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

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A well tilled farm is more valuable to the owner and the community than an oil gusher.

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BRYANT LINK COMPANY.



We soon will see the budding flow ers which bring to us the harmony of Spring-the time when all nature tunes its varied instruments and makes its greatest efforts to reach perfection. The artist paints pictures of the snow capped mountains and the ice covered lakes of winter, but his brush must be dipped in more cheerful colors when he tries to depict upon his canvas the varied colorings of some sequestered rivulet whose waters are kissed on every side with flower bedecked banks, and above bending willows seem to be bowing their elastic branches as if trying to bathe their new gained ver_ dure in the silver water as it prattles and plays on its journey to the sea, and stately oaks stand nearby as if keeping vigil o'er the scene, while music throated warblers are bathing their new spring suits in the brooklet and basking in the sunshine that here and there finds its way through the spaces intervening between tree and tree. Spring! New life in every thing. Nature dons this old world in a new and gorgeous gown, and you and me, and all of us, want new ap. parel-and rightly should. OUR LADIES READY_TO_WEAR

DEPARTMENT Is ready for your inspection. We have the new things. They are beau tiful. We are making the price to match your purse. We simply can't tell you how the new dresses look no more than we could tell you the beauties of one of our Western sun. sets, but you can see for yourself. Come on with the crowds of well dressed ladies who are buying their

he signed when he said: "Gosh, no! new shades, just the popular colors ings, good service and quality mer-

made is a handkerchief." Come on, we have more than hand kerchiefs to fit even fat men, and if you are too big for our stock of Clothing, we can take your measure and have you a Hart_Shaffner & Marx made to fit, be you extra stout know you can help us. We are just or thin, and we take particular pleas folks. We have our troubles. The ure in serving the fellow who renor fight. IRON CLAD HOSE-Not made of

ron but lots of hard wear in them. us ours. Big shipment just received, both of

The only thing that fits me ready you have been wanting.

We want to serve you. We want business all the time, we feel you will get as good value as you will find you for our friends. We want you to feel free in our store to ask ques_ life time of experience that confitions, tell us your troubles and your dence is the mainspring of business. joys, your successes and your failures We must have confidence in the men and maybe we can help you, and we from whom we buy, for we do not claim to know the value of all the sun don't shine for us all the time, goods we handle. Our clerks are in_ quires special clothing-in other but we are thankful there is more structed to not misrepresent an item. words we even love the fat men who sunshine than shadows. We need We have no specials to catch you. are said to be so good natured, for your help-you need our help. We We have built our business upon a he being now engaged in the grain, the reason that they can neither run have our short comings-you may high standard. Our business has hay and feed business with Terry have yours. We will forget your im_ grown every year. Our customers perfections, and ask that you forgive are the very best people, such as have confidence in their fellow men.

We are trying to merit a liberal staple and fancy numbers, in the share of your business by fair deal_ our biggest year.

C. A. Jones, Pres. W. B. Lee, Active Vice_Pres.

W. T. Andrews, Jr., Cashier F. G. Collier, Asst. Cashier

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THE SPUR NATIONAL BANK Capital and Surplus, \$125,000.00

> SPUR. TEXAS February 21st, 1924

DEAR FRIENDS:

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As a matter of interest to our good friends and customers, we are giving below the results of our Christmas Campaign to encourage thrift and saving by making depositors out of the splendid boys and girls of this trade territory.

As stated some time ago 532 new accounts were added to our books during the campaign, closing December 22nd. The number of depositors from the various schools over this county and adjoining counties are as follows:

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	Afton, 2	27	Croton	19	
	Dickens 3	30	Duncan Flat	14	200 and
- And - A	- Deer Lake	4	Dry Lake	13	
	Duck Creek	6	Espuela	60	
1	Girard	3	Guthrie	. 1	
	Highway 1	14	Lost Lake	8	
1	Midway	24	· -Mandan	21	

Make our store your store-and chandise. If you will give us your bring the kiddies.

BRYANT_LINK COMPANY. -----Diversify---

anywhere. We have learned from a JOHN Q. TERRY ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY FOR TREASURER

> The Texas Spur is authorized to announce John Q. Terry as a candidate for the office of Treasurer of Dickens county.

Mr. Terry has lived in Dickens county the past five or six years, having been engaged in farming in the Croton community until recently, Brothers at Dickens. Mr. Terry is a young man of business ability, honor and high integrity, is absolutely trustworthy, and should he be favor_ Come on folks, help us make 1924 ed with the nomination for County Treasurer will perform the duties in an efficient, accurate manner, and the public will be assured of having the county funds in safe hands. -Diversify-

W. E. GATES ANNOUNCES FOR **PUBLIC WEIGHER, PRECINCT 2**

We are authorized to announce W. E. Gates as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Preccint Num_ ber Two, of the Afton country.

W. E. Gates needs no introduction or commendation at our hands to the people of the Afton country, since he settled in the north part of Dick_ ens county about forty years ago, in 1885, and has lived among the people of that section continuously since that time. W. E. Gates is a wholesouled gentleman and true Westerner, and if elected as Weigher of Precinct Two, the people of Afton may rest assured of accurate weights, prompt service and every courtesy and consideration within his power to give. -Diversify-

G. A. SLOAN FOR REELECTION AS COUNTY COMMISSIONER

G. A. Sloan authorized us this week to announce his candidacy for re_elec tion to the County Commissioners office from Precinct No. Three. Mr. Sloan is now serving his first term in this office, and during the administra tion has demonstrated a superior ability and knowledge of handling the county public affairs. In fact; G. A. Sloan has made a record of

new Spring Dresses, Suits, Coats and Hats in our Ladies Wear Department. Mrs. Hart and Miss Shugart are al_ ways anxious to show you.



Comfort coupled with Style is found IN MCELROY SLOAN SHOES. They are the people who make the world famous Billikin Shoe.



Once a child has BILIKIN SHOES it will cry for Bilikins. Why? Be_ cause its feet are always happy when housed in Bilikins. The wonderful Flex Sole and foot form last make it just what the child needs and wants. We have them for grown ups now.

