

Spur Service Station  
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# THE TEXAS SPUR

AND THE DICKENS ITEM

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## Cluck and Williams Roughly Received Following Marriage

Superintendent R. N. Cluck, of Spur Public Schools, and Miss Hazel Mullino, one of the High School teachers, were married Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock in Haskell at the home of the bride.

Joe Williams, teacher of vocational agriculture in Spur High School, and Miss

Williams were married Wednesday morning at the home of the bride in Heidenhammer. Mr. and Mrs. Williams, after their marriage Wednesday in Heidenhammer, came to Haskell, witnessing the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. Cluck Tuesday morning. Immediately after the ceremony both couples left for a wedding tour to Carlsbad, Cañon, Colorado and other resorts. In passing through Spur Messrs. Cluck and Williams were captured by their friends, chained and padlocked to a telephone pole at the curb corner of Spur National Bank, given an arm load of old daily newspapers and advised that they would remain chained until all papers were sold. Later the fire truck responded to a call and turned the water hose upon the Benedicts. Consideration also was shown during the time: A Chinese umbrella was provided for protection against the hot sunrays, and sympathizers provided cooling drinks and nic-nacs at intervals. Eventually they were released, joined their brides and went their way rejoicing on the interrupted honeymoon trip.

R. N. Cluck has been superintendent of Spur Schools the past two terms, and for six years prior to that time was superintendent of Hubbard City Schools. He is a school man and educator of superior ability and noteworthy success, and has been reelected as superintendent of Spur Schools for the coming school year which begins the first week in September. His bride also was one of the high school teachers the past two terms, has been offered the place for another term, and is a young lady of educational ability, high accomplishments and lovable womanly character.

Joe Williams was the first teacher of vocational agriculture in connection with Spur High School the past year, has been retained for another year, and is very able and well informed instructor in this most practical and useful course of school study. His bride is also a charming and accomplished young lady.

The Texas Spur heartily joins their friends in extending congratulations to both couples, wishing them years of happiness and uninterrupted usefulness to the country.

## Old Settlers Picnic to be Held Thursday the 29 at Roaring Spgs.

The annual reunion of old settlers of Motley and surrounding counties will be held Thursday, August 29th, at Roaring Springs. The occasion this year will be a basket picnic, and all are invited to come and bring well filled baskets and enjoy the day together. This annual picnic is a great pleasure anticipated by every old timer, and nothing preventing we will all be there.

Mrs. W. R. Terry, of Hermleigh, recently joined her husband in Spur, and where they will be permanent resident citizens in future. Mr. Terry will be manager of the J. W. Baker gin in Spur this fall.

## An Oil Test Well to be Drilled on the Pursley Ranch

Mrs. Gertrude Pursley has closed a drilling contract with a strong wild-cat drilling concern for the drilling of an oil test well to a depth of thirty five hundred feet on the Pursley Ranch, a distance of about twenty five miles east of Spur, and ten miles to the northeast of Girard.

Six truck loads of drilling machinery and derrick timbers were this week unloaded at the location on the Pursley Ranch, and just as soon as the derrick can be erected the drilling will begin and continue uninterrupted until the contract depth is reached or oil is encountered in the hole.

For years the Pursley Ranch has been considered a most promising field for oil development in this territory. While a real oil test well has never been drilled, some years ago, while drilling for water a pocket of gas was encountered at a shallow depth, and gas continued to 'blow' for months after being capped by the drillers. The location made for this deeper test is near the well formerly drilled.

Geologists for oil concerns as well as the state, have gone over the Pursley Ranch property, making favorable reports, but until this time the contracts for drilling have been deterred for various reasons.

There is no question in our mind but that the Pursley Ranch lands are rich in oil, mineral and underground resources, and we sincerely hope that this first drilling location is made over the center of the pool of "underground gold."

While we have no first-hand knowledge of the words, phrases and clauses contained in the drilling contract, yet we do know that Mrs. Pursley has heretofore been 'hood-winked' to a great extent by optimistic wild-cat-drillers who failed to deliver the goods, and we are pretty sure that in this instance she has the drilling contractors tied up to keep on drilling until the hole is completed, regardless of finances or anything else but the misfortunes common to isolated drilling contracts.

We do not know how long it may be until oil is developed within this territory—but we do know that eventually it will be developed, and it is our opinion that the Pursley Ranch is as promising a field for developments as could be found in all of Western Texas' undeveloped fields.

## Morgan Home in Spur Burglarized Wednesday Night

Two men, wearing overalls and one a hat and the other a cap, entered the home of R. M. Morgan, 708 N. Burlington Avenue, Wednesday night about nine o'clock, for the purpose of robbery and burglary. Mrs. Morgan, who with her husband rooms with the Morgans, was alone in the house at the time, Mr. Morgan being out in town, while Mr. Morgan and family had gone to Dickens. Mrs. Morgan was held by the men and forced to tell them where her purse was secreted, and after securing the purse and money the burglars departed.

## Lining Up For the Football Season in Spur High School

With the beginning of school also will begin the coaching for the football season. Coach Gene Taylor, of the Spur High School has issued a call for all the boys who desire to join the football team to meet with him at the school building at nine o'clock in the morning, Wednesday, August 28th, at which time enlistment for the team will be made, preliminaries outlined and the organization of the season discussed.

Coach Taylor is highly recommended and with the proper line-up the Spur Schools this year will capture the honors of the district. Those desiring to participate in the games and contribute to the success of the team should attend the meeting to be held Wednesday, August 28th.

## Jim McClanahan Suffers Two Broken Arms Sunday

Reports came to Spur Sunday from Monahan, stating that Jim McClanahan, who is employed with an oil development company of that field, fell from the top of a big oil storage tank, breaking both of his arms. He was carried to company hospital in Fort Worth.

Jim McClanahan was associated with his brother, Preston McClanahan, in the City Grocery business, last year, and has many friends here who will regret to hear of his accident.

## Mail Bus Line from Spur-Lubbock is Rejected

According to the following letter from the post office department at Washington, the bus mail line out of Lubbock via of Crosbyton to Spur, is doomed, at least for the present. Here is the letter received by the Chamber of Commerce:

"July 29, 1929  
Chamber of Commerce, Crosbyton, Texas, Gentlemen:

"With reference to the request made for the reestablishment of service on temporary star route No. 50968, Lubbock to Spur, Texas, you are informed that the matter has been made the subject of investigation by field officials of this bureau. The report submitted by them shows that the schedule observed by the bus line is so nearly like the schedule of the trains that there is slight advantage in reestablishing the star service. It is stated that the train leaves Lubbock at 8:45 a. m. and arrives at Crosbyton at 10:35 a. m., and leaves Crosbyton at 12:01 p. m. and arrives at Lubbock at 7:10 p. m., while the schedule of the bus line is to leave Lubbock at 7:10 a. m. and arrive at Crosbyton at 9:15, and leave Crosbyton at 1:30 p. m. and arrive at Lubbock at 4:00 p. m. The service on the proposed star route would cost \$1500 per annum, and in view of the railroad service already in operation over the greater part of the proposed route, and the small advantages that would be derived from the proposed supplemental service, it is believed that the Department would not be warranted in taking favorable action in the matter.—W. Irving Glover, 2nd Assistant Postmaster General."

## Dickens Ginned the First Bale Cotton Tuesday Morning

Tuesday morning of this week Harvey S. Holly carried the first bale of cotton of the season to Dickens. The bale weighed 560 pounds, ginned from 1700 pounds of snaps, was ginned by the Joe Gaines gin and who also bought the cotton at a price of 19 cents a pound. The business men of Dickens made a prize purse of \$31, the largest premium ever before given for the first seasonable bale of cotton brought to the county capital. The bale netted Mr. Holly the total sum of \$147.69. Bob Cross was in town the past week. Seals Earnest was greeting his friends here the past week end.

## WHY NOT BE DIFFERENT?

Spur citizens should be commended for their co-operation in the numbering of their houses, and for the information that they were kind enough to give in making the city directory as near complete as possible.

With the numbering of the houses and the postal receipts enough to warrant free delivery of mail, there is only one thing lacking and that is meeting the demands of the Postal Service with regards to sidewalk, and these walks could be made of concrete, gravel, or cinders and meet the requirements.

Stamford, Floydada and many other towns with few more population than Spur have secured delivery service, and we should not be contented until we have for our own town the conveniences and services that are enjoyed by the citizenship of our neighboring towns.

Spur has built in a great way in the last two years and with the added enterprises has come many, who will doubtless contribute to the community life in assisting to secure the things for Spur that will make the town different not in the things we do not have that are to be had, but in the things that we have that are not common to towns the size of ours.

To advertise something that we do not have is misleading and will hurt our community, but it is only fair that Spur should be known every where for the things that have been accomplished through the co-operative citizenship that is ours to boast of.

If we are not able to stand the reverses the floods of prosperity might also play havoc with us, but if the spirit of cooperation is ours we can build a city having all the modern conveniences that are enjoyed by the citizens of larger cities.—W. S. Patrick, Sec. C. of C.

## The Texas Spur is Adding Newest Machinery and Equipments to Office

Notwithstanding the fact that conditions at the present time may not encourage or warrant an extensive expansion of business and plant equipments, The Texas Spur has purchased and will install in our printing plant one of the latest model automatic feeders and printing presses manufactured, together with other items of labor saving and more rapid printing equipment.

When Spur was opened to the public and established in 1909, we had faith and assurance of its future growth and business opportunities. Today we are none the less optimistic of the future, and it will ever be our endeavor to keep up with if not just a little ahead of the progressive and permanent advancements.

When our new machinery is installed we want all our friends and patrons to not only call in to see us and the modern machinery, but give us printing and publishing business to keep this machinery going.

## Weldon Grimes Completed New Residence in East Part of Spur

Recently Weldon Grimes completed the construction of a modern six room bungalow residence in East Spur, where he and wife are now domiciled. The home is one of the neatest and most attractive residences of the city.

