Any movement to aid farmers never fails to substantially benefit the merchant.

The Texas Sour

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SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS, NOVEMBER 30, 1923.

Subscriptions Pouring in on Coupe Contest Which Closes at Six o'Clock Today, Friday Contestants Running "Neck and Neck" and Need Help of Friends to Win!

THE FORD COUTE CONTEST

thfully and pesistently during them the car. se closing days of the contest. We would like to see win this coupe, Coupe. of probably, a number have not en their subscriptions because he winner in this contest. The con ahead of the second in the race. It

the time to show it. We have counted up the subscrip tions and votes turned in to us up to Wednesday of this week, the time we go to press, and it as fol

paper who has a preference now is

Mrs. J. R. Rucker, Spur ____155,450 Miss Jewell Barnett, Girard 153,750 Mrs. Roy Arrington, Spur __116,300 E. C. Edmonds, Jr., Spur __94,009 W. E. Duke, Spar ...____68,550 liss Lois Vernon _____31,400 ss Vera Shepherd _____24,100 Last week Miss Jewell Barnett,

firard, won the ten thousand vote ium for the most subscriptions in that week, the number be nty two subscriptions.

will be no premiums given eek of the campaign ex hundred votes will counted for each to the Dearborn other votes will in the begin

attempting 'to influence the subscrib WILL CLOSE FRIDAY AT 6 er as to a preference in casting his vote. We have tried to so conduct His name." Subscriptions to both the Texas the campaign that the losers will pur and the Dearborn Independent have no just cause to censure us, ave been coming in in good num and we hope that each one of them ers the past week through the sev will have no ill feeling toward us, al contestants who are working even though we could not award

preciate the number of new sub testants are expected to seal up criptions and the hieral renewal their subscriptions, votes and the ruined the crops, and the price was subscriptions being given the cam money therefor, in an evelope and such at that time that we could not Spur merchants and business men pink and white chrysanthemums. tippers. The Ford Coupe Contest deposit with the Spur National see how our customers as well as will close their places of business carrying out the bride chosen colothaugurated by the Texas Spur Bank not later than six o'clock Fri ourselves could get by without a full Thursday in observance of Thanks scheme of pink and white. While and Kodfrey & Smart solely for the day afternoon, November 30th. In crop. So we simply trusted beliv giving Day. We of Spur and the ferns and autumn leaves added to purpose of getting renewal subscrip this manner no one else will know ing in Providence and we can now great Spur country have much to be the beauty of the rooms. tions and new readers to both the how many votes are turned in until see the sunshine. Business has been thankful for. We are blessed with The guests were met at the door Dearborn Independent and the Tex the final count, thus avoiding the pos fair. All our working force has been peace and plenty, and it is fitting by Mrs. Oran McClure who present as Spur. We both appreciate the sibility of the Texas Spur or Godfrey kept on the pay roll and our friends that we cease from all activities for ed them to the receiving line com subscriptions given us, and each con & Smart taking any undue advantage have been kind to us. In fact, it this one day and give thanks to the posed of Mr. Oran McClure, Miss estant also appreciates the votes of one contestant above another in seems that the bond of relationship Supreme Power in our destinies and Vivian Dunn, Mr. Walker Garrow, hat each subscription gives. There the contest. W. B. Lee of the between us and our customers be the Ruler of the Universe. just one more day in which read Spur National Bank, Roy Cross of comes more and more one of friend DISTRICT COUIT MEETS is of these papers and the general the Girard Bank and Mike M. Young ship rather than that of strictly busi public may help a contestant to win have agreed to assist in the final ness. The year passing has made onis Coupe. We want to place every count. We believe that not only us feel more and more the warming District court convened Monday in name preside on our list, and the con every contestant but every individual glow of the heart in business. testants want your vote and help interested in this campaign will have this last day of the campaign. There confidence in these gentlemen and tution. is not a reader of this paper, possi will know that no "Sheenanigan" By, who has not in his own mind de will be tolerated in the final count termined which one of the cotestants of votes and awarding of the Ford