FAT MANS TROUBLES. On the way to the theatre Fatty stopped in front of a haberdasher's display window. His friend asked him if he was thinking of buying a shirt or pajamas or something, and

New Hope ---- 8 Peaceful Hill ____ 3 Red Hill _____ 22 Steel Hill _____ 12 Watson _____ 1 Wichita _____ 25

Prarie Chapel _____ Red Mud Soldiers Mound ____ 17 Twin Wells _____ Wilson Draw

Prize Winners are as follows:

Midway, Enrollment 32, Depositors 34, Gold \$20.00 Red Hill, Enrollment 21, Depositors 22, Gold 10.00 Espuela, Enrollment 60, Depositors 60, Gold 5.00

Wichita with an enrollment of 26, had 25 depositors. This being so close to Third, we are giving them \$5.00 in Gold.

You will, no doubt, be agreeably surprised, as we were, to know that the total deposits made by these youngsters aggregates, \$7,663.83. It is also very gratifying to find, in checking over these accounts today, just sixty days since the contest closed, that only 38 of the 582 accounts have been closed, and a number of these are boys and girls who have moved out of this territory. It is a matter of much satisfaction to notice that a good majority of these young depositors are adding to their accounts regularly. Of course, a number of them are checking on their accounts for little items in connection with their school expenses, which is entirely proper.

It may seem foolish to some people that we are spending our time, efforts and money in these, seemingly small things, but we do not view it in that light at all. We feel that we are rendering a real service to the various communities, and especially do we feel and know that we are rendering a distinct service to the school boys and girls when we teach them the value of a Dollar, and give them an opportunity to learn to transact business for themselves early in life.

We are highly pleased with the way these boys and girls are handling their accounts, but we will not be satisfied until every school boy and girl in Dickens county are carrying bank accounts with us. We solicit the continued support of the teachers of the County, and the parents of the children, to assist us in making "depositors" instead of "spenders" out of all of the school boys and girls.

Your Friend.

THE SPUR NATIONAL BANK

"sttiff_back" business conservative_ ness in disbursing county funds and in conserving the resources of the public treasury. He has also been most active and efficient in promoting road building and in maintaining the system of roads already constructed. G. A. Sloan has rendered the coun. ty good service, and is in position to render better service should he be

selected to serve a second term. ----Diversify------

FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. J. H. Busby was a charming hostess to the Friday Afternoon Club . and members of the cntre Nous Club Friday afternoon, February 8th, at three o'clock. The home was lovely in decorations of blue and yellow. Forty two was enjoyed by every one. and delicious refreshments were serv ed by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Walter Samples. Plate favors were miniature quills.

-----Diversify---PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a. m. Preaching Sunday morning and evening. Subjects: 11 a. m., 'The Stewardship of Life; 7:30 p.m. 'Happiness and How to Obtain it." Every one welcome.-Jas. M. McLean Pastor.

----Diversify-----FOR SALE TO HIGHEST BIDDER. The Trustees of the Spur Indepen_ dent School District will receive seal ed bids up to ten o'clock a. m. Tues_ day, February 26th, for the frame building now being used for school purposes. The Board reserves the right to reject any and all bids.-Ned Hogan, President.

THE TEXAS SPUR



TWIN WELLS NEWS. We will visit the Texas Spur as have the news of Twin Wells from we have nothing else to do,

There are several cases of measles your items to our office not later in our community, but we are glad to than Wednesday .- Ed. report that they are not serious ones.

The farmers of this community are now very busily tilling the soil for their future crops, which we are all after an absence of a week on account hoping will be "bumpers."

There are several new residences one of her fingers broken while play. going up in this community, and we ing Friday. are glad to welcme the new comers.

Our school is progressing nicely. sent from school several days, on ac_ Some of our pupils attended the bas. ket ball game las Friday at Peaceful count of sickness. Hill. Among the number were: the girls don't get to play tennis enough Misses Ruby Merriman, Chrystal Ran in the day time, so they play at night dleman and Lella Mae Hill, Messrs. while the moon shines. Practice R. D. Hill, Russel Smith and Marion makes perfect. Kidd.

The Misses Motee and Iola Sanlir have moved eight miles west of Lub. bock, and their presence among us here is missed very much. welcome you again.

Mr. Hero Mitchell is the proud owner of a new Ford.

The party at Mr. Albert Pucketts last Saturday night was attended by a large crowd. Every one enjoyed the party very much, and we hope to have the pleasant opportunity of gathering together again in the near future.

We will now bring this letter to a close and give space to more gifted writers .- Mesquite Bushes.

ing to keep his eye on the ball, but we think he was trying to keep it on the girl. News is scarce, so we will run

newsy writer and we will be glad to

you each week-and be sure to get

-Diversify-

of illness.

DICKENS HIGH SCHOOL NEWS.

Mr. Jack Thanisch is back in school

Little Miss Lizzie Bell Hicks got

Miss Pauline Harris has been ab.

along .- Two School Girls. ____Diversify_

Piano for sale cheap .-- D. White, Mesquite Bushes, you are a good, at City Bakery. 16 2p



WHAT THE NEW SPRING HAS TO OFFER

WOMEN'S AND MISSES' FURNISHINGS

Hosiery and Underwear, Shoes and Gloves, Laces, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs.

QUALITIES THAT TELL THE TALE PRICES THAT MAKE THE SALE !!