## Foley Motor Company Showing 1930 Models of Studebaker Cars

The Foley Motor Company is now showing the new 1930 models of Studebaker cars, including the President 8, Commander 8, and Dictator 8, together with the 6-cylinder models. These Studebakers are handsome cars, of the highest class, and Foley Motor Company is enjoying extensive sales of the new models.

J. R. Scott, a leading citizen and prosperous farmer of the Watson country, was among the business visitors in Spur Saturday. Mr. Scott says crops are good at Watson, but that a little rain wouldn't hurt at this time.

G. W. Poper, of near the city, was on the streets one day during the week.

## First Bale of Cotton Ginned Monday in the City of Spur

The first bale of cotton of the season was brought to Spur Monday by John Brantner on the Godfrey place in Kent county, and ginned by J. I. Hayes Swift Gin. The bale weighed 497 pounds, ginned from 1800 pounds of premature seed cotton, sold for 19.25 to John King, the seed sold for \$10.50, and Mr. Brantner was given a premium of \$50 in gold. The bale of cotton netted Mr. Brantner the total sum of \$156.27.

The same afternoon the second bale was brought in by Bill Spraberry of near Watson in Crosby county. This bale was ginned by Williams & Terry gin. Up to Thursday there had been six bales of cotton ginned in Spur, the Farmers Cooperative Gin having ginned two, Price Bros. 2, B. Williamson one, and the Williams and Terry gin one.

We understand that a bale of cotton was ginned one day last week at Girard, the first bale of Kent county, and what premium it brot we have not heard, but was told that \$2.25 per hundred was paid to get it picked in order to have the first bale ginned.

The cotton season is now opening in the Spur territory, and while it may be somewhat early and a little premature, yet should the hot, dry weather continue what little cotton is made will soon be rolling in to the gins and markets.

## Big List of Names Added to Texas Spur Subscription List

The Texas Spur is this week adding a large number of new subscriptions to the list of regular readers, having taken over the subscription list of the Girard News and Stone-wall County News, which newspapers are this week being suspended, Editor Adams and wife moving to Gustine where a newspaper will be established.

The addition of this large list of names to The Texas Spur from Kent, Stone-wall and Dickens counties, gives us an appreciated prestige in reader numbers within the trade territory, and a greatly increased value to all business interests who favor The Texas Spur with advertising in its columns, and we will not only appreciate all business and advertising favors extended us, but give more than value received for such favors.

We trust that the arrangement in the transfer of subscriptions from the Kent and Stone-wall county newspapers to the Texas Spur will prove satisfactory to all, and it will be our endeavor to make the paper interesting and of benefit to each individual reader and patron.

## Jewel Mauldin and Miss Surret were Married on Sunday

Mr. Jewel Mauldin, manager for the Sander's Pharmacy of Spur, and Miss Dixie J. Surret, of Albany, were married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. John V. Davis, at Haskell, Saturday, August 10th, Mr. Mauldin returning with his bride immediately to Spur where they will be established in the future.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Mauldin formerly lived in Albany, the two families being among the oldest and most highly respected citizens. Mr. Mauldin is a young man of integrity and recognized business ability, and his bride is a young lady of charming personality and womanly accomplishments.

The Texas Spur wishes Mr. and Mrs. Mauldin years of happiness and prosperity in Spur.

## Green Turner's Filling Station Being Remodeled and Enlarged

In evidence of the uninterrupted building progress of the city, in the face of discouraging conditions at the present time, Green Turner is tearing down and remodeling his filling station on the corner of Fourth Street and Burlington Ave. The new building will extend sixty five feet back, giving ample room for stocks of accessories and a larger and more convenient drive-in space in the front.

## Mission Service Station Number 3 Opened for Business Saturday

Saturday Bill Putman opened up Mission Service Station No. 3, for King, Sample & Putman. This third station was formerly the Hill Top Station on West Hill Street.

The Mission Service Stations render service in the varied lines together with minor auto repairs, and enjoy a liberal patronage from the public.

## Several Cases Tried and Disposed of in District Court

District court convened Monday in Dickens, and after empaneling the grand jury a number of cases have been disposed of up to Thursday, among which were several divorce suits including Swan vs Swan, Bass vs Bass, Huerta vs Huerta, and some two or three others, and to whom divorces were granted. Another divorce suit, Rucker vs Rucker, is set for hearing Thursday.

Bryant-Link Company vs J. D. Eldredge, suit for debt, judgment rendered for plaintiff.

Mrs. G. H. Connell, executrix of the Connell estate, vs R. C. Forbis, suit for debt, verdict for plaintiff.

Norris Lumber Company vs R. J. Murray, suit to establish and fore-close mechanics lien, judgment for defendant.

Wednesday petit jury men were dismissed for the week, and the criminal docket will be taken up and the trial of cases begin Monday, August 26th, the district attorney stating that the court will be ready for the trial of several cases on the first day.

Thursday the grand jury adjourned, turning in nine true bills of indictment, including misdemeanors and felonies.

## Cotton Crop Forecast is 15,543,000 Bales for 1929

Washington—A cotton crop of 15,543,000 bales of 500 pounds, is indicated for this year on the condition of the crop on August 1st, which was 69.6 per cent of a normal crop, the department of agriculture announced Thursday.

Last year's crop was 14,478,000 bales, while August 1st condition was 67.9 per cent, and the August 1st 10-year average condition was 67.8. The indicated crop is estimated on the basis of the acreage in cultivation July 1, which was 46-695,000 acres, less the ten year average abandonment.

The estimated cotton crop for Texas this year is 4,798,000 bales.

## Lambert's Store was Burglarized Last Saturday Night

The T. S. Lambert store and filling station seven or ten miles east of Dickens on the Guthrie highway, was entered and burglarized Saturday night. Two young boys, 16 and 19 years of age, of the community were arrested Tuesday, charged with the burglary. Another boy was arrested Monday, charged with aiding and abetting the burglars in remaining secreted, but has been released from custody of the sheriff's department. It is said that only a few packages of cigarettes and other small items were taken from the store.

W. A. Drennan, of Dickens, was a recent business visitor in the city.

NOTICE.  
Bids will be received up to August 26th, 1929, at Dickens, Texas from any bank, banker or trust company, as a depository for funds of the Dickens Independent School District.—D. J. Harkey, Secretary of the School Board, Dickens, Texas.

We Fix Flats Free  
ON GOODRICH TIRES!  
DeLUXE TIRE CO.

## CLEARANCE Of ALL SUMMER DRESSES

All Silk and Wash Dresses are to be Closed Out at a Fraction of their former price!

1 Group of Silk Summer Dresses Will be sold at the low price of—  
**\$3.95**

All \$1.98 Fay Maid Wash Frocks Very special, \$1.49

We have just a few of each kind of Summer Dresses left, so it will pay you to shop early

**C E STONE COMPANY**  
"THE CHAIN OF THE SOUTHWEST"

**THE TEXAS SPUR**  
PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY

Entered as second class mail matter on November 12, 1909, at the post-office at Spur, Texas, under the Act of March 3rd, 1879.

ORAN McCLURE, Publisher.

S. B. Scott and wife, of Watson, spent Saturday and Sunday in the city visiting in the home of their parents, Edd Lisenby and family and S. B. Scott Sr., and family. S. B. stated that crops in general in the Watson community were much better than in the immediate Spur territory, they having had one or two good rains that did not fall in this section.

H. C. Allen was in town during the week from Dry Lake.

C. R. Foreman, of Highway came in and spent Monday in the city.



**Like extra pants with a new suit**

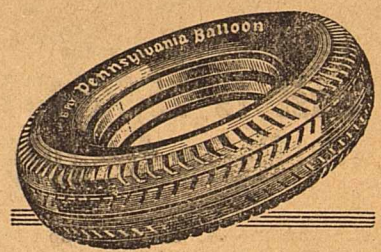
The two extra plies are what give you greater mileage and greater comfort and finer appearance when you ride on

**Pennsylvania Balloons**

6-PLY HEAVY DUTY

Just as a suit wears much longer when extra trousers are ordered, so do Pennsylvania Balloons give extra service with their 6-ply heavy duty construction.

Let us show you  
KING, SAMPLE & PUTMAN



**Use the most economical cleanser**

HOOKER LYE saves money, time and energy. A little goes a long way. It eliminates much scrubbing and scouring around the home and farm. Opens clogged drains, cuts grease, makes excellent soap. Get Hooker Lye at your store today.

**HOOKER LYE**



SAY "BAYER ASPIRIN" and INSIST!

Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 25 years.

**DOES NOT AFFECT THE HEART**

**Safe** Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacturing of Monocrotonolide of Salicylic acid

**NON-ADVERTISERS PAY THE ADVERTISING BILLS**

Whose advertising bills do you pay?

The merchant who does not advertise pays the advertising bills for the one who does.

Every merchant in business pays for advertising, whether he uses it or not. If a competitor's advertising takes any business away from him the profit he would have made on the lost sale is what his competitor's advertising costs him.

You have perhaps wondered how some stores can afford to pay such enormous sums for advertising. The reason is easy to fathom. Their competitors, who don't advertise, and whose business they take, pay their advertising bill.

Say the Jones family is a customer of yours. They have \$60 they intend to spend with you. They read the advertisement of your competitor and are induced to spend the \$60 with him instead of spending it with you. The store makes 20 per cent or \$12 on the sale. It deducts, we will say, the \$1 advertising cost, and has \$11 profit left. This advertising has cost nothing. It got back the cost and had \$11 profit it would not have had except for the advertising.

Who paid for this advertising? Did the advertiser pay? No. He got back the cost and profit besides. Did the purchaser pay? No. He paid only the regular price.

Then who did pay? The merchant that did not advertise paid for his competitor's advertising. He not only paid for the other fellow's advertising, but he paid out of his cash drawer the profit his competitor made on the sale. The merchant that doesn't advertise pays for the advertising bill for the one that does. He pays in loss of sales and loss of profits—Ex.

