Show in Plainview April 2 to 5 with three hundred citizens headed by the Tulia High School band of thirty-two pieces. Eighty six head of dairy cattle are being fitted for the show.

More than 500 car loads of maize, kaffir, and other sorghums grains have been shipped from Tahoka this season. One hundred cars are yet to be shipped. A car load of heads consists of about 20 tons, and bring about \$17.00 per ton.

Ten per cent of the farmers in Dickens county took advantage of the poultry and dairy short course conducted by E. N. Holmgren and E. R. Eddaly at Spur, and are putting into practice the knowledge gained. Many farmers have taken up the idea of diversification in farming around Spur.

The outlook for dairying in Haskell County is better now than ever before due to the various organizations in several towns boosting the establishment of a creamery. Farmers in this section realize that the cow is hard to replace on the farm when it comes to an income the year around.

Forty head of dairy cattle will be taken from Lockney and Floyd county of the Panhandle Plains Dairy Show. A Floyd County delegation, composed of farmers and business men of the county, are planning to attend the show in unison on Wednesday, April 3. The delegation will be led by the Floydada band.

The South Plains District Convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to be held in Tahoka April 24th, will sponsor a "My Home Town" oratorical contest, at which all high school children under 12 years of age will be eligible. Secretary C. C. Williams of the chamber of commerce has mailed out rules and regulations.

Two well known West Texas women will be on the program of the Oil Belt District convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which will be held on April 18. They are Lexie Dean Robertson, poetess of Rising Star, and Christine Carter, vocalist of Breckenridge.

Some of the recent charities of the Moran Delphian Club have been the buying of a memorial window in the new Methodist church for \$75.00. The club started the piano fund for the high school with a contribution of \$60. A window in the new Christian church for \$75 was also purchased.

MRS. BAXLEY HONORED

On last Friday, March 22, 1929 Mrs. Ponder in her meek calm way surprised her mother, Mrs. Annie Baxley, by inviting a few of their friends to partake of the bountiful feast she prepared in honor of her mother's birthday.

It was a very happy occasion and a treat to those who were present. Every one had a good time, wishing Mrs. Baxley many more happy birthdays.

W. S. Stephens, of McAdoo, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

AFFIELD-YOUNGBLOOD

Mr. H. H. Affield of Breckenridge and Miss Iana Youngblood of Afton, were united in marriage at the home of Rev. F. G. Rogers, Pastor of the Baptist Church on March 20, at 3 p. m.

Only a few intimate friends accompanied them. They will make their home in Breckenridge.

Their many friends wish them much success and happiness.

MADAME SCHUMANN-HEINK TO APPEAR IN ABILENE

ABILENE, April 2.—Culminating a career of fifty-one years on the greatest opera and concert platform in the world, Madame Ernestine Schumann-Heink is returning to the stage, after an extended rest, for her farewell tour and will appear in Abilene April 10 under the local management of the Simmons University Cowboy band. This tour, which is the last chance for music lovers to hear her, will include seventy-five of the largest cities in the United States and a final performance in the Metropolitan Opera House in New York where she will close her career by singing the great Wagnerian roles which made her famous there thirty years ago.

For half a century she has been the favorite contralto of the American stage and is one of the few singers of the past generation who remain at the forefront today. In New York she is known as the last of the Titans, having reference to that group of singers who made the last half-century her golden age of American music.

Critics proclaim Schumann-Heink's voice as strong and vigorous as it was fifteen years ago and predict that this will be the most successful tour of her career. Since beginning the tour a few months ago she has been singing to capacity houses from coast to coast and is being honored by musical organizations everywhere.

BIG PROFIT FROM SHEEP

WAXAHACHIE.—An accurate record on a small flock of farm sheep kept by Carl Stiles in Ellis county for the last six years shows that from an average investment of \$104.66 per year he has realized an annual profit of \$132.64 or a return of 126 percent. Mr. Stiles follows the practice of turning his sheep into the fields after crops are off to clean up the waste and weeds. The carrying capacity of

his pasture for stock has been increased one-third by running sheep there, due to their keeping down weed growth.

Business Men's Club

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Weber B. Williams, Pres.; Whit. Bumpus, Sec.; W. W. Flournoy, Mgr.

DIRECTORS

Jimmie Sample, L. E. Lee, A. C. Burgeson, H. P. Schrimsher.

Ladies Day Thursday afternoon, 1:30 to 5:30. Ladies only during this time.

Rev. Wayne Grizzle, of Calgary was attending to business matters in our city Tuesday. He stated the First Sunday Meeting at Dry Lake was well attended and the program was good.

Miss Minnie Lee Meek, Mrs. Jim Eldridge and Mrs. Jim Deer, all of McAdoo, were doing some shopping in our city Monday.

Last week the City Grocery advertised bread for sale, and sold 560 loaves Saturday as a result of their advertisement. It pays to advertise.

Lee Watson, of McAdoo, was doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

D. R. Pendleton, of Tyler, is here this week visiting his son, Enoch Pendleton of Bryant-Link Company. Also, Mr. Pendleton is looking after some business affairs in our city.

W. P. Fretwell, of Afton, was attending to business matters in our city Monday.

J. M. French, of Afton, was looking after business affairs in our city Monday.

J. W. Hilton, of Prairie Chapel, was in our city Saturday looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Abernathy, north of town, were in Saturday doing some trading.


M. P. Duncan, of Twin Wells, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

A. C. Centry, of Elton, was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.

E. J. Smith of Red Mud, was in our city Saturday looking after business affairs.

F. W. Walker, northeast of town was in Saturday doing some trading with our merchants.

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To Our Customers In Spur:

SOME PERTINENT FACTS

In 'A Statement From the City Commission to the Citizens of Spur,' published over the signatures of the Mayor and the City Commissioners in the "Dickens County Times" of the issue of Thursday, March 28th, 1929, quotation is made from the contract between the City and Fairbanks, Morse & Co., reciting the purchase price of machinery and equipment, \$104,000.00 to be paid by the City to Fairbanks, Morse & Co. in 72 equal monthly payments, evidenced by Pledge Orders bearing interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, payable semi-annually out of the "NET REVENUES OF THE LIGHT AND POWER PLANT OF THE MUNICIPALITY."

