SPUR

#### Spur Girl Scouts Will Build a Club house in east Spur

Wednesday of this week the Spur Rotary Club contributed three hundred and fifty dollars, and the Stamford & Northwestern Townsite Co., contributed a lot to the Spur Girl Scouts. A club house will be built on the lot at an early date.

Mrs. Whigham is director of the Girl Scouts, and will assist in drawing plans for the new club house which will be a source of real benefit and pleasure to club members and friends, as well as an asset to the

#### 40,000 Miles With Lindbergh Monday and Tuesday at Lyric

The Lyric Theatre Monday and Tuesday will show "40,000 Miles With Lindbergh," showing his flight to Paris, his return to America, his reception in every state of America. together with the famous air ship, "Spirit of Saint Louis" in which the entire flight was made.

This picture, coming almost before the flights were ended, is evidence that the Lyric Theatre management is on the job in securing the very lat-

est films issued. Lindbergh is recognized throughout the world as the greatest "good will ambassador," and is doing more than any other one man in promoting flying throughout the world.

#### Constable Nichols Captures Pecos Jail-breaker and gets \$100 reward

Sunday Constable Nichols arrested a negro, Sam Roseman, who escaped Tuesday from the Pecos jail, and received a reward of \$100 for the capture. The negro, with four white men, overpowered the jailer and 28 Jersey Cows Sold at in July. made their escape. The negro's lived in Spur, the officers wired Nichols, and within an hour after his arrival in Spur and before he could communicate with his wife, the constable had him under arrest.

#### Co-Operative Shipment of Hogs to be Made March the 27th

Farmers and others wishing to join in a cooperative shipment of hogs to market are notified that such a shipment will be made Tuesday, March 27th, from Spur. All hogs to go in this shipment should be listed with W. B. Lee or W. T. Wilson immediate ly in order that the required number of cars may be on the track at the time of loading.

#### Revival Meeting at the First Christian Church Begins Next Sunday

Revival meeting will begin at the First Christian Church next Sunday, March 18th. Bro. C. M. Ashmoore, evangelist, will

of the singing. Come, and be with us in all ser-

vices.—A. G. Abott, Pastor. -Trade in Spur-

NOTICE

Percy Jones will hold services in the 18th day of March.

#### Spur Defeated by Post in the First Baseball Game of Season

Friday of last week the Spur High school base ball team played the first matched game of the season with the Post team on the Spur diamond, go ing down in defeat with a score of

The Post team was accompanied to Spur by J. E. Watson, former Su perintendent of Spur Schools but now of Post Schools.

#### City National Bank Statement Reflects the Financial Conditions

The City National Bank statemen appearing elsewhere in this issue of the Texas Spur, reflect the financial resources and conditions of the coun-

At the close of business on February 28th, the total resources and liapilities of the bank were \$697,507.24 with total deposits to the amounnt of \$593,234.30, \$532,249.30 of which was individual deposits subject to

This report is substantial evidence of the healthy financial condition of the country, especially at this time, the end of a fall season and the beginning of new crops. -- QC

#### Foy Vernon Building a Modern Bungalow Suburban Home

Foy Vernon, of the City National Bank, is having constructed a modern oungalow suburban home in the west part of the city, and which is now nearing completion.

At the present time there are five ther fine residences and modern cotage homes under construction in Spur, giving substantial evidence that the building progress of the city is

#### Auction in Spur Wednesday of Last Week

S. M. Lawson, of Fort Worth, under the direction of McDonald & Son as actioneers, sold twenty eight head of jersey milk cows in Spur Wedneslay of last week to the highest bidlers. The cows brought an average of more than one hundred dollars each, every cow being sold.

The ready sale of good milk cows in the country indicates that the people are becoming materially interest ed in dairying. The further fact that a creamery and butter plant is being established in Spur, is further encouragement to more extended dairying interests over the country.

#### James Garfield Price Died Saturday at Home Northeast of Spur

James Garfield Price, seventeen years old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Price, of five miles northeast of Spur, died Saturday evening at the family home following an illness of ten days suffering of pneumonia; the remains do the preaching. Bro. Paul Camp- being interred Sunday afternoon in bell of San Antonio will have charge the Spur cemetery, Rev. Rodgers conducting the funeral services.

Death is sad in any instance, but especially so when the Grim Reaper claims a young man merging into manhood and useful citizenship.