**ADS THAT PAY**

Radio has been much praised as an advertising medium, and for be it from any newspaper to question its value for that purpose. But according to Roger Babson, the hard-headed business statistician, there is another advertising medium so much more effective that radio can hardly be called a competitor.

The Babson Statistical Organization, says Mr. Babson, advertising its own service, recently spent \$3000 for one half hour publicity program on one of the national radio networks. Then two days later it inserted an ad costing the same sum in the newspapers of five cities.

From the radio ad the organization got 16 inquiries and two telegraph orders. From the newspaper ad, apparently covering a far smaller area, it got around 4,000 inquiries. Mr. Babson figures that the radio inquiries cost \$166.66 apiece, while the replies from the newspaper ads cost 75 cents apiece.—Exchange.

Mrs. W. W. Ellis, of the old Rocking Chair Ranch, was among the visitors and shoppers in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier, of west of Spur, were here Saturday shopping.

T. C. Ensey returned recently from the Northern and Eastern markets where he spent some time in purchasing fall stocks for Bryant-Link Company.

V. C. Smart and family recently returned from a three weeks summer vacation trip—Clay stating that the most of his time was spent in eating berries and fishing.

W. D. Robinson, of four or five miles west of Spur, was here the first of the week marketing farm products.

J. P. Koonsman, a leading citizen of the Croton country, was in Spur Monday.

**POULTRY FACTS**

**TURKEYS PAY IF GIVEN GOOD CARE**

Attempt to Keep Them With Chickens Causes Failure.

Turkey raising is passing from a general farm side line to a commercial enterprise, as more farmers begin to specialize in the business.

"The coastal and mountain sections of North Carolina are rapidly becoming centers of an important specialized turkey-growing industry," says C. F. Parrish, extension poultry specialist at the North Carolina State college. "These two sections are taking the lead in production. The growers are finding that where they handle the birds with care, excellent profits may be made. One of the greatest reasons for failure is that some growers attempt to keep the turkeys with chickens and usually do not provide the turkeys with a home, with feed and care."

To begin with, the turkey grower must get started right, says Mr. Parrish. He needs to use only strong, healthy birds as breeders and to place these on clean, well drained, dry soil, where chickens have not been kept. Turkey eggs may be hatched in an incubator, under the turkey hen or under a chicken hen. Where the hen method is used, the mother bird must be dusted with sodium fluoride to control lice. This dusting should be given during the first week and again in ten or fourteen days. Use only a small pinch of the material for each hen or serious results may follow with the poults.

When the poults hatch, they should not be fed until forty-eight hours old, a little milk and green feed, such as short tender grass, lettuce or onion tops might be given. When feeding begins, the poults must be fed often, as much as five times a day in small amounts. The scratch grain is given when the poults are about one week old. Feed the mash, scratch feed and greens until the young turkeys are three weeks of age, generally increasing the scratch and getting it finally to two good feeds each day.

**Early Roosting Habit Is of Great Benefit**

Chicks that get the roosting habit early in life will usually grow into better chickens than those that are allowed to cuddle in crowded houses throughout the summer. Early roosting used to be considered the cause of many of the crooked breastbones in chickens. Results of proper feeding have shown that this trouble is more often caused from a deficiency of minerals in the ration or from a lack of sunshine.

With this false notion of crooked breastbones out of the argument, practically all of the benefits lie with the early training of the chicks to roost. Such chicks will be easier to handle in the fall when they are put into laying houses. They will also be less apt to crowd and become overheated, in addition to being easier to care for.

In training chicks to roost, it is a good plan to have the roosts low. Often it is necessary to place the chicks upon the roosts once or twice. Soon they will find that such roosts are much more comfortable than muddling around the hover, and they will quickly adopt the roosting habit.

**Poultry Notes**

Keep house and yard clean.

Build a good house or shelter.

Provide roosts and dropping boards.

Grow some green crop in the yard.

Keep the hens confined to your own land and off the road.

Don't keep a male bird. Hens lay just as well without a male.

Kamala is a good remedy for tape worms in poultry and nicotine sulphate a good remedy for other intestinal worms.

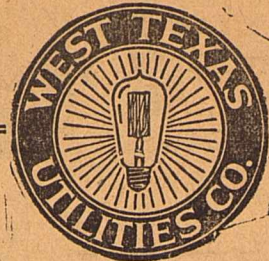
Unless eggs are produced by healthy hens under sanitary conditions, the chicks produced will be liable to the diseases of the present flock.

If you cannot get your cockerels on the market early enough to get the top broiler prices for them, caponize some of them and see what they will bring you next spring as capons.

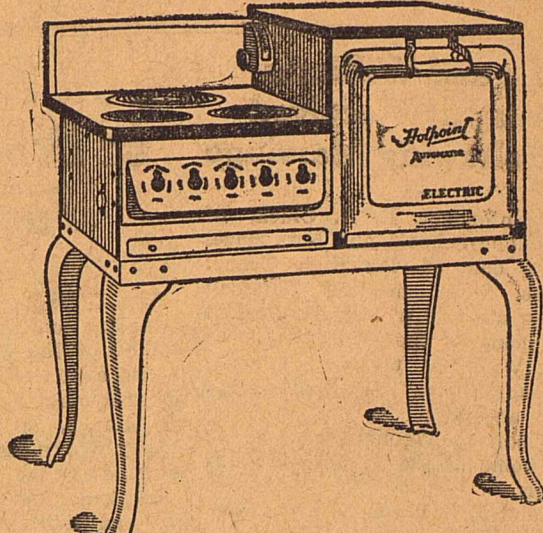
Bright green alfalfa is a very valuable addition to the mature ducks' ration and they will relish a little of it.

Keep the hens confined to the houses when the yards are muddy; this helps to keep the hens' feet clean. Gather eggs often.

What is a fresh egg? Strictly speaking, an egg is considered fresh until it has been in storage at a temperature of 80 degrees F. at least 30 days. However, the best prices are paid for the newly laid eggs.



It's Nothing But Natural Home-makers Select the "HOTPOINT"



The All-White Hotpoint—Priced at \$132.50

BECAUSE the Hotpoint frees them from hundreds of tied-to-the-kitchen hours, it gives them an opportunity to enjoy the countless pleasures of life instead of spending so much of their time in the kitchen these "hot" summer days.

—This Electric Maid cooks foods better without tedious hours of watching... one can prepare their meal, place it in the oven and set the automatic time and temperature controls, then forget it... Everything will be cooked RIGHT the first time and every time!

—Cooking electrically on the Hotpoint is cleaner... easier... more convenient... quicker and more convenient... cooler and more YOUR cooking hours more pleasant?

—At your first opportunity come in and see the new Hotpoint... You'll be certain to like it. A wonderful Steam Pressure Cooker is included with each model priced from \$132.50 up.

**West Texas Utilities Company**

**Champion Value STUDEBAKER'S New Dictator at new low prices**

SIX CYLINDERS \$995 EIGHT CYLINDERS \$1185 Prices at the factory

STUDEBAKER, holder of every official stock car record for speed and stamina, leading the world in the sale of eights, adds champion value in the New Dictators.

A New Dictator Six—larger, smarter, finer—at the lowest price for which a Studebaker closed car has ever been sold! A new companion eight, bringing thrifty luxury to many who could not afford it before!

Studebaker's unique One-Profit manufacturing advantage, tremendous fine-car volume\*, and concentration in South Bend of all Studebaker manufacturing activities, make

\*Retail deliveries by Studebaker dealers in July were 33% in excess of June.

possible these unapproached values. Come, drive the New Dictator Six or Eight. The experience will revise your estimate of what may be expected in cars of this price.

**The evidence of Champion Value!**

Hydraulic shock absorbers—Steel-core safety steering wheel—Adjustable steering column and front seats—Genuine mohair upholstery—Amplified-action 4-wheel brakes—Double-drop frame—Tarnish-proof chromium plating.

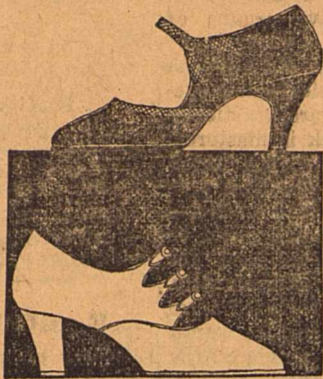
DICTATOR MODELS AND PRICES	
Sedan, for five	\$1095 \$1235
Club Sedan, for five	1035 1185
Regal Sedan, for five	1195 1335
<small>(6 wire wheels and trunk rack)</small>	
Tourer	1095 1235
Coupe, for four	1045 1235
Coupe, for two	995 1185

PRICES AT THE FACTORY

**FOLEY MOTOR COMPANY SPUR, TEXAS**

A GOOD SAFE PLACE TO TRADE  
**B. SCHWARZ & SON**  
 SPUR, TEXAS  
 THE STORE OF LITTLE PROFIT

Popular Colored Leathers Are Featured at this Special Price!



All Sales Are Final

Final Clearance of Fine Novelty  
**MIDSUMMER SHOES**  
 Sale \$2.95

Ties, Pumps, Straps and Oxfords

Of course the side range is not complete in every style but if we have your size you can secure a real value in this sale

All the approved popular styles for the season

Sale of New Arch-Support Shoes  
 VALUES TO \$6.45  
**\$3.95**  
 ALL THE NEW LEATHERS—  
 MILITARY & BABY LOUIS HEELS

G. B. Morris and son returned last week from a trip and visit to Dublin and other points in that part of the state.

Claud Gentry of the north part of the county, was in Spur recently on business.

E. H. Blakley, of Elfon, was in Spur Tuesday of this week. He says that while crops are not suffering they are beginning to need a rain.

J. M. Scott, of Elton, was here recently trading.

L. L. Arnold of the Duck Creek country, was in town last week.

S. L. Cherry was among the business visitors here the past week end.

Tom Cherry, of north of Spur, was on the streets one day the past week.

