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District Court Convenes at Dickens Monday, May 31.

The District Court will convene at

Austin Rose, C. C. Neely, G. H. Snider, J. M. Aston, Geo. S. Link, W. M. Stephens, W. H. Nichols, E. brought in to him. C. Edmonds, W. J. Elliott, D. G. Sim mons, A. M. Misler.

The Following are summoned for Gentry, P. E. Hagins, E. M. Hale, M. Hargrove, D. J. Harkey, C. P. turned loose in that section. Harris, W. M. Hazel, J. J. Hickman, B. M. Hight, D. W. Hughes, J. W. Jones, Fred Christopher, Fred Capshaw, R. T. Gibson, H. P. Gibson, Goen, T. E. Gregory, T. M. Green, H. C. Gruben, J. P. Koonsman, T. S. Lambert, J. A. Legg, W. L. Lusk. Deaths, Sorrow and List of Petit Jurymen summoned

W. M. Martin, H. C. Aston, J. W. Baker, L. R. Barrett, J. J. Barton, L. E. Bass, C. R. Bennett, A. Biggs, Henry Gruben were last week called work could progress without any in-W. D. Blair, J. A. Blair, H. A. to Knox City on account of the ac- terruptions. However, we are as-Boothe, J. D. Bradley, J. E. Cox, L. cidental death of a little six years sured that Messrs. Clancey and En-G. Crabtree, W. G. Crego, Bob Cross, old son of Mrs. Chas. Gruben. The glish are in a position to carry on S. L. Davis, O. L. Day, R. E. Dick- little boy and an older brother were the work with as little delay as could son, J. H. Dobbins, J. E. Dozier, H. riding the same horse along a road- any wildcat developers. They are G. Draper, Chalk Brown, C. T. way Saturday morning when they not only trustworthy gentlemen, and Burnes, J. H. Busby, R. A. Butler, came upon a snake. The older experienced, but financially able to Walter Carlisle, W. J. Clark, F. G. brother dismounted and picked up a fulfill their contracts. They do not Collier, Joe Cornett, O. L. Driggers, stick to kill the snake, vihen the contemplate selling any acreage ex-J. M. Dunlap, M. P. Duncan, Wile horse became frightened, running cept in large blocks to other oil de-Edgar, C. R. Edwrads and J. N. down the road, the younger brother velopment concerns who will con-

for June 7, 1926:

Vacation I rip

Dr. Nichols last week laid aside the sanitarium cares and worries of his extensive surgery practice, and with his family left for a week's vacation and visiting trip. They are making the trip in a car, and will spend some time at Temple and possibly go on down on the Coast for a few days.

Mrs. Leslie Roberts' Sister Killed in Auto Accident at Ranger

Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Leslie E. Roberts received a message informing her of the death of a sister at Ranger, caused by an automobile accident, the car in which she was riding being struck by a train.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts left immediately for Ranger to attend the fun-

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J. J. ALBIN

McAdoo Farmers Sell Plans to Drill 2 Other Lee Cathey Starts on Eggs and Cream as Well as Other Crops

The fact that farmers of the Mc-Dickens, Texas, Monday, May 31st, Adoo country have adopted the diwith Judge Milam officiating and Dis- versification plans, especially with trict Attorney, W. B. Combest, prose- reference to poultry and cream products, is substantially evidenced each The following gentlemen have been week when crates of eggs and summoned to serve as Grand Jurymen cans of cream are brought in to the local market.

H. P. Edwards, manager of the McAdco Mercantile Company, has W. L. Thannisch, R. E. Slough. O. provided a market for these prod-C. Henry, J. F. Young, F. F. Henry, ucts, and twice each week cream is

On the first marketing period of this week eleven cases of eggs and eleven cans of cream were brought the Petit Jury for Tuesday, June 1, in for the McAdoo market. This 1926: T. C. Ensey, J. H. Farmer, means that more than twenty cans J. J. Fletcher, V. S. Ford, Frank of cream and twenty cases of eggs Forbis, W. F .Foreman, M. C. Form- are sold each week by McAdoo farmby, J. M. Foster, J. H. Fulcher, J. ers, and at the prevailing market M. Gaines, W. O. Garrison, A. C. prices which are maintained, no in considerable amount of money is

The day of marketing cotton alone in Dickens county has passed, and it will be only a few years until every farmer will have something to mar-V. C. Smart, W. L. Gragson, J. P. ket every week during spring and summer as well as the fall months.

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before an operation could be perform Now Enjoying Week's ed. This is the third misfortune and death to occur in this family during the past six months. Their youngest child died about six months ago. An Old Timer Returns

About three months ago Chas. Gruoen, the husband and father was killed in an automobile accident, and now this accidental death of the boy occurs to bring further sorrow and desolation to the home.

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barns of the country.

urday Near Afton

The L. J. Kinnermer farm home, The Steel Hill School six miles east of Afton, and owned by Will Close Friday with Joe Roberson, was completely destroy ed Saturday at ten o'clock by fire, originating from an oil stove. Nothing was saved from the burning building, both the house and all household effects being a complete loss, since no insurance was carried.

The good people of Afton and surrounding country made liberal con- ful in every particular, and the suptributions of money and household erintendent and teachers as well as necessities to the family thus made pupils are to be congratulated upon destitute of worldly possessions.

lests for oil on Davis **Blocked** Acreage

During the week representatives been in Spur looking over the Davis survey made by Mr. English, with a view of taking some acreage and participating in the development program. Representatives of other big oil development concerns are expected to come within the next few days for the same purpose.

The intention, as we are informed those familiar with the plans, is to let the big companies have a limited acreage in the block, and by so doing obtain sufficient capital to immedimore other tests, thus having a full and complete test made of the acre-

Drilling will be resumed within a few days on the test already spudded in on the Jones tract, operations having been suspended following the spudding in, awaiting the arrival of

While many may be inclined to become discouraged by delays in drilling, yet all should realize that drilling operations in a wildcat territory will necessarily encounter un-Desolations Follow in avoidable delays, in that all materi-Chas. Gruben Home als must come from distant points whereas if everything needed could W. C. Gruben and family and be obtained within the territory the falling off, his head being crushed in tribute in giving the blocked acre- in Spur Saturday afternnon and re-Dr. Nichols and Family was carried to a sanitarium but died plete and thorough test at less ex-

to Old Home From the Wilds of the West

Mat Howell and family, who for Mexico, Arizona or Colorado, return ed the past week and will again take up their residence on their farm home in the Cat Fish country fore prevailed. Nothwithstanding to the southwest of Spur. Mat the possibilities of dry weather, hails Red Mud Lambert, of the Pitch- Howell was one of the early settlers and other calamities which may come fork Ranch, was in Spur Tuesday. of this country. At the opening of later to dispell optimism, we are all He was suffering of injuries sustain- Spur, he no doubt thought the well content at present and will not ed by his horse falling with him while country was becoming too densely permit future eventualities to worry riding on the range, caused by the populated to prosper and live com-jus or obstruct the vision of silver horse stepping in a dog hole. In fortably and freely, therefore helinings to the clouds of tomorrow. speaking of the improvements on moved on further West to enjoy the construction of a big barn was ed the right to return and also re- Old Soldiers Departed now in progress. The barn will be tained his farm home here as a preseventy five by one hundred feet in cautionary measure. We met him a dimensions, having concrete floors, minute on the street Monday while feed bins, stalls, sheds, etc., being here, and inferred from his conver- M. Buchanan, three old ex-Confedone of the biggest and most complete sation that he could now more fully, erate soldiers and members of the appreciate the country and would not John A. Green Camp, of Dickens likely again return to his Western ! County, left Sunday on the noon Kinnermer Farm Home claims. We are glad to welcome train for Birrmingham, Alabama, Destroyed by Fire Sat- Mat Howell and family back to the to attend the annual reunion of Con Spur country.

an All-Day Program

The Steel Hill school will close the session Friday, to-day, with an allday program, including dinner on the ground, and to which all patrons will be invited.

The school has been most successthe progress made in school work.

100 Hour Non-Stop Drive in Chrysler

Tuesday at noon, Marshall Edd of the Humble Oil Company have McArthur locked Lee Cathey to the will be required to file their names steering wheel of a Chrysler car at with the County Chairman, Jas. F. blocked acreage now being developed the E. L. Caraway salesrooms in Williams, at Spur, on or before Satfor oil by Messrs. Clancey and Eng- Spur, and started out on a one hun- urday, June 19th, in accordance with lish, and going over the geological dred hour non-stop drive, during the election laws governing political which time this entire section of the parties. country will be covered.

One hundred hours means more than four days and nights in which the Crysler car will be kept running and in motion, and during which than Monday, June 7th. time Lee Cathey will be required to do his eating and sleeping while he cinct offices must file their names continues to drive.

The drive is being put on by Mr. agent. During this one hundred ticket. hours the engine will run continu-H. A. Boothe, and Gulf oil, will be used in making the run.