We want every reader of this pap er to turn in a subscription and to he have not been asked to do so. It get his neighbor to do ikewise be not the intention to slight any fore this contest ends Friday after le subscription will be appreciated, appreciate it, the Texas Spur will ap and just one subscription may change preciate it and Godfrey & Smart will ever since. who will win the car. The leaders in Day. It's a Good Old World._' is possible for any one of the cotest the contest are right together, and There is more sunshine than sha ants to win in the final count, so if only an official, final count can de dows. There are more good folks there is an individual reader of this termine the winner. If there is a than bad ones, more love than hate. reader of this paper who has a fav Our nation is at peace. Its the orite in the contest, now is the time greatest nation on earth. We all to come to his or her aid-and the have the necessities of life. Here o'clock Friday of this week.

announced in next week's paper.

UNCLE JIMMIE HUDSON

with his daughter.

Uncle Jimmie Hudson is one of the oldest settlers of Dickens coun ty, having been a resident here be fore the organization of the county.

It is hoped by his many friends and acquaintances throughout Dick ens county and this section of West Texas, that Uncle Jimmie Hudson's that he will soon be able to be back among his friends here.

-Trade in Spur-COUNTY LINE SINGING CONVENTION AT GIRARD

The County Line Singing Conven Girard in Kent county. This sing convention is comprised of Dick Kent and Garza county members R. Lewis, of Spur, is president urges a full attendance

BRYANT LINK COMPANY "Be thankful unto Him and praise

On this Thanksgiving week we can not but think back over the past year and feel grateful for the many good things that have come our way. There has been times when we could As announced last week, all con not see our way. It seemed that drouth and pestilence had practically

ALC:

ness and death had blighted their til December 10th. game was plentiful and they made torney Bell who is in Alabama. friends with the Indians. They set

main thing is to do it before six we can serve God according to the dictates of our conscience, while in The winner of the coupe will be some parts of the world those who are Christians are persecuted and even murdered. How much we as a nation have to be thankful for. We pound was paid for all turkeys sold ILL AT WICHITA FALLS want to express our gratitude to our News came this week of the criti many customers for you have made cal illness of Uncle Jimmie Hudson our business what it is. Especially at Wichita Falls where he is visiting do we appreciate your friendships, your kind words, your confidence, and we hope another year may be as good to you as this one has been.

THANKSGIVING

bligth maize.

stows:

withdraws.

We bless Thee that Thy love

We raise to Thee our grateful

For what Thou doest, Lord, is right; And thus believeing, we re

BRYANT LINK COMPANY SPUR WILL OBSERVE

AND ADJOURNS TO DEC. 10TH

Dickens with Judge Milam presiding, Thansgiving is an American insti and after empaneling the Grand Jury and lanuching them upon their duties When the first settlers came to the petit juries were dismissed and the end of the harvest, though sick the court proceedure adjourned un

numbers, their barns held some corn The court was adjourned on ac and their smoke houses were full; count of the absence of District At

The voluntary giving of a sin noon. The contestant favored will aside a day, for thanksgiving and will be summoned for Monday, Dec came when dainty little Miss Lera the institution has been preserved ember 10th. It was not stated for Harris after coming down the stairs, what case the special eniremen will a bank of flowers and ferns, danced This year we have more to be be summoned, but it is presumed tions and the contestants want the thankful for than did our Pilgrim that it is the Arnold Copeland case, votes. It is impossible to even guess Fathers on that first Thanksgiving charged with the shooting and wound of a wedding march came Max Mc ing of Loyd Barber, son of former Clure and Isabelle Campbell, a mina Sheriff G. L. Barber

> Trade in Spur SIX CAR LOADS TURKEYS SHIPPED FROM SPUR MARKET

Another car load of turkeys was shipped out of Spur the past week by the Spur Produce Company, mak ing a total of six car loads shipped from Spur for Thanksgriving mar kets. A price of twenty cents alt tell arrows, on the back of the amounting to more than fifteen the first Monday in December.

It has been estimated that Texas this year will market between 2,000 Gussie Mae Love, Nina Grace, Eula and 2,500 carloads of turkeys an l will bring the shipper \$10.000 dol 'For Summer's boom and Autumn's lars. This means something like \$2, 000,000 will come into Texas from ,For bending wheat and yellow the East during the next 90 days from the turkey crop of the state. illness will be only temporary and For health and coufort, Lord of light Ninety_five per cent of the Texas And Lord of darkness, hear our crop will find its way to the North eastern and New England states.