The net revenues of the so-called Municipal Plant will NOT meet these pledge orders, based on the schedule of rates provided for in the contracts between the City and the Citizens. In fact, based on these rates the gross receipts of the so-called municipal plant will not meet the payments provided for in the contract between the City and Fairbanks-Morse & Co. The City Commission either did or did not know these facts. If they did not know these facts the city was plunged blindly into a contract without the previous investigation which a prudent business man would make. Had the City Commission made the proper investigation they would have known that the rates which they assured the people of Spur they would charge would NOT meet the payments provided for in the contract between the City and Fairbanks-Morse & Company.

IF THE CITY COMMISSION DID KNOW THESE FACTS, SHOULD THEY NOT HAVE INFORMED YOU OF THEM?

It seems to have been contemplated by the parties to the contract that the rates the city proposed would not pay for the machinery and equipment, because in the contract with Fairbanks-Morse & Company it is recited:

"THE MUNICIPALITY COVENANTS TO OPERATE SAID PLANT IN AN EFFICIENT AND ECONOMICAL MANNER AND TO MAINTAIN RATES FOR THE PRODUCT OR SERVICE OF SAID PLANT WHICH WILL PRODUCE SUFFICIENT REVENUES TO PROVIDE FOR THE PAYMENTS CALLED FOR BY THIS CONTRACT, SO FAR AS IT MAY BE PERMITTED TO DO SO BY LAW. Why do you suppose that the City commission of Spur did not publish the above paragraph of the contract between the City and Fairbanks-

Morse & Company. As a matter of fact why did not they publish the whole contract?

Were you consulted before the city entered into said contract? (with an oil engine company.)

Do you know what the provisions of that contract are?

Do you know in what financial entanglements that contract involves your city?

If the terms of the contract are not carried out on the part of the city, WHAT BECOMES OF THE THOUSANDS OF DOLLARS INVESTED AND WHAT HAPPENS TO THE PLANT AND PLANT SITE?

Is it not a fact that when the contracts for this plant were signed it was contemplated legislating the West Texas Utilities Company out of the City of Spur?

When the U. S. District Court held the attempted legislation illegal and the exclusive customer contracts invalid, what agreement did the city enter into with (the oil engine company) which would guarantee that company the money it had invested? Do the signers of those exclusive customer contracts, held invalid by the court, know what kind of an agreement it was attempted that they should enter into, and for what purpose?

Is it not a fact that at least one contracting firm was ready to bid on the proposed plant when the contract was let to Fairbanks-Morse & Co.? Was \$104,000 a fair price for the city to pay for the plant? Should not the citizens of Spur have a disinterested engineering concern and a disinterested legal firm advise them as to these matters?

Is it not possible that competitive bids, on the same or even better equipment, would show this plant could be furnished at considerable saving to the city?

Is the price of the plant and amount of equipment furnished, and the terms such that the city can meet the monthly payments to Fairbanks-Morse & Company, even out of the gross receipts, and even though there was not a single item of expense attached to the operation of the plant? Since it has been developed that the City can not by passing ordinances, signing up exclusive customer contracts, or otherwise obtain 85 per cent of the citizens of Spur as customers, would it be possible to meet the payments demanded

under the terms of said contract?

EVEN IF THE CITY SIGNED UP EVERY CUSTOMER OF THE WEST TEXAS UTILITIES COMPANY IN SPUR, COULD IT MEET THESE PAYMENTS OUT OF THE NET REVENUES OF THE PLANT WITHOUT RESORTING TO THE TRANSFERRING OF FUNDS FROM ONE DEPARTMENT TO ANOTHER, RAISING OF RATES OR GENERAL TAXATION?

Is it possible for an oil engine plant or any other municipal plant to charge lower rates than a utility company? Don't you know that neither can escape the payment of interest, replacement reserve, and operating expenses the operating expenses of a municipal plant are far in excess of the larger and more efficiently managed utility company systems, as reported by government census?

If it is impossible for this plant to meet requirements for fuel, labor, operating supplies, insurance, not considering damage suits or other liabilities, WHO PAYS THIS?

Do you know that this next year the total income from ALL electrical energy in the city of Spur will total less than \$34,000? If it were possible for the city to get even one-half of this business, don't you know that it could not meet the operating expenses, let alone pay the principal or even interest on the notes and pledges signed up to the engine company? And when this is not met what will happen to the property the city has put into this venture, approximately \$18,000, not including extra equipment that will be required after operation of the plant begins?

Now who profits from the venture? Do the people of Spur? Surely not, for the rates promised by the city are too high over a five year period, and would it not have to be raised to meet the payments to the engine company?

Who audits the books of the plant monthly, and makes recommendations as to how the books should be kept? Do you not know that the contract provides that Fairbanks-Morse & Company shall audit them? Do you know that the city plans to employ six men to operate the plant, one of them at a relatively high salary, without a contract, although the former city manager was protected by contract provided in a city ordinance?

AS CITIZENS OF SPUR, DON'T YOU THINK YOU SHOULD DO A LITTLE BIT OF INVESTIGATING?

West Texas Utilities
Company

On Diversification

There should be a close relationship between farm dairying and banking, because farm dairying, insofar as I am able to learn, has never failed to bring prosperity. And nothing means more to a banker than prosperity.

Farm dairying brought prosperity to the European Countries centuries ago. More than forty years ago, our Northern and Eastern farmers added dairying to their farm programs to build up their fast depleting soils and to save their regions from bankruptcy. Mississippi, Tennessee, Louis-

iana, strictly cotton countries, are coming into their own through dairy farming. Sections of our own dear state of Texas are becoming prosperous through the use of the dairy cow.

Mr. Ralph A. Hayne of the Extension Department of the International Harvester Company, pays this tribute to the dairy cow:

The cow is one of the greatest blessings to the human race.