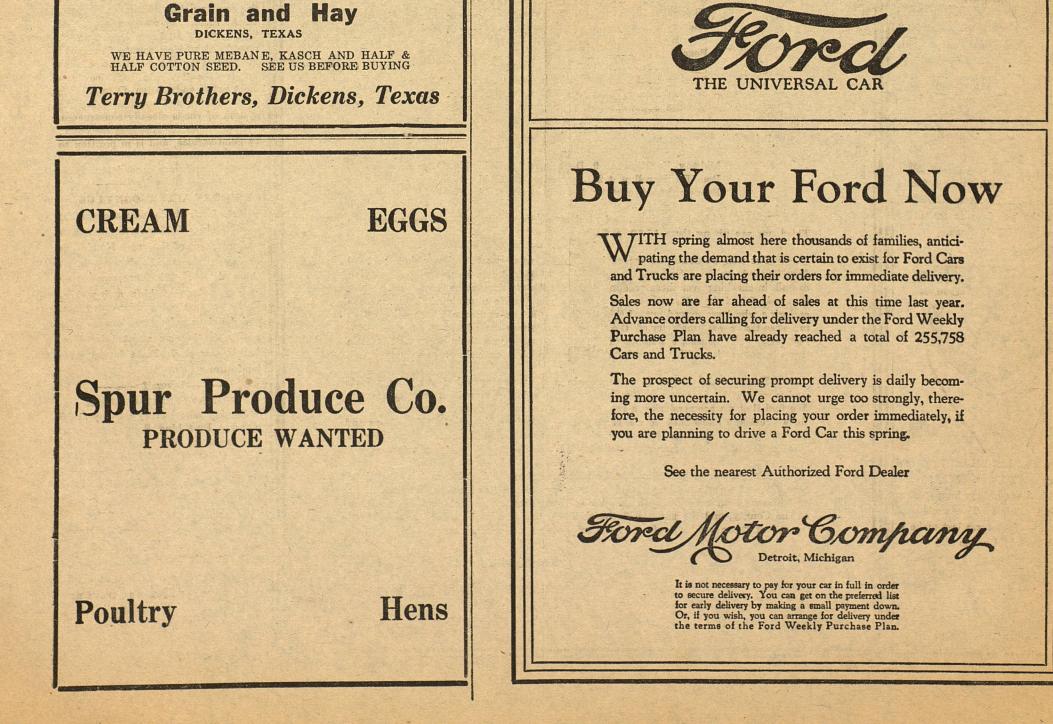
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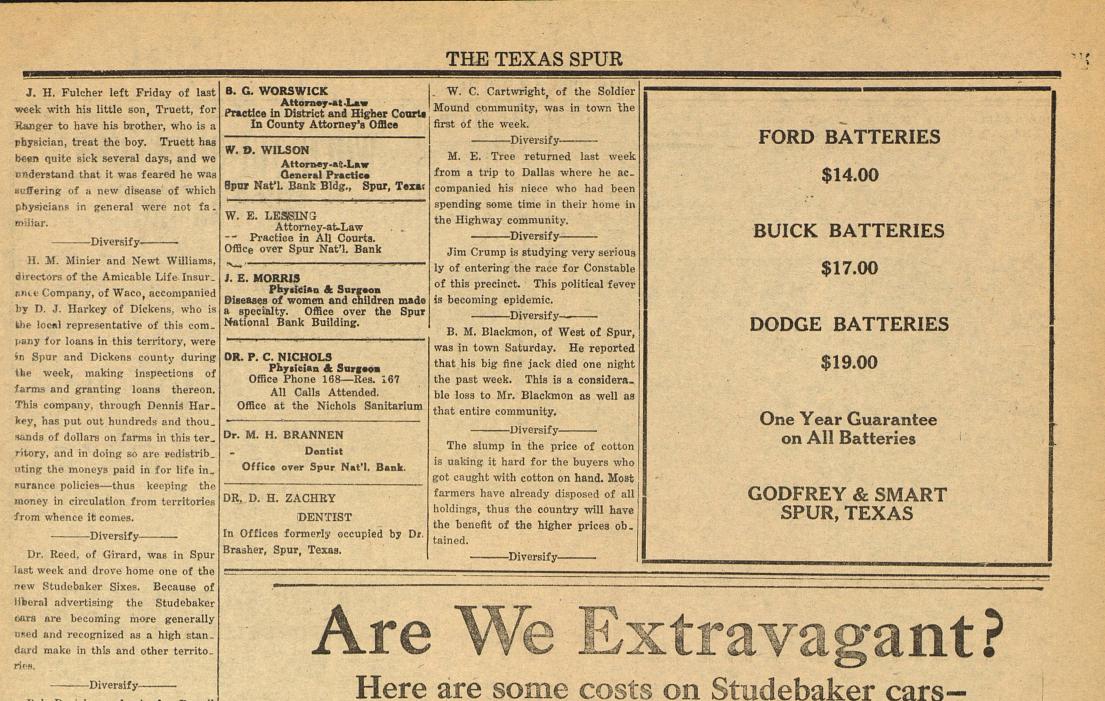
WANTED-To buy good residence A 4_burner Perfection Oil Stove It seems like some of the boys and complete with oven, \$12.50.-Red lot on or north of Harris Street. Will WE LIKE TO HAVE PEOPLE SAY Front Drug Store. 16tf pay cash, but price must be right .---Diversify Can you clean, press and repair Write Box 135, Spur, Texas. 14tf WE ARE AGAIN MAKING my suit in a hurry? BRICK CHILI.-CENTRAL MAR. ____Diversify_____ We can give you service that's The Dickens High School teachers **BIDS WANTED** KET. 11tf. worth while. To grade and gravel Calvert Ave-nue between Harris & Granite and pupils wish to extend our thanks -Diversify-Even in haste we are painstak_ Streets, First Street between Carroll to the Spur High hSchool for the fine THE HOME GUARDS ing and thorough. and Calvert Avenues, and Granite Street between Carroll and Calvert program rendered Friday night. We Livergard and Lungardia LIVERGARD is the New Laxa Call us anytime-we'll call Avenues. Bids to be opened February 20th, tive we can not improve; excels all While playing tennis Friday, Mr. promptly. 1924. Specifications at City Secreothers. When a Laxative is needed, EMERGENCY CALLS PLEASE US Fred Arrington happened to the mis_ tary's office. makes laughing babies of puny J. L. KING, Mayor, E. J. COWAN, City Secretary. fortune of nearly getting his eye Ira Sullivan, Prop. ones, keeps old folks young. knocked out. Some say he was try. -Diversify-LUNGARDIA has no equal for TAILOR SHOPSPUR Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat; un-FOR SALE-50 S. C. White Leg. surpassed in removing deep Coughs horn Hens, \$2 each. Setting eggs, at FOR SALE-One Conn Cornett, in of long standing. One trial convinces. \$1.50 for 15, or \$8 per 100. Baby good condition, special price .-- Red Lungardia Co. Dallas, Texas. 16tf Chicks, 20c each .- Mrs. J. Ervin Front Drug Store. For sale by -Diversify-Renfroe, Box 115, Dickens, Texas. tf Spur Drug Co. Spur. Texas. THE BEST SOAP. -Diversify--Diversify-I sell the famous Dr. Swartz Green Nice young Jersey cow, fresh, for C. M. Francis, of Stamford, trans_ Bar Medicated Soap, once used al ways used.-M. M. Young. 16t

171t acted business Friday in Spur.

16tf sale .--- W. M. Hunter, Spur.







Bob Penick, mechanic for Powell & Hindman, who recently underwent a successful operation for appendici. tis at the Nichols Sanitarium, is now about recovered and will again soon be at his post of duty in the mechan_ ical shop.