It is estimated there is about 6, We trace to Thee our joys and woes, 000,000 pounds of turkey in cold To Thee of causes still the storage, held over from last year, which accounts largely for the lower ion will meet Sunday afternoon at We thank Thee that Thy hand by price this year, these turkeys in cold storage having been bought at from 60 to 75 cents per pound.

> -Trade in Spur-No hunting, fishing or trespassing Here on this blest Thanksgiving of any kind on my land .- J. Carlysle,

ANNOUNCEMENT PARTY

A well tilled farm is more valu-

able to the owner and the com-

munity than an oil gusher.

The most beautiful social affair of the season was when the Misses Catherine Wilkins and Vivian Dunn entertained on Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oran Mc Clure, announcing the approaching marriage of Miss Gussie Mae Love to Mr. Tracey Gorham.

The spacious reception hall and THANKSGIVING DAY drawing rooms were artistically dec orated with vases and baskets of

> Miss Gussie Mae Love, bride_elect, Mr. Tracey Gorham, groom, Miss Catherine Wilkins and Mr. Thomas Kehoe. Mrs. Oran McClure was beautifully dressed in a black satin and lace dinner dress. The honor guest was never more beautiful than on this occasion. She wore a gorge ous yellow evening gown with silver head dress. Miss Vivian Dunn wore an orchid afternoon dress, with sil ver head dress. Miss Catherine Wil kins wore a black canton crepe after noon frock, with gold head dress.

One of the most beautiful and Special veniremen, we understand, pleasing diversions of the evening

> Later in the evening to the strain ture bride and groom. They present ed Miss Gussie Mae Love, the honor guest with a Shoffield Sandwich tray or bon bon dish.

> Bon bon dishes filled with pink and white mints were placed at each table. A delicious salad course was served with attractive nut bowls as plate favors. In the midst of the and white cake was stuck the

upie was found the secret-"Gussie on the Spur market, the total sales Mae, Tracey November 29, 1923." The guest list included: Mr. and thousand dollars. The Christmas Mrs. C. L. Love, Mr. and Mrs. Roy turkey market here will open about Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Mageors, Mrs. Thomas Morrison, Mrs. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Oran McClure, Misses Hedrick, Opal McAdams, Lola Stamey, Elizabeth Dye, Sybil Bowie, Willie Kennedy, Mable Harris, Wil lie Lee Gilbert, Margaret Elliot, Al va Jean Morrow and Allie Tate. Messrs. Tracey Gorham, John Mc Knight, Dr. Zachry, Chesley Speck, Roy Moses, Jack Rector, Mack Rash, Howard Reed, Cyril Crow, McLean, Brannen, Welden Grimes, Tommie Kehoe, Garrow and the hostesses .- A

> -Trade in Spur-John Aston was on the street Tuesday, enjoying the rainy weat er while transacting business affairs

-Trade in Spur-Mrs. E. A. Russell and child are visiting with relatives and frien in Anson this week,

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THE MAN WHO PAYS

THE WILL TO PAY is hereditary just as much as red hair or buck teeth. It is a common fallacy that a man pays his debts because he has money. This is not necessarily true. ing has only a remote relation to mo

On the one hand is your friend gassed into paying the most ordinary

On the other hand, the poor fellow without a visible dollar-you know him-who is Johnny on the invoice. Money has little to do with either case. It is the breed of the man.

The man who pays is the man who thinks in advance. He never fiashes a roll; he does not drive a car and carry a mortgage at the same time. he does not hang up the butcher or the grocer for food that he cannot afford to eat; he never lights the fire without wondering where the coal man gets off He never stalls nor bluffs, nor give notes nor writes checks dated tomorrow, but when the bills come in, he is there with the coin of realm, God bless him.

Sometimes he feels sore at the rest of us. He does not see that he gets on any better than the fellow who skins as he goes. Still he goes

on and on, pays and pays, simply every football fan in the south? because it is in the breed.