No nation or people has become highly civilized without her.

She produces the best human food on earth.

She makes this health building, strength giving, food from grass and coarse plants.

She provides food not only for her young and her keeper's family but a surplus besides to sell.

Without her, Agriculture is not permanent or prosperous, people are not healthy or happy.

Where the cow is kept and properly cared for, civilization advances, lands grow richer, homes grow better, debts grow fewer.

And, he might have added, banks become safer, sounder, and more liquid.

The dairy cow is truly the mother of prosperity.

I think this is a just tribute. I believe that prosperity really and truly follows the dairy cow. I do not believe that any farming country anywhere, at any time, can have continued prosperity without her.

If you will show me a dairy farmer who has used good judgment in selecting his cows and feeds and cares for them properly, I will show you a successful farmer, and a good bank customer.

If, by any chance he needs to borrow funds to build up his herd or for any other worthwhile purpose, he has tangible security to offer as "old jersey" is the best collateral on earth, because she pays a cash dividend and helps feed the family every day in the week, Sunday included and comes out at the close of the year's business with a yearling by her side.

Do you know the difference between a dairy farmer and a one crop farmer? One has a bank account and the other a store account. The one can give a liquid note and the other, nine times out of ten, has a frozen loan. Generally speaking, the one is an asset to a bank and the other a liability. Of course, there are exceptions to this rule, but they are far in the minority.

I do not mean to speak disparagingly of the one crop farmer because some of the best friends I have and some of the finest men it has ever been by pleasure to know are in this class, but they are not the best farmers I know.

I hope I am not responsible for a single customer of ours being a straight cotton farmer or strictly a wheat farmer, but, sometimes I think perhaps we bankers and the credit merchants throughout the country have been largely responsible for retarding the progress of our various communities thru our faulty practice, in times past, of extending credit too freely on the prospects of a cotton or wheat crop before the planting seed are even purchased.

It takes a real optimist to lend funds under conditions of this kind. If a person can buy groceries and dry goods on a credit and borrow money from his bank for gas and installment notes, why should he worry? Why should he

follow the lines of least resistance.

I believe the fault with most of us is that we have been optimists instead of safe, conservative, constructive bankers. What we should do is to give some time, thought, and effort to make real factories out of our farms, running the year round, turning out something to sell every day in the week. The farm factory is not complete without the dairy cow because she produces cream for the market every day in the year, in addition to skimmed milk for hogs, chickens and turkeys, which tends to increase the output of the farm factory.

(CONTINUED NEXT WEEK)

FARM NOTES

By E. L. TANNER,

County Agent, Dickens County

The three one-day poultry and feeding schools given last week in Dickens County were a real success. There were a total of ten percent of all the adult men and women who live on farms in the county present. That is a remarkable attendance for any such schools and more so at this busy time of year.

Mr. Eudaly's Basic Dairy Ration for Dickens County

The following is the dairy ration which Mr. Eudaly gave for the county. It is a good one and the remarkable part of it is that it can all be grown at home on any farm in the county except wheat bran. The ration is 200 pounds of ground maize heads or any other grain sorghum such as feterita, kaffir, or beigarheads; 100 pounds of wheat bran, 100 pounds of cotton seed meal, 100 pounds of whole ground alfalfa.

This mixture is fed as follows: one gallon for each gallon of milk the cow will give per day which is at the rate of one pound for each one pound for each two and one-half pounds of milk per day the cow will give when on dry roughage or burned up pas-

at the rate of a little more than one half gallon for each gallon of milk. In addition to this grain mixture the cow should at all times have all the bundle stuff she will eat in addition to the grain mixture.

Following is the chick starter mash which Mr. Holmgren recommended be used by those who do not wish to buy a commercial starter for chicks: Corn meal or whole ground corn or maize 8 pounds; 2 pounds wheat gray shorts; one pound dried butter milk or if you have it all the sour skim or butter milk they will drink in the place of the dried butter milk in the mash; one pound of bone meal; one-half pound of fine ground oyster shell; one table spoonful of salt. Feed the mixture five times per day all the baby chicks will clean up in thirty minutes. Should bowel trouble develop in your chicks add four pounds of what bran to the above mixture.

When chicks are twelve days old in addition to the above feed place yellow corn meal in feed hoppers and allow the chicks to eat it ten minutes in the morning and again for ten minutes at noon. After the chicks are three weeks old keep the mash before them at all times and continue to feed the yellow corn meal to them morning and night.

The above ration and method of feeding is the one used by the A. & M. College to raise all its chicks

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Many people are slowly poisoning themselves just as surely as if they drank iodine every morning for breakfast. They are daily absorbing the toxins, or poisons, created by accumulated waste matter in their constipated digestive systems. Sooner or later disease will conquer their weakened bodies.

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five years now. Watch next week for the method of feeding that is used after the chicks become broiler size at eight weeks old.

Donley county cream shipments continue to increase. At Clarendon 214 ten gallon cans worth about \$12.00 per can formed a shipment which recently brought \$2500 to the town. Some cream is shipped out by truck to nearby creameries.

Plainview is building up. The new Hilton Hotel will bring the skyline from four stories to eight. are building in the town, and per-Montgomery Ward, J. C. Penney and other well known companies manent buildings are being erected for the Panhandle Plains Second Annual Dairy Show.

