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# The Texas Spur

## AND DICKENS ITEM

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

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SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS. OCTOBER 27, 1922.

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## Attention!

### FOR TEN DAYS

## Beginning Sat., 28th

All Silk Dresses in our Ready to Wear Department will be placed at

## 25% Reduction

These are all New Garments

## C. HOGAN, Spur

Come and bring your keys

### COTTON SEED ADVANCES TO \$40 A TON ON SPUR MARKET

Spur takes the lead not only as a commercial center and trading point but as a market for farm products and especially so in the staple crops. This week the price of cotton seed on the Spur market advanced to forty dollars a ton, and by reason of the strong competition now evidenced in this market, the probability is that before the end of another week the price will go on up to \$45 or \$50 per ton.

The price of cotton this week also advanced to as high as \$23.25 per hundred, and the indications are that Spurr will soon be paying the coveted and anticipated price of twenty five cents.

Since the beginning of Spur in 1909, the highest markets have been maintained, and in establishing a superior trading point the merchants have kept large and varied stocks unsurpassed by cities of thousands of population.

The slogan, "do your marketing and trading in Spur" should ever be kept in mind by the surrounding territory. It means money saved and satisfied service in every commercial activity. Come to Spur.

## All Farmers TAKE NOTICE

WE HAVE TWO SIDES TO OUR GIN AND THEY ARE IN THE VERY BEST SHAPE, AND WHEN WE GET THROUGH GINNING A BALE OF COTTON OR BOLLIES IT CANNOT BE BEATEN BY ANY ONE. WE HAVE ONE SIDE FOR PICKED COTTON, AND THIS ASSURES YOU OF NOT HAVING TO FOLLOW A BOLLY WITH PICKED COTTON—AND NO GIN IN TEXAS CAN BEAT US GINNING BOLLIES. YOU ALL KNOW MR. McMATH, AND KNOW THERE IS NOT A BETTER GINNER IN THE WORLD. IN FACT WE HAVE THE BEST MEN THAT CAN BE HAD, AND ALL ARE PERFECT GENTLEMEN.

BRING US YOUR BUSINESS AND FEEL AT HOME. WE ARE DOING THE BEST THAT CAN BE DONE. WE GRIND ANYTHING, AND WE ARE READY TO MAKE YOUR CANE INTO SYRUP.

YOURS FOR BUSINESS,

## CITIZENS GIN & POWER CO.

EB. JOHNSON, Manager

### GEOLOGISTS MADE RESURVEY DICKENS COUNTY POTASH BEDS

J. Carlisle was here Monday from his Duck Creek farm home, and informed us that a geologist and representatives of the Hudson interests of Louisiana were here last week making another survey and analysis of the products of the potash beds on his farm and that of Mr. Blackwell, both of which have been leased and sold to these interests for immediate development.

The analysis of these beds, we are informed, shows between three and four per cent potash, together with larger percentages of acid phosphate, nitrogen and other products. Among other products contained in these beds is a large volume of the substance of which aluminum ware is manufactured. A "Dutch" cleaning substance, shampoo, and other minor products will also come from these beds in great quantities, but the main products for which the mines will be operated is potash, acid phosphate and nitrogenous products.

The Hudson interests are now making extensive preliminary arrangements looking to the operation of the mines. Several car loads of lumber have been ordered shipped to Gilpin where a number of cottages will be constructed in which to house employees required in mining operations and the temporary shipment of the products until machinery can be installed on the ground for smelting and manufacturing processes.

The development of the potash beds on the Carlisle and Blackwell places alone means more than the people generally dream is possible in this immediate territory. It means millions of dollars of investments and incomes. It means not only development of these two places, if successful, but merely the beginning of one of the greatest development eras in Texas' history. There are several other big potash beds in Dickens county, and other mineral products, which will be developed following a successful termination of the present undertaking.

### FORD—THE UNIVERSAL CAR.

According to statement just issued by Edsel B. Ford, President of the Ford Motor Company, Detroit, a general reduction of \$50.00 a car has been made in the prices of Ford Models T Cars and the Ford 1 Ton Truck, effective October 17th.

"The revision in prices," said Mr. Ford, "is the result of the increased volume of business which our company has enjoyed during the present year, and also to the fact that we now own and operate many of our own sources of raw material, which enables us to continue increasing the quality of our product and at the same time keep the price so low that Ford cars in reach of every body.

"Our production for 1922 is already in excess of a million, which has been an important factor in bringing down costs. Our present daily output is averaging better than 5,000 cars and trucks, which means a complete Ford car or truck every 5 1-2 seconds of each eight-hour working day. It is in anticipation of this continued demand that price adjustments are again being made in order to keep in effect the policy of selling Ford products at the lowest price consistent with quality.

"Quality, as usual," said Mr. Ford, "will continue to be a prime consideration in the building of Ford cars. As our business has increased we have constantly increased our equipment and manufacturing facilities, so that this price reduction merely reflects the progressive methods which come as a result of increased volume.

"This reduction, which is the sixth since March 1920, brings the price of the Ford touring car from \$575, the price effect early in 1920, to the present extremely low level of \$298, which is nearly 50 per cent less. Corresponding reductions have been made on all other types.

The new prices by types follow:

Touring	\$298
Roadster	\$269
Chassis	\$235
Coupe	\$530
Sedan	\$595
Truck	\$380

### BRICK AND OTHER MATERIAL ON GROUND FOR DRIVE-IN STATION

Brick, gravel, lime, cement and other material has been unloaded on the ground for the construction of the new drive-in filling station and the new thirty thousand dollar Baptist church edifice now under construction, together with several residences and other building improvements, is evidence that Spur is building and improving in the most substantial way.

The plans call for one of the most modern conveniently arranged drive-in gasoline filling stations of the entire Western country. In addition to the filling station, auto accessories

and retail department, will be one of the most attractively arranged auto show and sales room departments which modern ingenuity can plan and devise.

This building in connection with the new thirty thousand dollar Baptist church edifice now under construction, together with several residences and other building improvements, is evidence that Spur is building and improving in the most substantial way.

COME TO OUR OFFICE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AND LEARN HOW TO MAKE YOUR OLD FURNITURE NEW.—P. H. MILLER.

## Buy a Ford

### AND BANK THE DIFFERENCE

## \$50.00 Reduction

### ON ALL MODELS

Touring Car	\$418.00
.....	\$50.00
.....	\$389.00
.....	\$50.00
.....	\$580.00
.....	\$50.00

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SPUR, TEXAS



STATE OF TEXAS  
 Sheriff or any Constable of  
 Dickens County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon M. T. Bell and C. H. Bell, partners, doing business under the name of Bell Lumber Company; W. R. Case & Sons, Cutlery Company, a foreign corporation; Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association, a defunct joint stock company, and the stockholders of Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association, a defunct joint stock company, whose names are unknown; and the Stonewall State Bank, a defunct corporation, and the stockholders of the Stonewall State Bank, a defunct corporation, whose names are unknown, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas, to be begun and holden at the the Court house thereof, in Dickens, Texas, on the Fourth Monday in November, A. D. 1922, same being the 27th day of November, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 16th day of October, A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court No. 683, Wherein C. Hogan is plaintiff, and J. D. Jones, J. T. Lamar, C. S. Lamar, E. C. Edmonds, Wm. Cameron & Company, a domestic corporation; Walker-Smith Company, a domestic corporation; Wm. J. Lyons, doing business under the trade name of Lyons Bros. Co.; M. T. Bell and C. H. Bell, partners, doing business under the name of Bell Lumber Company; W. R. Case & Sons Cutlery Company, a foreign corporation; Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association, a defunct joint stock company, and the unknown stockholders of Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association, a defunct joint stock company; and Stonewall State Bank, a defunct corporation, and the unknown stockholders of the Stonewall State Bank, a defunct corporation, are defendants; a brief statement of the cause of action alleged, being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff sues to foreclose the vendor's lien on 158 acres of land, the Northeast Quarter of Survey No. 3, Certificate No. 323, A. B. & M., grantees, situated in Dickens County, Texas alleged to exist against said land to secure payment of Eight notes dated Sept. 16, 1920, and executed by one J. W. Thompson and payable to the order of J. D. Jones, Notes Nos. 1 to 7 of said series being for the sum of \$394.29 each, and due respectively on or before Jan. 1 1921 to 1927, inclusive, and Note No. 8 being for the sum of \$2,000.00, and due on or before Dec. 15th, 1921; all of said notes bearing interest from date at 8 per cent per annum, interest payable annually, and providing for payment of ten per cent attorneys fees, and containing the usual accelerating maturity clause; that by mesne conveyances, the defendant, E. C. Edmonds, has become the owner of said land and obligated to pay said notes, that by mesne transfers hereof, plaintiff has become and is now the owner of all said notes and the vendor's lien securing their payment; that none of said notes have been paid, nor interest thereon, and that plaintiff has exercised his option to declare all same due and payable; that the defendant, Wm. Cameron & Co., Walker-Smith Co., W. R. Case & Sons Cutlery Co., Wm. J. Lyons, doing business under the trade name of Lyons Bros. Co., M. T. Bell and C. H. Bell, doing business under the name of Bell Lumber Co., Pierce-Fordyce Oil Association, a defunct joint stock company, and the unknown stockholders thereof; and Stonewall State Bank, a defunct

corporation, and the unknown stockholders thereof, are claiming some interest in or lien upon said land adverse to plaintiff by reason of certain judgements obtained by said defendants against said J. W. Thompson and abstracted and recorded in said Dickens County, Texas; but which said claims of said defendants plaintiff says is in all things subordinate and inferior to the lien existing on said land to secure payment of the notes sued on herein, with prayer for the foreclosure of his lien against all defendants herein.