The itenerary of the drive will

Throughout the afternoon and all held July 24th. night Tuesday the car was driven on the streets of Spur. During the night a heavy rain fell and the lightnings flashed and the thunders roared, throughout which Mr. Cathey continued his driving up and down an trying ordeal.

striking the graveled roadway. He age more test wells and a more com- main here to see the finish of this

Optimism Persists Regardless of What May Come in the Future

Sunday for Reunion at Birmingham

L. T. Cochran, J. Carlisle and C. federate Veterans. They were accompanied by Mrs. Sol Davis and Miss Kittie Powell as sponsor and maid of honor.

They were each dressed in new uniforms of Gray with gold buttons, and in appearance harking back to the days of 61-5.

Mrs. R. E. Dickson, Camp Sponsor, escorted the old soldiers to the train, administering to their comfort and starting them on their journey in the highest of spirits.

It has missed only two days raining here since we can remember.

County and Precinct Candidates Must File Names by June 19th

All county and precinct candidates

Following is the requirements for all candidates:

Candidates for District offices are required to file their names not later

All candidates for County and Pre not later than Saturday, June 19th. The Executive Committee meets Caraway as an advertisement and at Dickens Monday, June 21st, to demonstration of the qualities of the assess candidates for election ex-Chrysler car, for which he is local penses and to draw for places on the

ously. The new No-Nox gas just be- amount assessed for election expening introduced in this territory by ses on or before Monday, June 28th, one week following the time of as-

All candidates should remember include outside of the local trade and observe the above scheduled refield, Lamesa, Tahoka, Slaton, Post will not appear upon the official ballots for the Primary election to be

Spur Drug Company Installs New and Late Improved Frigidaire

the streets and over the graveled pany installed one of the latest im- being made public. highways. The following morning proved Frigidaire coolers. This he headed for the north part of the new cooler is operated by electricity, mediate charge of the business, make county and the Plains. He is due and is so constructed that its con- improvements in the machinery and to end the long drive in Spur Sat- tents may be kept at any tempera- have the gin ready for operation by urday afternoon about four o'clock, ture and even frozen. In fact it the time the first bale of cotton makes and crangements are being made will manufacture ice, or can be chang its appearance in the beginning of to take charge of the driver and ad- ed to create heat as well as cold. the fall. minister to his needs physically and With the addition of this Frigidaire mentally at the conclusion of such the Spur Drug Company will be in Delegation Asks City position to better serve patrons in Large crowds are expected to be the most up-to-date and acceptable

A new drilling crew for the Deep Rock test for oil on the Swenson J. H. Hooper, was here the first of Ranch southwest of Spur, were in the the week from his farm home in the city Monday in route to the rig to Twin Wells community to the south resume drilling operations. Casing several years have been living away of Spur. He was in the very best was set during the week in this test out West along the lines of New of spirits, stating that although late at a depth of 2,200 feet, and drilling in pulling bollies, he is now rushing is now in progress without interruphis farm work and planting with the tions, and it is thought with most favery best prospects that has hereto- vorable prospects, the drilling, however, continuing in hard lime rock.

-QC DRY LAKE COMMUNITY CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY, MAY 27

The Dry Lake Community Club will meet Thursday, May 27th, with are urged to atten dand bring scraps

hat we fear malaria, chills and fever their father.

Bathing Girls Revue and Musical Comedy Friday Night, May 21

Friday night, May 21st, at the Spur high school auditorium, the Spur Municipal Band will present 'The Bathing Girls Revue" and Musical Comedy.

Friday afternoon at four o'clock the band will parade the streets, and at seven o'clock a concert will be given on the streets.

The orchestra will strat promptly at eight o'clock Friday evening at the school auditorium, and the curtain will be raised promptly at 8:30

The Friday night's program is being given for the purpose of raising funds to defray expenses of the band in attending the West Texas C. of C. Convention at Amarillo in June, and a large crowd is expected to attend. The program will be All candidates must pay the | rendered by home talent, and those who attend are assured of being highly and merrily entertained.

The usual Sunday afternoon concert will not be had at Spur Inn, but the band will rehearse the music for the convention trip at the Fair territory Ralls, Lubbock, Browns- quirements, otherwise their names Park from two to four o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Farmers Union Gin at Afton Sold This Week to Oklahoma Parties

The Farmers Union Gin at Afton was sold this week to Oklahoma par-Last week the Spur Drug Com- ties, the consideration of the sale not

The new management will take im

Commission to Not let Proposed Contract

A delegation met with the City Deep Rock Test for Oil the proposed contract for curb and Sets Casing This Week guttering improvements on certain at 2,200 Feet streets be not let at this time, and it appearing that those not desiring such improvement were in the majority, the contract was not let.

> Every individual recognizes the advantages of such improvements, but there are times when public improvements can be made a burden

MR. FRANKLIN, FORMER RESI-DENT OF SPUR, DIED LAST FRIDAY IN OKLAHOMA

John and Dale Franklin and daugh ter, the past week attended the funeral of their father, who died Friday of last week in Oklahoma, the remains being brought to Guthrie for Mrs. W. L. Powell. All members interment. The elder Franklin formerly lived in Spur, having moved of silk, velvet and ribbon for making a year or two ago to Oklahoma where he has since made his home. The Texas Spur extends condolence The country is becoming so rainy to Messrs. Franklin, in the death of

2 REEL TOM MIX WESTERN

1-REEL INTERNATIONAL NEWS 4-REEL COMEDY

LYRICTHEATRE

Saturday Afternoon at 2:00 P. M. ADMISSION TO ALL 10c

A. V. Womack was in Spur Tuesday from McAdoo. He states that the finest prospects now prevail on the Plains. However, the recent hail storm did much damage to wheat, completely destroying hundreds of acres around McAdoo and to the northwest. A. V. had insurance on his crop, stating that when the cloud approached his place it parted, leaving him high and dry of hail, but giving plenty moisture for all present needs.

-Advertising Pays-J. M. Brownlow, of near McAdoo, was one of the farmers suffering a complete loss by hail of his entire wheat crop. He had more than two thousand dollars insurance which will help some but not compensate for the loss.

J. H. Morris, who has been with the Spur National Bank for some time, has resigned his position and accepted a place with H. A. Boothe in the Gulf Refining Company busi-

——Advertising Pays—— W. C. Cartwright, of north of the city ,was among the business visitors on the streets Monday of this week. Mr. Cartwright is a good citizen and most successful farmer, and the indications now are that he will this year surpass all former farming rec-

-Advertising Pays-O. B. Sims, of the Espuela community, was here Saturday shaking hands with friends. Mr. Sims has been solicited to enter the race for weigher of this precinct, and since there is yet time, may yet be considering the proposition. He is recognized as one of the best men of the country, and would liven up still further the interest in this race.

——Advertising Pays—— We have heard Brink Carlisle mentioned frequently in connection with the present cotton weighers race in Spur, and it may be that he will enter his name with the nine others already running.

——Advertising Pays—— Harry Patton, Joe Curry and Boney Scott are discussing the possibilities of their entrance as candidates for weigher. Should they become over-persuaded in that direction, and Brink Carlisle and O. B Sims come on in, we are sure ther that G. W. Rash would come for re election—and then the weigher's race would surely become fast and

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USE CONCRETE

Al Sullivan, of Garza county, was a business visitor in Spur the first of

——Advertising Pays—— Members of the Delphian Club of Spur are now arranging for a picnic

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"Several times I have suffered with bad spells of indigestion myself and found I would soon get relief if I took a course of Black-Draught. I was troubled with a bad accumulation of gas and severe pains across my stomach and lower bowels. Now when I feel a spell of this kind coming on, I head it off by taking Black-Draught—a dose every night for a few nights will prevent the trouble and save me much pain and suffering. "My whole family uses Black-

Draught for biliousness and con-"It is a splendid medicine." Sold everywhere. 25 cents.



J. H. Hooper, of the Twin Wells community, was in Spur the first of the week, stating that he was now putting seed in the ground, with the very best prospects of years. The problem of abundant production is already solved for the farmers of the Spur country,-but that price and marketing problem now confronts them. However, the pricemarketing problem is being solved to some extent, in that diversified crops are being planted—and when diversified farming plans are more the recent business visitors in Spur. fully executed, and every farmer is able to live at home, then will the marketing problems have been solv- tinctive line of Shirts. ed-and farmers everywhere are waking up and coming to this point.

-Advertising Payssouth of Spur five miles, were in the Spur. He says there is plenty friends the past week.

Advertising Pays—Prof. R. P. Bell, of the Dry Lake Schools, was among the number in Spur Saturday of the past week. The Dry Lake Schools are now closed for the term, and we understand that Mr. and Mrs. Bell will spend the summer months vacationing and visiting among relatives and friends in other sections of the country.