Stamford — (WTCC) Manager Homer D. Wade, of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce has advised J. M. Del Curto state entomologist of the interest of the regional organization in the adjustment of the fumigation expense incurred under the legal order of the state and federal de-

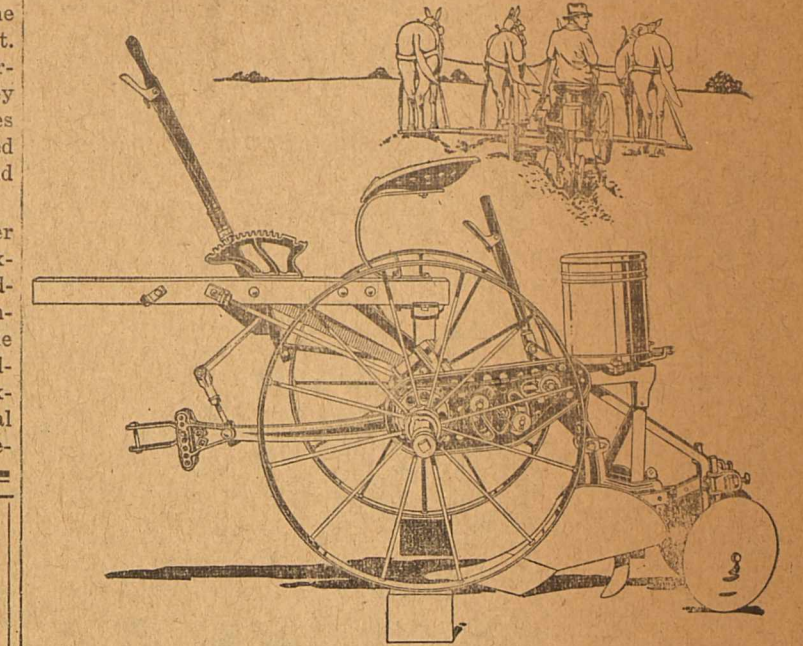
partment of agriculture. This followed a conference of one of his departments with Mr. Von Roeder, of the Pink Boll worm Commission.

W. O. Davenport, of Red Mud,

was greeting friends on streets Saturday.

Mrs. Darden of Breckenridge returned to Girard last week where she will make her home for some-

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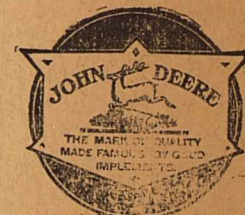
You're sure to get big yields if you plant your corn and cotton just the way it should be planted—the right stand in the right kind of seed bed. The John Deere No. 448 Lister with its clean-scouring, long-wearing John Deere bottom and the famous "999" Corn Drop is well known in this region for the good seed beds it makes and its planting accuracy.

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GIRARD NEWS

Mr. Wade Wright and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ramond Turner made a trip to Double Mountains Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel was visiting with relatives last week. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Dorden.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Parks visited with Mrs. Parks mother, who lives in Spur, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Spradling went to Croton to church Sunday.

Very much excitement was roused Sunday night when a small boy was thought lost in the canyons near Percels Ranch, but after searching all night it was found that the boy had gone visiting.

W. J. Garrett was in Abilene Wednesday afternoon to visit his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Haines visited Mrs. Haines' mother, of east of Jayton, Sunday afternoon.

Oral Curley has gone on a business trip to South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Kellet have purchased a new Ford sedan.

Mr. Doug Graves sold his residence to Dr. Reed.

Mr. Tom Honeycut has been very ill.

Little Joe Young has also been very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Cooper and Sanford made a business trip to Swenson last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phipps and Mr. and Mrs. Smith left last Friday for a tour through the Southern part of Texas, where they will visit with relatives.

Miss Todd, one of the grade teachers, underwent an operation in Spur last week and is reported doing well.

Friday afternoon, Mrs. C. N. Kennon, Miss Blackwell and Mrs. Iva gave their little pupils an Easter egg hunt, which they all enjoyed.

Mr. V. E. Ramsey entertained the sixth and seventh grade Saturday evening with an Easter egg hunt and supper in the canyons.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Honeycut and Elsie Clark left last Saturday for Oklahoma City.

Last Tuesday evening at eight o'clock, the Juniors entertained the Sophomores with a banquet. The hall was decorated in the Sophomore colors. Mr. C. N. Kennon gave an address, Miss Irene Balland was toastmaster of the Junior class. Miss Winona Stephens responded for the Sophomores class. Both girls being president of their class.

The following menu was served by four girls of the junior class:

Flower of orange, salad an lettuce with olives, pickles and cheese.

Chocolate pie. Chocolate tea.

Mr. Charley Fincher has purchased a new Ford touring car.

A good rain fell at Girard last week.

Ramond Turner's mother of Ranger, Texas, is visiting with him this week.

Mr. Lee Turner is back in Girard again.

Last Sunday the young folks of the Baptist church rendered an Easter program.

A talk on Easter was given by Loyd Womack. Easter reading, Dottie Simmons.

Easter Song, Zodia Bell Waggoner.

Easter Reading, Idell Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Cooper made a business trip to Spur Saturday.

Miss Elvyn Dials is working in J. L. Jones store.

Mr. Hugh Turner returned Saturday from Flomont.

Twenty-five of the contentants of Girard are planning on going to the Districtmeet at Abilene.

Mrs. Carl Williams is now teaching in the grammar grades.

Mr. C. L. Boland of Girard visited in Jayton last week to attend the A. & M. lectures.

Girard High School increased the library with a hundred more books last week.

The girls' base ball team of Girard is progressing fine. The Wildcats are only about thirty points ahead of the Bulldogs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Cooper and family made a business trip to Stamford last Saturday.

Mr. John Langford has purchased a new Ford sedan.

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9 A. M. OPENING DAY

24x54 FELT BASE MAT

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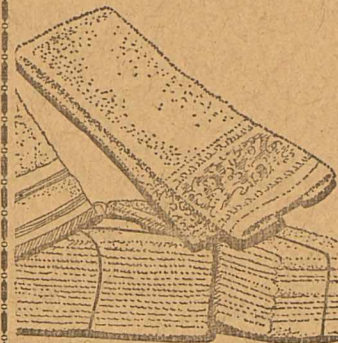
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3 P. M. Opening Day

VALUES WORTH WHILE

Aluminum sauce pan, 3 quart size, lipped easy for pouring . . .

19c

10:30 A. M. OPENING DAY

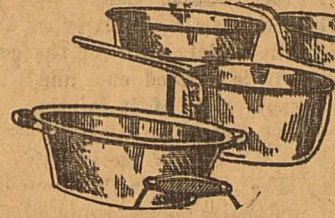
The biggest dish pan bargain that . . .