USED CAR BARGAINS

> USED CAR BARGAINS STUDEBAKERS DODGES OAKLANDS

E are lavish on Studebaker cars. For some features we pay three and four times what they need cost.

Here are some of those costs which affect you. Tell us-would you want any one reduced?

Our prices on high-grade Sixes run from \$975 to \$2685. They stand at bottom in the fine-car field, despite these extra costs. All because the demand requires 150,000 cars per year. But they could be lower if we cut these costs. Would you have us do it?

Engineering-\$500,000

On ongineering departments cost us \$500,000 yearly.

Our Department of Research and Experiment employs 125 skilled men. It spends vast sums in analyses and tests.

Our Bureau of Methods and Standards fixes every formula, every re15% to the maker. Just to get our formulas exact. We could save that extra on "commercial runs."

Would you have us cut them down?

We machine the entire surface of crank shafts, as was done on Liberty Airplane Motors. The extra cost is \$600,000 per year. But the results are that perfect balance, that ab-sence of vibration.

Every Studebaker car is Timkenequipped. The Special-Six and the Big-Six have more Timken bearings than any car selling under \$5,600 in America. The Light-Six more than any competitive car within \$1,000 of its price.

Don't Buy a Fine Car until you see the leaders

Studebakers hold the top place in the

bought them. The nickel-plated bumpers, the extra disc wheels and cord tires, the steel trunk, the courtesy light, etc.

Extras to our men

We pay the highest labor scale. Then we add extras to it.

Men who are with us five years or over get 10% of their year's wages in an anniversary check. Those an-niversary checks last year cost us \$1,300,000.

After two years all employes get a week of vacation with pay. That cost us last year \$225,000.

Old employes who retire get pensions. Our co-operative department costs us \$2,000,000 per vear.

All this to keep men with us while they grow more and more efficient. To make them happy, so they do their best. This is all paid by people who buy Studebaker cars. But we figure that each such dollar saves us five dollars. Don't you agree with us?



Worms, Chapped Face, Poison Oak, Sunburns, Old Sores or Sores on Children. It relieves all forms of Sore Feet. For sale by

City Drug Store



quirement. It makes 500,000 tests per year to maintain our high standards.

We make 30,000 inspections on every Studebaker car during manufacture before it goes out of the factory. We employ 1,200 men to do that. Those are heavy costs.

But remember how they are divided - by 150,000 cars per year. They form but a trifle per car.

\$50,000,000 in plants

We have invested \$50,-

000,000 in modern plants and equipment. \$8,000,000 in drop forge plants. \$10,000,000 in body plants — as the only way to do Studebaker coach work.

These plants are equipped with 12,500 up-to-date machines, many of them very expensive.

But consider the alternative. Profits to other makers. We save up to \$200 on some bodies by building them ourselves.

15% extra on steel

On some steels we pay a bonus of

LIGHT-SIX

5-Pass. 112" W. B. 40 H. P.

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\$ 995.00 975.00 1395.00

1485.00

Touring Roadster (3-Pass.) -Coupe-Roadster (2-Pass.) -

Coupe (5-Pass.)

Sedan

fine-car field today.

Last year, 145,000 people chose them against all rivals. They paid \$200,000,000 for them.

For 72 years the Studebaker name has stood for the utmost in quality. It will never stand for less.

Today there are assets of \$90,000,000 staked on the Studebaker cars.

Don't pay \$1,000 or more for a car without knowing what Studebaker offers. You will find here some scores of advantages. Learn what they mean to you.

Other costly extras

Our bodies are finished with 18 operations, including 15 coats of paint and varnish.

We use real leather upholstery. The cost is about \$25 per car over imitation leather.

That Chase Mohair upholstery in closed cars is made from the soft fleece of Angora goats. A velour or worsted upholstery would save us up to \$100 per car.

The many extras on our large closed cars would cost much if you

SPECIAL-SIX

5-Pass. 119"	W.	B . 50	H,	P.
Touring	-	-		\$1350.00
Roadster (2-Pass.)	-			1325.00
Coupe (5-Pass.)	-	-	-	1895.00
Sedan	-	-	-	1985.00

The utmost in car value

The object is to give you the utmost in car value. You will find we do that if you make comparisons. In any Studebaker model, you will find scores of ways in which it excels any rival car.

That is why, in the fine-car field, the Studebaker leads. The demand has almost trebled in the past three years. These cars have become the sensation of Motordom. On some of these models we have never yet been able to meet the demand.

We spend money lavishly. We build without regard to cost. But, in our quantity production, we still bring costs to bottom.

You should learn what these things mean to you before you buy a car.

BIG-SIX 7-Pass. 126" W. B. 60 H. P.

Touring	-		-	\$1750.00
Speedster (5-Pass.)	-	- 2	-	1835.00
Coupe (5-Pass.)			-	2495.00
Sedan	-	-	•	2685.00

(All prices f. o. b. factory. Terms to meet your convenience.)