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

Witness: O. C. Arthur, Clerk of the District Court of Dickens County.

Given under my hand and seal of said court, at office in Dickens, Texas, this 17th day of October, A. D. 1922.

O. C. ARTHUR, Clerk,  
 District Court, Dickens County, Texas. 53-4t.

—Trade in Spur—  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS.  
 To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dickens County, Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to summon J. E. Wild, and the heirs of J. E. Wild, dec'd, whose names are unknown, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof in the town of Dickens, Texas, on the Fourth Monday in November, A. D. 1922, same being the 27th day of November, A. D. 1922, then and there, to answer a petition filed in said court on the 7th day of September, A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered No. 665 on the docket of said court, wherein Cephus Hogan is plaintiff, and J. E. Wild and the Unknown Heirs of J. E. Wild, dec'd, are defendants, the cause of action alleged being briefly stated, as follows: Plaintiff sues in Trespass to Try Title for the title and possession of Lot No. 24, in Block No. 43, in the town of Spur, Dickens County, Texas, as shown upon the map or plat of said town of record in the office of the County Clerk of Dickens, Texas, being a part of Survey No. 244, Block No. 1, H. & G. N. R. R. Co. grantee, in Dickens County, Texas, and to remove cloud from and to quiet the title to said above described land and premises, alleging that plaintiff is the owner, in fee simple, of said land and premises, but that defendants are asserting some claim of title thereto, adverse to plaintiff, but that plaintiff's right and title thereto is superior to that of defendants; and praying for judgement for the title and possession of said above described premises, for the cancellation and removal of defendants claim thereto as a cloud from plaintiff's title, and that plaintiff's title thereto be quieted, for writ of restitution, rents, damages and costs of suit, and for general and special, legal and equitable relief.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court, on the first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: O. C. Arthur, Clerk of the District Court of Dickens County.

Given under my hand and the seal of said court, at office in Dickens, Texas, this 7th day of September, A. D. 1922.

O. C. ARTHUR,  
 Clerk, of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas. 48-4t.

—Trade in Spur—

COTTON CONSUMPTION  
 GREATER THIS YEAR

Washington, Oct. 14.—The Census Bureau today issued the following report showing the following number of bales of cotton consumed during September, 1922, and 1921, respectively.

Cotton, exclusive of linters, consumed during September, total 490,344 and 484,718:

Held in consuming establishments, Sept. 30, 1,065,117 and 1,118,045.

Held in public storage and at compresses, 3,217,639 and 4,312,135.

Imported, 4,628 and 6,326.

Exported including linters, 890 and 532,839.

Linters consumed during September, 59,833 and 60,710.

Held in consuming establishments, 97,205 and 156,295.

Held in public storage and at compresses, 21,262 and 204,699.

Exported, 2,902 and 9,057.

Spindles, number active during September, 33,296,513 and 33,874,620.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—TON AND HALF REPUBLIC TRUCK, IN GOOD SHAPE. SEE J. P. SIMMONS. 41-tf

—Trade in Spur—  
 Electrical work, general repairing, welding. —Motor Hospital. Phone 191. 44-tf.

—Trade in Spur—  
 Just received a new shipment of "Willard" Hats.—J. H. Dobbins. 51-tf

—Trade in Spur—  
 SHOE HOSPITAL  
 Have your shoes treated properly at the following prices:  
 Sewed Soles -----\$1.50  
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 Shop located next door to Spur Bottling works.—C. P. Williams. 4t.

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**SPUR GRAIN & COAL CO.**

C. Douglass, who for some time has been out near the line of New Mexico doing road building work, is again in Spur. Mr. Douglass is an expert road builder, as has been demonstrated by his work in Dickens as well as other counties.

T. L. Dozier, a prominent citizen of near Spur, was here the past week trading and on other business.

Just received a new shipment of "Willard" Hats.—J. H. Dobbins. 51-tf

J. Anderson Davis, of four miles northeast of Spur, was among the large number of business visitors in the city Saturday.

Hamp Collett was on the streets one day the past week greeting his friends.

**1923**

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23-6-41—Tour. Sedan, 5 pass. \$1935	23-6-44—Roadster, 2 pass. - 1175	23-6-55—Sport Tour., 4 pass. 1675	
23-6-45—Touring, 5 pass. - 1195	23-6-47—Sedan, 5 pass. - 1985	<b>FOUR CYLINDER MODELS</b>	
23-6-48—Coupe, 4 pass. - 1895	23-6-49—Touring, 7 pass. - 1435	23-4-34—Roadster, 2 pass. - 865	
23-6-50—Sedan, 7 pass. - 2195		23-4-35—Touring, 5 pass. - 885	
		23-4-36—Coupe, 3 pass. - 1175	
		23-4-37—Sedan, 5 pass. - 1395	
		23-4-38—Tour. Sedan, 5 pass. 1325	

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**NOTICE**

All parties whomsoever are hereby notified and warned that hunting, wood hauling and trespassing in any way is absolutely forbidden in any of my pastures, and all violations of this warning will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.—Ed Lisenby. 9tf.

—Trade in Spur—

We are now ready to make up our cane into syrup. Be sure to cut our cane before frost and bring it in.—Citizens Gin & Power Co., by Eb. Johnson. 53-tf.

—Trade in Spur—

Try the special dinners at the Highway Cafe, and you'll be satisfied. 51tf.

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**WELL NEAR COLORADO FLOW-  
 ING BIG AMOUNT SALT WATER**

Colorado, Texas, Sept. 26.—Badget No. 1 of the Mitchell County Oil Corporation, fourteen miles north-west of Colorado, which blew in a salt gusher Sunday afternoon, continues to produce 10,000 barrels of strong salt solution every twenty-four hours. The solution is very thick and is being thrown thirty-five to forty-five feet above the crown block. The roar of the well is heard more than a mile and is plainly seen six miles away. Fifteen acres of land surrounding the well and all the vicinity is covered with salt, resembling a huge snowstorm.

Oil men here claim the well is a mystery. It is the first of its kind known to local operators. The salt gusher was drilled in at 1,100 feet. It was producing strong gas at 1,050 feet last week.

—Trade in Spur—  
**FEDERAL FARM LOANS**

Parties wishing to secure federal farm loans, address N. E. Porter, Jayton, Texas, and he will call on you. Loan rates 5 1-2 per cent.—N. E. Porter, Sec.-Treas. J. N. F. L. A. 5f

—Trade in Spur—

We are fully equipped and prepared to clean and gin your scrap cotton to the very best advantage. Bring it to us and we will do the rest.—Citizens Gin & Power Co., Eb. Johnson. 5f

—Trade in Spur—

**NOTICE**

We will sell no more wood, and all hauling from Pitchfork enclosure is prohibited.—Pitchfork Land & Cattle Co., by W. H. Bryant. 5f

—Trade in Spur—

Special Sunday dinners, at Highway Cafe. 51-tf.

—Trade in Spur—

**NOTICE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
 County of Dickens.

WHEREAS, an order was passed by the Commissioner's Court of Dickens County, Texas, ordering an Election in McAdoo School District No. 15, within said County, on the 21st day of October, 1922, for the purpose of enabling the freeholders of said school district to determine whether horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle shall be permitted to run at large in this said District.