W. H. Deuvall was among the many here during the week.

R. M. Duboise was among the large number of visitors in the city last week.

T. E. Gregory, of Duck Creek, was trading in town the past week end.

W. L. Gragon was one of the business visitors here the past week end.

H. L. Pullen was here trading and selling produce this week.

Tom Rape and wife, of Steel Hill, were among the many shopping in Spur Saturday.

John Holder and son, of Cross Plains, were in Spur recently. John and family formerly lived here, and we know that he has a hankering to come back—and the way is open for him—and things will look good when it rains.

W. H. Young, of Red Hill, was in town one day during the week.

Mr. and Mrs. White Moore were here Saturday from their ranch home six miles west.

J. A. Kerley, of nine miles east, was in town the first of the week.

Will Watson was on the streets Tuesday. He says he has already quit worrying about his crops.

L. C. Ponder was on the streets Monday.

Attorney Sanders has been attending district court this week.

W. J. Elliot was on the streets Tuesday.

R. C. Forbis came in from his ranch home Tuesday for a short time.

Rev. A. G. Abbott returned with the Boy Scouts last week from the Davis Mountains.

S. B. Boykin was in one day this week, stating "that everything looked fine, crops growing and everything"—but he is not yet given to yo-yoing.

W. C. Cartwright was among the many here during the week.

T. L. Dozier was greeting friends on the streets recently.

W. E. Dortch promised to give us a big, ripe melon soon—and we are waiting.

J. T. Cozby was among those in Spur the past week trading and on other business.

W. H. Condon, of northeast of Spur several miles, was here during the week transacting business and meeting with his friends of the town and country.

W. G. Causey, of several miles west of Spur, was here one day the first of the week.

W. B. Ford, of Kalgary, was on the streets Saturday meeting with his friends in the crowds here that day.

Newt Kidd refuses to come to town until it rains.

W. F. Webb, of the Watson section of country, was among the big crowds here the past week.

F. C. Coker was among the visitors in the city the past week.

County Commissioner Chas. Perrin was transacting business in Spur one day the first of the week.

C. W. Roberts, of near Dickens, was trading in Spur recently.

A. M. Hoover was a recent visitor on the streets.

Will Stacey was here the past week.

F. E. Walker, of the Highway section, was on the streets one day this week.

Mr. Stephens, of Girard, was in Spur Tuesday. He had been up to Quitaque and Turkey, stating that that section was also dry and needing moisture. The whole country needs a good general rain. In fact, Mr. Stephens stated that on his farm near Girard, he had had only one good rain in two years. He is now engaged in the grocery business.

A. B. (Shorty) Hogan, county tax assessor of Dickens county, was among the business visitors in Spur the past week end, spending some time here meeting and greeting his friends of Spur.

T. J. Harvey now has charge of the Pennant Service Station for J. P. Simmons, handling the Pierce oil and petroleum products exclusively.

Joe Thornton, of southwest of Spur, was here Saturday among the crowds. Joe says it hasn't rained yet, but that crops are holding up fine.

Paul Aikin, of Dickens, was in Spur the past week. Paul Aikin is one of the live-wires of Dickens—and if they will all stay with him the town will soon have a railroad, oil and other resources.

R. G. McAteer was on the streets one day from the Goen Ranch to the northwest of Dickens.

J. A. Legg was here recently from the Croton country, spending a short time here meeting with friends and trading with merchants.

J. L. Jenkins, of the Prairie Chapel community to the east of Afton, was trading and meeting with friends in Spur Tuesday of this week.

**Lubbock Man Suffered for Four Years and Got so Weak and Rundown Could Hardly work**

**"I'M STICKING BY ORGATONE FOR IT STUCK BY ME**

Business men, farmers, artisans and in fact Lubbock people from all walks of life, including innumerable women, have actually statements to the preparations remarkable merit. This, undenied evidence was further strengthened recently by the statements of an unusually large number who have realized the powers of the medicine among whom was Fred Joyce of 2410 Ave. F. who is a plumber and is well known here, having been acitizen for several years of this city.

"I must say that Orgatone was the very thing for my run-down condition," he said to the Orgatone representative, "and it took hold of my trouble and picked me up so quick that I was actually surprised. I suffered from stomach and liver trouble and was extremely nervous. I couldn't get any strength or nourishment from my food, and just couldn't get a medicine that would improve my case. I had severe intense pains shooting through my back and sides, all day long, from my liver and kidney trouble, that would almost drive me distracted. Every day got to be a dread for me, and I suffered so I got to where I couldn't hardly do my work. Gas formed on my stomach and I was so restless I couldn't get any rest at night.

"At last I made up my mind to give Orgatone a trial and to my surprise I began to notice a change in my condition after the first few days. I've taken one bottle now, and the way it has built me up and given me an appetite is something to wonder at. I enjoy my food and can sleep a good deal better. I sleep fine and get up in the morning feeling refreshed and ready for my day's work. All of my severe pains have left me, and my liver and kidneys are much better. I don't feel heavy

**Washing Clothes No Longer a Woman's Job**

Why should any woman be required to live in the Dark Ages of "rub-a-dub dub, slave to the tub?" Especially when Husband and all the rest of the world speed up work by modern efficiency methods?

Today any form of doing the laundry at home is a relic of the Dark Ages of Woman. Even if the washing machine does keep in order, it requires constant attention and then there's the hanging up and taking down of the wash, the ironing, the headache, armache, backache.

It's not worth it! Washing clothes is the job of the modern laundry—such as ours. It's not woman's work. Human hands cannot do the good job of our equipment. And that smart prosperous, professional, real clean look of our work is immediately noticeable. Just phone us and your laundry troubles will be at an end forever.

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SPUR, TEXAS

and get tired like I did, after a little work, the fact is I can hardly remember the time when I felt as good as I do now. I am telling my friends about Orgatone and am sticking by it, for it has certainly stuck by me. It's a fine thing and there's no doubt about it putting the ginger into a fellow when he feels all tired out and rundown. One bottle of it has helped me so, I am buying five more bottles and know then I shall feel like a new man."

Genuine Orgatone is not a so-called patent secret remedy but a new scientific bile treatment containing no alcohol or other false stimulating drugs and is sold in Spur by the SPUR DRUG CO. who are direct laboratory agents.

Mr. French, a leading citizen of the Prairie Chapel community to the east of Afton, was among the business visitors in Spur the first of the week

W. S. Perry and family returned Sunday from Dublin where they have been visiting with his mother. Wilbur states that while vacationing during the the summer with his mother he wears a hickory shirt, brogan shoes, gets up before candle light and makes a regular hand on the farm until bed time each night—and he always comes home much improved in health and general appearance.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Marshall, of Duck Creek, were among the many here Saturday shopping and visiting among friends. Mr. Marshall stated that he had been up to Matador visiting with his son and family. He said crops were good and soon they would have lots of water melons.

J. P. Shaw of twelve miles west of Spur, was here the past week on business. Mr. Shaw has a large "swimming hole" on his place which is now open to the public.

**Why SILVERTOWNS are the TOUGHEST of all tires!**

THE toughness of a tire depends on its cure. If it is to give long wear, the inside must be cured exactly the same as the outside. And this is done in the Silvertown by the Goodrich Water Cure.

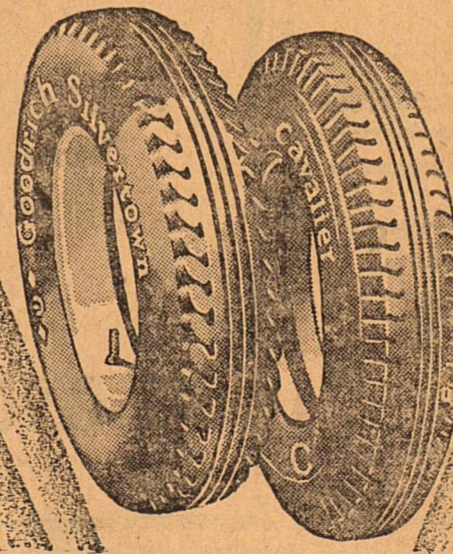
This sounds technical at first, but really it's as simple as A B C. When the lady of the house makes biscuits she uses the "air cure." They have a crust—they are cooked more on the outside than on the inside. When she cooks cereal in the double boiler she uses the "water cure." Then the part against the sides and bottom of the pan

are cooked exactly the same as that in the center. If she happens to let the water boil away, so that the cereal begins to get the "air cure," it forms a crust against the bottom much like the biscuits have.

Silvertowns are cured for greatest toughness. The water cure makes that toughness uniform clear through—in the center of the tire as well as the outside. And this is one of the reasons why they "cost less in the long run."

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**WHEN CHILDREN Need a Laxative**

"We have used Theford's Black-Draught in our family for nineteen years. I have found it of great help in raising my family. I have given it to all six of my children. Whenever they complain of upset stomach, or begin to look pale and sickly, I make a tea of Black-Draught and begin giving it to them. In a day or two they are all right. I give it to them for constipation, and my husband and I both take it. I always give it for colds in winter, for I believe a way to prevent them is to keep the system clean." —Mrs. Doshie Terry, 1205 Fourth Avenue, Decatur, Ala.



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WOMEN who need a tonic should take CARDUI in use over 50 years.

J. W. Jennings, who has been spending a few days at Electra, returned home the past week, stating that work in that oil field was somewhat limited or restricted. He left again for Dobbs, the newly developing oil field town in New Mexico, where he hopes to secure work until it rains here.


Lon Fuqua, of the Red Mud section of country, was among the many in Spur Saturday trading and meeting with friends.

Mrs. M. E. Gilpin went out Saturday to Prairie Chapel where she is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Faver.

J. W. Waddell, an old timer of the West, a good citizen and extensive and successful farmer, was in town Thursday. He related an amusing incident which occurred in Spur some time ago. Soon after coming to the Spur country he was in town with a relative, and being notified that a certain firm of the city was giving away pencils for every member of the family, he with his relative called in at the place of business. When his turn came the lady dispensing pencils asked "how many?" Mr. Waddell reluctantly replied, "eighteen," and upon the second enquiry more timidly made the same reply. He got the pencils—but with still a question mark in the expressions of those in the store.