WORLD'S LARGEST PRODUCER OF QUALITY THE AUTOMOBILES

THE TEXAS SPUR John Goodall, of Girard, was in THE TEXAS SPUR 10,000 BALES OF COTTON GIN NED TO SATURDAY IN SPUR Spur today. He returned last week WHEN THE RUSH COMES from a trip to California. He also ORAN McCLURE, Publisher visited Juarez, Mexico, and says that Up to Saturday night of last week city is a most lovely place. there had been ginned a total of ten FOR FARMING thousand bales of cotton by the sev. ____Diversify___ Entered as second class matter on Editor Stoker, of the Jayton News, November 12, 1909, at the postoffice eral gins of Spur, as follows: Farmers Gin (J.E. Johnson) __3070 and County Tax Assessor Kelly of at Spur, Texas, under the Act of Kent, weree business visitors in Spur March 3rd, 1879. Milligan Gin _____1851 J. W. Baker Gin_____1836 this week, Citizens Gin _____1678 PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY J. E. Hayes Gin, _____1556 Subscription Price, \$1.50 Per Year YOU WILL FIND EVERYTHING TO MAKE FARMING A Total bales ginned in Spur, __10,000 GIVEN COMFORTABLE AND PLEASANT TASK HERE AT OUR The following is reported he num_ DEMOCRATIC ANNOUNCEMENTS ber of bales ginned up to Saturday STORE. A BIG PRACTICAL night at gins at points in Dickens The Texas Spur is authorized to HOME COURSE county outside of Spur: make the following political an_ IN CANDY MAKING! McAdoo Gin, _____ 1300 nouncements for candidates seeking Dickens Gin, ____ 1300 Boys, Girls and Women, now is your public offices, subject to the action ALSO REMEMBER Afton Gins, _____ 4500 opportunity. Secure this valuable of Democratic Primaries to be held Total bales ginned in county, __17100 in July, 1924: There remains in Dickens county "COURSE IN CANDY only a few hundred bales yet to gin MAKING AT HOME" For Representative, 105th District. WHEN YOU THINK OF REST THAT WE HAVE BEDS of the last year's crop, therefore it JOHN McCRARY, Kent County It's going to mean a real future for AND MATTRESSES THAT YOU CAN BUY CHEAP AND is very likely that Dickens county will For County & District Clerk: every person who will secure this REST IN COMFORT AFTER YOUR RUSH OF WORK. fall short a few bales of ginning the "COURSE" and start working at C. C. COBB estimated twenty thousand bales for once. All Articles, Degrees and For_ ROBT. MEYNOLDS the year. However, there have been mulas are guaranteed to be given in S. L. DAVIS a number of bales of cotton produced COME SPEND YOUR MONEY WITH US AND GET BAR. plain English, and to be correct. It in Dickens which have been ginned O. C. ARTHUR (Reelection) will teach you to quickly make over GAINS IN EVERY LINE. outside of the county, therefore it For Sheriff & Tax Collector: 30 different kinds of PURE and DE_ can be safely said that Dickens coun_ CLIF LOVELACE LICIOUS CANDIES, and to make a ty produced twenty thousand bales very large PROFIT for you. Just M. L. JONES the past season. to get this Course advertised, I am G. L. BARBER ----Diversify----SPUR HARDWARE & FURNITURF CO. going to give away a limited number B. E. MORGAN Unincumbered, middleaged trained of this \$15.00 Course to every per-For Tax Assessor: nurse and experienced housekeeper, son who will sell only 10 minature W. B. BENNETT SPUR'S OLDEST STORE wants position in motherless home, or courses in candy making at only 50c with 2 or 3 men, prefer the country. each, and return the \$5.00 collected. W. F. McCARTY T. S. LAMBERT -Mrs. Alice Freeman, Afton, Texas. Write for the 10 minature courses For County Treasurer: -Diversify-Today. NOW! C. H. PERRY (Reelection) John Southworth was among the MRS. H. P. COLE JOHN Q. TERRY crowds in Spur Saturday. ERNEST M. MIMS **DR. MONTGOMERY** ____Diversify___ Box 11 For County Judge: H. A. C. RRUMMETT (Reelection) A good rain this week puts the LUEDERS, TEXAS For County Attorney: B. G. WORSWICK (Re_election) country in good farming shape. DR. MONTGOMERY, OF STAMFORD, WILL BE IN SPUR For Public Weigher, Precinct v: G. W. RASH TWO DAYS For Public Weigher, Precinct 2: Tuesday and Wednesdy W. O. FORMBY W. E. GATES March 4th and 5th For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 3: D. A. YOUNG (Re_election) For County.Commissioner Precinct 3: TO TREAT DISEASES OF THE EYE EAR, NOSE AND G. A. SLOAN .Reelection) -Diversify-THROAT, REMOVE TONSILS AND ADENOIDS, AND TO ONE DAY COOKING SCHOOL. FIT GLASSES. Mrs. Edith M. Andrews, Home Ec. onomics Specialist with the Extension OFFICE AT NICHOLS SANITARIUM. Service of A. & M. College, will be in Spur Monday, February 25th, to conduct a one day Cooking School. That strapping big new Overland engine Mrs. Andrews is rated by the Wash has everybody talking. It is all sinew ington office as one of the best in her line. She is very efficient, and while and power. It sends you zooming up in Spur will give a demonstration in the stiffest climbs as nimbly as you "TASTY MEATS" the uses of milk and eggs. Among please. This is Overland Power Demthe dishes she will prepare will be onstration week. Come in-take an cottage cheese, custards (soft and



THE TEXAS SPUR

THE ONE DAY POULTRY SCHOOL A BIG SUCCESS

I WILL CLOSE MY BUSINESS A real one_day poultry school was conducted Saturday, February 16th when the poultry special operated by the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad, and the A. & M. College of Texas, cooperating, spent the day here. About 150 boys and girls gathered in the Christian church and ninety adults in the Gem Theatre to take part in the program of the poultry campaign.

Last year Spur greeted a similar train with an attendance of three thousand which proved too large a crowd to be handled to advantage. This year invitations were issued to only those interested in a poultry school rather than a poultry show by County Agent R. B. Johnston and Home Demonstration Agent Miss Wir ny Wilkins.

Added interest was given to the occasion by the presence of Miss M. Helen Higgins, State Home Demonstration Agent, and Miss Helen H. Swift District Agent Extensive Ser_ vice A. & M. College of Texas, also Miss Mabel Marsh, County Agent of Lubbock county, Miss Pearl Carlisle County Home Demonstration Agent Crosby county, Miss Norfleet Grimes County Home Demonstration Agent of Motley County, and Mr. S. A. Palmer, County Agent of Crosby County, each of whom gave interest_ ing and instructive talks, while the poultry specialists from the A. & M. College made their usual demonstra_ tions and lectures, also answered an unusual number of inteligent ques. tions about improved farm poultry. Reed Estes, a seventeen year old club boy of Iowa Park, who is trav_ eling with the train, told an interest_ ing story of how he got a start in poultry and the effort it took to win a number of prizes and ribbons which he displayed on a large card for a background. Also how he won a free trip to the Short Course held at the A. & M. College, as well as the free trip on the poultry special. He de_ clared that he received such an inspiration while at the college that he determined to make his poultry pay his way through a four year course at A. & M.

