

Winding Up For the Season

The remainder of this month and the early part of June, will find this Store a very lively spot.

We have several good reasons for our action. First, of all, we can use the money, and second, our Mr. and Mrs. Roy D. Russell will leave on heir vacation in the early part of June. This store has enjoyed a splendid business, and we have nothing of the sedate line to offer. However, carrying out the usual policy of selling in the season of the purchase and keeping pace with the better stores of the country, we are going to present some very attractive values for your immediate consideration and acceptance.

Starting Saturday

And Lasting to Saturday, June 14

OUR SPECIALS FOR LADIES

LADIES' SPECIALS We are grouping our entire lines of Coats, Sport Suits, and several lines of staple suits of the better makes, ranging in price from \$18.00 to \$37.50, with a discount of 33 1-3 per cent. We will also place on sale lines of dresses that range from \$25.00 to \$40.00, as follows: \$14.95, \$19.95 \$23.95, and \$26.95. All that we have in Silk Blouses will be closed at half price.

One lot Skirts in wool, nearly all sizes to close at half price.



OUR LINE SILK HOSIERY Prices Can't Be Beat

One lot ladies' Silk Hosiery, \$3.25 line for \$2.65, also others as follow: \$2.50 for \$1.98, Pigeon Silk Hose, all silk, full fashioned, \$1.75 for \$1.35, and \$1.50 for \$1.25. McLaughlin Silk Hose, \$2.00 grade, for \$1.39. Arrow Silk Hose, \$1.75 for \$1.29.

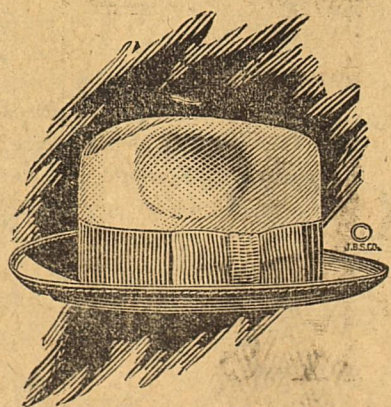
YOU WILL FIND THE GREATEST RANGE OF SILK HOSIERY IN THE WEST SHOWN AT THIS STORE

50 dozen cotton hose, linen heel and toe, 35c grade, special for 25c. 25 dozen ladies' Cotton Hose, for 15c. We will not be in position to quote you prices on staples, as it requires too much space, however, you will find prices that will save you some good hard cash. 50 pieces fast color gingham for 17c. Shhetings and domestics will be placed very cheap. Here is your chance to buy a good bargain in a man's suit. Good styles and standard makes; choice of our \$25.00 group of tropical suits for \$19.95. Also a large selection placed on sale in lots to close less 20 per cent. One lot men's \$2.50 khaki pants for \$1.98. One lot men's work shoes, solid leather, \$2.50 for \$2.15.

WIDE RANGE OF SELECTIONS IN MEN'S AND BOYS' HATS

One lot of men's Hats, were \$5.00, choice for \$2.95. One lot boys' Hats, were \$1.50 and \$1.25, for \$1.20 and 95c. One lot men's felt Hats for \$2.60. One lot men's Union Suits \$2.00 for \$1.65, and one lot for 79c. 25 dozen men's Undershirts for 59c. 25 dozen men's khaki Work Shirts for \$1.00. One lot boys Union Suits, standard full cut for 59c. Every shoe in our store, regardless of style or kind will be on sale for this period at 10 per cent discount. Positively prices are quoted for cash only. The prices we are quoting are for clean, desirable merchandise, and worth our regular price.

We want you to take quick action and get choice selection. We have the largest stock in this section of Texas, regardless the size of town.



LOVE DRY GOODS CO.