——Advertising Pays—— Miss Lera Harris left Wednesday for Lubbock where she will be the guest of Miss Minnie Scott and other young lady friends.

-Advertising Pays-C. L. Pickens, of two miles east of Spur, was in the city the first of the week. He stated that he was pushing his planting work now, and had ideal prospects.

Last week S. J. Ousley returned from Haskell where he attended district court in the trial of L. M. Nichols charged with the murder of Dr. Coker recently at Stamford. The jury had not returned a verdict at

-Advertising Pays-Four New Patterrns in Mens Shoes at Layne-Yates Co. See them!

J. W. Baker and wife and sons left this week for California where they will remain through the summer visiting his daughter, Mrs. L. R. Stubblefield. They are making the trip through the country in their car, and will camp along the way, taking five to ten days in making the trip. Mr. Baker has contemplated making this trip several years bu tuntil now never found the time. The Texas Spur joins his friends in hoping that the trip will be most enjoyable in every respect. Mr. Baker will return in time to get his gin in shape for the fall ginning season.

——Advertising Pays—— Mr. and Mrs. Glark Forbis, of Afton, and Miss Fannie Kelly, of Dickens, spent Sunday in Spur with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forbis.

-Advertising Pays-J. A. Legg, of Croton, was among

-Advertising Pays-Layne-Yates Company has a dis-

-Advertising Pays-Johnson Hunter, who has been up in the Panhandle oil field the past of several weeks, returned recently to city shopping and visiting among citement, work and money in the cil field-but he considers life too short to stay with an oil field.

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AND NOT KNOW IT EARLY SYMPTOMS—Nervousness, stomach trouble, despondency, shortness of breath, burning feet, constipation, brown or rough skin, tingling sensations, smothering spells, diarrhoca, loss of sleep, loss of weight, dizziness or swimming in head, general weakness with loss of onergy.

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Mrs. W. H. Morris enjoyed a visit Berlin, under the world's greatest

-Advertising Pays-Friday of last week Mrs. J. N. Lawson, of Afton, underwent a successful operation at the Nichols Sanitarium in Spur. Friends of the family will be glad to know that Mrs. Lawson is reported doing nicely at this time.

-Advertising Pays-Mrs. Byron Haney, of Afton, who has been in a Dallas sanitarium the past month, having undergone a serious back-bone operation at the hands of specialists, is now reported doing well. However, she will remain in the sanitarium a month longer before being released from the sanitarium. Her sister, Miss Ethel Lawson, is with Mrs. Haney during her confinement in the hospital.

Advertising Pays-S. L. Porter, of Croton, was in Spur Monday, spending a short time here trading and on other business. He reports everything in the very finest shape in his section at this time, and everybody busy planting with the prospect of abundant harvests this fall.

-Advertising Pays-Mrs. Jeff D. Harkey and daughter, Miss Lynnie Harkey, were shopping n Spur Monday.

-Advertising Pays-A new line of eckwear .- Layne

Dr. J. N. Haney and wife, of Afthe past week from her brother, Maj. ton, left this week for Garey, Okla-W. R. Tyree and wife of California. homa, where Dr. Haney will remain Major Tyree was en route to Europe. some time undergoing treatment. While here he arranged to send for Ds. Haney has been in ill health for Mrs. Morris' daughter, Miss Afton, some time, and it is hoped that the within two months. Miss Afton will treatment received at Garey will eftake a five years course in music at fect a permanent cure. After taking the treatment, should Dr. Hanev's condition permit, he and Mrs. Haney will take an extended trip through the country to other states, visiting relatives and recuperating.

> -Advertising Pays-Four New Patterrns in Mens Shoes at Layne-Yates Co. See them!

> ——Advertising Pays—— Virgil Smith, of Gilpin, was in the city Saturday on business.

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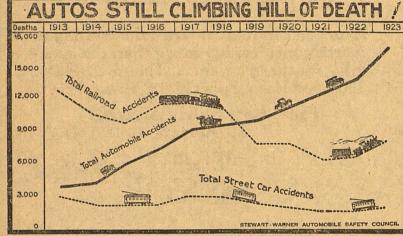
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Auto Tragedies Increase as Other Travel Is Made Safer



WHILE railroad tragedies and street car accidents in the United States have gradually been diminishing in the last ten years, the annual toll exacted by automobile casualties is steadily mounting, says the Stewart-Warner Safety Council for the prevention of automobile accidents. Railroad accidents have been cut more than one-third, or from 12,520 in 1913 to 8,078 in 1923, the latest government figures available. Street car fatalities also have been cut down one-third or from 3,080 in 1913 to 2,006 ten years later.

Antomobile deaths, on the other hand, have increased over five-fold. Against the 3,822 deaths in 1913 we have 16,452 in 1923, and the score is growing each year.

Care, more care and still more care, is the solution of this national problem. The pedestrian must be always on the alert and as spry as a kangaroo, if he is to keep out of harm's way, and the driver for his part must never relax his vigilance for a moment when human lives are at his mercy.

Uncle Jimmie has been here since the beginning of farming.

-Ads Save You Money-

Mrs. Ilva Cathey and little son, passed through Spur Wednesday returning to her home in Oklahoma City, after a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Deaver, of Jayton. She tisement in the Texas Spur. He was also accompanied by her sister, got the desired results almost before Mrs. Liila Eidland, who was going to the paper had time to reach readers. Amarillo to there join her husband, The Texas reaches and is read by and who had also been visiting her ten thousand people every week. parents. Little Miss Cathryn Jones, Even those who do not take it, bora niece, accompanied Mrs. Cathey row and read it each week. to Oklahoma where she will spend;

----Advertising Pays-

J. M. Jones, of north of Dickens, C. C. Cornelius was in Spur Monwas in Spur Monday, spending the day from his farm and ranch home greater part of the day here greeting in Kent county. In his section of his friends He states without res- the country things are looking good ervation that the north part of the rot only for cattle and farming incounty is now in better shape for terests but also for oil, there being farming than for many years past— two oil wells drilling now in that part of the county. ing that big crops as well as big oil gushers may develop during the

----Ads Save You Money----

W. S. Rutledge, of near Dickens came in last week, placing an adver-

-Advertising Pays-

Mrs. Lena Clark Johnson and little son, Frank, have returned to their Tom McArthur came in this week home in Austin after a visit with to familiarize himself with the polit- Mr. and Mrs. W. O. McCrary and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson.

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The Texas Spur has been work ng over-time because of an extraordinary run of job printing during the past several weeks. While lots of business may be withheld from us because of "ku kluxism", which of course is regrettable but can not be avoided, yet we appreciate the fact that there are lots of people who do not believe in klannishness, and a number of others who may "belong" but who retain the free American ideals regardless of required allegiance to the "Imperial Wizard." We have some mighty good friends as well as bitter and unreasonable enemies in it. Because there are good men misguided into such an organization causes many to refrain from fighting such organized proceedure, as they otherwise would. However, it will very probably kill itself after a while.

Ads Save You Money— DIED.

Mrs. Nancy Jane Crafton, of the Watson community, died Tuesday night, her remains being interred in Spur Cemetery, Rev. W. A. Grizzle conducting the funeral services at the Baptist church Wednesday.

Grandma Crafton was 66 years of age, suffering a protracted illness before death came to her relief. The family moved here the past year from Red River county.

The Texas Spur extends sympathy and condolence to the bereaved famly and relatives.

W. E. Gates, proprietor of the Afton Garage, was transacting business Monday morning in Spur, and while here paid the Texas Spur office a very pleasant call. He reports everybody busy planting crops at this time in the Afton country, as well as throughout the entire COUNTY AGENT GIVES SUG-GESTED INFORMATION TO THE ALFALFA GROWERS HERE

Dear Editor:

Several growers of alfalfa are nquiring the rent on alfalfa. Kansas, the biggest and oldest alfalfa state, has established the custom of making one half hay in stack the rent. The renter cuts, rakes and stacks the hay. The landlord then is entitled to one-half if the stack. If baled, the landlord pays one half the baling bill, and the renter, the other half.

While on my trip to South Texas, I wore my alfalfa button, which at-Spur, Texas tracted a great deal of attention

> Mr. Richey, of the Purnia mills, in Ft. Worth, tells me that they have to ship alfalfa all the way from

mmense areas of Texas are well adapted to alfalfa production. In conversation with men from several alfalfa producing areas, I was told that a hay baler was almost unknown on the farms of our good livestock states. The hay is either

Colorado, in spite of the fact that

to livestock on the farm. When Alfalfa, as well as other feed is sold on the hoof, or as cream, the full benefit is derived from. All the middle men profits go to the

put in a stack or hay mow and fed

While discussing alfalfa with these men representing several states, one man asked: "How many of you know a man who is raising alfalfa that is in poor circumstances? Not one of the crowd could think of a man in poor circumstness with a good patch of alfalfa ..

The Man Who is Proud if His Cows

Let each of us take this and apply it to ourselves.