A large number of the old timers of this section attended the Old Settlers Reunion at the Hank Smith Memorial Park on Blanco Canyon, Thursday and Friday of last week. There have been more than 500 registered as members of the Old Settlers Association, composed exclusively of those who have been here twenty years or more. These annual reunions are becoming a yearly event.

**How to Raise Poultry**  
By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V.S., St. Louis, Mo.



Dr. LeGear is a graduate of the Ontario Veterinary College, 1922. Thirty-five years of veterinary practice on diseases of live stock and poultry. Eminent authority on poultry and stock raising. Nationally known poultry breeder. Noted author and lecturer.

**CAPONS PUT PUNCH IN POULTRY PROFITS.**

"How about a nice capon?" inquired the butcher in an effort to be helpful. The prospective purchaser reddened slightly and shook his head. After browsing helplessly around for an embarrassingly long time, he finally compromised on a rolled roast.

As the customer went out, the butcher's shoulders were shaking with poorly suppressed mirth. "Damn fool!" he chuckled. "Bet ten bucks that guy didn't even know what a capon meant. Did'ja notice how he blushed when I suggested it?"

I had to agree with my friend the butcher that the gentleman probably did not know what a capon was and that he chose something else in a vain effort to hide his embarrassment. I knew him to be a successful business man and one who rather prided himself on his knowledge of fine foods. Nevertheless, it was plain that capon was something entirely outside of his experience. I would have been willing to wager, too, that this man's case was a typical one.

That was nearly two years ago. Today, although the market is capable of absorbing more capons than are being offered for sale, it would still be safe to say that a great many people do not know what a capon really is. Here, in short, is a virgin field with such tremendous rich possibilities that one must gasp in amazement on realizing that it is practically unworked.

I believe that poultrymen are themselves to blame for this state of affairs. Many of them refuse to practice caponizing at all and those who do so merely produce capons as a side line. For that reason, the supply has always been too small to justify any attempt at educating the general public into appreciation of the most delectable food this old earth has ever known. At least, there has been nothing better since the catering establishment on Mount Olympus ceased serving Nectar.

Of course, this condition will not last forever. Poultry raisers are not going to stand around forever doing nothing once they realize that capons will bring 50 cents a pound or more when ordinary poultry is going for little better than half that much. Sooner or later they will get tired of seeing this golden stream slipping by them and they will start raising capons in earnest. In the meantime, if all poultry men every where who have never before attempted raising capons will give it a fair trial, just once, there is no question but what they will be converted forever after.

Incidentally, capons make excellent foster mothers for baby chicks, that is, they can be easily taught to care for and brood a bunch of newly hatched baby chicks and do it as well or better than a hen will. A capon, being larger, will hover from twenty to thirty chicks and they can protect their chicks from hawks, etc. much better than a hen. The capons feathers are longer, softer and more abundant than that of a hen and his wing spread considerably

greater, is amiable disposition fits him admirably for the task and releases the hen for laying.

Caponizing, which is simply removing the reproductive organs of young male birds, is a very simple operation. A ten year old boy can soon learn to do it quickly and successfully and failures are practically unknown once the trick is mastered. Moreover, learning need not entail any appreciable loss. The first practicing can be done on dead birds and even if one or two should bleed to death, they are just as good for the table as if killed intentionally. Even if such birds represented a total loss, however, the sacrifice would be wiped out by added profits on the first few successfully caponized. Not only does the capon weigh much more than a cockerel of corresponding age, but its flesh is so much finer in quality as to command a far higher price per pound.

It would be useless for me to give detailed instructions here. They could hardly be made clear without extensive illustrations and, besides, excellent instructions are furnished with all sets of instruments. But just a word about instruments—buy the best. The difference in cost between the very best instruments and the least desirable ones is just a few cents after all. The extra profits on one capon that would have been lost with inferior instruments will repay the added investment many times over.

Almost any breed of fowl may be used, although there would be little gained in caponizing the small breeds. The best for medium sized capons are Plymouth Rocks, Rhode Island Reds and others running the same average size. These, when caponized, will run from 2 to 4 lbs. heavier than the average fowl not so treated. Larger breeds of the so-called Asiatic strains (Brahmas) will rival turkeys in size (12 to 16 pounds) but—oh, what a difference! There never was a turkey half so tender and toothsome as even average capon.

It is manifestly impossible, in an article of this kind, to deal extensively with the habits, or methods of feeding and handling capons, nor should it be necessary. If, however, I can arouse sufficient interest in the subject to get poultrymen—amateur and professional—thinking and talking about capons, it will not be long before the public is much better supplied with a wonderful viand than they ought to know more about.

Editor's Note—If you are interested in instruments for caponizing, write to Dr. Le Gear in care of this newspaper.

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Prof. J. E. Watson and family, of Post City, spent the past week end in Spur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Watson. Prof. Watson has been superintendent of the Post Schools the past two years, since leaving Spur, and has been reelected for the coming term. Mr. Watson likes Post, stating that wonderful and united cooperation is found in everything pertaining to the progress and advancement of the school and its every interest.

W. C. Gruben and family returned Tuesday from an extended trip and summer vacation, visiting with relatives in Nebraska, traveling on thru Iowa, Illinois, Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma, and East and West Texas. They were gone four weeks and report a very pleasant trip and visit. However, Mr. Gruben stated that he sure thought it would rain while he was gone.

E. A. Dann, D. C., Ph. C., returned the first of the week from a business trip to Sweetwater. Dr. Dann recently purchased the Dr. Howard office furniture, fixtures and equipments and is now maintaining and extending the established Chiropractic business and practice in the offices over the Spur National Bank. Dr. Dann comes to Spur very highly recommended as a gentleman and citizen as well as in his professional line, and is already enjoying a very liberal patronage.

H. C. Cravens, of near Girard, was among the number in Spur Saturday. Mr. Cravens had just recently returned from Eastland county where he owns property within the oil development zone of that field. He thinks prospects are good for immediate oil drilling on and near his property, and has had the opportunity to get good lease money is within the oil territory and will. However, he knows that his property hold for actual oil returns.

John Goodall came up Saturday from his farm home in the Girard territory, spending a few hours in Spur trading and meeting with his friends. John stated that the crops of his territory are getting in a very deplorable condition, and without a rain soon everything will be blown up. Just about the time it is thought that we can do without rain no longer, it will come.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Mort Smith returned this week from a trip to New Mexico, and including the Carlsbad Cavern. While there they also spent four very pleasant days on one of the New Mexico ranches. Out there, Mr. Smith stated, it rained practically every day—causing us to wonder why we couldn't be favored at least with the surplus.

Mrs. E. M. Remington returned Tuesday of this week from Newcastle where she had been visiting with her mother who returned home with her for a visit in Spur, and will remain here until after the opening of the new theatre.

Mrs. Lela Evans and son Rayburn, of Dallas, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Fite, and other relatives and friends of Spur. Mrs. Evans served for years as postmaster for the Spur office, having many friends and acquaintances throughout the country.

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Mrs. Grimes, of Dallas, is in the city visiting her mother, Mrs. C. Fite, and her son, Weldon Grimes and wife.

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our dear friends and neighbors for the kindness and help during the sickness and death of our dear father and husband.

Especially do we thank the nurses and doctors at the Lubbock Sanitarium and the comforting words from Bro. Parmenter.

May God's blessings rest on each one during this trying hour.—Mrs. R. L. Emerit and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Day and family.

Dr. T. J. Earnest, of Dickens, was in Spur Wednesday, transacting business affairs.

W. F. Cathey, of near Dickens, was among the many in Spur Saturday.

Mrs. A. J. Hodges, of Plainview, was in Spur Wednesday, visiting with friends.

Hamp Collett was among the old timers from here who attended the Old Settlers Reunion at the Hank Smith Memorial Park last Thursday and Friday. Hamp has been here around fifty years and therefore can be really termed "an old timer."

T. J. Seals called in to see us one day this week, and incidentally let us place his name on the Texas Spur subscription list. Eventually every individual in the country will be regular readers of the Texas Spur.

H. K. McDermitt, of Cross Plains, is visiting with Jinks Garrett and family at Jayton. Jinks Garrett has just recently returned from Abilene where he has been for treatment of an injured hand.

Jick Maples, of Hamlin, has been spending the week in Spur with Jack Senning.

FAMILY REUNION

Post, Texas, Aug. 13.—The children, grand children and great grand children of Mrs. N. A. Weaver, of Carbon, Texas, met at Two Draw Lake and celebrated her 75th birthday.

A bountiful dinner was spread, a cake with seventy five candles was presented her; also many other beautiful gifts, by her fourteen children, eleven of whom were present. Seventy grand children and eleven great grand children were present. Following is the names of her children: Lee Weaver and family of Levelland, Texas; R. D. Weaver and family of Levelland; F. E. Weaver and family of Southbend; N. E. Weaver and family of Spur; J. H. Weaver and family of Carbon; J. T. Weaver and family of Carbon; Mrs. Belle Thomason and family of Spur; Mrs. Mamie Thomason and family of Spur; Mrs. Ella Rankin and family of Southland; Mrs. F. H. Linder and family of De Leon; Mrs. J. N. Jordan and family of Olney;

Among the visitors were J. B. Jordan and family of Monahans; A. K. Demmidil and family of Post; B. T. Vessery and family of Slaton; Ruth Johnson of Lubbock; and Mrs. Virgil Langford of Sweetwater.

MRS. ZACHRY ENTERTAINED THURSDAY EVENING WITH BRIDGE AND FORTY TWO

Thursday evening Mrs. Dan Zachry was a delightful hostess, entertaining with bridge and forty two, at her home in West Spur. In the games Mrs. Jafes Smith won high club and Mrs. Roy Harkey guest, and Mrs. Cash Wildman cut prizes. Delightful refreshments were served to Mesdames Collier, Newman, Hickman, Foster, Link, Elkins, Smart, Kellam, Caraway, Twaddell, Barrett, Glasgow, Putman, Tanner, Davis, Love, Reed, Watson, Dorothy Williams, Wooten, Dorothy Love, Harkey, G. G. Golding, Eleanor Watson, Stotts, Dickey, McClure, Russell, Wileman, Mary Adell Smith, Burns, Rector, Everts, Flint, King, Barrett, Hyatt, Manning, Brannen, Shrimsher.