The Store That Saves **SPUR, TEXAS** The Store That Saves

Numbers People Visit The Storm Devastated Section

Numbers of people drove out Sunday to the Red Hill School house to view the devastated area of the hail storm which occurred Monday afternoon between three and four o'clock, covering a strip of territory several miles wide and extending southeast into Kent and Stonewall counties. The greatest havoc of the storm was the death of one child, that of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kerley, and the serious injury of seven other children, four of Mr. and Mrs. Jones' and three others of Mr. and Mrs. Kerley's, all of whom were returning home from school which had dismissed early on account of the approaching storm, the hail storm overtaking them as they neared home, but none of whom were able to get under cover, since they were crossing an open field in trying to reach their homes. The little Kerley child was found dead some distance from where the children were when the storm struck them, and since her body was over a wire fence it is thought that possibly the wind picked her up and carried her to where the body was found. It is also thought possible that lightning as well as hail had something to do with her death. The seven other children were severely beaten by the hail, and some of them are yet in bad condition. All along the storm area houses were unroofed by the hail, crops destroyed, mesquite bushes stripped of every leaf, twig and limb, not a green leaf showing. The country looked as if winter had come and destroyed all living vegetation. The roof of the school house was riddled as was some fifteen or twenty farm and outhouses in the path of the storm. The hail was accompanied by a heavy downpour of rain, and what crops the hail failed to get the rain washed up.

Railroad Officials In Spur This Week Cause of Much Speculation

High officials of the Burlington and Denver railway lines, with their secretaries, were in Spur Wednesday passing on through in automobiles to the plains country. Fort some time it has been generally known that the extension of the Stamford & Northwestern Railroad out of Spur has been under consideration, and therefore, it is perfectly natural to conclude that this visit of the railway officials has something to do with the proposition of railroad extension. During the past year people of the Plains country, in cooperation with those of the Eastern part of the state and especially Fort Worth, have been loud in clamoring for a direct line of railway connecting Ft. Worth and the East with the plains. It is very probable that the Burlington and Denver Railways, with which the Stamford & Northwestern is connected, will make the extension out of Spur, thus meeting the demand of the Plains country in giving an almost direct line into Fort Worth, and it is possible that this visit of the railway officials is to go over a proposed route, and very probable that at a very early date actual work will begin in building and extending the Spur line of railway. However, no authoritative statement has been made, the railway officials maintaining silence in this respect.

Kent And Fisher Counties Cooperating In Road Work

The Commissioners' Courts of Kent and Fisher met at Rotan Thursday to receive tractors they had recently purchased. They were taken in charge by Rotan citizens and given dinner at the Hamilton Hotel and otherwise showed courtesies by our people. Rotan people are interested in getting better roads leading north into trade territory in that direction and there is a proposition being considered to induce the Kent County officials to begin grading a road from the north line of this county. It is thought the court of Kent county will consider the proposition and likely agree to this request by the people of Rotan contributing some money to pay the cost of fuel for the tractor in making the grade for the first twenty-nine miles to where the road forks, the roads leading to Jayton and Clairemont. The business men of Rotan are glad to show their appreciation of the trade from the south part of Kent county, and as the road grading machinery is taken out of Rotan it will probably be put to use when the Kent county line is reached—Rotan Advance.

Theater Party For Senior Class Spur High School

Miss Viola Morgan entertained several friends last Tuesday evening with a theater party at the Gem Theater in honor of the Senior Class, of which she is a member. A very interesting picture was enjoyed. After the show they were invited to the Spur Candy Kitchen where lovely ices were served. Those enjoying the kind hospitality of Miss Morgan were: Misses Audie Markham, Ila and Annie Mae Lasseter, Willie Richbourg, Bessie Wayne Jackson, Lola Stamey, Derah B. Smith, and Lucille Barber and Messrs. Roy Moses, Hubert Karr, Cecil Bufman, Barrown Chapman, and Ben Marshall.

Mrs. Rob Davis and Mrs. M. M. Oung are now making preparations to leave the first of the month for Cool Colorado where they will spend two months or more. —Plant Less Cotton— Con Davis and wife, who have been teaching school at Prague, Oklahoma, are returning this week to Spur to spend the summer vacation. Con has been superintendent of the Prague schools and will be there another year. —Trade at Home— Sterling Davis, who has been attending school in Oklahoma the past term, returned home this week. Sterling finished his high school course of study this year, and will enter one of the colleges for the coming term. —Trade at Home— E. L. Brown and family will leave soon for a visit of several weeks in the east and southern part of the state. —Trade at Home— Rob Davis made a trip Tuesday of this week to Clarendon and other points along the way. —Trade at Home— Mrs. Wilbur Perry and little child are in Clarendon this week the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey. Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey were formerly of Spur. —Trade at Home— A. C. George, of the Highway community, was one of the recent business visitors in the city. —Trade at Home— Attorney B. G. Worswick was over one day this week from Dickens, spending a short time here on county business. —Trade at Home— Robt. Nickels, a leading citizen of the Plains country near McAdoo as in Spur one day this week, reporting the plains in the very finest shape. —Trade at Home— Mr. Gollihad, of near McAdoo on the plains, was in Spur trading one day this week. —Trade at Home—