And after all, the World does not think a lot of his breed. The man who pays is the bulwark of society. He is the balance wheel of civiliza at Spur, Texas, under the Act of tion. He is the mainspring of com meyce. Business blesses him and he has honor among men for all time. -Canadian Record.

-Trade in Spur---

BAYLORS FOOTBALL CHANCE GOOD

Waco, Texas, Nov. 13th, 1923 .-The football champion ship will be decided Thanksgiving day when the three strongest teams will meet. Tex as U. will play A. & M., Baylor will play S. M. U. Baylor is the favorite because the foot ball fans do not be On the contrary, the matter of pay lieve that Texas will be able to this is the question on the minds of by a wife and five children.

The answer will be given out Novein ber 29th .- Hot Shot.

-Trade in Spur-EDITOR DONALD OF SLA. TON DIED NOVEMBER 8TH

Will Donald, the editor of the Slatonite at Slaton, died Thursday, November 8th, at 3 o'clock. Mr Donald, we understand, had been suffering from an attack of pneumonia for about ten days and while his condition was known to be serious it was hardly expected by most of the people that it was necessarily fatal, but death climaxed the attack at about three o'clock Thursday af

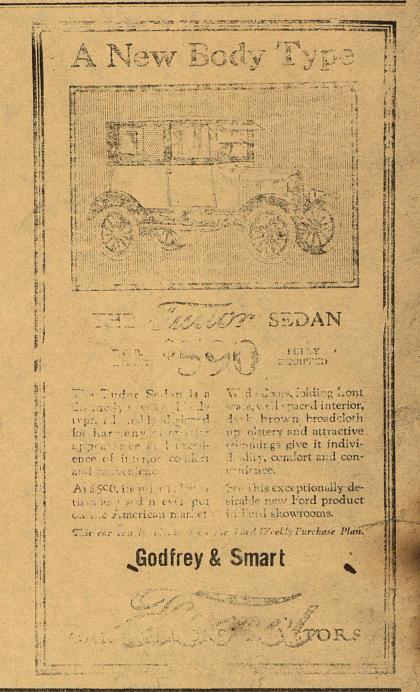
Mr. Donald came to Slator some thing like about five years ago and 'pour it on D. X. Bibles fighting purchased the Slatonite from L. P. aggies.'. Baylor is not so confident Loomis, now at Canadian, and has about beating S. M. U. 'the team to been operating the paper ever since ues oum 'Louou jo couspungs usim beat A. & M. However, she has making a grand success. He has to uərvəq 'pəuərvətq 'pəlofvə əq qou shown her wonderful ability in de been a very important factor in the fensive by holding to a tie two of growth of that city, and his influ the strongest teams (supposedly) in ence has counted for much in the the southern conference. If the Ag development of the Great South gies beat Texas and Baylor beats S. Plains and his death will keenly be M. U. THEN Baylor will be award felt by the progressive people of this ed the championship. But, will they section of the state. He is survived

was in Dickens last week to be with another daughter. her sister, Mrs. H. P. Cole, during the illness of Sheriff Cole. However,

Mrs. Myrtle Penney, of Lubbock, Hudson, who is in Wichita Falls with

---Trade in Spur-

Mr. Stovall, of Fort Worth, ac Mrs. Penney was called to Wichita companied by his father, spent sev Falls on account of the critical ill eral day this week in Spur with his ness of her father, Uncle Jimmie brother, Roy Stovall.



TRY OUR SHOE AND HARNESS WORK

We have one of the best equipped shops in this section of the state, which enables us to turn out high class work at moderate prices. Give us a call when in need of work of this kind. We'll appreciate it.

Electrical Shoe and Harness Shop Ericson & Rucker, Props.

Additional Spur Farm Land Offering

WE HAVE PLACED ON SALE A LARGE ADDITIONAL ACREAGE OF SPUR LAND WHICH WILL OFFER A WIDE RANGE OF SELECTION TO INTENDING PURCHASERS OF EITHER FARM OR RANCH LANDS

> List of offerings and prices may be ascertained on application to our office Terms will be as heretofore: one-fifth cash, balance in six equal annual payments, with privilege of paying any or all notes before maturity with eight percent interest only to date of payment.