19c

ever bought. Smooth grey enamel on heavy steel base . . .

19c

BE ON TIME!



Mavis Talcum 19c

Powder and rouge compact 19c

20-inch Glass Towel rack 19c

Sewing thread 10 spools 19c

REMARKABLE VALUES

Rayon Brassieres, popular flapper models, back opening—elastic back, sizes 28 to 58, only . . .

19c

PONDS FAMOUS FACE CREAMS

Cold cream or vanishing cream at an unusually low price . . .

19c

36-INCH CRETONNE

Pretty designs, fast colored. Get plenty at this price . . .

19c

EXTRA SPECIAL

Fancy prints, fast colored, 36-inch wide, new patterns, values up to 39c, per yard . . .

19c

LAUNDRY SOAP CRYSTAL WHITE, 6 BARS,

19c

Limit: 6 to a customer

DRINKING GLASSES

13-oz. fine quality, optic pattern, 4 for . . .

19c

RAYON SOX

For men, attractive patterns, per pair . . .

19c

MEN'S LISLE HOSE

No seams to hurt feet, special heavy toe, two pair . . .

19c

CHICKEN FEEDERS

24-hole Feeders, with removable tops, priced low at . . .

19c

10-INCH FILES

Highly tempered, limited, quantity, each . . .

19c

NOTICE FARMERS

If you are in the market for planting seed, I can save you some money. I am selling the Pure Half and Half, State Certified Seed, guaranteed 99.7 pure for

\$1.50 Per Bushel

Delivered in Spur, Texas. These pedigree seed are from the Summerour Strain and improved and acclaimed to this country by J. P. Penn of Gilmer, Texas. See me as soon as possible as I will only have a limited amount at this price! Call 9007F23 at night. I will be away from home during the day; or leave your name and address at Price Bros. Gin and I will call and see you.

E. A. BAILEY

I CAN ALSO SELL YOU THE KASH AT \$2.75 BU.

SALE STARTS SATURDAY AT 9 A. M.

BY BEING CONNECTED WITH OUR 1,000 RETAIL STORES, WE ARE ABLE TO MAKE LARGE QUANTITY PURCHASES AT VERY LOW PRICES. THESE SAVINGS ARE BEING OFFERED ON TO YOU.

Member Ben Franklin Chain Stores

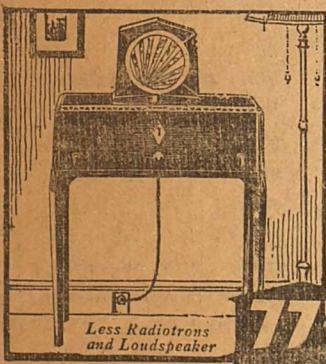
Speer's Variety Store

SPUR TEXAS

\$25.92 IS ALL YOU NEED

as first payment on the

Amazing New RCA RADIOLA 33



Let us place this great new RCA instrument in your home. Only \$800 down . . . and as low as \$80 weekly! Liberal allowance for your old set! When you buy the Radiola 33 you get the guarantee of RCA plus the reliability of

a double-barrelled assurance of perfect service! Come in today . . . free demonstration.

All-Electric... Beautiful Console-Type Cabinet
SMART MUSIC CO.
In Godfrey and Smart Building

Mr. Hugh Turner went to Flomont last week where he will work in the Drug Store.

Mr. Montgomery made a business trip to Spur, last week.

Mr. Ted Darden has purchased a Ford Touring car.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kennon made a business trip to Spur last Friday night.

Mr. C. T. Howell of Flomont was in Girard last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Reed have moved back to Girard where they will make their home.

Mr. B. P. Woody made a trip to Matadore last week.

Mr. George Spradling who has been working at Flomont came back to Girard last week, where he will manage the J. L. Jones company.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Carlisle spent Sunday in Peacock.

Last Thursday evening the high school students were entertained with a weiner roast,

with a weiner roast, in honor of the senior girls and boys basket ball team. A large crowd was present and ever one enjoyed it.

Last Saturday Mr. Applegate and eight more boys hiked to the Pursely ranch where they camped out and spent the night. It was reported by some that they could not sleep for getting scared at their shadows, and we are not surprised.

Mr. and Mrs. Moody made a trip to Spur last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everetts made a business trip to the Plains last week.

Mr. Ben Boland made several business trips north-east of town last week.

A large crowd attended singing last Sunday at Girard.

Brother North made his usual appointment at Girard last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Reed made a trip to the Plains last Sunday.

Mrs. Everetts rendered three beautiful pieces of music in the assembly last Friday which ever one enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. Keyes motored to the Plains last Sunday.

Several people attended the tract meet from Girard last Saturday at Peacock.

Singing was held at Clairemont last Sunday night. Last Thursday evening, Miss Jonny Hawkins gave a shower to

the new bride of Mr. Jack Simmons. Several were present and Mrs. Simmons received many beautiful presents.

TO MY FRIENDS

April 11, marks my first anniversary in West Texas, and I wish to take this means in thanking each and every one for their kindness in making my first year a very happy one. Such hospitality and love is shown only by the West Texan, and it is with my sincere appreciation and love for such people that I remain.
George Van Ness.

A. M. Hoover, of Twin Wells, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday.

RULE-JAYTON COTTON OIL COMPANY

J. J. Albin warehouse books are closed for 1929. Those owing the warehouse are asked to call and settle at once, as we are figuring on closing until the coming fall season.

J. J. Albin Warehouse, April 4-1tc.

J. H. Roberts, of Dickens, was in our city Saturday selling his cream and looking after other business.

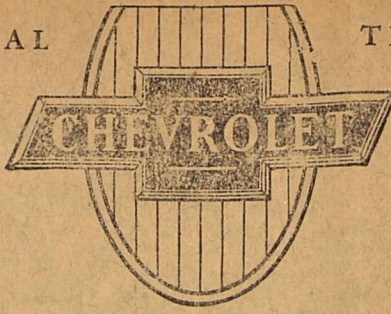
Mrs. W. L. Pullen and two sons, of McAdoo, were doing some shopping in our city Monday. Mrs. Pullen had found \$54.00 and some other articles advertised in the Times a few days ago, and came in to return them to the owner.