Now, therefore, I, Chas. McLaughlin in my capacity as County Judge of Dickens County, Texas, do hereby order that an election be held on the 21st day of October, 1922, at the voting Precinct therein to determine whether horses, mules, jacks, jennets and cattle shall be permitted to run at large in this said School District. No person shall vote at said election unless a freeholder and also a qualified voter of said County and School District under the Constitution and laws of this State.

All votes at said election shall be by ballot; and voters desiring to prevent the animals designated in this order from running at large shall place upon their ballots, the words: "For the Stock Law," and those in favor of allowing such animals to run at large shall place upon their ballots the words, "Against the Stock Law."

Said election shall be held at the usual voting place in the election precinct of McAdoo, Dickens County, Texas. And the following named person has been appointed as manager of said election at the voting place, and who shall appoint his own clerks. To-wit: J. F. Phifer.

The above named manager of said election shall within five days after said election has been held, make due returns thereof to the Commissioner's Court of this County as is required by law for holding a general election.

Dated this 11th day of September, 1922.

CHAS. MCLAUGHLIN,  
 County Judge, Dickens County, Texas.

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**OUR HOME COUNTY**

"It takes a heap o' livin'" in a county to make it home. But one thing sure, the more you live in your county the more you love it. You can not learn to love a county moving from one to another every few years any more than you can learn to love a home and move every few months. It is not so much what folks do for us that binds us to them as what we do for folks. It is the things we do and sacrifice for a person or a cause that makes us love them most. And this is just as true of our home county as it is of our home folks.

You have to stay with a cause: you have to work for it and sacrifice for it and suffer for it to really love it. That is why our old pioneers are such loyal citizens. That is why they are such proud citizens. That is why they are such jealous citizens of the honor and rights of their country. Just as a "rolling stone gathers no moss", neither does a roving person gather a high degree of love and patriotism for any special spot called home.

But there is another feature that binds us all to our home county more than anything else and that is TO OWN a little bit of it. To own a few acres in your home county gives a fellow a feeling that he not only belongs to his county but a portion of that county, more or less, actually belongs to him. And you know what the Bible says about treasures. "That wherever our treasures are there will our heart be also." That's it. That is why every man and every citizen of every county and State ought to own at least a city lot, a town block or a few acres of soil of his home county.

What do you suppose would be the effect on the development of your county if every citizen in it owned at least enough of its sod to lay the foundation of a home? It is owning your home in your own county that generates county spirit. It is owning the virgin soil, planting the first tree, building the first fence and the first little shack called home. Then year by year plowing a fortune out of that soil and building a better home. And after while the flowers begin to bloom around the doors and the trees begin to bear fruit and the children! There is nothing that so sanctifies a place as when it becomes the birthplace of children. How we hate to sell it and move away after that. And how the children look back through all their lives to the old home and the home county where they were born. And what a joy it is through the years of life when they meet in other counties and other States if the whole family has the

same birthplace, in the same home, in the same county, grown in the same community, gone to school to manhood and womanhood in the same little school house, had the same school mates, attended the same Sunday school and gone to the same parties. That is what holds families together in spirit if not in body. That is what makes them love the old home county. That is what breeds patriotism and loyalty for home town, county and country.

And we of the West, who have planted our first homes in this big, new country, have the opportunity to build just such homes and counties and citizenship if we will be satisfied to get us the nucleus of a home and hold it and stay with it until we rear every child in the county to love his home county.

Oh, "It takes a heap o' livin'" in a county to make it home. There are houses and barns, fences and roads to build. There are school and churches, communities, towns and cities to build. There are orchards to plant and prune, crops to cultivate and harvest year after year; floods and failures, drouths and storms of every kind to bear. And if we would live our best to make our county the best place in the world to live and rear our family, there would be a constant demand for the investment of our lives and our means. But when our day is done and the evening shadows gather, the crowning glory of the sunset will be the consciousness that we lived not alone for self—but we gave our best to the old home county.—Phebe K. Warner.

**DEVELOPING A GREAT SECTION**

Seventeen of the 22 counties that have agricultural exhibits at the Texas State Fair are in the Panhandle and West Texas. That means that only five counties from other sections of the State are represented. These are Harrison, Hill, Ellis, Johnson and Collin. Fifteen of the exhibits come from the Panhandle and the Plains.

Whatever else this indicates, it certainly shows the enterprise of the Plains people. They are developing a great section and they are willing to make the effort necessary to show the world what can be produced in their section. They are inviting new population. They want other people to come and help them produce more of these products and they are going to get them. They are laying the foundation of a new civilization out where there is plenty of room to expand and develop.—Star Telegram.

—Trade in Spur—

The Highway Cafe is putting on a special dinner every day at an attractive price. 51-tf.



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**DEMOCRATIC ANNOUNCEMENTS FOR DICKENS COUNTY OFFICES**

**For Tax Assessor:**  
G. B. JOPLING (Reelection)

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**  
H. P. COLE

**For County Treasurer:**  
C. H. PERRY (Reelection)

**For Commissioner, Precinct 1:**  
T. M. GREEN

**For Commissioner, Precinct 3:**  
G. A. SLOAN

**For Commissioner, Precinct 4:**  
W. D. THACKER

**For District and County Clerk:**  
O. C. ARTHUR (2nd term)

**For Public Weigher, Precinct 3:**  
G. W. RASH

**For County Judge & School Supt.:**  
H. A. C. BRUMMETT

**For County Attorney:**  
B. G. WORSWICK

**For Constable Precinct 3:**  
FRANK LAVERTY

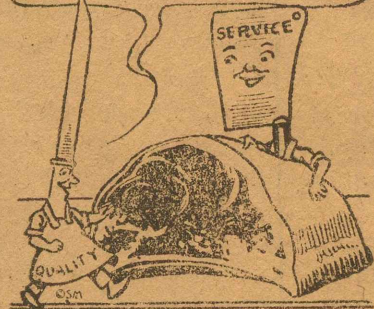
**For Co. Commissioner, Pre. 2, Kent County:**  
H. F. MORRIS

F. R. Harrington, who has been following up the various county fairs throughout the country with his race horses, returned this week to Spur. His horses won a number of purses in the rounds, and incidentally demonstrated that fast running horses could be raised and trained here at home. We noted from the Post City paper that the Harrington racer beat the McGonagill mare which ran in Spur at the fair. The McGonagill racer was considered very fast by many who saw her on the track here.

We this week received a letter from W. M. Ledford who is now in San Antonio, inviting us to come down and go deer hunting with him November 1st, stating that he had made all the necessary arrangements, and had located the real deer range. Nothing would give us more pleasure than such a trip, but finances and other impediments prevent us going. However, we are hoping that Mr. Ledford will favor us with a small piece of venison—merely as an evidence of his skill.

White Moore was in town Saturday from his ranch home six miles west of Spur. These warm days, tinged with the wintry atmosphere is calling him to the woods, and he agreed with us that at an early date we would camp out in one of the big pastures and try our hand with reel and rod and dog and gun. We had thought such days were gone forever, but may be not.

**OLD GENERAL APPETITE!**



We have for your inspection, on Thursday and Friday of each week; dressed cat fish, also extra select oysters. We are now making Brick Chili, Hot Barbecue and Pork Link Sausage.

**CENTRAL MARKET**  
Phone 69

**DICKENS HIGH SCHOOL NOTES**

Mr. Barney Nichols, of Dumont, has enrolled in our school. We are indeed glad to welcome him among us. Pupils from almost every community in the county have enrolled. Mr. Arthur Bilberry was absent from school Monday.

We had a pie supper at the High School Auditorium Friday night. The proceeds were to go to the playground equipments. The net proceeds were something over \$50.00. Miss Mary Castleberry was awarded a cake for being the prettiest girl, and Mr. Elbert Green also received a prize for being the ugliest young man. We think they decided right. What about it Elbert?

The Vaughn Quartet entertained us Saturday night with some fine singing at the Auditorium.

The town boys played the High School boys Friday afternoon the scores were 26 and 7 in favor of the High School boys.

Friday is examination day, so we girls must get to studying if we get on the Honor Roll for this month.—Two School Girls.

**TO FARMERS OF DICKENS CO.**

It will afford me much pleasure to present to you a business proposition, that will put dollars and cents into your pockets. It will cause better schools, better churches and a better class of citizens, within which to live. It will be both moral and social uplift for the citizens of your county. It will bring a close co-operative spirit between business men and farmers. This message comes to you through the Farm Labor Union of America. Located at Bonham, Texas, which now has a membership in Texas of over two hundred thousand. We farmers must organize not to be the play thing or the instrument of designing politicians, but organize for an intelligent investigation and pursuit of economics, organize for a cooperative marketing of his products, organize if it may seem desirable for the cooperative purchase of his requirements, organize for an intelligent understanding of the source and volume of demand for farm products.