The afternoon was devoted to an inspection of the exhibit car. This car contained seven of the popular breeds of standard bred poultry, showing good type, and seven birds showing poor type of same breeds. There are also a number of approved types of approved poultry houses, brooders, mash hoppers, etc.. and samples of the market grades of eggs. One feature which is attracting much interest is a comparison in egg production. One pen contained a hen of a trapnested record strain. which had been fed a balanced ration and produced 210 eggs in a year. Leading from her pen were a number of ribbons going to the rations fed, giving kind and quantity, while a cylinder holding the 210 eggs stood nearby. In another pen was a mon_ gre hen which had been fed corn only and produced only 37 eggs in a year. Ribbons likewise lead to a sack of corn and a card telling of the hen and her record. The hen of mystery was the last in the car. Cards were handed out to be used in guessing the number of feathers on the hen for which a cash prize of twenty dollars was offered. These guesses ranged from forty to 172 million. Bulletins and literature dealing with poultry production were also handed out. One of these, "Success_ ful Methods of Poultry Keeping" and written by M. B. Oates, Agricultural Agent of the Fort Worth & Denver Railroad, gives valuable information about the methods and results of suc_ cessful poultry production, and is proving very popular; while another bulletin on "Feeding for Egg Produc tion" by E. O. Edson, Poultry Husbandman of A. & M. College, is being used and distributed freely.

ARMY HARNESS Clothes, Etc., To Be Sold At Auction

> JAYTON, TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 26th 1924 GIRARD, WEDNES., F9BRUARY 27th 1924 SPUR, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 28th 1924 DICKENS, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 29th 1924 CROSBYTON, SAT., MARCH the 1st, 1924

We will sell at Auction on the above date the following:

Approximately: 10 Sets of Army Harness; 10 Sets Extra Breeching; 10 Sets Check Lines; 10 Sets Traces; 5 New Saddles; 25 Halters; 10 Riding Bridles; 500 Strapes for Making Lines, Halters, Etc.

ALSO THE FOLLOWING DRY GOODS:

25 Wool Army Blankets; 25 Pair Army Shoes; 50 Pair Army Long Pants. Also some Wagon Covers, Sole Leather Bridle Bits, Saddle Blankets, Extra Back Bands, Horse Brushes and Various Other Articles Useful on the Farm.

Now, men attend this sale. We guarantee to sell you merchan_ dise cheaper than you will ever get it again. Lots of this merchandise will sell for one-third its value. If you over expect to buy any Government Goods, come to this sale, because Army Goods are practically gone and you will probably never have another chance to buy them. Tell your friends about this sale. We will appreciate it-but be sure and come.

> THIS SALE WILL START AT ONE O'CLOCK AND LAST UNTIL FIVE O'CLOCK



For Sale at

ONLY A FEW DAYS LEFT TO BUY GROCERIES CHEAP BUY IN CASE LOTS! SAVE MONEY! LAST CHANCE!

ON FRIDAY, FEB. 29TH

LAST DAY

- Mule Tobacco, per pound, _____60c
- Big Bucket Lard _____\$1.25
- All Cane Syrup, gallon cans____95c .
- 20 Bars White Naptha Soap____\$1.00

C. A. LOVE, Spur, Tex.

WHAT OTHER SHOWMEN SAY ABOUT

"WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER"

Just a word about what the managers of the Queen Theatre of Abilene, and the Palace Theatre of Dallas, say about the picture "WHEN KNIGHTHOOD WAS IN FLOWER" that is to be shown in this City NEXT WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY.

It was our pleasure of meeting and talking with these men during our short business trip East this week, and we are delighted to repeat as near as possible their praise for this big picture. It is unsurpassed by any big elaborate production ever before at_ tempted for the benefit of the Motion Picture Theatre Goers of America, and the picture will and is able to stand behind anything any exhibitor says about it, and it is with the greatest desire of any exhibitor to please his audience that we were for_ tunate in securing it for your approval, February 27th & 28th.

The admission price is the smallest thing about it, according to what the Dallas Manager said after we had told him what our admission prices on it were., and said that he saw no reason why every person in this section did not turn out to see it, because it is far beyond any one's expectation, other than those that have seen it and who are all talking about it yet in Abilene & Dallas.

It was also our pleasure to see Marion Davies in "LITTLE OLD NEW YORK" in Abilene Monday night, and we can say that if I ever get the chance to get it, I will, because it is a wonderful picture. Hoping to meet you all at the Gem next Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 27_28th, we are Respectfuly yours,

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Miller

We Are Receiving New Goods Daily

AND TRUST WE MAY HAVE THE PLEASURE SOON OF SHOWING YOU SOME NEWEST CREATIONS IN MENS WEAR.

If You Need a New Suit, We Have the International Line, Also Lamm & Co. Guaranteed All Wool and Silk and Wool, And We Make Them According to Your Own Instructions.

REMEMBER WE CARRY WORK SHOES & CAN OFFER YOU A GOOD ONE FOR \$1.95.

Mr. Mott will continue with us in our Cleaning & Pressing Department. He has had years of experience and uses the newest methods in cleaning clothes.

LADIES!!

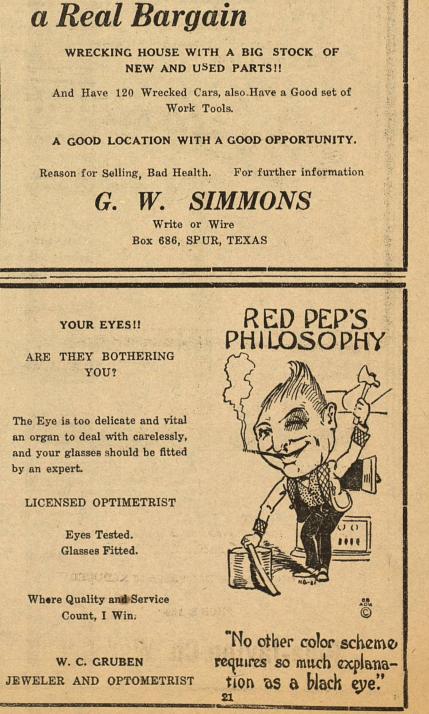
Your Dresses are not Made of such Sheer Material but what he Can Clean Them. Give us a Trial. Phone 10.

W. C. CHAPMAN & COMPANY GENTS FURNISHINGS Cleaning & Pressing

There were several hundred who passed through the exhibit car during the day, and the general expression was that they had been to a real poultry school. ----Diversify---

COOPERATIVE SHIPMENT A cooperative shipment of cattle will be made on February 26h, and another on March 11th. All sttock for the February ship .

ment must be listed at once. I will be in the office very little for the next few weeks, so stock for shipment may be listed with either bank, as they will give lists to ma __ P. P. Johnston County Agricultural Agent.



THE STATE OF TEXAS,

County of Dickens.