Swenson And

CLIFFORD B. JONES, Manager

SPUR, DICKENS COUNT

A PROPHECY OF ST. PAUL'S IN "form of God" and 'thought it not REGARD TO THE JEWS

In the 11th chapter of St. Paul's Epistle to the Romans, he has proph esied that the Jews whom God broke from the good olive tree and cast away because of their unbelief shall be grafted back into that tree "if they abide not still in unbelief."

St. Paul tells us in this chapter that we Gentiles are branches of a wild olive grafted among the believ ing Jews into the good olive tree of which the Jews are both the root and the natural branches.

He says: "Blindness in part is hap pened to Israel until the fulness of er was "greater" than he. the Gentiles be come in.' And ne comments upon the Jews and the Gen tiles in these words: "As ye in times the form of a man; because in the now obtained mercy through their sons, and calls them his sons.
unbelief, even so have these also now For instance, when he commands For God has concluded all in unbe my first_born."-Mrs. James Ber lief, that he might have mercy upon nett, Richmond, Kentucky.

Furthermore, St. Paul teaches that the grafting of the partly blinded Jews back into the good olive tree will be of great benefit to the world when he says, in the above mention ed chapter of Romans: "If the cast ing away of them be the reconciling of the world, what the receiving of them be, but life from the dead."

The Old Testament teaches that Jehovah is the King of the Jews. For instance, where Jehovah says to the Jews in Isaiah 43, 15-"I am the Lord, your Holy One, the Creator of Israel, your King." And where the prophet says to the Jews in Isaiah 44, 6-"Thus saith the Lord, the King of Israel, and his Redeemer the I ra o osts; I am the first, and an ... last, and beside me there i no God."

Now since the Old Testament teaches that Jehovah is the King of the Jews, it is evident that if Christ was their King, he was Jehovah man ifested in the form of a man, in the time of the Apostles.

Just as the Bible tells us in Gene in the form of a man, in the time of Abraham and Sarah, when he ato some food, told Sarah she should give birth to a Son, and talked to Abraham "bout his destruction of Sodam and Gomorrah.

And I think if we Gentiles enable the party blinded Jews to perceive that the Bible teaches that Christ was their King, as he claimed in the New Testament that he was, and be grafted back in the good olive tree

So I hope that you will publish this letter, and do every other thing you can to enable these Jews to know that Moses teaches in Deuter onomy 32 that "the" name of Jehov ah is the "Rock," and that St. Paul, therefore, teaches that Christ was Jehovah when he says in 1st Corin thians 10, that "Christ" was the "Rock" that followed the Israelites when they passed through the Sea.

St. Paul says this in these words: Brethren I would not that ye should ignorant how that all our fathers re under the cloud; and all passed ough the sea; and were baptized all our fathers were under the l; and all passed through the e cloud and in the sea

were all baptized unto eat the same spiritual d all drink the same for they drank of ck that followed k was Christ." think, that

robbery to be equal with God" there fore he took upon himself the form of a man.

... The New Testament tells us that after Christ bad taken upon himselfthe form of a man, he said that he was "the Son of God" and that his Father was "greater" than he.

But since Christ was previously in the "form of God" and "thought it not robbery to be equal with God," it is evident that it was in the Char acter of a Son of God, which he had assumed by taking upon himself the form of a man, that he said he was the "Son of God", and that his Fath

Christ assumed the character of a Son of God by taking upon himself past have not believed God, yet have Bible God says that men are his

not believed, that through your Moses in Exodus 4, 22, to say unto mercy they also may obtain marcy. Pharoah-"Israel is my Son, even

Trade in Spur-ESPUELA ITEMS

We were visited by a sandstorm Friday and Saturday, and a cold norther Sunday.

We were all glad to start back to ing to turn over a new leaf, and be gin the New Year right.

A large crowd attended the party at Mr. Morgan's Tuesday night, and it was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Speer was asking questions. He said: "Now pupils, how many months have twenty_eight days?"

"All of them teacher,, replied Ray who was sitting on the front seat. Lucile Stayton spent Sunday night

with Ona Shockley. The party at Mr. Luther Karr's Saturday night was enjoyed by all who attended.