1. Do I take my visitor by the arm

and say, "Come see my cows"? 2. Do I say, "Here is my legume hay, you know, a man has got to have legume hay if he makes the most of any kind of livestock"?

3. Do I show him my summer and winter pastures?

4. Do I show him what succulent feed I have provided for the cows when things are burnt up? I would days. if I had it.

5. Do I show him that bull of

6. Do I show him what beauties and Mrs. Robinette entertained with the heifers are? I would if I were a birthday party, which everyone en- and a program will be given the last Why am I not joyed. proud of them.

7. Do I show him the feeds I use

to make a balanced feed? The man who has good stuff is proud of it and shows it to people at every opportunity. Futhermore, the man who is proud of his stuff, takes good care of it and makes pro-

The man with scrub stuff keeps "mum" about it, takes little care of it as a rule, and makes little or no

> -66-A DUCK CREEK ITEMS

The singing at Mr. Dalton Johnson's was enjoyed by a large crowd Sunday night.

Mr. J. B. Lewis and family have gone to Happy, Texas, visiting relatives and friends They will return next week.

Miss Mary Simmons was the guest of Miss Beulah Tooks, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, of Matador, spent the week end with their parents, Mr and Mrs. Tom Gregory.

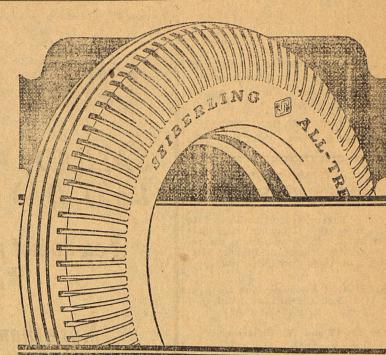
Mr. Henry Gregory, Miss Gladys Johnson, Eula Mae Gregory, Emniett Hagin, attended Singing Sunday afternoon.

Miss Bulah Tooks has been all smiles-We hear Mr. Buster Bennett is coming home, and we also feel glad for Mr. Will Bennett and Mr. Tooks, for the expense of letter writ ing will stop, maybe.

The party at Mr. Arnold's Friday night was enjoyed by all present. Who will be the next to entertain the young folks

Well, as we have weather, we must go to work .- Two Chums.

W. A. Kimmel, of west of Spur a mile or two, was here Monday, but stated that he had his planters running on full time with the view of getting his seed all in the ground while the time is ripe.



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WATSON ITEMS

Mother Crafton was worse Sunday. Mr. Crafton was again called

Messrs. H. N. Springer and J. F.

River community Friday. from a visit with her motherwho ives in Rockwell County.

Mrs. Duval English is thought to have the typhoil but is getting along

We see Mr. Springer has done some remodeling and improving to nis house and place recently. There was a big crowd out at sing-

ing Sunay night to hear the singer from Stamps Music Company.

Melvin Rankin, of the White River, was at singing Sunday night. Mr. and Mrs. Lem Parsons were

visiting Lem's parents, Sunday.

There were nice crowds at the parties Thursday, Friday and Sat- but many will get through this week urday nights. Thursday night, Mr. if the weather permits.

School will be out soon, Everyone is studying very hard.—Sub Cor.

-Advertising Pays-Revival Meeting Now in Progress at Church of Christ in the City

Elder John M. Rice, of Abilene, is now cinducting a revival meeting at the Church of Christ in Spur. The meeting has been in progress throughout the week, services being held each day and night. A large attendance is being had, and Elder Rice is an able speaker and propounder of the gospel.

The meeting will continue through out Sunday and all next week.

——Advertising Pays—— Mrs. D. G. Hisey last week moved nto her new home just completed in the west part of the city, stating that she is now very comfortably and conveniently located. The new home is one of the neatest in Spur.

Now here comes a woman telling us about a society that will teach us Birth Control. Well, many know Farming is going on in earnest that, but not many know how to rear these days. Everybody is planting a child, even two. It's not a matter cotton just as fast as they can. The of how many or few, but knowledge grass is good and it is raining again. of how to rear them wisely. If par-Mr. and Mrs. C. Evans were the ents would do that, we'd need no guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Scott, jails, pens, etc. Thats why every thing is wrong, and Mrs. Caple, if your society really wants to benefit Crump were visiting in the White humanity, help us to help ourselves.

Eeverybody was out Sunday, but Mrs. Powell has returned home Mrs. Don Brewster. One of the children had an injured eye, but seemed to be doin nicely in the af-

The young people had a great time over the weekend, there being a party at Mr and Mrs. Horn's Saturday, a Sunday dinner at Mr. and Mrs. Westfall, Baseball Sunday morning, worship from 2 to 4, then baseball again, and singing at Bro. Young's Sunday night.

The Misses McLaughlin, of near Lubbock, are visiting their many friends here.

Many Red Hillers are attending Mrs. Grizzle is not so well these the meeting at the Church of Christ in Spur this week. Farmers are very busy planting

Mr. Editor man: Come out and

take a peep and see for yourself how well the children can do. Vote for ——. Yes, that's the ones. Don't forget, we're going to

vote for them ourselves. Merchants: Advertise in the Texas Spur Many country people read it. No, he didn't tell me to say that. I just thought it up myself .- Farmerette.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Johnson left Spur Thursday for a trip to Philadelphia to visit a son and also attend the Centenial. Before returning to Spur they will also visit in Vicksburg, Miss., Memphis, Tenn., and Washington, D. C. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are making the entire trip through the country in their car.

——Advertising Pays—— Jim Koonsman was in Spur Monday from the Croton country.

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DICKENS COUNTY **ANNOUNCEMENTS**

The Texas Spur is authorized to announce the following candidates for public offices, subject to the ac-tion of the Democratic Primary election t obe held July 24th, 1926:

For District Attorney, 50th Dist.: WM. B. COMBEST, of Paducah (Re-election, 2nd term)

For Sheriff and Tax Collector: M. L. JONES .2nd term) W. D. STREET WALTER MALONE

For County Judge & School Sup't.: H. A. C. BRUMMTTT Re-election) F. C. GIPSON R. R. WOOTEN JAS. F. WILLIAMS G. W. BENNETT

W. A. CRADDOCK

For County and District Clerk:
O. C. ARTHUR (Re-election)
ROBT. REYNOLDS

For County Treasurer: MRS. OLLIE M. COLE (2nd term)

For Tax Assessor:
W. F. McCARTY (2nd term)

For County Attorney: B. G. WORSWICK (Re-election)

For Public Weigher, Precinct 1: W. W. WALDRUP R. H. ESKRIDGE J. A. AKINS J. L. (Jeff) ELMORE

For Public Weigher, Precinct 2: GEO. P. SIMMS

For Public Weigher, Precinct 3: A. M. SHEPHERD FRED HISEY E. M. HINSON J. J. RANDALL TOM RUSSELL A. W. PHILLIPS W. H. YOUNG J. BOYD, JR.

For County Commissioner, Pre. 1: W. J. (Joe) CLARK AUSTIN C. ROSE

For County Commissioner, Pre. 2: O. C. NEWBERRY (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Pre. 3: H. O. ALBIN W. J. ELLIOTT

For County Commissioner, Pre. 4: CHAS. PERRIN (Re-election) W. L. THANISCH F. L. TERRY

For Justice of The Peace, Pre. 3: D. A. YOUNG (2nd term) F. N. OLIVER

For Constable, Precinct 3: M. L. NICHOLS W. S. HUNTER

KENT COUNTY ANNOUNCEMENTS

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SALEM'S

Trip Over the Country Shows Farmers Busy the weather, having

iams invited us to accompany him Tuesday of this week Jas. F. Wilon a campaigning tour of the north ing and soon the fields will also be part of the county, and having a blooming in abundance. desire to once more get out and meet the good people of that section, we of that thriving town were all busily accepted the invitation.

has just recently been completed, provements. The Afton Grocery we were surprised in its smoothness Company, J. N. Haney & Son, the as well as its general appearance in Lawson and Newberry grocery and attractiveness. All along at danger dry goods businesses, and cafe and ous points, substantial as well as at- barber shops were all doing busitractive steel railings, ptinted white, ness and meeting customers, while attracted as well as protected the the Afton Garage was filling and re-

ing prospects prevailed. grocery and confectionery, black- while the machinery did the work-

merchant and gas agent, was under With Fine Prospects health several months, but with the spring weather it is hoped that he, too, will be renewed. Everybody around Elton had commenced plant-

Going on to Afton the merchants

engaged in waiting on the trade and In going over the highway which working over stocks and making impairing cars promptly and agreeably. Hardly a field was passed but we However, the busiest place we visitsaw planters busy putting seed in ed was the Dozier blacksmith shop. the ground, and everywhere the He has one of the best equipped season was ideal and most promis- shops in the whole country, having power hammer and anvil, bellows At Elton we were surprised again and other time and labor saving tools that a real town had sprung up, and equipment, he having nothing there being two filling stations, to do but but holds the plow points smith shop, large school building but he was kept busy doing the and two church structures. Our holding. With his equipment Mr. friend, A. C. GGentry had forsaken Dozier was in a position to do as his farm and established the second much work as four men by hand filling station, reporting a very nice power. On the streets were but few ousiness. J. B. Yantis, postmaster, loafers, everybody but Bill Austin

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Printing Fair Catalogue Again Let Without a Competitive Bid

The printing of the fair catalogue was again let this week without competitive bid. Last year the Texas Spur asked that sealed bids for this work be received, but the request was not granted. This year the secretary of the fair association would accept sealed bids, but refused to open and consider the bids in the presence of our representative, thus leaving the inference that a bid from us would merely lend the semblance of competition, therefore the bid was not entered in at least an unequal contest.