Beginning within a few days I will visit every school house in Dickens county. And there make announcements for the farmers to meet me and discuss some of the vital issues, that confront us today, trusting the farmers will take advantage of the occasion and be benefitted as your neighbor county has. I am with best wishes, Your very truly.—G. E. Kimmel, District Organizer.

C. A. Brinnell, of the Spur Ranch headquarters, was in the city during the week marketing garden truck. Mr. Brinnell, for several years past, has thoroughly demonstrated that it pays to truck farm, even in the Spur country. Not many years ago it was thought that gardening and truck farming was a waste of time in this section, but this idea has long since been exploded. No country can produce better garden truck than in the great Spur country.

Our trees are bearing all over West Texas and Eastern New Mexico, as they are varieties best suited to your locality. We sell shade trees to schools, churches, parks and for municipal planting at a very low price. Send us a list of what you will need. A catalog will be sent upon request.—Plainview Nursery Co. Plainview, Texas. 51-3ra

W. F. McCarty returned recently from one of his regular trips to his farm away out west in Bailey county. He says that is the finest country in the whole state—and he may be right, excepting the Spur country.

W. A. King, of near Spur, was in town the latter part of the past week, trading.

J. B. Morrison was here this week. He is this year making more than a hundred bales of cotton on his place. However, he stated that he did not intend to quit the cattle raising business in connection with his farming operations. Bud, with the other cattlemen of the country, has hit it a little hard in the past, and we are glad to see him now coming out on top.

W. O. McCreary was on the streets the other day. He already has the appearance and general bearing of a prosperous "tiller of the soil." Well we knew when he decided to move to the farm that he would make good—and we also know that it requires an expert to succeed in the business of farming.

M. A. Pace was circulating among the crowd on the streets of Spur Saturday. M. A. Pace has been here a number of years, has "hit it hard" as the saying goes, but is today getting back on his feet again. This country will unfailingly and unquestionably prosper every man who stays with it and uses judgement.

G. A. Howsley went up to Albany last week to attend the funeral of Marshall Biggs, sheriff of Shackelford county, who dropped dead of heart failure Tuesday evening. His son, Bob Howsley, returned the first of the week to Spur with him, spending a couple of days here greeting friends.

W. H. Cartwright, a substantial and leading citizen of the Spur territory, was among the business visitors here during the week. Mr. Cartwright has been here almost since the very beginning of the town—has suffered and prospered with us on all occasions.

**Fancy Bead Necklaces.—Red Front**

**SHERIFF'S SALE**

Notice is Hereby Given, that by virtue of a certain order issued by the Clerk of the District Court of Lubbock County, on the 13th day of June A. D. 1922, in a certain cause where in The Security State Bank and Trust Co. plaintiff, and Neal A. Douglas Sr. and H. P. Edwards defendant, in which cause a judgement was rendered on the 13th day of June A. D. 1922 in favor of the said plaintiff The Security State Bank and Trust Co. against said defendant Neal A. Douglas and H. P. Edwards for the sum of \$1250 principal, 66.11 int. \$131.61 attorney fee; principal and int. to bear interest at the rate of 10 per cent per annum from June 13, 1922, and attorney's fees to bear int. from June 13th, 1922 at 6 per cent annum this together with all costs of suit, I have levied upon, and will, on the first Tuesday in November 1922, it being the 7th day of said month, at Court House of Dickens County within legal hours, proceed to sell for cash to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of H. P. Edwards in and to the following described real estate, levied upon as the property of H. P. Edwards to wit:

Abstract Certificate Survey Acres	299,	1124,	1 A. B. M. 640
	306,	Sub.	54 Lee Co. 155
	306,	Sug.	56 Lee Co. 169
	306,	Sub.	58 Lee Co. 160
	305,	Sub.	51 Lee Co. 159
	305,	Sub.	52 Lee Co. 169
	347,	Sub.	18 C. U. C. 161
	799 Sub.	18 NE 1-4 J. Gibson	160
	468,	Sub.	31 E1-2 C. U. C. 160

The above sale to be made by me to satisfy the above described judgement for \$1250 principal, 66.11 int. and \$131.61 attorney's fee, Dollars, in favor of The Security State Bank and Trust Company, together with the costs of said suit, and the proceeds applied to the satisfaction thereof.

G. L. BARBER.

Sheriff Dickens County, Texas. 52-3c.

The Christian Endeavor met Sunday afternoon with Miss Pauline Ramsey as Leader. There were 20 present and there was an interesting discussion on "Worship".

Jack Rector will be leader on Sunday 29th.—Floy Richbourg Reporter.

F. I. Hale, a leading citizen of the Afton community, was a business visitor to Spur Wednesday of this week. He reports everything in fine shape in that section, with everybody very busy at this time winding up the cotton picking.

W. H. Birdwell and family are now arranging to go to Arizona, and will probably leave within the next week or two. They intend to make the trip through the country—but Mr. Birdwell has not agreed that he will remain forever in Arizona.

C. W. Barrett was in the city the first of the week from his farm home to the south of Spur. He informed us that he was making a good crop, notwithstanding the adverse conditions which prevailed earlier in the season.

**FOR SALE OR TRADE**—My residence in Spur, 4 rooms and sleeping porch, underground cistern, city water, lights and other improvements on place. Also a 40-acre farm 1 mile north of town.—R.D. Baughman.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS**

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

You are hereby commanded to summon Marcos Herrera, by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, in some newspaper published in your county, if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest county where a newspaper is published, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in Dickens, Texas, on the Fourth Monday in November, 1922, same being the 27th day of November, A. D. 1922, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 23rd day of October, A. D. 1922, in a suit numbered on the docket of said court, No. 688, wherein Felician Cortez Herrera is plaintiff and Marcos Herrera is defendant, a brief statement of plaintiff's cause of action being as follows:

Plaintiff sues for divorce from the bonds of matrimony existing between plaintiff and defendant, alleging their marriage in Dickens County, Texas, on or about the 5th day of July, 1920; that they lived as husband and wife until about the first days of October, 1920, when they separated; that defendant was guilty of such harsh, cruel and outrageous treatment of plaintiff as to render their further living together insupportable; that defendant cursed and abused plaintiff, and assaulted her with his hands and fists, and finally left plaintiff in delicate health and without making any provision for her support and care, or for the care of their child born afterwards; all of which acts and conduct on the part of defendant was of such a cruel and outrageous nature as to render further living together as husband and wife insupportable; with prayer for divorce, costs, and general and special relief.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said court on said first day of the next term thereof, this writ, with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Witness: O. C. Arthur, Clerk of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Dickens County, Texas, this 23rd day of October, 1922.

O. C. ARTHUR

District Court, Dickens County, Texas.

**SMARTY**  
I'M LEARNING PA TO TAKE CARE OF HIS CLOTHES  
The mm folks are im provig fast, They treat their clothes so thy will last. Buying a stylish suit or top cat is only the first step in good dressing. Let us care for and insure the long life of each garment you purchase. Our dry cleaning is dothes insurance that pays.

**J. H. DOBBINS**  
CLEANING & PRESSING  
PHONE 10 SPUR, TEXAS



# Just Arrived!

**A NEW LINE SWEATERS**  
For Men and Boys—in the Coat and Slip-on Styles. These come in both wool & mixed, and the very latest shades.

**OUR LINE OF GINGHAM,**  
Domestics, Outings, Quilt Calicoes and full width of Sheetings is Complete. Am also carrying a few pieces of Satins in different shades.

**HAVE A NICE LINE OF WOOL SERGES IN FRENCH AND STORM.**

We sell the Famous "Hanes" Brand of Underwear for Men. Our line of Groceries is being kept up, and we are enjoying a nice trade. Come and get my prices and you will not need to go farther.

**DON'T FORGET THAT MONDAY, OCTOBER 30, IS THE DAY FOR SCHOOL TO START IN AFTON DISTRICT!** To every pupil purchasing a Tablet that day, a Pencil will be given away FREE of any charge. Come see us Monday

**Warren C. Squires**  
AFTON, TEXAS

## POLITICAL UNREST

A Statewide convention of "Independent" Republicans, with 200 delegates present, met at Des Moines last Thursday, and adopted resolutions denouncing the Republican for United States Senator from the state of Iowa. They launched an organization to support the Democratic nominee.