SPECIAL PRICES FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ON ALL RUGS AND FLOOR COVERING WE ALSO HAVE OUR ENTIRE STOCK OF BREAKFAST SETS ON SALE AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. PLEASE CALL AND EXAMINE THE SETS AND PRICES.

SPUR HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY

SPUR'S OLDEST STORE

FOR ECONOMICAL TRANSPORTATION



Ten Reasons why 300,000 careful buyers have chosen the New Chevrolet Six since January 1st

Ever since the date of its introduction, the new Chevrolet Six has swept triumphantly on to greater and greater heights of popularity. Value for value and price for price—buyers have compared it with other cars in the low-price field. And the result has been an overwhelming public preference—over 300,000 buyers since January 1st. And everywhere the enthusiasm is constantly increasing—for the new Chevrolet Six combines, as does no other car in the world, those ten great fundamental factors which careful buyers are now demanding in the cars they buy.

6-Cylinder Smoothness

Due to the finer inherent balance of its six-cylinder valve-in-head motor, the new Chevrolet provides that smooth, quiet, flexible performance which is the distinguishing characteristic of the truly fine automobile. At every speed, the power is delivered easily, freely and without annoying vibration. You can ride and drive for hours without annoying rumble or noise fatigue—every mile a delight for both driver and passengers.

6-Cylinder Getaway

And in sheer brilliance of performance, as well as in smoothness and quietness of operation, the new Chevrolet Six is a revelation. An automatic acceleration pump results in remarkably fast acceleration whenever the accelerator is suddenly depressed. And a new high-compression, non-detonating cylinder head eliminates every trace of "lugging"—even when you have occasion to accelerate swiftly in high gear.

6-Cylinder Speed

Naturally, Chevrolet's powerful six-cylinder valve-in-head motor might be expected to provide speed in abundance. But even more important than the speed of the new Chevrolet Six is the smooth, quiet, restful comfort you experience at every point on the speedometer. You can open the throttle wide with a feeling of complete security—and you come to the end of a full day's drive entirely free from the weariness caused by engine noise and body rumble.

6-Cylinder Power

The great reserve power of the new Chevrolet Six is a constant delight. The steepest hills are taken with ease. Heavy roads are negotiated without the necessity for frequent gear-shifting. And even at the higher speeds, there is always that feeling of confidence which comes from the knowledge that additional power is at hand . . . instantly available for whatever need may arise.

Modern Safety Features

The new Chevrolet Six is equipped with every modern safety and convenience feature—typified by a full ball bearing steering mechanism, non-locking 4-wheel brakes with separate emergency brake, foot controlled adjustable two-beam headlights, automatic fuel pump, theft-proof Electrolock, electric motor temperature indicator, and Fisher VV windshield and adjustable driver's seat in all closed models. As a result, it is one of the easiest and safest cars in the world to handle.

Better Than 20 Miles Per Gallon

The marvelous performance of the Chevrolet Six would be considered exceptional in any automobile. But in the new Chevrolet it is nothing short of sensational—for here it is combined with operating economy of *better than 20 miles to the gallon of gasoline*. As a result, those who can afford to own *any* automobile can afford to own and operate a Chevrolet Six!

Exceptional Riding Comfort

Another vital factor that has influenced hundreds of thousands in their selection of the new Chevrolet Six is its exceptional riding comfort. Built on a wheelbase of 107 inches . . . offering the deep-cushioned luxury of bodies by Fisher . . . and with the entire upper structure cradled on four long semi-elliptic shock absorber springs—it travels the roughest highways with amazing comfort. And its balance on turns and curves is

equally exceptional—for the rigid frame and the long springs reduce sidesway to the minimum.

Beautiful Fisher Bodies

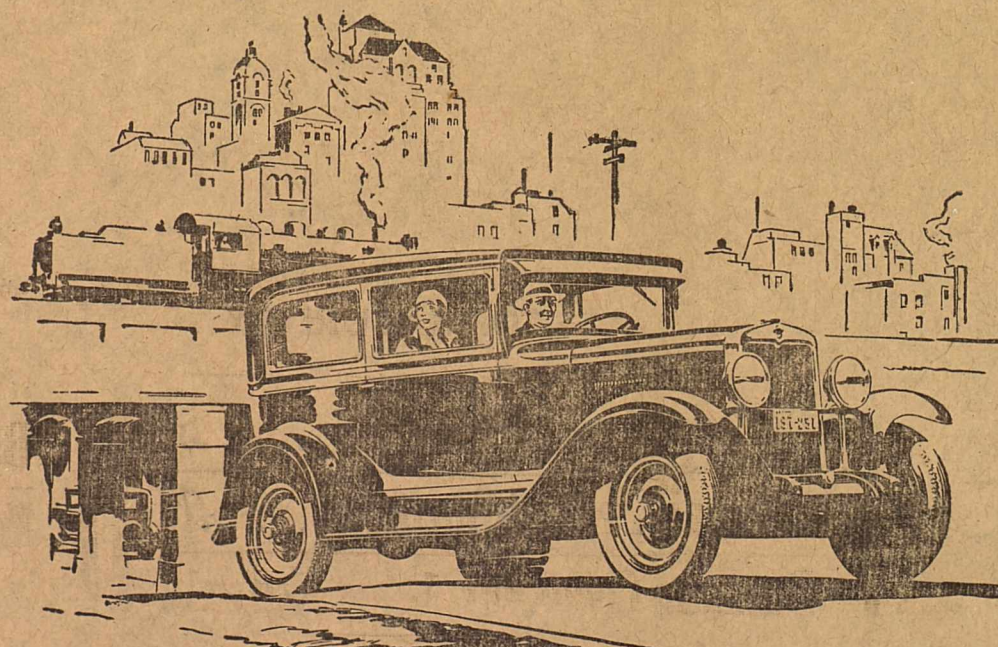
The marvelous bodies on the Chevrolet Six reveal, as never before, the matchless artistry that has made the Fisher name renowned throughout the world for excellence in coachcraft. Longer, lower and roomier . . . finished in attractive, long-lasting colors . . . and upholstered in rich deep-tufted fabrics that give to the interiors an air of custom elegance—they introduce into the low-price field an entirely new measure of style and distinction.