Sunday while eating dinner, George, asked: "Father are cater

pillars good to eat?" "No" said Mr. Keene, "what makes you ask a question like that while we are eating?"

"You had one on your lettuce, sis 18, that Jehovah was manifested but its gone now," replied George. ,Messrs. Lawson Morgan, Guy Karr and Alton Foreman were dinner guests of Mrs. C. A. Brinnell, Sun To the Sheriff or any Constable of

> Milton Foreman visited our school to be all "smiles."

> Loura Jennings was the dinner guest of Irene Miller Sunday. Katherine Carr received a new

> Wishing all the readers of the "Texas Spur" a Happy New Year I will move over and let some one else have my place awhile .-- A School

ring for a "Xmas present."

-Trade in Spur-CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our many friends for their untiring assistance during the sickness and death of our dear husband and father. Al though his last sickness was of four weeks duration we were never with out help and comfort at any time We wish to thank the Masons for their services, also thank the East ern Star Chapters of Spur and Dick ens and all others who contributed such beautiful floral offering. May God's richest blessings be with you all is our prayer. It is such comfort to know we have so many wonder ful friends to stand by us in our great sorrow. Words cannot express what we feel. We hope you under nt does not tell stand.—Mrs. H. P. Cole and family

___Trade in Spur___ NOTICE TO TAX PAYERS

I will be in Spur at the City Na tional Bank, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, January 10th, 11th and 12th to collect taxes .- M. L. Jones, heriff and Tax Collector.

and examine my new and second management of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. hand army clathes. I am selling Miller, was wholly and collectively them at low prices and guarantee moved the first of the week, togeth the best goods. Will also handle er with the house as well as contents, wool army underwear. Get my prices, examine my goods and you will buy them. John Vann. 10tf This move was necessary in making

Trade in Spur J. T. Rose and wife and two of his grandchildren, Katherine and Lucile, daughters of Austin Rose, all of Mc Adoo are spending the week with old friends at Hamlin. Mr. Rose is at home among Hamlin folks.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable f Dickens County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to cause to published once each week for a period of ten days before copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS To All Persons Interested in the Welfare of Leonard McCormick, Paul McCormick and June McCor ly cheap for either cash or good mick, Minors, Mrs. J. W. McCormick notes .- D. J. Gilbert, Spur. Texas. has filed in the County Court of school again Monday, and are go Dickens County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the Estate of said Dinors which said ap plication will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the third Monday in January A. D. 1924, the same being the 21st day of January A. D. 1924 at the Court House thereof, in Dickens, Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said Minors, may appear and contest said application

If they see proper to do so. Herein Fail Not, but have you be fore said Court, on the said day of the next term thereof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Dick ens, Texas this the 4th day of Jan uary A. D. 1924.

O. C. ARTHUR, Clerk County Court Dickens County, Texas. 10 2t. ---Trade in Spur-

THE STATE OF TEXAS

Dickens County Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to Monday afternoon and, he seemed cause to be published once a week for ten days exclusive of the first day of publication, before the re turn day hereof, in some newspaper pf general circulation, published in Dickens county which hos been con tinously and regularly published in said county for a period of not less than one year; the following notice: The State of Texas ,

> To all Persons Interested in the Es tate of Mrs. Annie McCarty, deceas

> You are hereby notified that W. F. McCarty has filed in the County court of Dickens Co., an application for the probate of the last will and testament of the said Mrs. Annie McCarty, deceased, which will be heard at the next term of said court, commencing on the third Monday in January 1924, the same being the 21 day of January A. D. 1924, at the courthouse thereof, in Dickens, at which time all persons interested in said estate may appear and contest said application, should they desire

Herein fail not, but have you be. fore said court on the said first day of the next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court at my office in Dickens, Texas, this FIRST Day of January A. D. 1924.

Q. C. ARTHUR, Clerk County Court, Dickens County, Texas, 10-2

In passing along the street stop The Candy Kitchen, under the from the former location to the va cant lot next door to the post office. room for the two new brick business houses now under construction on the former occupied and adjoining vacant lots. When the new buildinbs are completed the Candy Kitchen will occupy the one, while it is not announced just what character of concern will occupy the other build ing. However, we understand that either a dry goods or a grocery con cern will probably be located there.