LOST:

On Wednesday afternoon, an unmarked purse, containing currency. A reward will gladly be paid if found and returned to—

MRS. CLIFFORD B. JONES

A Plan For Organized Charity Is Here Outlined

"Community business has not kept pace in efficiency with private enterprise," Hubert M. Harrison, general manager of the Wichita Falls Chamber of Commerce, declared in an address on "Organized Charity," delivered at the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, Wednesday, May 14.

Mr. Harrison has assisted in the organization of a joint campaign for welfare in Wichita Falls which has eliminated nine financial drives and, having directed these campaigns and kept in touch with the general situation over the country, is well qualified to speak on this vital subject.

The Wichita Falls welfare budget of \$42,000 was raised last fall in three days with an overhead of \$187.00, which is less than one-half of one per cent, and Mr. Harrison stated that this city is collecting money for welfare more economically and rendering services in its various phases of charitable work at a lesser cost than in most any city of its size in the country.

Mr. Harrison deplored the numerous, promiscuous and unwarranted campaigns, drives and solicitations for funds and the waste of overlapping and duplicating overhead expense which is the result of lack of organization in the handling of charity in hundreds of towns and cities.

In outlining a simple, democratic and efficient plan for the operation of a "Community Chest" the importance of carefully selecting the central committee was emphasized, with the suggestions that the mayor or the president of the chamber of commerce be made the starting point for the organization.

It is not wise to have the central committee composed entirely of the heads of the generally recognized welfare agencies, it was stated as difficulties will be encountered in the division of the funds. "Good people can develop factional feeling more easily over 'sweet charity' and 'religion' than any other subject except possibly their neighbors' children or their neighbors' chickens," the speaker declared.

Mr. Harrison named three groups in a community which should be represented in the management of the community chest: (a) the influential contributors, (b) the men and women who, while not necessarily large contributors are the backbone of the soliciting organization, (c) the people who actually administer the charitable and social work, thus combining on this board the financial strength and the specialized intelligence.

For the Board of Trustees he suggested one director or trustee from each of the social agencies admitted, a corresponding number to be elected by the contributors and three to five appointed by the mayor or chairman, including such men as the president of the chamber of commerce, the head of the pastor's association, the head of the recognized labor organization, head of the women's clubs, and others, according to local conditions.

Mr. Harrison advised that the committee to pass on the eligibility of organizations should be selected by the board of trustees as a whole and should be persons not directly connected with any participating organization. Each organization applying for funds should be provided with a form to fill out and sign (copy of suggested one can be secured from Mr. Harrison) and in many cities a detailed financial report is required from each organization it was stated.

The importance of a committee with enough moral courage to turn down an organization which they know is not needed was pointed out.

It was stated that in many large cities the community welfare budget is about \$2 per capita while in Wichita Falls efficient service is being rendered for about 80c per capita.

In outlining the handling of a community chest campaign Mr. Harrison spoke of the importance of diligence and care in preparing the lists of prospects and in rating them properly and fairly and of having as campaign chairman a man of great prestige in the community and strong leadership.

It was suggested that a good plan to follow is "three weeks to prepare and three days to put it over," all budgeting, rating and organization of campaign workers being done in advance.

Suggested methods of "selling" the campaign to the contributing public included the use of newspaper display space, direct mail advertising letters and bill boards, and four minute speakers in churches, schools, theaters, local labor organizations, picnics and other gatherings.

In answering the objection often made to organized charities, "it is the heart out of charity and

that it makes the giving of the 'cup of water in the Saviour's name' a matter of card indexes and cash registers," Mr. Harrison said that "while those who map out the campaign may not be impelled by emotion and impulse, there is just as much opportunity for the expression of true charity in giving wisely to those who deserve it as there is in the old-fashioned haphazard tossing of a coin to a road side beggar."

"Business men are learning that the function of a good community chest organization is not to toss a coin to a whining beggar and pass on but with tenderness and understanding to try to rehabilitate the poor, the unfortunates and the afflicted and besides giving them food, money and clothes, to repair their lives and make them assets instead of liabilities to the commonwealth.