E. C. Edmonds, Jr., returned this week from Houston where he has been some time.

C. A. Brinnell, of the Spur Ranch headquarters, was one among the many business visitors in the city the past week.

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I have in the vicinity of Dickens two brand-new, upright standard pianos, in the newest finishes, manufacturers nationally known, also one Baby Grand of the same make that I will sell as a very low price rather than reship. In writing for information state whether you want to pay cash or terms. S. C. Chiles, Waco, Texas, Box 1054. 40-4tc

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IMPORTANT—Leading manufacturer has a fine piano in vicinity of Spur, shipped out as a sample. Will sell at fraction of real worth. Terms to responsible party. Address Factory Representative, Box 840, Abilene, Texas. 43-3c

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STRAYED—Span work mules, 1 blue mare mule branded S—on the shoulder; 1 bay horse mule unbranded. Notify Floyd Wilhoit for a liberal reward. 43-2tp

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PRESBYTERIAN REVIVAL  
Beginning Sunday, August 25th and continuing one week, a revival meeting will be held in the Presbyterian church. The public is cordially invited to attend.

L. E. Jones, of the Calgary section of country, was in Spur Saturday trading and meeting with his friends.

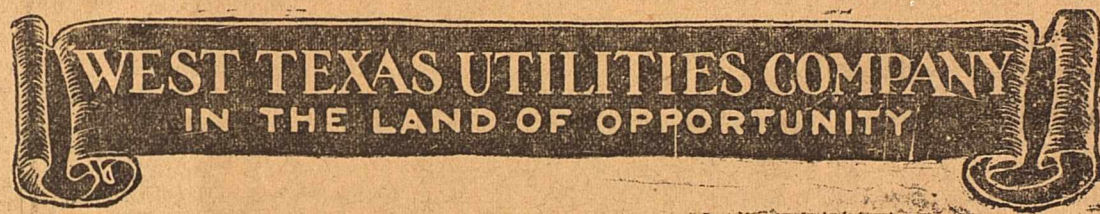
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MRS. CARTER ENTERTAINED ACE HIGH BRIDGE CLUB OF CROSBYTON TUESDAY

Tuesday evening Mrs. R. C. Carter was a gracious hostess, entertaining members of the Ace High Bridge Club of Crosbyton, at her home in Spur. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Westerman, Judge and Mrs. Edgar Hutchins, Dr. and Mrs. F. A. Green, Mr. and Mrs. Tug George, Mr. and Mrs. Roy McDaniel, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oldham, Judge and Mrs. W. P. Walker, all of Crosbyton; Mrs. J. K. Burke of Hereford. Refreshments were served at Spur Drug. In the bridge games, high prize for the ladies went to Mrs. Edgar Hutchins, ad for the gentlemen to R. C. Westerman; ladie, cut prize to Mrs. W. P. Walker, and for the gentlemen to Roy McDaniel.

Again Wednesday Mrs. Carter was hostess to other members of the Bridge Club of Crosbyton, among whom were Mesdames Sep Smith, E. M. Perkins, G. M. McKee, Olen Littlefield, J. J. Taylor, J. A. Buck, and Misses Effie Smith, and Josephine McBride, all of Crosbyton; Mesdames J. K. Burns, E. L. Tanner, Hardin, Wilson, Burns, Everts, Russell and Watson, and Miss Jane Douglas Wilson, of Spur. High club prize went to Mrs. Taylor, guest prize to Miss Effie Smith, and cut prize to Mrs. Wilson. A delightful and refreshing salad course was served.

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Carter entertained with 42, honoring her guests of the week, Misses Grace and Pauline Holeman of Crosbyton. An ice course was served to Margaret Coon of Alpine and guest of Royce Blackwell, Royce Blackwell, Betsy Wilson, Lavada McClung, Marjory Joplin, and Grace and Pauline Holman. In the games Margaret Coon won high score and Lavada McClung the cut prize.

PICNIC AND SWIMMING PARTY TUESDAY EVENING TO ROARING SPRINGS

Misses Eanestine Weatherford, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Hyatt, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Watson, Mrs. Joe Stotts, and Messrs. George Lisenby, Estell Smith and DeFrance, were members of a picnic and a swimming party Tuesday evening of this week to Roaring Springs. A most enjoyable occasion is reported by members of the party.

Joe Ericson was on the streets one day the first of the week from the West Pasture headquarters.

MESDAMES PUTMAN AND GOLDING ENTERTAIN WITH LAWN PARTY TUESDAY

A most delightful social event was the lawn party given Tuesday evening by Mesdames W. E. Putman and M. C. Golding at the home of Mrs. Putman in the new West Addition to Spur. The lawn was lighted with Japanese lanterns, fourteen tables being arranged for forty two, the tally cards being miniature lanterns, and bouquets of flowers in addition to the beautiful lawn growth made the surroundings as well as the occasion most lovely to the many guests. The refreshments of cream and cake carried out the color scheme of white and pink. The guests included Messrs and Mesdames H. O. Everts, E. A. Russell, Otto Mott, W. E. Flint, Birl Hight, Joe Kellam, C. L. Love, Oran McClure, E. L. Caraway, Geo. S. Link, W. D. Starcher, Jimmie Smith, Jack Rector, Roy Harkey, G. R. Elkins, W. B. Lee, M. V. Hardin, R. R. Wooten, Sanders and Jimmie Sample, and Mesdames Kate Senning, Sol Davis, Ben Glasgow, Marguerite Newman, Sherley Rob-

bins, Janie King, and Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Grace, Miss Julia Mae Hickman and Messrs. Chas. Whitener, M. C. Golding and W. E. Putman.

Rev. J. B. Hibbert was meeting his friends on the streets one day this week.

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CANOVA COFFEE, 1 lb can	47c	ARMOUR MILK tall	10c
TOMATOES fresh home grown, lb,	10c	<b>SPECIAL</b> Enamelware, value, \$1.50 Groceries, ass't, val., \$1.25 Total value, \$2.75 for	<b>\$1.69</b>
ORANGES nice size juicy sweet, doz	23c	PINEAPPLE Gold Bar no. 2 crushed	23c
OUR DARLING CORN No. 2 can	14c	PINEAPPLE " no. 2 1-2 crushed	29c
BABBITT LYE, each	9c	PINEAPPLE " no. 2 sliced	26c
ARMOUR MILK small, 2 for	9c	10 bars P. & G. or Chrystal W. Soap	39c
2 Boxes Pillsbury's Cake Flour and 1 large Mixing Bowl	<b>79c</b>	Glen Valley Peas early June no 2	11c

## Meat Market Specials

Loin, T-Bone or Round Steak per lb.	35c	SMOKED BACON Armour's per lb	25c
D. S. BACON per pound	22c	ENGLISH CURED	
Sugar Cured Breakfast Bacon lb.,	28c	Pork Ham Roast, per pound	30c
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SMOKED HAMS per pound	34c	PORK SAUSAGE per pound	25c

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Mr. Walker, of Ralls, has been visiting T. J. Walker local manager for Piggly Wiggly, several days this week. Mr. Walker is convalescing from a recent surgical operation, he having been in a critical condition which necessitated the operation to save his life.

W. A. Harris, of wset of Spur, was among the business visitors in the city during the week.

Information came this week to Spur that Dr. B. F. Hale is critically ill in Hot Springs, Arkansas. Dr. and Mrs. Hale have been in Hot Springs some time for his health, and it is hoped that he may soon regain his health and be able to return home.

Sim Moss was here one day during the week from his farm home north of Dickens.

A. R. Bell and family returned this week from a seven week vacation and visiting trip in the Eastern part of the state. During the seven weeks they visited in Hill, McClelland, Limestone, Bell and other counties of that part of the state.

W. T. Lovell was reported in town one day recently. He knows what the big red rooster said to the little brown hen?

### QUICKLY GETS BACK OLD TIME STRENGTH

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"On account of my work I was forced to eat and sleep irregularly for a long time, with the results that I became very run down and debilitated. Chronic indigestion gradually weakened me and kept me in bad health I would suffer terrible pains after each meal no matter how light it was. At night these pains robbed me of sleep and my condition finally got so bad I couldn't even eat an orange or grape fruit without suffering afterwards. Naturally, I was always tired and listless."

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P. A. Ramsey last week made a trip up on the Plains to inspect the feed crops and interview farmers on the prospects of supplying him with their surplus feed this fall. Mr. Ramsey has in mind to buy up many tons off feed, grind it and with the proper additions and mixtures make a balanced feed ration in providing the country with feed during the period of shortage.

Harry Patton was on the streets Wednesday, greeting his friends of both town and country. Harry is not the least pessimistic during these long, hot, dry, summer days but is inclined to be jovial and rather optimistic in the hope of locating an "old maid and two children" to keep house for him.

Marion Hutton was in town one day recently. For the past two or three years Marion has been working regularly with his teams on the Dickens county highways, but this year he has been devoting his time exclusively to farming—and we presume at the end of the year he will be in position to state decisively which is the best paying job, farming or road working.

Wednesday evening of last week, members of the Presbyterian church and a few invited guests enjoyed a picnic at Roaring Springs, one of the two pleasure resorts of this entire territory.

Ned Bowers was greeting friends on the streets Monday.

### YOUTHFUL ENTHUSIASM

An old stager in our community life who contributed much to the development of the city in years gone by offered us a few thoughts recently on what our town needs.

You mustn't depend too much on our old fellows," he said. "The future of our town is now in the hands of the younger men who must take things up about where we left off. We've met with too many disappointments in years gone by and we've become too conservative in our point of view.