Proved Dependability

Before the new Chevrolet Six was presented to the public, it had been tested for more than a million miles on the roads of the General Motors Proving Ground. Never did a new motor car go into the hands of its owners more thoroughly proved in every detail. And now, reports of its performance on the highways of the nation pay glowing tribute to its endurance and dependability.

Amazingly Low Prices

Many people do not realize that this marvelous new six-cylinder Chevrolet is *actually offered in the price range of the four*. Compare total delivered prices as well as factory prices when determining automobile values. You will find Chevrolet delivered prices include the lowest handling and financing charges available.



A SIX IN THE PRICE RANGE OF THE FOUR

The **\$595**
COACH

- The Roadster \$525
- The Phaeton 525
- The Coupe 595
- The Sedan 675
- The Sport Cabriolet 695
- The Convertible Landau 725
- The Sedan Delivery 595
- Light Delivery Chassis 400
- 1½ Ton Chassis 545
- 1½ Ton Chassis With Cab 650

All prices f. o. b. factory, Flint, Mich.

Caraway Chevrolet Company

Sales and Service

ASK FOR A DEMONSTRATION TODAY

Big Program For Chevrolet

DETROIT, Mich., April 4.—In preparation for America's big motoring season, the Chevrolet Motor Company announced today the development of a comprehensive program for the service protection of the millions of its cars that will be in use this Spring.

Surveys made by the company indicate that automobile travel this year will break all mileage records; they show that the automobile will be called on to shoulder an increasing portion of the nation's transportation requirements and they point out that the automobile will pioneer its way this year into uncharted spots and secluded recesses, where until but a few years ago, service was miles away and frequently uncertain.

It was with a view to making Chevrolet service even more accessible, thorough, rapid and economical to the owner that the present expansion and perfection program was undertaken, J. P. Little, manager of the parts and service division, explained.

So extensive has been the development of the service activities of the company, he said, that there are now 20,960 points in the United States where the Chevrolet owner may obtain authorized Chevrolet service or genuine parts. This is perhaps the fullest service coverage ever offered by an automobile manufacturer, Mr. Little declared, and assures the Chevrolet owner of the widest possible parts and service protection.

The program contemplates the opening this year of eleven new parts warehouses, in addition to the 28 now in operation. Several of these will be in operation in May, with others opening at intervals until October 31 when the last of the group will be finished. New warehouses are being built or will be constructed this year in the following cities: Indianapolis, Ind.; Birmingham, Ala.; Salt Lake City, Utah; Richmond, Va.; Great Falls, Mont.; El Paso, Texas; Wichita, Kansas, and Knoxville, Tenn. Sites for the remaining three warehouses will be announced in a few weeks.

When completed this fall, the parts warehouse program will provide Chevrolet with 1,180,000 square feet of floor space for the actual warehousing and shipping of parts, exclusive of the necessary office space.

Simultaneously with the announcement of the new six cylinder car, adequate parts supplies were shipped to each of the 28 parts warehouses. In this connection, Mr. Little explained that more than 5,000 Chevrolet mechanics in various sections of the country have already attended the special Chevrolet service schools, where under the supervision of factory experts they make a thorough study of the new car and prepare themselves to offer the owner prompt and efficient service. Thirty-one of these schools are now in operation.

The same tremendous manufacturing facilities that are enabling the company to offer the new car at its price, Mr. Little pointed out, are permitting Chevrolet to offer parts at prices consistently low and well within the price range of the four. He called attention to the strategic locations of the large group of parts warehouses stressing the fact that sites had been selected with a view of getting parts closer to the public.

He further pointed out that the uniform flat rate system of service charges that prevails in every Chevrolet service station gives the owner the advantage of the lowest possible service cost and price protection at the same time.

C. P. Allen was in our city Monday doing some trading.

J. E. Hale of Afton, was doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bennefield, teachers at Espuela, were transacting business in our city Saturday.

Lee Watson, of McAdoo, was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Murchinson, of Wichita community, was doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McAteer, of Dickens, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

Forty blocks of paving of alleys and down town, residential sections streets will be started in Stamford beginning April 1. The contract was let for this several weeks ago. The work will be done of brick and concrete.

After Easter Clearance

Due to the fact that it is the policy of the C. E. Stone never to carry over seasonable merchandise from one season to the other, we are going to clear our racks of 400 Spring Ensembles, Dresses and Coats at savings to you from 20 to 30 per cent, as you all know this is our first spring in Spur and that all these garments offered here are new merchandise, therefore, you cannot afford to pass up the opportunity of buying that new Spring Coat or Dress at such low prices. Plan to come at once before they are picked over, as they are not going to last long at these prices.

THE FEATURE

About 40 Dresses going into this wonderful offering—at



\$7.49

All in the new colors, materials and styles, most of them came in a week or two before Easter, all sizes.

ANOTHER REAL

Outstanding value of this Event is a wonderful showing of Hygrade Dresses—at



\$11.95

This will be a pleasant surprise to you, when you see these dresses at this price, as you would expect to pay much more for dresses like these.

HERE

is where the big savings are given to you on our line of Famous Fay Frocks, priced from \$20 to \$45. We are going to sell them at a 20 per cent reduction.



A real saving of a 20 per cent Reduction

In this group are all the pretty new silk and wool ensembles and dresses of all the finer grades.

COATS

If you are in need of a Spring Coat, or if you will need one next Spring, now is the time to buy. 25 per cent off on all Spring Coats.



25 per cent is What You Save!

See them in all the styles, colors and materials, plain and fur trimmed.