In his dispatch from South Dakota the last of the week, David Lawrence sends the news that the regular Republican organization of that state are openly supporting J. F. O'Conner, the Democratic nominee.

It is stated that in Wisconsin so many of the Democrats went into the Republican primary to vote for or against Senator La Follette, according to their point of view, that there were not enough votes cast in the Democratic primary to get a place for that party on the regular ticket for the general election.

In Minnesota, where the Democratic party is now third, the Democrats have joined with the Republicans to insure defeat of the Farmer Labor party's candidate in the November election.

In the states of Iowa and North Dakota it looks as if the Democratic nominee will be elected by the organized assistance of the Republicans. In Wisconsin there is no doubt but what Senator La Follette, a strict radical, will be elected against the efforts of the Conservatives, Democrats and Republicans; while in Minnesota the Republican nominee will be elected by the assistance of many Democrats.

In all of these states the old party lines have been broken down. In states where the Republicans are supporting the Democratic nominees the action is being justified by the claim that the Republican party has been captured by an alien organization, the Nonpartisan League.

In Texas the "Independent" Democrats have affected a nomination, and this nomination has been accepted by the Republicans to defeat the regular Democratic nominee. And now in their quibbles, both sides have filed injunctions with the Secretary of State forbidding him to place the names of either nominee on the official ballot for the November election.

In all there seems to be quite a mix-up year in the matter of party regulations. And there is much tendency toward the breaking down of party lines. What has been said of these states seem to be true in many other states, and it does not hinge on the dominant party.

Both parties seem to be very poor in leadership and in issues commanding party fealty in national affairs, in that very little pride is felt by the mass of voters anywhere. It seems to be what might be called a "period of transition". What the outcome may be upon the country and upon each party is yet to be brought out.

## MRS. R. S. BOOTHE DEAD

Mrs. R. S. Boothe, of near Girard, died Sunday night at her home, the remains being interred Sunday in the Girard cemetery.

Mrs. Boothe was the wife of R. S. Boothe, deceased, who during his life and residence in this section was a leader in farmers organization work. She was loved and respected by all who knew her, and the entire community joins in sorrow with members of the family in this bereavement.

**COME TO OUR OFFICE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AND LEARN HOW TO DECORATE YOUR HOME WITH A LITTLE PAINT AND VARNISH OCTOBER 26 & 27.—P. H. MILLER.**

S. B. Loykin, of the Spur territory was among the recent visitors on the streets.

A. Fry was here Monday from the Cat Fish country.

# NOTICE

PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ESTATE OF SOL DAVIS DEC., ARE REQUESTED TO CALL AND SETTLE THEIR ACCOUNT AT ONCE. IT IS MY PURPOSE TO CLOSE THE ADMINISTRATION ON THIS ESTATE AT AN EARLY DATE AND TO DO SO WILL NECESSITATE THE COLLECTION OF DEBTS DUE IT.

**E. C. EDMONDS, Adms.**  
OFFICE CITY NATIONAL BANK SPUR, TEXAS.

I AM NOW LOCATED IN SPUR WITH A

## Mattress Renevator

PREPARED TO DO ALL KINDS OF MATTRESS AND CUSHION WORK. ALL WORK GUARANTEED.

Located First Building South of the Miller Lumber Yard. I Will Appreciate Your Business

**N. O. PHILLIPS, Spur, Texas**

## NOTICE

To those who know themselves indebted to me for serving you in time of sickness. That I have waited patiently for you to pay me. Your obligations to your banker or merchant are no more honorable or just than your obligation to the doctor who serves you honestly in the time of sickness and distress in your family. And all honorable men know and feel this way about it and will at least divide with those they owe. To those who have payed me I thank you. And to those who have not I will say I have obligations that must be met next month, are result in sacrifice to my self. And as a result of my long continued illness I am not able to get out and look after my collections so I take this means of asking you who know you owe me to come forward please and help me as I have helped you when you called me.

Respty. yours,

J. H. GRACE.

## MARRIED

Rev. J. W. Jennings reported the marriage of Mr. Willie Smith to Miss Vera Teague, both of the Espuela community, Sunday afternoon, Oct. 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith are prominent young people of the Espuela community where they will continue to make their home in the future. The Texas Spur joins their many friends in congratulations and very best wishes, and may they enjoy many years of unalloyed happiness and prosperity.

Coley's Garage has been put at a loss the last few days, because of the illness of their chief mechanic, Lewie Colberg. His illness is not serious however, and he will soon be on the job again.

Grandpa Douglass, is in Spur from Wichita Falls to spend some time with his son, C. Douglass.

John McMath, of near Spur, was among the many recent visitors to Spur.

W. A. Grizzle, of near Spur, was a recent business visitor on the streets.

L. B. McMens was here recently trading and on other business.

W. A. Conatser, if near Spur, was in town the past week.

W. W. Allen was trading in town Wednesday.

L. V. Basham, of near Spur, was trading in the city Saturday.

Walter Dunn is now out of the hospital after an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Lizzy Miller recently purchased the Kandy Kitchen and business formerly operated by R. E. Day, and now has charge and is operating the business. Mr. Day and family are on the road in the show business, having the smallest horse in the world.

The Spur Schools now has more than five hundred pupils in regular attendance. Soon we will be ready for a college. An A. & M. would be quite an adornment to this section.

Mrs. J. B. Richbourg is this week visiting with W. J. Attebury and family of Amarillo. She will also visit with her daughter, Miss Creola, at Planview before returning home.

H. C. Parsons, of the Tap country to the west of Spur, was in the city Monday. He reports everything progressing nicely at this time in his part of the great Spur country.

J. H. Hooper, of south of town a few miles, was here during the week transacting business matters and enjoying some of the prosperity which many are accumulating this fall.

G. B. Morris, of just over the line in Kent county, dropped in Wednesday and renewed his subscription for both the Texas Spur and Dallas News in combination.

J. E. Langford one among the old timers of the town, came in the past week and spent a short time here on business. He reports everything now in good shape.

Howard Campbell was here Saturday trading, and incidentally meeting and conversing with his numerous friends of the town and surrounding country.

Roy Butts, of eight or nine miles to the east of Spur, was here the other day, meeting with his friends and incidentally selling a little cotton and trading some with the live-wire merchants.

J. W. Baze, a prominent citizen of the Dry Lake community, was one among the large number of business visitors in Spur Saturday of the past week.

J. H. Hammonds, of east of Spur several miles, was here Saturday on business and meeting with friends of the town and surrounding Spur country.

near Girard, was in Spur. Mr. was making comparative

here Saturday of West Pasture

Miss Allred has been quite sick this week, and as a result has had a substitute teacher in the Spur school.

Frank Laverty went to Dallas this week to drive back a new Dodge car for the Riter Hardware Company.

T. G. Bass, of the Dry Lake settlement, was among the traders and visitors to Spur during the week.

Mr. Morris, of the Afton country, was among the business visitors to Spur during the week.

R. M. Slack, of the Cat Fish territory, was among the crowds on the streets the past week.

Frank Smith, of south of Spur, was among the visitors on the streets last Wednesday.

M. C. Donaldson, of north of Dickens, was here recently, trading and on other business.

H. E. Grabener was in the city the latter part of the week from his farm home to the East of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lilly, of several miles northeast of Spur, were recent shoppers in the city.

W. C. Mitchell, of Tap, was in the city last week, marketing cotton and talking good times.

Miss Latham is spending the week in Abilene on account of the illness of her father.

Ben Rutledge helped us on the way this week by shoving up his subscription.

W. R. Rouse was here Saturday mingling with the crowds here that day.

George Renfroe was in from his ranch home one day the first of this week.

Judge elect Brummett has been spending several days of this week in Spur.

Mrs. L. H. Perry is in Dallas this week to consult with an eye specialist.

L. E. Ayers, a prominent citizen of west of Spur, was shaking hands in Spur the past week.

J. M. Hahn, of the Dockum Valley community, was here trading the last week.

D. J. Bolch, of the Dockum Valley country, was a recent business visitor in Spur.

Joe Martin was here greeting his friends the other day.

Bill McArthur was in town a few minutes Monday.

CHANCE TO WIN \$10.00 SEE THE DEVOTE DEMONSTRATOR AT OUR OFFICE FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, 26 AND 27.—P. H. MILLER.

Sheriff Barber, W. T. Andrews, Weldon Grimes, Mesdames Barber, Lela Evans went to Amarillo Monday to attend federal court.