Because of the ku klux creed with reference to business dealings, we do not expect the present secretary of the fair association to give us any consideration in his own individual printing business, but we do expect equal consideration in fair association and other public printing, whether or not such matters be dominated by klannish proceedings. The fair association is a corporation of and for the public, both ku klux and antis alike being interested in its success, and we consider it not only the wrong spirit but an injustice to the association as well as the public for any one of its officers to permit klannishness to ener into any of its proceedings or ac-

The Texas Spur is as much concerned in the welfare and success of the fair association, and possibly has contributed more than any other one agency to that end. It is our right to expect an open and fair consideration in bids for any of its pay printing, and under the circumstances we feel sure that our readers will pardon us in publicly resenting the unmistakable marks of hooded and secret methods of dominating in this in-

Again permit us to say that we deplore the fact that a klan came business associations, and that some will persist in using such methods to dominate public affairs.



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Power, it was said, had no time to come to town these days.

It was a pleasure to us to again meet with the people of the north part of the county and to see the country in such fine shape.

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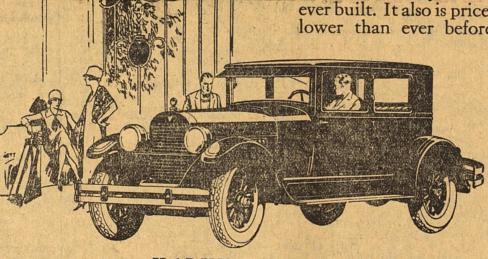
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past year from California where he He has our thanks in having his name spent some time. However, he is added to the regular Texas Spur well content to remain in the Spur subscription list in order that he may ccuntry, even after spending some hereafter keep posted on local haptime in California, reputed to be the penings. We appreciate the fact Littlefield says the Croton country to grow. is in ideal shape and everybody very hopeful and optimistic of making the biggest crops in the history of farm-

from an injured finger which was ure shows in all of Western Texaswork is completed, regardless of his well as beneficial trip.

-Advertising Pays for Summer Dresses .- Layne-Yates | points. Company.

-Advertising Pays-Mrs. Webber Williams returned an extended visit with relatives and friends in Ralls, Abilene and Dallas.

-Advertising Pays-Roy Edminds, Cecil Burnam and Rayburn Evans returned last week from Austin. While there Roy Edmonds participated in the state track meet events,, breaking both the state | Wednesday, stated that his planters | and national record in one event.

-Advertising Pays-Misses Blanche and Lois Harkey, of Rockwood, are in Spur the guests of relatives and friends.

-Advertising Pays-W. M. Ledford and wife returned han counties where they spent some time visiting with relatives and fishin the streams of that territory. Mr. Ledford states that the oil boom con-

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R. L. Littlefield, of the Croton sec- R. E. Nixon, of north of Spur, tion of country, was in Spur Mon- was in the city Monday transacting day. Mr. Littlefield returned the business and meeting with friends. "garden spot of the world." Mr. that the subscription list continues

-Advertising Pays-W. W. Flournoy and Ernest Mayfield of Jayton, last week attended the convention of moving picture men in Dallas. They are each keep W. J. Johnson, who is this year ing posted in the moving picture farming near Spur, was on the world and endeavoring to give Spur streets Monday. He was suffering and Jayton the two best moving pict mashed nearly off in fixing a plan- and their success is attested by the He has most of his crops now picture show fans who continuously planted, his planters continuing to attend and appreciate the programs run without interruption until tht given. They report an enjoyable as

County Agent Reynolds made See our new line of Printed Crepes trip the past week to South Texas

> -Advertising Pays-Bob Goodall, candidate for sheriff day. He says that but very little political talk is heard at this time, everybody probably being too busy to talk politics. However, he has not yet started out on his regular campaigning tour of the county.

> C. D. Copeland, while in town were now running on full time, and he would probably finish planting by the end of the week.

-Advertising Pays-Mrs. A. J. McClain recently suffered a stroke of paralysis, being now unable to walk or even feed this week from Coleman and Calla- herself. Mrs. McClain and her husband, Judge A. J. McClain who died tinues unabated in both Coleman and the beginning of settlement development. Judge McClain served as one of the first judges of the county east of Spur, were among the many court following the organization of the county. It is hoped that Mrs. McClain may survive this stroke of

----Advertising Pays-Porter McClain was here the past week from his Cat Fish home.

-Advertising Pays-L. G. Crabtree, one among fie earliest settlers and best citizens of the county, was in Spur Saturday from his farm home on Croton. Mr. Crabtree has held positions of trust, served the county in an official capacity, and has always been found straight, conservative, progressive Mauldin E. M., personal _____\$3.17 Merriman, Tol, Sur. 245 tract 34. and interested in public welfare.

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20 acres; Sur. 282, N. 1-2 of S. E 1-4, 82.57 acres ____ \$59.93 heely Curtis, Lot 5 block 9 rump Jim, lot 25 block 22 __\$11.64 Denson C. A., personal ____\$7.30 Draper H. G., Sur. 224 tract 16, 20 Dunwoody D. D., lot 15, block 39, Earnest T. J., lot 142 blk 51 \$17.75. Ellis Mrs. P. C., Sur. 227 N. W. 1-4, 167 acres; Sur. 226 tract 116, 20

acres ______\$124.45 Ellis M. M., lot 14, block 66 \$3.23. Farmer J. H., Sur. 302 E 1-2, 326 acres; Sur. 303 W. 1-2, 333 letcher W. E., Sur. 263 tracts 94, 95, 96; 59.63 acres, lot 4 block Forbis R. C., lots 14, 15, and W 1-16, block 58 ---- \$66.70 Fulcher J. H., Lots 13, 14, blk 49 \$24.62.

Grabble I. G., Sur. 339 N. 1-2 326 acres; Sur. 338 N. E. 1-4 165 Gray H. J., Sur. 261, tracts 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 140 acres; Survey 283, S. W. 1-4 165.85 A \$147.22. Grace J. H., Lot 12 blk. 35 __\$21.05 Gunn C. R., Sur. 338 N. part N. W. 1-4, 40 acres _____\$15.33 Hardin J. B., Sur. 302 N. W. 1-4 162 acres; lots 2 and 3 block 29,

47 ______\$44.97 Harkey W. N. lot 5 block 47 \$17.75 Harkey T. G., Sur. 261, tract 42, 20 Harkey T. G. Sur. 261, tract 37, 20 Harris C. P., w.40ft. lit 11, all 12, blk 40 --- --- Harris Lonnie, personal property, ----\$26.00 Harris G. F., lot 9, block 35 \$14.45

Hart, J. P., personal ___ \$\frac{1}{2}\$ Hayes J. I., lot 17, 18 block 48 Haile C. C., W. 30 ft lot 9 all 8, Lot 3 block 38 ... \$31.22 Lot 10 block 38 \$24.35 and continuously resided here since Hunter W. S., lots 8, 9, 10, 11, blk. Lot Jamison B. L., Sur. 263, tracts 92, Lot 6 block 46 93, 98, 99, 79.49 acres __\$45.25 Lot 7 block 46 Jamison B. L., lot 13 blk 50 \$17.75 Lot 4 block 48 Johnson W. J., personal ___ R. B., Sur. 262, tract 62, Lot 8 block 49 res. -- \$20.50 Lot 9 block 49

20 acres. ______\$20.50
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acres ______\$41.12
Knight Lonnie, Freeman Addition,
lot 2, 3, block 2 ______\$4.55
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Lessing W. E., personal _____\$2.35
Lewis Wesley, Sur. 261, tract 40,
20 acres ______\$29.02
Lisenby Ed., Sur. 224, tract 160, 20
acres; E. 1-2 lot 2 and all 3, W 1-2
lot 4, block 41 _____\$58.17 Marsh J. A., Sur. 300 S. W. 1-4, 123 __\$44.64 __\$3.17