"And it is in such a work of man building and woman building that you have a part when you engage in a community chest campaign properly organized and administered."

Trade at Home— BREAKFAST THURSDAY MORNING

Another happy occasion of the week for the Senior Class was a sunrise breakfast Thursday morning on the golf links.

Those present were: Misses Willie Richbourg, Dorothy Love, Ila and Anna Mae Lasseter, Viola Morgan, Bessie Wayne Jackson, Bonnie Gilbert, Opal McAdams, Elizabeth Dye, Lola Stamey and Mary Cook, of Dickens, and Messrs. Ben Marshall Hubert Karr, Cecil Burnam, James McCormick, and Barrow Chapman.

Trade at Home—
Revs. L. L. F. Parker and Markham returned this week from Atlanta Ga., where they attended the Southern Baptist convention.

Trade at Home—
Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jordan, of Duck Creek, were visitors and shoppers in the city Tuesday.

Trade at Home—
Mrs. Wm. J. Elliott, of the Spring Creek Ranch southwest of Spur, was shopping and visiting in the city Wednesday.

STOP THAT ITCHING

Use Blue Star Remedy for Eczema, Itch, Tetter or Cracked Hands, Ring 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

J. A. Kerley, of east of Spur, was in the city Wednesday. Mr. Kerley and family were among the greatest sufferers from the hail storm Monday of last week, one of his children meeting death in the storm. In giving a partial account of the storm, Mr. Kerley said he could not distinguish the loud claps of thunder in the constant roar of the storm with big hail stones beating on the roof. Immediately after the hail he started out, wading water and hail, hunting his four children who in returning from school were lost in the storm, one of the number, a little girl, being beaten to death by hail stones, while the other three were beaten insensible for a time and had to be carried in home. There were eight of the school children caught out in the storm, four of Mr. Kerley's and four of Mr. Jones', both families near each other. All eight of the children were severely injured, and it is a mystery how all survived but the one.

Trade at Home— MISS OPAL SCOTT ENTERTAINS

On last Wednesday evening several friends of Miss Opal Scott enjoyed a party at her home in honor of the Senior Class of Spur Hi.

Progressive Forty-Two and dancing were the amusements of the evening.

Delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Trade at Home—
Mrs. Suttles, of the Rocking Chair Ranch, was a shopper and visitor in the city Wednesday.

Trade at Home—
Mrs. Al Bingham, of the Spur Ranch headquarters, was a visitor and shopper in Spur Wednesday.

Trade at Home—

Reflections of a Bachelor Girl

By HELEN ROWLAND

IF WISHES were horses, every normal woman would immediately "wish" they were automobiles. You can't cheat a woman out of her divine right to be "discontented."

When Solomon wailed, "Feed me with apples and stay me with figs, for I am sick of love!" he was either just recovering from a grande passion, or trying to escape a "petting party."

Many a girl tempts a man to make love to her, just in order to brighten up his conversation, when she feels herself about to yawn.

There are only two vital causes of the failure of any marriage: one is the husband; the other is the wife.

To make an ideal lover, take the darling of a soldier, the imagination of a poet, and the tenderness of a mother; but to make an ideal husband, you will have to substitute caution for daring, generosity for imagination, and then add an income and a motorcar.

Love fits a woman's heart like a glove; but it fits a man's heart like his clothes, always loosely enough for him to turn around in and look for—another love.

Marriage is the end of a girl's troubles, trials and problems; but it isn't until after the wedding that she discovers WHICH end.

When a man marries a rich woman for her money, he soon begins to regard her kisses as "income tax"—and to look around for a few "exemptions." (Copyright, by Helen Rowland.)

Don't kick on the cook—if you want real biscuits, there's only one real flour, try Marechal Niel, sold by C. A. Love, \$1.70 per sack, \$3.35 per 100.

Trade at Home—

J. C. Duff, undertaker and embalmer for Spur Hardware & Furniture Company, left Tuesday for Dallas where he will attend a state convention of undertakers.

Tom McArthur was in town Wednesday. He informed us that while the hail in his section did little damage, yet the big rain made it necessary to replant his crops. He said the rain was the biggest he ever saw fall within the same time.

Trade at Home—

FOR SALE—Good Mebane Cotton Seed. Also some good mules and mares.—B. E. Morgan. 28-3t

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