Whereas, by virtue of an order of Sale issued out of the District Court ef Denton County, Texas, on a judg-ment rendered in said court on the 10th day of November, A. D. 1923, in favor of J. W. Stuart, Jr., Guardian for Minor Defendants, against F. A. Loyd and Mary Vaughn for the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Eighty Nine and 80_100 (\$1289.80) Dollars, with foreclosure on the ven dor's lien on the tract of land herein after described against the defend-ants F. A. Loyd and Mary Vaughn, as the said lien existed on the 4th day of November, 1910, in Cause No. 7827, on the docket of said court, I did on the 5th deer of Februar A. D did on the 5th day of February A. D. 1924 at 11 o'clock a. m. levy upon the following described tract or par-cel of land situated in the county of Dickens and state of Texas, to_wit:

Being known as the H. F. Brown Preemption Survey, patented to H. F. Brown by patent No. 567, Vol. 26, dafed August 4th, 1894, said patent being recorded in Vol. 1, page 321 patent records of Dickens county, Texas, to which reference is here made for a more particular descrip made for a more particular descrip. tion of said property.

And on the 4th day of March, A D., 1924, being the first Tuesday of Dallas doing the work of special said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m. on said day at the Court House door of said Dickens county, in Dickens, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at Public Auction to the highest and heat biddar for each all the right best bidder for cash all the right, title and interest of the said F. A. Loyd and Mary Vaughn in and to said property.

Dated at Dickens, Texas, this 5th day of Feb. A. D. 1924. and ability.

M. L. JONES. Sheriff of Dickens County, Texas.

By Olive Meadors, Deputy. 15 4t ----Poultry Show Saturday---

FOR SALE OR TRADE. Solid rubber tired trailer, cost new \$115. Will take less than half cost. -C. P. Harris, Spur. 17 2t

WHEN WANTING MOMUMENTS See CAMPBELL & CAMPBELL

THE TEXAS SPUR

C. P. Harris, who recently retired T. J. Harrison, of the north part of from the meat market business, turn. the county, was in Spur Saturday of ing the business over to his son, last week. We understand that Mr. Lonnie, is now engaged in farming. Harrison is considering entering the He this week had his first practical present campaign for tax assessor of experience. He purchased a seventy Dickens county, and should he decide five dollar mule as one of a plow to get in the running will unquestion team, and after doing a half day's ably make the campaign more inter_ work and getting a good feed he died esting. Uncle Tom Harrison has without ceremony or insurance. Farm been in the county since its organiza_ ing is the best business of the coun_ tion, knows practically every citizen, try, but it also has its risks and its and is liked and respected by all who know him. He has served one term losses.

____Diversify___

routine work and duties of the office, Dr. J. H. Grace returned the first and would make the public an efficient of the week from Lubbock where he and faithful servant in that capacity. spent the week taking treatments for an ear trouble. Dr. Grace states that while these treatments give him some Mrs. W. H. Bryant is here from Mineral Wells spending the week temporary relief, yet little headway with Mr. Bryant on the Pitchfork

is made toward a permanent cure. We are hoping that Dr. Grace may Ranch. She was accompanied by Miss, get permanent relief soon. Pearl Bryant who is now located in

_____Diversify_____

nurse in cases needing such service. Joe Williams, of the Afton country During the past several years Miss was in Spur Wednesday of this week, Pearl has been in Austin attending and while here was a very pleasant school and connected with surgical caller at the Texas Spur office. Young institutions and sanitariums of that Mr. Williams is one of our many new city, and is now recognized as an ex readers, and we are very glad to num ber him among the large list of Texas pert nurse of exceptional knowledge

Spur readers.

SPUR AND ROARING SPRINGS SERVICE LINE

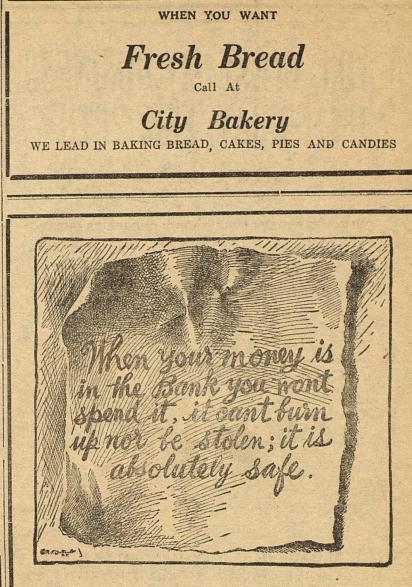
as tax assessor, is familiar with the

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Leaves	Roaring Springs,	Daily, at	8:00	A.	M.	and	1:15	P.	Μ.
Leaves	Afton, Daily at		-8:30	A.	Μ.	and	1:45	P .	M.
Leaves	Dickens, Daily at _		-9:00	A .	M.	and	2:15	P.	M.
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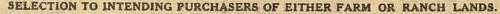
Look back over the past years and you will quickly see where you have been both careless and foolish in the way you spent your money. A good deal of this came from having the money in your Pocket.

If that money had been in our bank, you would probably still have it, and would have grown to a nice round sum. Forget the past-today is here. Come in and start a bank account and by REGULARLY depositing your spare money, you will soon have money.

CITY NATIONAL BANK

SPUR, TEXAS





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.

And Swenson

CLIFFORD B. JONES, Manager

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SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS

Sons

A FEBRUARY PROGRAM BY PUPILS OF WATSON SCHOOL

The pupils of the Watson school will render a "February Program" in memory of Lincoln, Washington and Longfellow, Friday night, February 29th. Everybody welcome.

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HIGHWAY CLUB MEETING.

The Womens Club of Highway met Wednesday with Mrs. Hugh Denson. Miss Wilkins gave an interesting les_ son and demonstration with her steam presser. A fat hen was first cooked and served with other refresh ments, which the large crowd present sure did enjoy.

The girls club met with them also and acted as their waiters through the entire meeting.

A business session was then called and officers appointed for the ensuing year.

Mrs. F. E. Walker was elected as president; Mrs. Hue Denson, secre. tary; Mrs. S. C. Rawlings, reporter.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. M. E. Tree.

After the club was over a fortune teller who was present, entertained basis as paying rent. At Seagraves, the crowd by telling each ones for_ Gaines County, Texas, we offer you tune. This was the most laughable farm land at prices from \$12 to \$20 and thrilling part of the meeting. per acre, cash payment down only Many a wrinkle was pushed out of one dollar per acre, and the balance faces by a hearty laugh and clap of in yearly payments of two dollars per the hand, that hadn't been moved for acre, with interest at six per cent. months.-Reporter.