19.83 acres ___ ____\$11.37 Miller Mrs. C. R., lots 10, 11, block 45 ___ ___ \$28.20 45 ___ \$28.20 Morgan B. E., lots 4, 5, B 52 \$20.61 Motor Inn, personal, Moore S. M. personal Morris J. M., Sur. 263, tract 86, 87 39.75 acres ______\$29.08 McKeever J. C., lots 21, 22, block

11 _____ \$20.77 McClure Oran, Sur. 283, N. 1-2 S. E. 1-4, 82.92 acres; Sur. 301, S. E. 1-4, 166 acres; lots 10, 11, 12, 13, block 58, W. 40 ft. lot 13 block 12 lot 18 block 27 ___ _\$227.18 McCulloch Mable, Freeman Addition lot 3, 4, block 1 ______\$3.78

Nally S. H., personal, ____\$4.55

Nash W. W., Freeman Addition, lot

1 block 5 ______\$7.85 __\$4.55 1 block 5 ____ \$7.85 Oliver F. N., lot 5 block 23 \$12.25

Patton Roy, personal ____ \$9.25 Patterson E. E. Est., lot 25 block Payne J. C., Sur. 246 N. W. 1-4, 157 acres ___ ___\$64.11 Pickens W. W., Sur. 263 tracts 84, 85, 89, 90, 79.43 acres __\$49.48 Ponder L. C., Sur. 242 S. W. 1-4, _\$64.11 163 acres; lot 1 block 59, lot 12 Potts Ed., personal \$4.55

Futman Mrs. W. H., lots 10, 11, blk 40 acres__ 40 acres 1. R., lot 7 block 23 \$12.74 Rucker J. R., lot 2, block 25, \$13.90 Rush A. J., Sur. 206, Frc. N. E. 1-4 13.5 acres Sanders Cornelius, Freeman tion, lot 3 block 5

163 acres; Sur. 243, tracts 109 111, 115, 59.5 acres____\$92.05 acres, lot 6, 7, block 51 __\$66.42 Scott Bros. Gro. Co. personal \$61.73 Scott L. S., Sur. 262 tract 60, Seales, T. J., lots 8, 9, blk. 41, \$15. Spivey E. L., N. 1-2 14 all 12 and 18 block 33 Slaton G. H., Sur. 280 N. E. 1-4

South J. J., lot 7 block 40 ___\$9.94 Stack G. H., personal ___ \$4.00 Stegall W. W., Sur. 339, S. E. 1-4, 163 acres ___ __ __\$27.65 Stevens L. N., lot 9, 10 block 9 \$5.10 Spur Cream and Bottling Works, personal, ___ __ \$27.92 Spur Service Sta. lot 23 B 27 \$30.95 Shipley W. A., lots 17, 18 block 5; lot 1 block 20 ___ = \$7.30 Shockley T. U. Sur. 316 N. E. 1-4,

lot 12 block 18 ______\$59.00
Taylor D. W., lot 13, 14, B 34 \$26
Tidwell M. V., personal ____ \$3.45
Thomas R. N., Sur. 207 N. E. 1-4

165 acres; Sur. 226, tract 132 20.7 acres Twaddell D. Y., lot 4 B 39 __\$29.08 Tyler E. A., lots 2, 3, B 9 __\$11.18 Walker W. F., Sur. 242, N.W.1-4,150 williams Frank, lot 8, 9, Willis J. E., Sur. 337 N. W. 1-4, 168

Lot 8, 9, block 1 Lot 9 block 7, Lot 2, block 10 Lot 3 block 10 block 10 Lot 24, block 11 Lot 10 block 16.

__\$33.15 Lot 12 block 26

\$6.09 Lot 15 block 43

y during the fall months. ----Ads Save You Money--this week.

This list has been checked by the school board, and proved to be correct, and has been accepted by the board, and approved for publication. This list is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.—B. F. meeting with his friends.

HALE, Chairman of the Board. -Ads Save You Money-——Advertising Pays— Mrs. Thomas, of McAdoo, spent day in Spur with O. D. Blanton and family, while in route to Abilene to

-Advertising Pays-Mrs. S. J. Ousley is spending the week in Ralls with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. House. Mr. Ousley accimpanied her to Ralls, returning home

-Advertising Pays-81x90 Bed Spreads, \$2.29.—aayne Yates Company.

visit other relatives of that city.

----Advertising Pays-Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Berry, who have been in Rochester where Mr. Berry has been employed in the construction of a new theatre building for Mr. Greenwade, returned this

BRAZELTON LUMBER CO.

A Good Yard In a Good Town

other day. He continues to improve from his recent and most severe burns, we are glad to note. -Advertising Pays-

G. A. Howsley is now in Albany with his children. It is reported that he is kinder "under the weather" at this time. We are hoping he will soon regain good health and be able to return to Spur. -Advertising Pays-

W. W. Greenwade, of Rochester, pent a day or two in Spur this week with Mr. Flournoy, of the Lyric Theatre. Mr. Greenwade is just now completing a new brick theatre build ing in Rochester, and hopes to have it furnished and equipped and ready for business by the first of the com-

-Advertising Pays Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Chapman, of Rearing Springs, have been the guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Rob Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ed the coin of the realm to extend his

A Dressy line of Khaki Clothes for campers and tourists at Layne-

-Advertising Paysarre now touring South and Central Texas, visiting with friends and fishing in the best streams of the state. During their absence Lee Turner and Mrs. L. N. Stevens are managing the Racket Store.

-Advertising Pays-Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris, of near Dickens, were among the number of shoppers in Spur Saturday of the past week.

-Advertising Pays-Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bennett, of Duncan Flat, were in Spur Saturday, Mrs. Bennett shopping with the merchants while Mr. Bennett met voters in furthering his campaign for the county judge's office.

-Advertising Pays-E. H. Blakley, of north of Dickons, came to Spur Tuesday on busimaking a few purchases and also marketing products from his farm. Mr. Blakley is one of the number of Dickens county farmers who market products each week instead of mere-

W. I. Simmons, of the Duck Creek community, was in Spur Monday of

-Ads Save You Money-Dud Jones, of Afton, was in the ity Monday of this week attending o varied business matters, and also

-Ads Save You Money R. J. Hairgrove was here Monday trading some and meeting with his friends of both town and country.

Jim Crump, of Watson, came to town Saturday. Jim farms principally, occasionally driving the mail from Watson to Spur, thus doing a service to the people while benefit-

W. G. Mayfield, of Girard, was in Spur on business Monday of this week. We are sorry to note that Gyp is now getting about on crutches as the result of a protracted attack of rheumatism. It is hoped by his many friends that he may soon be able to throw away the crutches.

-Advertising Pays-Sam Harkey, who has been spending the past year out in Arizona, returned the past week to Spur.

-Ads Save You Money-J. P. Goen was in Spur Monday from his ranch home to the northwest of Dickens, and in meeting him on the street he made the whole world look brighter by handing us subscription. We have heard of geologists making the statement that the Goen Ranch was underlined with golden fluid, and here is hoping that it is true and that before many moons the drills will be going down to open the pools to his enrichment and the benefit of the entire coun-

-Ads Save You Money---Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Crego, of Dickens, were in Spur Monday of this week shopping and visiting with

----Ads Save You Money----

W. J. Clark, of Dickens, was in Spur Monday, meeting with friends and incidentally furthering his campaign for Commissioner from the Dickens precinct.

-Ads Save You Money-H. R. Witt and family, of the Watson community southwest of Spur, were shopping in Spur the first of

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of Progress at Boger the New Oil Town

Editor Texas Spur, Greeting:

Boger has more buildings under construction than any place I ever saw. There are about ten bricks un der construction and more lumber

count three or four hundred wells. wise and will prove advantageous, there are here. Main Street is about able that within a few years Dickens! thick as they are in a large city. We thoroughbred dairy herds of the en will have a railroad within 90 days. tire country. But notwithstanding all this, there is no need of my saying that I wish I was back in Spur, for if there is his headquarters at Lubbock this any place in the world I love, it is week, spending some time in Spur. Spur, where my friends are. That Mr .Middleton may be enjoying a means more to me than money. bigger and more extensive business

this week.

Daily Paper .- W. K. Perry. - QC

Ben Rutledge, of near Spur, was here hob-nobbing with his friends during the week.

-Advertising Paysother points.

Uncle Bill Perry Writes County Agent Selling Jersey Bulls on Com-Plan Over County

County Agent Reynolds has the agency for a reliable livestock dealer for the sale of thoroughbred Jerrsey bulls in Dickens county. His being sold than I thought was in the plan is to sell five bulls in five differworld. I am on Main Street and ent communities, to be purchased and they are putting up two rigs within owned co-operatively, and thus besix hundred yards of my place of bus ing in a position to change the stock habilitation of the framing industry. breedings at any time desired.