"When a new proposition is advanced we see all the reasons why it can't be put over with success. Perhaps we're wrong, but that's the fault of age. What the town needs now is a lot of young fellows who don't know it can't be done and for that reason go ahead and do it."

All of us may well give profound thought to his remarks. A community is not unlike a business. The time inevitably comes when young blood and youthful enthusiasm are badly needed.

If we might have the right degree of co-operation here we would find the young men furnishing the energy and the old men supplying the judgment that comes only with long experience.

S. C. Thomas, of near Girard, was here with the crowds Saturday of the past week.

Lee Payne, of Dickens, was a recent business visitor in Spur.

### DO IT IF YOU FEEL LIKE IT IF YOU DON'T, DON'T

Man comes into this world without his consent and leaves it against his will. When first he comes into the world everybody wants to kiss him, before he goes out they want to kick him. In his infancy he is an angle; and in his manhood he is every thing from a lizard up. If he is a poor man he is a poor manager; if he is a rich man he is dishonest; if he is in politics you can't place him; if he goes to church he is a hypocrite; if he stays at home he is a sinner; if he offers assistance to the widows and orphans he is a flirt; if he donates to foreign missions he does it for show; if he doesn't he is stingy. What can the poor man do.—Ex

### NEW PARTNER TO SATISFY

Eddie Cantor in his volume of reminiscences relates this of Will Rogers: The celebrated comedian paid to Mr. Ziegfeld: "When I left Oklahoma I told my wife and children that some day I'd make \$400 a week, and if I ever could make that the dream of my life would be fulfilled." He got the \$400, but next year he struck the show manager for \$600.

"What the idea?" said Ziegfeld "I thought your wife and children were perfectly satisfied with \$400 a week"

"They are replied Will, but since then I've gotten another child and he's kicking."

## WE NEVER EXPECT HARD LUCK

But it will, and it may come to any of us.

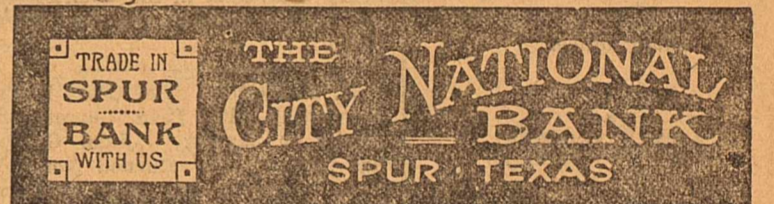
Unemployment, sickness unexpected expenses—these are misfortunes that come to all of us—they are what we must expect in life

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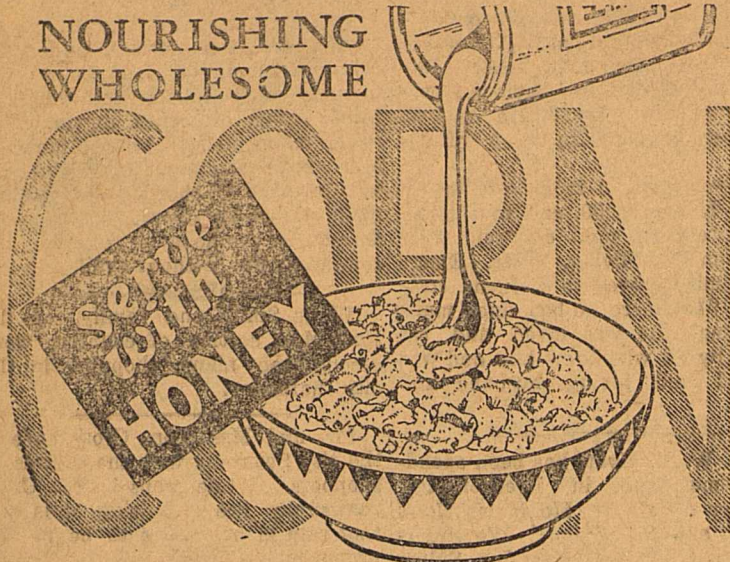
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Many hogs and cattle are now being sold because of the prospective shortage of feed.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Bilberry, of Gilpin, were in Spur trading the past week.

L. B. McMeans, of south of the city, was here Saturday transacting business affairs.

R. L. Foster, of southwest of Spur was in the city trading the past week. He is farming sandy land but states that rain is needed at this time.

H. C. Eldredge, of near McAdoo, was in Spur the past week end, buying supplies and transacting other business affairs. He reports crop conditions better on the Plains at this time, that section having been favored with rains recently which is holding crops up until that general rain comes to make the whole country blossom and bloom.

Newt Cravey, of Red Mud, was on the streets Monday of this week. He had probably just returned from an extended vacation trip into the mountains of New Mexico where he and family spent several days enjoying the cooling breezes as well as other outing and camping pleasures.

B. M. Blackmon was on the streets this week.

GIRL WORTH MARRYING

Once I was young but now I am old but I have never seen a girl that was unfaithful to her mother that came to be worth a one-eyed button to her husband. It is the law of God; isn't exactly written in the Bible; but it is written large and awful in the many miserable lives of the many misfit homes. I am speaking for the boys now: If one of you chaps come across a girl with a face full of roses who says to you as she comes to the door: "I can't go for 30 minutes yet, for the dishes are not washed," you wait for that girl. You sit right down and wait for her, because if you don't some other fellow may come along and carry her off, and right there you lose an angle. Wait for that girl and stick to her like a burr to a woolly dog. Exchange.

H. C. Parsons, of Red Mud, was among the recent business visitors in Spur.

W. A. Kimmell was on the streets Monday. He is figuring on learning how to yo-yo.

Edgar Fisher, of Highway, was trading in the city Saturday afternoon.

George B. Mahen, of the 24 Ranch community, was among the recent business visitors in Spur.

Grover Overstreet, of north of the city of Dickens, was among the number here Saturday trading and on other business.

H. C. Peterson, of the Cat Fish country, was among the many here trading the past week.

J. E. Sparks and Justice of the Peace Roddy returned last week from a trip to Oklahoma. We presume Johnnie carried "the law" along for protection in case of being caught in a tight place.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Teague, of the Soldier Mound community, were in Spur Saturday marketing chickens, egg, butter and other home products. It used to be that farmers came to Spur to buy, but now they come principally to sell, and find a ready market for their products.

J. C. Dopson, of north of the city, was on the streets the first of the week greeting friends and acquaintances.

G. B. Erath, of south of Spur, was among the crowds of business visitors here Saturday.

Rev. L. S. Bilberry was meeting with his friends in Spur one day during the week.

Mrs. Van Martin has gone to Verno to visit with her mother, accompanying her sister, Miss Lera Busby who has been her guest in Spur.

Joe Gaines was here the other day on the County Capitol where he is now located and will manage and operate a gin plant this fall. He is already boosting for Dickens.

Gene Bass came down from McAdoo the past week, spending some time here trading and transacting business affairs.

G. W. Allen, of the Plains country near McAdoo, was trading in Spur recently.

J. H. Hooper of Twin Wells, was among the crowds in Spur Saturday.

M. C. Golding returned the past week from the Mountains of New Mexico where he had gone to join his son and return home with him, he having been one of the Boy Scouts on their summer camping and vacationing trip.

E. T. Varnell, of the Afton section of country, was among the number of business visitors in Spur the past week.

Geo. W. Grubbs, of the Red Mud country, was among the recent business visitors in the city of Spur.

Henry McDaniel has resigned his position with the city and is now with E. L. Caraway selling Chevrolet cars.

Monk Rucker was here recently from New Mexico where he is employed as driver on one of the passenger bus lines. Mrs. Rucker returned with him.

C. H. Scott, of Duck Creek, was in the city during the week.

Albert Jordan of Duck Creek was in the city Tuesday.

J. T. White, of Soldier Mound, was in Spur the first of the week, trading.

W. A. Craddock, of southwest of the city, was in Spur the first of the week, meeting and greeting his friends.

Will Garner, of east of Spur, was on the streets Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bingham, of the Spur Ranch headquarters, were in the city Saturday with the thousands of shoppers.

J. A. Koon, formerly of Alpine, but who with his family is now visiting Mrs. W. M. Perrin of east of Dickens, was in the city during the week. Koon informed us that he is arranging to get into a business in Spur and very probably will again soon be a resident citizen of the city. For years Koon was with the Riter Hardware Company of Spur, having been engaged in the hardware business for himself the past several years at Alpine. We will be glad to have J. A. Koon and family again with us as resident citizens.

W. A. Johnson of the Wake country on the Plains, was greeting his friends on the streets of Spur last Saturday. Mr. Johnson owns a Dry Lake farm here and very probably intends to move back another year and again become a resident citizen of the Spur country.

John Aston of the Dougherty country on the Plains was in Spur Saturday. John is making arrangements to move back to Spur another year for the advantages offered in the Spur Schools, as well as the town and country at large. Crops on the Plains he states are promising good yields and harvests, that section having had more rain than the immediate Spur territory.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry and daughter, of Stephenville, are in Spur visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Perry at their home on Hill Street. Mr. Perry states that crops in the Stephenville country are also cut short because of the adverse conditions, he estimating that approximately a half crop may be harvested.

Misses Ernestine Weatherford and Nellie B. Albin spent the past week end with friends in Lubbock.

Mrs. L. A. Hindman, Dial, Martha Jean and Dick, are spending the week in New Mexico visiting with Homer Hindman and family, and Jack Hindman who is now employed in New Mexico.

Shorty Davis came up Tuesday from Garza county where they are farming. Shorty states that their crops continue to grow and look good regardless of the protracted dry weather.

Mrs. Crump, of Crosbyton, is in the city visiting her daughter, Mrs. John McKeever and family. Mrs. Crump contemplates moving to Spur soon if suitable arrangements can be made in disposing of her residence property in Crosbyton and securing residence property in Spur, stating that the higher altitude on the Plains does not agree with her health. Mrs. Crump formerly lived in the Spur territory and now owns a fine farm home near Watson. We would be glad to again have Mrs. Crump as a resident citizen of Spur, and hope that she may make the desired exchange of property, to that end.

The youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garrett, of southwest of Spur, was brought to the Nichols Sanitarium Thursday of last week where she underwent a complicated operation at the hands of Dr. Nichols. The young lady has been in a very critical condition, but we are glad to note is reported improving at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett have been here with their daughter throughout the week.

Little Miss Ouida Fern Dobbins, of the city, has been spending the week in Aspermont with her little friends, Misses Ruth and Inez Aycock.

W. R. Stafford and family returned last week from an extended trip to California, Colorado and other summer resorts where they spent several weeks. Uncle Bill reports a very pleasant trip, stating that he enjoyed more than all else the cool ocean breezes.

Jack Baum, Mrs. Martin Neeb and daughters, Misses Kathleen and Fadora, returned to their homes in Cross Plains Thursday after spending several days here with Mrs. Oran McClure and family. They returned by the way of Hamlin where the night was spent with Mr. and Mrs. Stewart and other relatives.

Mrs. Luther Garner, postmistress at Dougherty, spent the past week end in Spur with Mr. Garner of the Spur Hardware & Furniture Company.

J. H. Jones of south of the city, was here Saturday with the crowds of business visitors.

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**Q. A. & P. TO EXTEND  
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The Q. A. & P. Railway, subsidiary of the Frisco System is filing an application this week with the Interstate Commerce Commission for a permit to extend the Matador branch from Matador to a point fifteen miles west, which will make the terminus in the extreme northwest part of the county.

In this connection a special to the Fort Worth Star Telegram, of Tuesday, August 6th, says:

Austin, Aug. 5.—A. F. Sommers, vice-president and general manager of the Quana, Acme and Pacific Railway, while in Austin Monday filed an amendment to the railroad's charter for construction of a 15-mile extension of the Matador branch that would take it to the northern part of Motley County.

Application of the Q. A. & P. will be filed before the Interstate Commerce Commission this week in Washington, Sommers said, for authority

to build the line. "With this permission granted we will proceed at once to construct the extension."

"This will be an extension of the old Motley County Railroad which we took over in 1925. We are expecting heavy tonnage in cotton, sorghum, grains, wheat and livestock from the area. Already there has been big development and I believe the I. C. C. will grant the permit."

It is our opinion that the application will go through without a hitch so the territory to be served rightfully belongs to the Q. A. & P., and no other railway has any interests or intentions of building in the territory to be traversed. We believe that the I. C. C. will make quick action on granting this permit, and immediate construction of the extension will be started.—Motley County News.

J. C. and Johnnie Jones, of Jayton, were transacting business in Spur last week.

**Spur School Board  
Buys Bus From  
Amarillo Dealers**

Last Monday evening a contract was signed by members of the Spur School Board, whereby a two-ton International school bus was ordered from Amarillo Dealers.

Amarillo is developing into a real City of the Plains and has always had the cooperation of her citizens. This thriving city no doubt, appreciates all business that Spur people can give them, and will probably boost our town and Municipal plant as a result of this contract.

Much credit is due our School Board for keeping our money at home.—Contributed.

Mrs. R. C. Forbis and Miss Virginia Forbis spent Monday in Spur. Max McClure returned home with them and will spend the week on the Forbis ranch north of Afton.

**Mr. Bluhm and Miss  
Reynolds Married in  
Spur August 10th**

R. F. Bluhm and Miss Lorine Reynolds were united in marriage Saturday morning at eight o'clock, August 10th, at the home of the bride's father, M. C. Reynolds in Spur. Immediately after the ceremony, which was performed by Justice of the Peace Roddy, Mr. and Mrs. Bluhm left for Sweetwater to attend the aviation and airport celebration and festivities before going on to Big Spring where they will establish their home in the future.

Mr. Bluhm the past several years has been associated with the Williams and Baker Gin at Spur, as cotton classifier and buyer, and will be with the same firm in Big Spring. Miss Lorine Reynolds was reared in Spur, and since a mere child, following the death of her mother, assumed the responsibility of maintaining the home, care of the younger children and the home needs and comforts of older members of the family. She is a young lady of the true Western type, will be a real helpmate and contribute her part in establishing and maintaining a happy, comfortable home.

The Texas Spur sincerely wishes Mr. and Mrs. Bluhm years of an uninterrupted happiness and much of the prosperity which abounds in Western Texas.

Porter McGaughey returned Wednesday from California where he has been the past year or two employed in the tailoring business and other occupations.

Tom and Cotton Black, who have been out in California the past year, returned Thursday to Spur. Tom informed us that he for some time was employed on one of the big boats plying the ocean waters, stating that he spent much of his time fishing and hooking sharks in the deep waters.

W. B. Lee and family returned this week from an extended vacation trip to New Mexico, Colorado and other summer resorts.

Mrs. J. R. Laine and children are in the Ozark Mountains of Arkansas, vacationing.

C. D. Copelad made a trip Thursday to the Plains, seeking grass for his stock. He found grass and wheat fields in Floyd county.

Mrs. Anderson and children of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. Lawson Morgan of Tulsa, are here visiting their mother, Mrs. J. B. Morrison and family.

Miss Capshaw, of the north part of the county, was among the many shopping in Spur Saturday of the past week.

L. A. Grantham, of Red Hill, was on the streets of Spur Saturday. Mr. Grantham, with others, is becoming concerned about the continued dry weather, realizing that a general rain must come soon to assure the usual crop production in the country.

C. D. Copeland returned the past week from Glenrose where he had been the past ten days with his daughter, Miss Beaulah, who was taking special treatments at that health resort.

Attorney W. D. Wilson is among those attending district court this week in the city of Dickens. The term of district court will probably extend over a full four weeks term, there being a large number of cases docketed.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson is in a very critical condition at their rooms in the Wilson Hotel. During the week the street has been roped-off to prevent traffic from disturbing her. It is hoped that Mrs. Wilson's condition may soon improve.

W. R. Ferrell, of out near the line of New Mexico, has been here this week looking after his farm property interests, and meeting with his friends and old acquaintances of the Spur country. Several years ago Mr. Ferrell bought a farm further out west where he and family have been making their home. However, he is retaining his "farm homestead" in the Espuela community near Spur, where very probably they intend to make their permanent residence home in the future. Mr. Ferrell told us that his section of country had been favored with rains and that crops were in fine shape.

Ol Taylor was here Saturday of the past week from his farm home on Duck Creek. While that section had a big rain recently, Ol says it is now beginning to get dry, and a general rain is needed.

G. H. Slaton was here Wednesday. He figures that the rain has already been too long in coming.

S. H. Nally was transacting business in Spur during the week.

Mrs. Bill Davis was shopping in the city Saturday from the Spur Ranch headquarters.

**DIED**

Mr. R. L. Emert died August 8, 1929, at 7:40 a. m. at the Lubbock Sanitarium, being taken there July 29th. Mr. Emert was born in Nashville, Tenn., in 1869. He was 60 years of age at the time of his death.

He was married to Miss Kate Anderson May 6, 1903, and to this union were born eight children, four of whom are living. Mr. Emert and family moved to Dickens county in 1915 where he has since made his home. He was loved and respected by all who knew him and was a kind and loving husband and father.

Mrs. W. L. Hyatt has been spending some time in Breckenridge with her daughters, Mesdames Newt Harkey and Joe Salem. We understand that Mr. and Mrs. Joe Salem have a new baby in their home, having been born the past week.

Mrs. J. B. Walker, of the city, was the guest of friends last week in Jayton.

**DIED**

Virginia Atkerson, sixteen years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Atkerson of Deer Lake community, died Sunday following a brief illness of acute appendicitis, her remains being interred Monday in Dickens cemetery. Miss Atkerson was brought to the Nichols Sanitarium where an operation was performed in the hope of relieving her condition, but without avail.

Willis Smith and family, of the Red Mud section of country, were among the many shopping in the city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cross were in the city Saturday with the crowds of shoppers. While crops in the Cross community are promising, it is said that rain is beginning to be needed promptly.

J. M. Hahn, of Highway, was in the city Wednesday.

Walter L. Powell, of Dry Lake, was in the city Wednesday.

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SUIT CASES, extra good quality For boy or girl going to college	\$1	8 YARDS SHIRTING CHEVOITS A Heavy Grade for only	\$1
3 SHIRTS FOR YOUR BOY, Good for school wear, color blue, for	\$1	5 PR. LEATHER PALM GLOVES For only	\$1
ROLLINS HOSE FOR LADIES Full fashioned, \$1.50 value for	\$1	3 PR. LADIES HOUSE SHOES In lovely shades and very attractive	\$1
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3 YDS. 9-4 BLEACHED SHEETING Heavy quality for only	\$1	10 YDS. HEAVY BLEACHED DOMESTIC	\$1
6 YDS. FAST COLOR PRINTS New Fall Patterns for	\$1	10 PR. GOOD COTTON GLOVES For only	\$1
3 PR. OF MEN'S UNION SUITS For only	\$1	2 TIES, Value \$1.00 each For only	\$1
7 PR. MENS COTTON SOCKS Going for	\$1	MEN'S NEW FALL CAPS Going for	\$1
12 HANDKERCHIEFS FOR MEN Best Quality	\$1	10 PAIR GOOD WORK SOCKS Going for	\$1

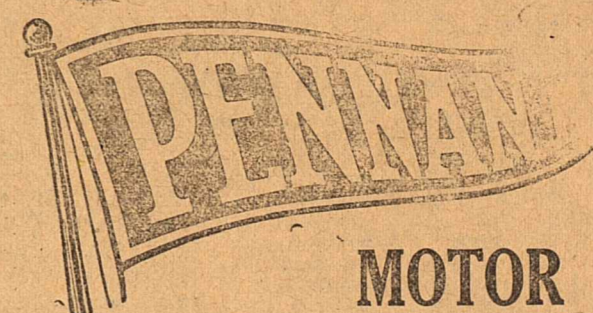
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