-----Diversify--

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Duncan, of Bellevue, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Duncan and children, of Haskell, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baker at their home in Spur.

____Diversify____ WANTED-To trade a new Oliver typewriter for a Remington, Underwood or L. C. Smith .- N. C. Purcell, Afton, Texas. 1t

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NOW SHIPPING-Frost proof Cab bage Plants, prepaid, 5000, \$8.50; 1000, \$?.25; 500, \$1.25. Crystal Uax and Burmuda Onions, 5000, \$5.75; 1000, \$1.25; 500, 70c. Cauliflowers, 100, \$1.00. They are fine. We will have Sweet Potato, Tomato and Pep. per Plants after March 15th. Dealers get our wholesale prices. We are

Rev. W. B. Bennett, of Gilpin, was in town Saturday and again Monday, returning from his pastoral appoint.

never mixed politics with his preach. ing. In fact, he has not yet commenced his campaign for political preference, only in an incidental

way. Bro. Bennett was here before the organization of the county. He knows the people and the people know him, therefore little campaigning will be necessary, more than to let the voters know of his candidacy, and they will be prepared to accept or re_ ject his political aspirations. -

-----Diversify----Mrs. J. H. Reed has a Belle City Incubator in good condition for sale price \$10 cash if sold at once. 1 ____Diversify____

GAINES COUNTY FARM LANDS AT REASONABLE PRICES AND ATTRACTIVE TERMS.

Very little money is required to own a good farm in the South Plains of the Texas Panhandle. Payments for your farm are on about the same

This is strictly a general farming country. Abundance of pure water, no boll weevil; and cotton a sure crop. At present prices of cotton it will not take a great many bales to pay for a 160 acre farm in one sea_ son. This is your big opportunity. If interested in securing a farm and home for yourself.and family on very unusual terms, now is the time to act. Address W. A. SoRelle, General Agent, 18 Santa Fe Bldg., Seagraves, Gaines County, Texas, for terms of sale and descriptive folder. 12 8t

FORCE enriches the blood, thereby is a potent aid to

-----Trade in Spur-

THE TEXAS SPUR

NOTICE.

I am located in front of the Spur Hardware Co. store with a line of U. ment in the northwest part of the S. Army Goods, the best that can be county. He is also in the race for bought, in Wools and Khaika Goods. tax assessor, but stated to us that he My prices are as low as you will find anywhere. If its Shoes or Army Goods you wish to buy, just come in and look 'em over.-John Vann. tf

> ____Diversify___ Hunting and trespassing of any character is forbidden on my lands -J. Carlisle. tfp.

-Diversify-FOR SALE

My home on Hill Street at \$3,000, \$1600 cash, balance terms. 82 acres one mile from Spur at \$100.00 per acre all in cultivation. 6 acres in alfalfa, building and other improve ments to value of \$1500; cash and terms. 344 acres at \$15 per acre, 60 acres in cultivation living water in creek, half cash, balance 9 yrs, 81/2 per cent, Might consider some trade-G. L. Barber,

Gained **Ten Pounds**

Mrs. George S. Hunter, of Columbus, Ga., says she suf-fered severely with female "I had to go to bed and stay sometimes two weeks at a time," says Mrs. Hunter. were irregular and I got very thin. I went from 126 pounds down to less than 100. My mother had been a user of



The Woman's Tonic

and she knew that a good medicine it was for this troubmedicine it was for this trotb-le, so she told me to get some and take it. I sent to the store after it and before I had taken the first bottle up I began to improve. My side hurt less and I began to mend in health. I took four bottles in all during the last ten months. Cardui acted as a fine tonic... I am well now. I have gained ten pounds and am still gaining. My sides do not trouble me at all and my ... are quite regular. I my . . . are quite regular. I know that Cardui will help others suffering from the same trouble." Take Cardui.



bolts in fastening the metal braces to the wood, instead of ordinary screws. These bolts passing completely through the wooden frame prevent joints from loosening under driving strains. A more than usual number of bolts secure the Buick body to the chassis, holding it rigidly in position and entirely eliminating all squeaks and rattles.

When better automobiles are built Buick will build them

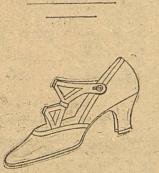
SPUR BUICK COMPANY SPUR, TEXAS



THE TEXAS SPUR

CHILDRENS FROCKS

This week brings to us LUCEETE FROCKS For Children, in wash fabricks of Ginghams, Linens, Sponge and other new fab_ rics, Price range, \$2.00 and Up.



KELLY FOOTWEAR

John Kelly Footwear in the NEW SPRING EFFECTS For Ladies, are much in evi_ dence in our Shoe Depart. ment. Also many other of the Beautiful Styles for the Ladies and Children.



COLLEGIAN CLOTHES

We have secured the agency of Collegian Clothes for Men and Young Men. This line is Special in Workmanship, & cloth used in construction, Price range Reasonable. Our lines of other makes are also here in a Clever Range of Styles and Prices. We are showing a wonderful YOUNG MANS SUIT at \$22.50

BOYS SUITS



The Knee Suit Boy wil find our offering will meet his requirement in Style and in Price, with a Splendid show_ ing in Patterns.

U. HER STANDARD LINES

Our lines of Hats, Shirts, Hosiery, Underwear and Fur nishings are of Standard line and Priced Correctly.

OUR HOSIERY STOCK

The Hosiery Stock carried by us is the Largest in this Section. Only Mill Lines carried.

VANITY FAIR SILK HOSE

For Ladies carried in all the New Shades to match the Dresses and Footwear. We also carry Pigeon Silk Hos_ iery in the New Prevailing Shades, at \$1.75 and \$2.00. Cadet Hosiery carried in Cotton and Lisle in the stan_ dard Shades, Linen Heel and Toe. The Misses Lines have the new wide rib effect and are very sheer.



pride in showing you lines that have the reputation; lines that have the

Palmer garments are exclusive in this section with us. Palmer Sport Suits, Sport Coats, as well as Dressier Styles, also in Dresses of Domestis and foreign effects. We are also exclusive agents for Apfelbaum & Stern, and have added this season the line of PEGGY PAIGE Dresses. These lines are sold from ocean to ocean in the better stores. You will fine the collection superb.