You can stand in one place and The co-operative plan is no doubt

J. P. Middleton came down from It has rained 2 days and nights in the insurance district, but some how or another it appears to us that I will send you a clipping from the he is not nearly so well contented as when working only his local ter-

-Advertising Pays-Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller, now of Jayton, spent Sunday in Spur with Mrs. J. W. Dunn and other friends M. Hargrove made a business trip here. Mr. Miller is now engaged in the first of the week to Stamford and the feed and produce business at Jayton.

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Good Food Priced Reasonably is our Specialty!



Long experience in handling foodstuffs has proved to us that good food is the most economical food for us to sell and for yu to buy!

JOPLIN & GIBSON

Timely Observations Upon Agriculture.

For many years, the farming industry has not yielded adequate returns. Many farmers are gravely discontented and under an intense sense of grievance toward the existing order of things. Adversity, more or less acute, has been the fate of a great portion of the farming com munity, while general business has been prosperous and wages have at trined unprecedented levels.

At best, the farmers' calling is a toilsome one, involving inevitable hardships and deprivations. The farming business is the largest in the country. The basic and vital necessity of the farming nidustry needs no emphasis. The immense social value of the farming class to the State is beyond argument.

The farming stock provides a continuous and essential supply of human raw material toward the preservation of the vigor and the distinctive characteristics of the American

If there is one calling which has a higher claim than another upon the helpful consideration of the State, it is that of the farmer. The farmer's problem is part of our problem. The farmer's welfare is an essential part of our welfare.

It is harmful and menacing to the commonwealth that so numerous and so valuable a portion of the population should feel dissatisfied and resentful and be without prosperity. The situation lends itself peculiarly to the incitements and wiles of the demagogue and to the plausible figments of the economic visionary.

Both justice and self interest demand of the community at large that forth to the end that the farmers munity Co-Operative grievances be redressed. If that redress can only be accomplished by methods which, while practicable and economically warrantable and promising to be effective, are novel and perhaps unpalatable to the established ways of business, then the less important will have to yield to the more important, i. e., business convenience and customs to the re-

Unless well-considered, sincere and earnest efforts are promptly put into operation by Congress, within the You can't imagine how many people and through the plan it is very prob- limits of economic soundness and practicability, to accomplish the oba mile long and the people are as county may boast of the finest ject in view, the danger looms ahead that a large section of the farming vete may succumb to the specious persuasiveness and false promises of the well-meaning, self-deceiving purveyor of political and economic nosrums and delusions, often disproved out ever resurging, or of the cunning iemagogue and fomenter of class

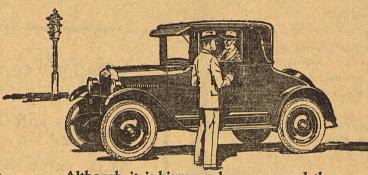
> It is not sufficient answer to the farmer's complaints to refer him to supply and demand and to the docthe rigid functioning of the law of trine of the survival of the fittest; because in reply the farmer will contend that, in other respects, for reasons which seemed valid to congress we have not sirupled to interfere through acts of government and otherwise, with the untrammeled workngs of that law and that doctrine; and he will and does claim that we either adhere to them strictly all round or give him the effective advantage of dispensations similar to those which have been granted in the case of other callings.

As to the argument that the adoption of measures sufficiently thorough-going to give real relief to the farmer might set a dangerous precedent, it seems to me that aversion against, or apprehension of, establishing a precedent is never a valid reason for failure to do that which is justly called for. I feel assured that we may rely-and, indeed, under a popular system of government we must rely-upon the soundness and watchfulness of public opinion to see to it that precedents are not harmfully misapplied or abused .-Excerps from an address delivered sion. All desiring to take, please before the C. of C, Richmond, Va., call phone 93. by Otto Kahn.

-65-A during the week.

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Or would trade for new or sslightly they have indulged. used Ford car or truck .- M. Hargrove, Spur, Texas.

-Express, 5000, \$12.50, Postpaid, of the country. 1000, \$2.90, 500, \$1.60. Tomatoes, 1000, \$1.90; 500, \$1.25. Prompt Shipment, Count and Delivery Guarantee. C. B. Sewell, Texas pioneer shoppers in Spur during the week. plant shipper, Pearsall, Texas. 2p

STRAYED-A dark bay horse, about 12 years old, branded C on eft hip, and wearing leather halter, is now strayed at my place 2 miles east of Spur. Owner please take notice.—C. L. Pickens.

Two furnished rooms for rent. _Mrs. T. H. Gilmore.

FOR SALE-Two gilts, 2 months old, 150 pounds, \$20 each .- J. T. Walden, Rt. 1, Box 54, Spur, Texas.2

NOTICE .- Good Grass and Timber land, \$2.00 and acre, fine steer pasture. Must sell by July 15th .-G. W. Jackson, Concho, Ariz. 29 4c

-Advertising Pays-Miss Nell Higgins will teach a summer class in music and expres-

C. W. Dortch, Trarcy Gorham and Messrsr. E. C. Edmonds, Dr. Hale, wife, C. L. Love and daughters, Miss S. L. Davis and Edwin Morris return Dorothy and Mrs. Roy Russell, and ed Wednesday night from Lake Miss Thelma Caraway left the first Kemp where they have been fishing of the week on a fishing trip to Junction.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS WHAT OR WHO IS A REPUBLI- A Town is Measured by

CAN NOW-A-DAYS.

The esteemed Kansas City Star thinks that the same definition, word what or who is a Republican. The Spur. See or write Andy Wooten, definition would be alright for any 4tf. American citizen if only it were scrupulously observed. We are I have a pair of good, fast step- wondering if Senators Robinson, ping mare mules on my farm at Gi- Harris and Edge could square their rard that I will sell for \$250 cash. political conduct with the definition

- CC Bob Lea, M. E. Tree, S. L. Davis —Ads Save You Money— and others have been fishing during PORTORICO POTATO PLANTS the week in the streams and lakes and others have been fishing during

> -Advertising Pays-Mrs. Keahey and daughter, of Roaring Springs were among the

Its Newspapers

A town's newspapers are the meafor word could be accepted as to sure of what it amounts to. You may discount Chamber of Commerce literature, and mean no disrespect, For you know that all is said is meant to present the bright side and cover up the ugly spots. But the newspaper tells the whole story precisely as it occurs from day to day, not in actual words, perhaps, but in its appearance. If the newspaper wears a prosperous air, that is a clear indication of the community in which it is printed. And the world over. That's the measure of the community, precisely as the mercury registers the state of the weather.

----Advertising Pays----

-Waco Times-Herald



Groceries and Cold Meats OF MANY KINDS

It is so convenient to know that when you wish to serve a luncheon at home or pack a snack for a trip, you you can find here an excellent assortment of Groceries, Cold and Fresh Meats awaiting your choice.

SCOTT BROTHERS, Spur

Clothing Contest in the Girls Clubs of Dickens County May 29

THE TO SECTION AND A SECTION OF

Mrs. Hollingsworth, Home Demonstration Agent for Dickens County, has instituted a "Clothing Contest" for the Girls Clubs of the county, to be held May 29th. The two girls winning first places in this contest will be awarded a trip to the Short Course to be given in Home Economics at the A. & M. College in

Among the Club members of the several organized in the county, entering the contest, are the following: Cleone Newberry, Ethel Lawson,

Gladys Roberson, Lorene Middleton, of Prairie Chapel Club.

of the Afto nClub.

Delphia Dozier of Dry Lake Club. Mildred Terry, Odell Harris, Opal Harris, Gladys Arrington, Bennie Worswick, Dannie Street, Willie Edgar and Maud Slough, of Dickens Club.

Lillie Smith and Earl Pettigrew, of Midway Club.

Mamye Hughes, of Duncan Flat Club.

Mary Simmons, of Duck Creek Club.

Ouida Caviness, of Wilson Draw Club

Lotella Sparks, Thelma Blackshear, of Highway Club.

Flora Lee Messer, Alleen Murphy, of Espuela Club.

Mae Macon, Beatrice Barton and Nola Smith, of McAdoo Club.

Edith Richey, Ila Hemphill, Mary Porter, Viola Henderson, Willie Thanisch, Callie Jones, Thelma Thacker, Vergie Porter, Audrey Wallace, Veda Lee, Eola Lambert, Ruby Porter, Iona Youngblood and

Rheum Richey, of the Croton Club.

-Advertising Pays-The committee has presented Gov. Ferguson with drafts of two proposed bills to validate the 80 million dollars of road district bonds issued throughout Texas, and asking that a special session of the legislature be called to pass the bills offered. However, it is doubtful if the governor will convene the legislature for any purpose until the campaign strife is

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MORE DAYS

MAY 25th.