-Trade in Spur-E. J. Cowan was called to Waco on account of the death of his moth the return day hereof, in a newspap er which occurred. December 23rd, er of general circulation, which has her remains being interred on Christ been continuously and regularly pub mas day. His mother was seventy lished for a period of not less than eight years of age. Her death at one year in said Dickens County, a this time was unexpected, she hav ing been sick only a very short time.

-Trade in Spur-FOR SALE

Some good work horses reasonab

-Trade in Sper-LOST-In Gira d December 24, a bar pin with opal bug. Finder please return to Dr. Reed, Girard,

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wilkes return ed this week from a visit in Dallas. Miss Miller, of Dallas, returned home with them for an extended

"I am RED PEP Live Wire Philosopher live been hired for 52 weeks. Take my advice each week be cheerful.



PEP

Live Wire Philosopher

This is a new advertising feature which will appear each week in this newspaper.

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SMILE

A splendid tonic. There are dozens in every can of

Chase & Sanborn's Seal Brand Coffee.

> Let a can of this Coffee go with your next order. A good way to start the New Year by using

Fine, Fresh Roasted And Fresh Ground Coffee

that has the right flavor.

Visit us when in town. We will be glad to have you feel at home with us. Let us understand each other a little better, in the coming year.

WE WANT YOUR TRADE

SPUR GROCERY CO.

The Interstate Commerce Com mission has denied application for colleged building in West Te as, New To the Sheriff or any Constable of Mexico and Arizona. The commis Dickens, County, Greeting: doubt the Inter_State Commerce copy of the following notice: Commission was dominated largely THE STATE OF TEXAS by the truck lines that protested against the construction of the roads. Welfare of John Kirby Foard, and As long as the law stands that guar Robert Weldon Foard, Minors has antees a certain income to the roads filed in the County Court of Dickens, on their investment so long will the government have control in these matters. The thing to do is for the government to turn the roads back to their owners, allow them to do their own financing, guarantee them nothing, ad let them build the roads in America they want to. West Tex as and New Mexico need more rail roads, but under the present rail roads, but under the present system of government control few, if any, miles will be built. The old lines will dictate these matters. The gov ernment will be compelled to listen to the trunk lines in their arrange ment of guaranteeing them so much merest on their invested property -Times Signal.

Trade in Spur

Mrs. R. A. Sadler, of Anson, has been in Spur spending the holidays with her sister, Mrs. E. A. Russe'l as. and family.

---Trade In Spur-

We are again making Brick Chili. Central Market.

---Trade in Spur---

My place for sale on easy term's will consider some trade.-Fred Dan

THE STATE OF TEXAS

rytension in this country. This ar been continuously and regularly pub tions. cangement is under the law turning lished for a period of not less than the roads back to their owners. No one year in said Dickens, County, a morning by Luther Nickels, one of

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fore said Court, on the said first day or write C. C. Cobb, Dickens, Texas of the next term threof, this Writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Dickens. Texas, this the 20th day of Decem ber, A. D. 1924.

O. C. ARTHUR, Clerk County Court Dickens, County, Tex

___Trade in Spur__

LOST Saturday afternoon on the streets of Spur, one gold knife, price tag \$7.50 attached. Finder please return to Jen Adams, Spur, Texas and receive reward.

-Trade in Spur-Good winter pasture for 20 to 39 7 4tp. head of stock.—C. P. Harris. 8tf.

MAY SOON CALL WITNESSES IN MAYFIELD CASE

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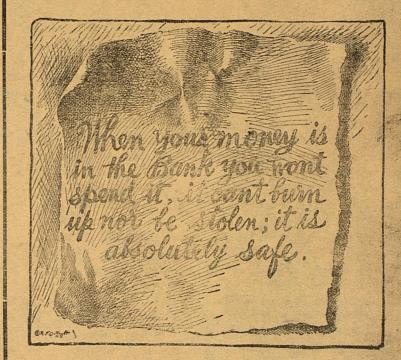
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