MILLINERY

We are going to give some REAL VALUES in New Spring and Summer Hats.—A REAL CLEARANCE PRICE—of—

\$3.95



C. E. STONE COMPANY

Store No. 25

CHAIN STORES

A Booster For Spur and Dickens County

Spur, Texas

OBITUARY

Edgar Thomas Wisner

Edgar Thomas Wisner was born at Mt. Morris, N. Y., March 6, 1856, and died at McAdoo, Texas, January 9, 1929. He married at

Ashland, Ill., in 1884, to Miss Marie Larrabee. To this union two sons and four daughters were born. Soon after marrying he moved to Quincy, Ill. In 1886 he moved to Arkansas, where he lived until six months ago, at which

time he moved to McAdoo, Texas. His first wife died in 1918. He married a second time, in 1921 to Mrs. H. P. Hargis (Nee, Edna Stephenson.)

Deceased became a Christian when but a lad. He lived and died a triumphant, victorious active, fruitful, Christian life. Most of his life he was a Presbyterian. He was superintendent of a Presbyterian Sunday school at Siloam Springs, Ark., for more than twenty years. At the time of his death he was a member of the Methodist Church, and an active worker in that Denomination, being a bible class teacher, and Church Lay Leader. He was well informed both in a general way, and as to current events. He was especially well informed in church history. He had talent for both art and music. He was successful as a business man. He was a great christian. He loved life, and said he would like to live and serve his Master longer, however, he felt that the end was near, and said he was ready. He loved his family. He worshiped his children. May they follow him, as he followed Christ.

The large congregation and the liberal floral offering at his funeral, testified to the high esteem in which he was held. The funeral was conducted by the writer, —his Pastor—after which, on Sunday afternoon, January 13th., the body was laid to rest in the McAdoo Cemetery. May the Lord bless and comfort those whose hearts are sad because of his going.

J. NELAND HESTER, Pastor Methodist Church, McAdoo, Tex.

W. N. MULLINS PASSES AWAY
W. N. Mullins, 62, of Afton, died at his home last Wednesday evening. He was a native of Tennessee and was born in September 1866. He leaves his wife to mourn his departure.

Funeral services were held in Afton Thursday afternoon. Interment was made in Afton cemetery with Luther Garner, of Spur Hardware, acting as funeral director.

J. R. Carter, of Dickens, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday.

FORMER SPUR GIRL MARRIED IN DICKENS

Mr. O. E. Hare and Miss Lillian Williams, both of Borger, were married in Dickens a few days ago. They left immediately for Carlsbad and other New Mexico cities for a few days honeymoon and are now back in Borger where they will make their home.

Mr. Hare owns the Dixie Barber Shop in Borger and is a business man of good reputation. He established his business in that city three years ago and now enjoys a good patronage from the people of that city.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams and made her home in Spur many years. She attended the Spur school; was once a member of the Spur Band. She at one time was employed at

the Times office where she rendered good and efficient service. She was in the employ of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company when she moved away from Spur. Friends join in wishing these fine young people a successful and happy journey through life.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hogan returned Tuesday evening from Belton where they had been visiting Mr. Hogan's mother. They went by Dallas and took their son, Jack, with them. They report that Jack is doing fine in S. M. U.

W. F. Cathey, of near Dickens, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

R. J. McAteer, of McAdoo, was looking after business matters in our city Saturday.

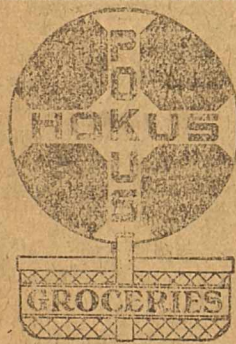
Mrs. F. C. Bailey, of Calgary, was in our city Monday looking after business matters. She paid the Times office a pleasant visit and stated that she is making a living with her chickens and cows. She owns a nice little farm at Kalteer years, and has reared her

gary and has been a widow seven-family on her own initiative.

L. B. McMeans, of Twin Wells, was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.

Seales Ernest, of Espeula, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

CASH ONLY CASH ONLY



We have discontinued the delivery service—
PAY CASH AND CARRY—SAVE MONEY.
SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY AND MONDAY

FLOUR Hacker's Best, 48 lb	\$1.55
Bleachtex Toilet Paper, 3 for	.25
Cocoanut, White Swan, 1-4 lb	.09
SUGAR 25 lb bag	\$1.45
SUGAR 10 lb bag	.58
Matches, per box	.03
Bananas, best fruit, per doz.	.22
Shredded Wheat, regular size,	.11
Hominy Crits, Goochis	.09
Grape Juice, pints,	.29
Grape Juice, quarts,	.57
Cheese, full cream,	.29
Hominy, No. 2 1-2,	.12
Cut Beans, No. 2, Fay cans, 2 for	.25
Saltine Flakes, 15c size	.09
Spinach, fresh, per lb	.05
Cabbage, green stack	.03½

WE WANT YOUR TRADE

GROCERIES AT THE



SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY:
The First of April we started with strictly cash and carry business—nothing charged. By doing this you will be able to save the differences in prices—Come in and get our prices on first class groceries and be convinced that it

PAYS TO PAY CASH

Bananas, per doz	.25
Meal, 24 lb sack	.68
English Walnuts, per lb	.29
Coffee, Hill Bros. 2 lb can	\$1.06
Coffee, 'M' System, 3 lb can	\$.147
Who Can Beat It, 1-2 lb can	.33
WHITE SWAN MILK , small can, limit 10 cans to customer	.04

Trade Where Your \$\$ Make \$\$

Piggly Wiggly

COME IN AND HELP YOURSELF FROM A SMILING SHELF

"Where Your Dollar Has More Cents"
SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Gallon Blackberries,	.53
5 lb pail Peanut Butter	.78
Dunham Cocoanut, 1-4 lb pkg	.10
Dunham Cocoanut, 1-2 lb pkg	.19
Matches, good kind, carton	.15

Dear Customer:

Our meat market will be open each Sunday morning as usual but please take notice that our grocery department will be closed, so do not expect to make any purchases at that time.

QUALITY CLEANLINESS COURTESY