G. M. Cox, a good citizen of the great Spur country, was circulating among friends and acquaintances on the streets the past week.

C. Hogan made a business trip the first of the week to Matador. He reports everything moving along all o.k. in that part of the w.

W. L. Pullen, of the north part of the county, was here the first of the week meeting with friends and trading some with merchants.

Judge Walter L. Powell and Mrs. Powell, of the Dry Lake community, were shoppers and visitors in Spur the first of this week.

Walter Jordan, of Duck Creek dropped in Wednesday and relieved to a great extent some of our financial worries at this time.

County Agent Johnston returned this week from the Kansas City markets where he sold another cooperative shipment of cattle.

County Clerk O. C. Arthur was in Spur Saturday from Dickens, spending the afternoon here meeting with his many friends.

Miss Carol Senning returned this week from an extended visit with her brother, C. Earyl Senning and of Wichita Falls.

J. A. Kerley a leading citizen east of Spur, was among the business visitors on the streets during the week.

J. J. Martin, of the Red Mud territory, was in Spur Monday of the week, meeting with his friends trading some.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lollar, of several miles east of Spur, were in the city the past week shopping and visiting with friends.

M. W. Chapman, of southwest of Spur a few miles, was here during the week trading and on other business.

J. R. Craig, a good citizen of the Spur country, was here Tuesday trading and marketing his staple crop.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chancellor of north of Spur a couple of miles, were shopping in the city the past week.

Trade in Spur



**IT'S TOASTED**  
one extra process  
which gives a  
delicious flavor



**LUCKY STRIKE**  
CIGARETTE

**FARM PROSPERITY HINGES ON KEEPING WORLD MARKETS OPEN**

New York, Sept. 27.—Otto H. Kahn, International banker and leader in world finances, is back in his New York offices at Kuhn, Loeb & Co., after an extended stay in Europe for a close study of conditions there. His summary is positive when he says:

"The permanent prosperity of our American farmers depends upon establishing an even keel in world affairs and keeping world farm markets open for our surplus, because we have no other."

Of the Central European nations, Mr. Kahn says:

"It is appalling to contemplate, especially, the dreadful conditions among the middle classes, their semi-starvation, and, in some cases, actual starvation."

"In a snarl of animosities, jealousies and apprehensions they need and ask our co-operation, less even in a material sense than as helpful counsellors and guides. It seems to me both our duty and our advantage to heed that call. In all modes I would venture to say, in a constructive sense, that we could do this."

"We should deal in a large visioned and liberal manner with the debts due us from the allied nations, discriminating between war-making loans and those made after the Armistice. I would not relinquish any of our claims as a free gift, but only in consideration of measures leading to mitigation of conditions keeping Europe in turmoil."

Such a "bargain", the banker asserted, would be a good and profitable investment, resulting in securing not only a moral asset for America, but would be a distinct benefit to us.

The purchasing power of the Eu-

ropean market, he holds, may not for a time be indispensable to our manufacturers, but it is to the prosperity of our farmers, because they have no other market for their surplus.

Regarding the United States, Mr. Kahn concluded:

"An era of great prosperity and beneficent progress is within our grasp. The one cloud on the horizon of our contentment and well being has been the disturbed relationship between capital and labor."

"There is no short cut to the total elimination of such distressing strife, but we must build our hope on the slow but sure remedy of growing reciprocal observance of the golden rule, spirit and practice of give and take, consideration for the rights of the public and a sincere and permanent effort at mutual forbearance and conciliation."

Austin Frazier, of east of Spur, was in town Saturday and while here dropped in and had his subscription shoved up another year. There are times when we become discouraged and figure that there is little in this world to hope for—but then one of our good readers drops in, pays up any arrears and "shoves her up" a year ahead, it makes the whole world brighter and causes us to feel glad we are living in the great West.

W. L. Gragson, of the Steel Hill community, was among the many in Spur Saturday of the past week, trading and meeting friends.

L. A. Grantham, of several miles east of Spur, was here Saturday trading.

Just received a new shipment of "Willard" Hats.—J. H. Dobbins. 51-1f

Onyx with diamonds rings.—Red Front.

**CITATION**

Appointment of Guardian, by Publication.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dickens County, Texas, GREETING: You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once a week for ten days exclusive of the first day of publication, before the return day hereof, in some newspaper of general circulation published in said County for a period of not less than one year the following notice:

To All Persons Interested in the Welfare of A. S. Swan, Lunatic:

You are hereby notified that Mrs. Mary F. Swan has filed in the County Court of Dickens County, Texas, an application for letters of guardianship upon the person and estate of said A. S. Swan, Lunatic, and at the next regular term of said Court commencing on the 3rd Monday in October the same being the 16th day of October, A. D. 1922, at the court house thereof in Dickens, Texas, at which time, all persons interested in the welfare of said Lunatic, may, and are hereby cited to appear and contest such appointment, if they so desire.

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

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Dickens, Texas, this the 2nd day of August A. D. 1922.

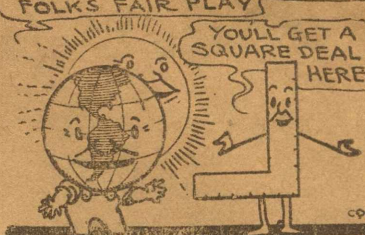
O. C. ARTHUR,

Clerk of County Court Dickens County Texas. 51 3t.

Tape, Salves, Cotton, Books—Red Front Drug.

Dodge Touring Car 1922 model for sale.—Spur Hdw. & Funh. Co.

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YOU'LL GET A SQUARE DEAL HERE

Our methods of conducting the lumber business are as square as the squarest carpenter's square that ever squared a right angle on a proper piece of wood. One way to investigate our business methods and our prices is to pay us a visit. Our quality lumber will entertain you.

**P. H. MILLER**  
SPUR, TEXAS

**KU KLUX KLAN DISOWNED BY THE CHURCHES**

"The Administrative Committee of the Federal Council of the churches of Christ in America records its strong conviction that the recent rise of organizations, whose members are masked, oathbound and unknown, and whose activities have the effect of arousing religious prejudice and racial antipathies, is fraught with grave consequences to the church and to society at large. Any organization whose activities tend to set class against class or race against race is consistent neither with the ideals of

Cut your cane before frost and bring it in and let us make it into syrup for you.—Citizens Gin & Power Co., Eb. Johnson. 53-1f.

Trade in Spur—Roy Arrington, a leading young man of Dickens, was among the visitors in Spur Saturday of the past week.

# Additional Spur Farm Land Offering

ON DECEMBER 1ST. NEXT WE WILL PLACE ON SALE A LARGE ACREAGE OF SPUR LAND WHICH WILL OFFER A WIDE RANGE OF SELECTION TO INTENDING PURCHASERS OF EITHER FARM OR RANCH LANDS.

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

A considerable portion of the lands to be offered are now under lease to various individuals. Heretofore we have refrained from giving options on land, but wherever lands are held under lease, we shall give our lessee the prior right to buy, feeling it only fair that this privilege be extended. This option has the limitation however, that will not be continued beyond December 1st., 1922. Such lessees as desire to purchase must be ready to conclude on that date. After that time the remaining lands will be sold to any who desire to buy.

We have thought that this announcement at this time will perhaps aid lessee and the general public in formulating plans for new purchases.

## S. M. Swenson And Son

CLIFFORD B. JONES, Manager

SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS



# It's a joyous treat to sit down to a bowl of Kellogg's Corn Flakes

"Ladies and gentlemen, you will see something fine when Willie Jones eats a whole great big box of Kellogg's Corn Flakes because that's the only kind he will eat a whole box of!"



You'll agree that you never ate such delicious, such satisfying cereal as Kellogg's Corn Flakes! Those big, sunny-brown "sweet-hearts-of-the-corn" are so fascinating in flavor and so crispy and crunchy that you don't wonder the children are thrilled to eat them!

Compare Kellogg's with imitations to realize their quality, their appetizing appeal, their wonder-crispness! Unlike imitations, Kellogg's are never tough or leathery or hard to eat! Each heaping spoonful of Kellogg's is even more joyous than the last—there is no end to the happiness that is yours eating Kellogg's Corn Flakes!



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## Kellogg's CORN FLAKES

Also makers of KELLOGG'S KRUMBLES and KELLOGG'S BRAN, cooked and crumbled

### HENRY FORD

New York, Oct. 5.—Wall Street, the money mart of the world, has doffed its hat to Henry Ford and admits that he is now the richest man in the world.