MORE DAYS

Men's Wear

Men's Blue and Gray Work Shirts \$1.00 value, 63c

> Union Suits \$1.25 value, 79c

Dress Shirts \$3.00 value, \$1.98

Men's Dress Shoes \$6.50 value, \$3.98

WE WISH TO THANK **OUR MANY FRIENDS** AND CUSTOMERS

For their liberal response and wonderful patronage during our Big Spring Unloading Sale, and wish to remind you there are

ONLY 4 MORE DAYS LEFT

For you to buy High Class Merchandise at the Unheard of low prices that you have found prevailing theoughout our store for the past two Our purpose has been accomplished, and weeks. Our purpose has been accomplished, and we will positively close our sale next Tuesday, May 25th. Tuesday will be your Last Chance to share in these Wonderful Values and Low Prices.

Come in before the sale closes and don't be one of those to say, "I wish I had,"—be one of those to say, "I did and saved Real Money."

ATTEND!

After the sale has closed, remember that you will still find us selling the Best Merchandise at the Lowest Possible Price; and its no trouble to

show you, but a real pleasure to serve you. FOLLOW THE WISE ONES— THEY'RE COMING HERE

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Ladies Spring Coats HALF PRICE

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Silk Hose \$2.50 value, \$1.79 \$1.50 value, \$.79

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MISS ELNORA MORGAN

ENTERTAINS WEDNESDAY

with bridge and fourty-two, at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. T.

After several games of fourty-two and brilge were played, delightful refreshments of hot chocolate, cake and sandwiches were served to the fololwing guests: Misses Estelle Collett, Eleanor Harris, Bessie Raby, Jerene Cooner, Nig Lisenby, Berta Belle Brown, Addie Joe Addington, Edna Collett, Estelle Morgan, Opal Scott, Avo Howell, and Messrs Guy and G. H. Stack. Karr, Travis Burnham, Mac Watson, Horton Barrett, Crate Snider, Elzie Watson, Wallace Bingham, W. B. Lee Jr., George Lisenby, Freeman Edmonds, Porter McGaughy, and the Hostess, Miss Elnora Morgan.

MRS. R. E. DICKSON ENTER-TAINED 1925 BRIDGE CLUB

Experiment Station just west of Kate Buchanan.

In the games the club prize was nesday on business. awarded to Mrs. Edmonds, being a tapestry pillow top. Mrs. Sol Davis was given consolation in handkerchiefs; and Mrs. J. C. McNeill was awarded a boudior pillow as guest prize. Refreshments of a salad course was served to Mesdames Alger Jennings, Perry, Putman, Edmonds, Wilson, Cairnes, McNeill, Reynolds, Reed, Davis, Jones, and Love.

-65 M. S. Faver, of east of Afton, was among the business visitors in Spur Wednesday of this week. Mr. Faver is an extensive and successful farmer of the north part of the county, and is recognized as one of the very best citizens of the county We are glad to number him among our friends.

P. M. W. CLUB

The P. M. W. Club was delightfully entertained by Mrs. Eric Ousley, Miss Elnora Morgan entertained, Thursday afternoon of last week. Wednesday evening of last week, Six tables were arranged for "42."

> were served to the following: Davis, Jno. Hazelwood, O. F. Mc-Combs, Crockett, L. Joplin, W. S. sherbet to the following guests: Perry, J. E. Sanders, Rutledge, Tom

----Advertising Pays----NORTH SOCIAL CLUB

Mrs. J. W. Meadows, Thursday, May 6th. There was no work for the club to do, so we took the day for a social meeting. The next meeting will be with Mrs. J. R. McMahan. We were glad to have Mrs. Grantham, Mrs. Riter, and Mrs. C. W. Wednesday afternoon of last week Barrett as visitors. The members Mrs. R. E. Dickson enteretained the present were: Mesdames J. W. memberes of the 1925 Bridge Club Pickens, W. G. Potts, Henry Dodge, and other guests at her home on the J. W. Woods, J. R. McMahan and

-Advertising Pays-

MRS, FOSTER ENTERTAINED SOCIAL CLUBS THURSDAY

ful refreshments of sandwiches, sal- the Entre Nois and Friday Afterad, potatoe chips, cake and ice tea, home in the city. After a number the marriage a profound secret ever of interesting games, the hostess from intimate friends up to this served refreshments of cake and time.

Teague, F. F. Vernon, Jim Walker, away, Collier, Daniels, Edmonds, and is a young lady of charm, beau Loyd and Chas. Wolf, Wilkes, Mott, Hale, Harkey, Jennings, King, Lea, ty and accomplishments. During Bert Whitener, H. O. Albin, Luther Nichols, Perry, Putman, Rector, Lee, the past year or two she has been Powell, S. C. Fallis, Lonnie Harris, Hogan, Love, Twaddell, Williams, with the postoffice department in Wooten, Manning, McClure, Zachry, Spur, where she formed many friend Sturman, Russell, Fallis, Presley, ships in smilingly and graciously Williams, Hickman, Reed, Samples, meeting and serving the public. Mr The North Social Club met with Stovall, Whitener, Reynolds, Scud- Graves is the son of Sam Graves der, McLean.

Tuesday evening of this week, Mr and Mrs. H. O. Allen entertained number of their friends with a "42" party. Four tables were arranged and after the games were played, delicious refreshments of nut cream and angel food cake were served to the following guests: Messrs and Mesdames F. F. Vernon, Eric Ousley, W. A. Craddock was in town Wed- J. E. Sanders, Jno. Hazelwood, O F. McCombs and G. H. Stack.

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COTTON SEED

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After playing several games, delights | delightfully entertained members of Mr. Vernon Graves. Mr. and Mrs. Graves were married September Mesdames Weldon Grimes, Lee noon Clubs and other guests, at her 18th, 1925, at Crosbyton, keeping

> Mrs. Graves is the daughter of Mesdames Andrrews, Alger, Car- A. C. Hindman, of north of Spur, who is one of the old time cowmen and well known throughout this Western country. During the past year or two Mr. Graves has been associated with J. O. Chistal in the real estate and insurance business, and is a young man of business abil-

At this belated date the Texas Spur extends congratulations and very best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Graves, and may their sail over the matrimonial seas be ever pleasant, happy and free of adverse waves and abundant prosperity ever attend

Mr. Golding returned last week from Hempstead where he had been spending several week, and again assumed management of B. Schwarz & business in Spur and a general mer- serious consideration. cantile business at Hempstead. It may be possible that later the business in Spur will include a line of general merchandise in connection with a dry goods department store.

Wilson Draw School Play Postponed Until **Next Saturday Night**

The Wilson Draw School play, entitled "Daughter of the Desert," together with other program numbers, scheduled for Friday night at the closing of the school, has been postpened to next Saturday night, May 22nd, in deference to the band play scheduled for Friday night in Spur.

The program will be had on the outside of the school building, thus providing plenty room for the crowds expected. Everybody has a cordial invitation to attend, and no admission charges will be made.

______ Southwestern Tele-Co. Makes Improve ment Appropriations

Appropriations totalling \$2,288,-385 for construction and reconstruction of telephone property in Texas have been announced by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company as a result of recent meeting of the Executive Committee and Board of Directors held in St. Louis.

A large part of this sum will be used for the construction and repair of long distance lines, for central office equipment and aerial and undergound cables, and for installing and removing telephones ..

Aside from the last expense, which is the largest in the appropriation, some of the principal expenditures will be \$520,000 for the new central office equipment at the Taylor central office at Houston; \$42,500 for the new central office building at Den ison; \$37,200 for construction work on the Dallas-ElPaso long distance line; and \$19,600 for construction on the Texola-Amarillo long distance

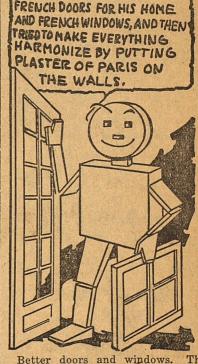
At the meeting of the Board of Directors, the Treasurer wa sauthorized to pay on July 1 the regular quarterly dividend of \$1.75 on the Company's Prefered Stock.

-66 Mrs. J. H. Grace and little Miss Francis left Wednesday for Stamford where she will visit relatives and friends for a few days.

——Advertising Pays——Barber Crockett, while with his family recently on a visit to the south Friends and acquaintances were of Brownwood, witnessed the drownsurprised Thursday of the past week ing of two young men in attempting Thursday afternoon of last week upon the announcement of the mar- to cross a swolen stream of water. A Mrs. J. M. Foster graciously and riage of Miss Beulah Hindman and number of cars had banked up on stream to run down when the boys, becoming impatient, drove in with the result that the car was washed down and the boys drowned.

Bill Ding Dez:

I KNOW ONE FELLOW WHO HAD



Better doors and windows. The character fo the doors and windows in your home determines t oa large extent its appearance. Doors and Son dry goods business in Spur. Im- Windows are now used to make the mediately upon the arrival of Mr. home attractive, as well as to ex-Golding, Mr. Schwarz, who had been clude the storm or admit light and here during his absence, departed for air. The exceptionally well made Hempstead. B. Schwarz & Son are and attractively designed doors and operating two business, the dry goods sash we supply are worthy of your

> Tri-County Lumber Company Spur, Texas