The farmer boy of Dearborn, Mich., but now the world's greatest automobile builder, is credited with \$180,000,000 cash on hand and an estimated annual income, which for 1922 will total \$125,000,000 before taxes are deducted or \$110,000,000 clear.

With earnings which average about \$100 a car, Henry Ford's company could be capitalized at \$2,000,000,000 and pay 5 per cent on the money.

Perhaps the most interesting thing about the Ford fortune, to the owners of his now famous car, is the importance of the replacement part sales. Wall Street says a profit of \$15,000,000 is made from this source to keep the million of cars now on the roads in running condition.

Ford's taxes in 1921 were 50,000,000. This year, with the excess profit tax abolished he will pay only \$16,000,000 of his \$125,000,000 income.

Wall Street shakes a sad head when such news is passed out for consumption and admits that the former Michigan farm boy has now his own game and is a Wall Street unto himself.

Wall Street itself pays Ford \$7,200,000 annually in interest at 4 per cent on his millions which flow through there for loans.

These figures were furnished Wall Street in a ticker statement this week.

J. H. Farmer, of four miles to the north of Spur, was here the first of the week, trading and meeting with friends.

### THE COIN FEVER

A noxious fever's in my veins, and I am always taking pains to nail another plunk; at dawn I leave the fragrant hay and chase the troubles all the day, until I see my bunk. I am so weary that I groan, and yet I sigh, 'Another bone I must collect this day;' So I go weaving through the town and find a dime and put it down where it can't get away. Ah, once when shades of evening fell I'd read the books of Harold Bell, and they would comfort me; and Laura Libbey's stately tomes and Sappho Johnson's noble pomes would fill the hour with glee. A stirred me with a ringing call; my "Yard of Roses" on the wall I found a thing of charms; but since this fever grew so strong the higher things like art and song, seem but a false alarm. My rows of books are thick with dust, my lute and trimel red with red rust, are hanging from a nail; old pleasures now are out of style, and naught on earth seems worth my while, except the useful kale. Another kopeck placed in brine, another piece-of-eight is mine, another gleaming yen! But all the friends I used to know, abandoned me long, long ago. I'm shunned by genial men. I've passed up all the simpler joys for running down the silver boys, the dollars of our dads; and when the day is left behind the only pleasure I can find is counting up the scads.—Walt Mason.

### HE'D TAKE A CHANCE

A man who had just started a paper in a strange town was interrogating one of this early advertisers on the response to be expected from the citizens. "Now there's Deacon Brown," he said. "He has the reputation for selling lots of hardware. Would he be likely to spend much money in advertising." "Waal," drawled the native reflectively, "I wouldn't say that he'd go to hell for a nickel, but he'd fish around for one till he fell in".—Hindale Citizen.

W. W. Allen, who is now helping to gather the cotton to the east of Spur, was here Monday trading and meeting with acquaintances.

### AMERICA'S FIRST PRESS

The first printing press in America was set up 1536 by Antonio Mendoza viceroy of Mexico; a century later, in 1638, a press was established at Harvard College by Stephen Day. In 1862, a press was set up in Virginia by William Nuthead but was suppressed. William Bradford operated a press at Philadelphia in 1865, was imprisoned for printing pamphlets; when released he moved to New York and started the first press there April 10th, 1693. Nuthead, driven out of Virginia, set up his press in Maryland in 1869, but was again suppressed.

Business is increasing every day. There is a reason. Highway Cafe. Nuff sed. 51-af

G. E. Kimmel, of Omaha, Texas, is in Spur visiting with his brother, W. A. Kimmel and family, and also organizing a farm labor union in the county. By the organization of a farm labor union it is hoped to better organize and systematize the business of farming in the country. Of course, we know nothing of the policies, rules and regulations of such an union, but we have long been convinced that by organization and system, the farmer will more readily be recognized and "come into his own."

FOR SALE—4 head of good young work horses, and practically new Bain wagon.—L. D. Cravey, 12 miles south west of Spur, Texas. 52 tf

Fancy Bead Ear Screws.—Red Front Drug Store.

W. E. Duke, of the Watson community to the southwest of Spur, was greetings friends on the streets here the first of the week.

When in town try a red hot chili at the Highway Cafe.—Bell Brothers Proprietors. 51ff

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The most simple example in Arithmetic is addition: One plus One makes Two.

When you deposit your money REGULARLY, it adds up fast and your balance grows.

The possession of that money is good for you; it develops self reliance and builds CHARACTER.

Come in and open a bank account for your boy—and your self.

Come in and deposit your money in our Bank. It will be SAFE and you will be free from worry.

### THE CITY NATIONAL BANK SPUR, TEXAS

### TIME TO SIT TIGHT

With the old world in an uproar; Turk butchering Christian; Greece threatening her ruler until he was forced to abdicate to prevent war; Germany still contending she'll never pay and England facing trouble from several sides now is a pretty good time for Americans to sit steady in the boat. From the humblest citizen to the President of the United States, we have each and every one work to do that demands our whole attention. And the time we devote to worrying or fretting about Europe's affairs is that much time taken from our own best interests. Conditions are not so bad with us, but they could be a million times worse. We only have to pick up a daily paper and read of the upheavals overseas to realize this. And conditions are going to improve here just as we individually attend to our own work, and keep on the job. We don't want to become involved in anything over there—and the best way to keep out is to stick on our job, refuse to agitate and sit steady in the boat.—Hale Center American.

Seals Earnest, a substantial citizen of north of Spur, was among the numerous and recent business visitors on the streets of Spur.

J. H. Ewell, of west of town, was here the other day, marketing some of his surplus crops.

### BONES OF INDIAN CHIEF ARE FOUND CLOSE TO SLATON

Fred Baldwin, a farmer living across the Yellow house from Slaton while running a line for a new road, stumbled over a gun barrel protruding from the ground. Calling his father and mother and procuring a spade, the trio unearthed the gun and in doing so uncovered the grave of what is supposed to be that of an Indian chieftain.

Skull and bones, together with the gun, beads and pipe, also metal parts of a saddle, were taken from the ground. The gun is a flintlock rifle, such as was in use 125 years ago. The pipe was carved out of stone, and the beads are of a white and red color, made from bones.

The find is now on exhibition in one of the local show windows, and is a matter of much curiosity.—Star Telegram.

M. S. Faver is now making preparations to move to his farm the first of the year where he will superintend his farming work and business another year. Mr. Faver is one of the most successful farmers of the entire country. He has been taking a "vacation" the past year or two.

Leser Eriksen and wife, and Miss Ruth Maples, spent the week end at Throckmorton with Doc Ellis and wife, returning Tuesday night to Spur.

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Deliver your next order of Gasoline, Kerosene, oils, Etc. Delivered anywhere within 8 miles of Spur.

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WE HAVE JUST UNLOADED THREE CARS OF FEED AND ARE NOW READY TO GIVE YOU ANYTHING YOU WANT IN THAT LINE. OUR PRICES ARE IN LINE AND THE QUALITY OF THE GOODS IS AS GOOD AS WE CAN BUY. THE NEXT TIME YOU WANT ANY FEED, WE BELIEVE IT WILL PAY YOU TO FIGURE WITH US. AND IF YOU DON'T BUY ANYTHING, IT WON'T HURT FOR YOU TO COME DOWN AND LOOK US OVER. WE ARE ALWAYS GLAD TO SEE YOU. OUR PLACE OF BUSINESS IS IN THE BIG SHEET IRON BUILDING ON THE RAILROAD RIGHT-OF-WAY.

## Petroleum Products

WE ARE STILL SELLING THE FAMOUS BLUE BLAZE KEROSENE, SUNSHINE GASOLINE AND LITWOOD OIL AND GREASES. THIS LINE OF GOODS WILL COMPARE WITH ANY YOU CAN FIND, AND THE PRICE IS ALWAYS IN LINE. THE NEXT TIME YOU WANT YOUR BARREL FILLED WITH KEROSENE OR GASOLINE, GIVE US A TRIAL AND YOU WILL NEVER REGRET IT.

### We Deliver Feed and Oil in Spur

JUST PHONE US AT 199 TELL US WHAT YOU WANT AND IT WILL BE SENT RIGHT UP TO YOU. REMEMBER US WHENEVER YOU WANT FEED OR OIL

## KING & SAMPLE

PHONE 199

SPUR, TEXAS.

### SPUR-MATADOR FOOTBALL GAME HERE FRIDAY

The Spur High School Football team plays Matador Friday afternoon at 3:30 p. m. The boys and coach will appreciate a good crowd. The team has been working steadily and improving. If the town wants a team, come out and cheer it on. Football develops manhood and courage. Take an interest in our boys. Score them for smoking and sweets. A man can not be an athlete and smoke or fail to train. Support the boys, but demand they give their best to the school and town. Those who come will see a good, hard fought game, with some thrills guaranteed.

The coach requests town people and parents to insist on the boys training and reporting regularly to practice.

Some of the boys have left crops, some jobs to come out and give you a team.

Support them now!

Below are the boys who are working and fighting for Spur:

Clarence Bilbrey; Chas. Powell; Kyle Rogers; Morris Vernon; Jim Boykin; Geo. Lisenby; Hubert Karr; Alf. Glasgow; E. C. Edmonds; Sterling Davis; Loyd Brasher; Cecil Burnham; Sam Potts; Claude Williams; Alton Chapman; Hilton Manning; Clark Lewis; Estelle Smith; Ben Murray Hale; Preston Wohlford; Emmit Phifer; Truett Cooper; Byron Perry; Joe Whitener; and Joe Wohlford.

### SHERIFF BIGGS OF SHACKLEFORD COUNTY DEAD

Sheriff Marshall of Shackelford county dropped dead Thursday evening of last week at his home in Albany. He apparently was in vigorous health up to his death.

Sheriff Biggs had served eighteen years in the sheriff's office, and in the July primary was favored with the nomination for his tenth term in the office. He was widely and favorably known throughout West Texas, and had the reputation of being not only the oldest sheriff but one of the best officers of the state.

### PEDDY'S NAME WILL NOT APPEAR ON OFFICIAL BALLOT

In the suit filed in U. S. Circuit Court at New Orleans, asking that Secretary of State be forced to place the name of E. B. Paddy on the general ballots, the court ruled that it had no jurisdiction in this case, therefore Paddy's name will not be printed on the ballots.

In the trial at Corsicana, to prevent the name of Mayfield from being placed on the ballots, it appears that a hung jury will result. The main charge against Mayfield is that he spent more money than the law allows in a senatorial campaign.

Should neither name appear on the official ballot, the voters will be free to write the name of Andy Gump or any one else for senator without fear of violating a pledge in the primary election.

### MARRIED

Bob Thompson, of the Thompson Shoe & Harness Company, ever alert in advancing and promoting business and social life, took another partner, at least into his social life, when he united in marriage with Miss Inez Stovall of Jayton, Saturday October 14th. The marriage was a surprise to all except a very few intimate friends who know how to keep a secret, yet each of their many friends now join in congratulations and best wishes to them.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson are now at home to their friends in Spur.

A ten pound girl baby was born Thursday to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Teague.

A nine pound baby girl was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ruck.

We have a complete stock of

## Heating and Cook Stoves

We also have a complete stock of Perfection and Quick Meal Oil Stoves

IT WILL PAY YOU TO GET OUR PRICES BEFORE BUYING

We also have a complete stock of

## Hardware and Furniture

CALL IN AND SEE US WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS

## SPUR HARDWARE AND FURNITURE CO.

### WATERING TROUGHS PLACED IN RAILWAY SHIPPING PENS

For thirteen years the railway stock pens for shipping cattle in Spur has been without water, until last week Judge F. N. Oliver, who is very alert to the public interests and needs of the town and country, got in behind the proposition and put the matter up to the railway commission. Commissioner Gilmore replied immediately that orders would be issued for the installation of troughs and watering facilities in the railway shipping pens of Spur, thanking the Judge for the information and assuring him that the matter would have been attended to long ago had it been brought to the notice of the board of commissioners.

Again we are reminded of the injunction to "ask and ye shall receive" and that the man who asks for nothing gets but little in a public way. Judge Oliver has been persistent and successful in asking for things of material benefit to the public of Spur and the Spur country. He hung and rattled with the railway freight "differential" until it was removed—and in the face of declarations that "it couldn't be done."

By reason of her progressive citizenship Spur is ever on the move onward and upward, and not many years hence will be recognized as the metropolitan commercial hub of the great Western Empire.

### JOHN ECHOLS CASE SET FOR MONDAY IN FEDERAL COURT

The John Echols case, charged with burglarizing the Spur postoffice some time ago, has been set for trial in the federal court at Amarillo Monday, October 30th. Several witnesses from Spur attended the court last Monday for this trial, but were disappointed in that the trial was postponed for one week.

### MARRIED

Tuesday afternoon at five o'clock Miss Thelma Harkey and Mr. Nick Gourassas were united in the holy bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Harkey, Rev. Patterson performing the ceremony. Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Gourassas departed for their future home in Flagstaff, Arizona.

Mr. Gourassas is a prominent and wealthy citizen and business man of Flagstaff, Arizona.

Thelma Harkey was born and reared in Dickens county. She has the charm, the graces and the lovable, winsome, independent spirit of true Western womanhood, and will do her part in creating and maintaining a happy, contented and loyal home. We congratulate Mr. Gourassas in winning the love and confidence of such an helpmate, and wish for both uninterrupted happiness and smooth sailing journey over the matrimonial seas.

### MRS. R. L. BASS DEAD

The sad news came to Spur of the death of Mrs. R. L. Bass Sunday at their home near Austin. Mrs. Sam Smith, sister of Mrs. Bass left Sunday night to attend the funeral.

Mr. and Mrs. Bass were residents of Spur until last summer when they moved to South Texas.

Fancy Bead Necklaces.—Red Front

### DOTS FROM PRAIRIE CHAPEL

Mr. and Mrs. Harry P. Bell returned from Commerce Sept. 30th where they did special work in the East Texas State Normal.

Miss Velma Barton left recently for Denton, Texas to enter the State Normal for teacher. Miss Barton will specialize in primary methods with a view to teaching.

Vernon Daniels is convalescing from an operation for appendicitis which was performed recently at Lubbock.

Mrs. Eula Foard returned recently from Paducah where she visited her parents.

The Patrons of the school recently held a mass meeting for the purpose of raising funds to extend the session. The folks are going the limit in school matters having noted the limit in special tax and a bond issue within the past eighteen months.

Miss Alma Lee Hale who has entered the eleventh grade at Lamesa reports that she is progressing nicely.

Mr. T. D. Hale returned one day this week from the plains country where he went prospecting.

Prairie Chapel singing class meets every first and third Sunday with Mr. Clarence William as leader. We have a live class and cordially invite visiting singers to be with us any time. The cotton and other crops are rapidly being gathered in this vicinity.

Messrs. F. Alexander, Rex Ray and Crockett Alexander were transacting business in Spur last Saturday.

There will be many changes in the citizenship of this community next year since many are having to seek homes elsewhere on account of scarcity of land for rent.—Reporter.

W. P. Marshall returned this week from a trip to Mitchell county. He reports good crops, and said he saw the big salt gusher near Colorado.

Mrs. Dulaney Suttles, of the Rocking Chair Ranch in Kent county, was a shopper in Spur Thursday of this week.

Have furnished rooms for rent. Call 27.

### MATADOR TEST WELL FOR OIL WILL NOT BE ABANDONED YET

Several weeks ago, when the bit passed through the hard lime into a sand which produced both gas and salt water, in the Matador test well for oil, it was announced that the casing would be pulled and the well abandoned. However, by reason of the unshaken faith of the drillers and the people of Matador, funds have been provided to carry the drilling on down to another sand with the hope and expectation of hitting the oil pool which everybody, including geologists and experienced oil men, believes exists somewhere in this great scope of territory along the foot of the Cap Rock.

The Matador well is now near five thousand feet deep, and within the next one hundred feet another oil sand is expected to be encountered.

### MRS. W. F. WALKER DEAD

It is with real sorrow that we announce the death of Mrs. W. F. Walker, which occurred Friday night of last week at the Nichols Sanitarium. Her remains were interred Saturday in the Spur cemetery.

Mrs. Walker had been in ill health for some time, having undergone the third operation with the hope of relieving her condition, but to no avail. Mrs. Walker was sixty three years of age, and had lived in the Spur country since before it was opened up for settlement.

The many friends and acquaintances of the family throughout the entire country will learn of Mrs. Walker's death with real heart felt sorrow.

Joe Thurman recently returned from a trip to Mitchell county. He reports good crops, and said he saw the big salt gusher near Colorado.

Just received 'Willard' Highways.

Buy your Dodge. 53-2t. for sale.