The Spur extends sincere sympathe Presbyterian Church on Sunday thy to members of the family in this LITTLE JIMMIE McARTHUR UN

#### Lone Star Stage Line Schedules

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8:00 12:00 Lv	LUBBOCK	Ar 8:45 4:30
9:30 1:30 Lv	CROSBYTON	Ar 7:00 2:30
10:00 1:00 Lv	SPUR	Ar 6:30 3:00
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2:00 5:45 Lv	SEYMOUR	Ar 3:00 9:15
4:30 8:00 Lv	BRECKENRIDGE	Ar 12:45 ;
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Ride Lone Star Stages All the Way to and From Ft. Worth For further information see NEWT HARKEY, Spur, Texas

#### PORTANT FACTOR IN PROS- Rain Wednesday PERITY OF THE COUNTRY

M. S. Faver, of east of Afton, wa in Spur last week. Mr. Faver is in the Dickens County Bull Circle and has a fine dairy herd already founded on his place. He expects to keep 20 perity of the Spur country, and will

#### - QC R. S. Harkey for Justice of the Peace of Precinct Number Three

The Texas Spur is this week authorized to announce R. S. Harkey as a candidate for Justice of the Peace of Precinct Number Three, subject to the action of the Democratic

R. S. Harkey has been serving as a peace officer several years, having much to do with courts, therefore familiar with court proceedure as well as the statutory laws. As Justice of the Peace, Mr. Harkey will be in position to properly conduct and expedite court proceedure and render decisions in accord with the aw and evidence submitted.

Voters at Spur, Steel Hill, Duck Creek, Red Hill, Red Mud, Highway, Dry Lake and Espuela, of which vot ing boxes Precinct Number Three is composed, are respectfully solicited to give his candidacy and claims to the office due consideration.

#### M. L. Nichols for Re-Election as Constable

We are this week authorized to announce M. L. Nichols as a candilate for Constable of Precinct Three, subject to the Democratic Primaries

ly solicited to enter the campaign for sheriff and tax collector. but prefers to not enter this fight and again serve the people of this precinct as con-

In his service as constable of the precinct the past two years M. L. Nichols has made approximately 800 arrests, securing convictions and collecting fines in every instance with the exception of two or three, thus making a record as a peace officer.

Voters of the precinct, including the voting boxes at Spur, Red Hill, Duck Creek, Steel Hill, Red Mud, Highway, Dry Lake and Espuela, are respectfully solicited to give the candidacy of M. L. Nichols for reelection to the office of Constable a due and deserved consideration in the coming primary elections.

DR. NICHOLS TAKING SPECIAL INSTRUCTION IN OPERATION XRAY MACHINE FOR THE NICHOLS SANITARIUM

Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols and son Pike, are spending ten days in Dallas where Dr. Nichols is taking a special course in the operation of Xray machines. The Nichols Sanitarium is equipped with one of the latest model Xray machines manufactured, and with this special course Dr. Nichols will be in position to operate the machine to the better advantage of the sanitarium as well as patients for treatment and diagnosis.

#### -- 65 mil DERGOES TRANSFUSION OF BLOOD OPERATION

Tom McArthur returned last week to his son, and while he is apparent- care of such matters. ly doing nicely the boy remains in \_\_\_\_\_Help Spur Grow \_\_\_\_\_ the hospital under the care of special- Misses Thelma Caraway and Lucil with Jimmie until his recovery.

### Night Covers the Spur Country

A fine and much needed rain fell thoroughbred jersey cows for dairy- Wednesday night, covering the entire given Monday and Tuesday, March ing purposes. He has been offered a Spur territory. The rainfall varied 19th and 20th, at the Spur Theatre. hundred and fifty dollars for individ- from one-half inch to three inches ual cows in the herd, but will not over the country. The Red Mud secsell until he gets the number and tion southwest of Spur had three or kind desired. Dairying is already more inches, while to the north and playing an important part in the pros east of Spur the rainfall averaged probably an inch or more. The rain become a much greater factor in the extended up on the plains to the west where an abundance fell.

The Croton country and over the northeast part of the county had a fine rain Thursday of last week. These rains put the entire country

in good shape for all farming purposes, and grass is greening up on the cattle ranges. The indications now are that bum-

per crops will again be produced this

#### - QC Primary Elections to be held in July. Melvin Landers Adds Dry Goods and General Merchandise to

Melvin Landers, who recently purchased the D. H. Sullivan grocery business, and moved with his family to Spur, is this week adding dry goods ders expects to carry large stocks of been here since a year before the goods, and at this time is offering county was organized, White Moore of Precinct Three manently identified with the business old man. Bill Stafford never would member of the Missionary Baptist interests of Spur in future.

#### J. L. Jenkins Has the Cow in the Country

Some time ago reference was made to a holstein cow being milked by J. L. Jenkins, stating that the cow was balanced ration, informing us Thursday that she gave sixty four pounds of milk, which is nearly eight gallons. By continuing the feed and milking the cow every six hours, Mr. Jenkins expects to see the milk pro- hill. duction increase considerably above her present standard.

An eight gallon milk cow may not be out of the ordinary in the Northern and Eastern dairying sections, but they are extraordinary in this section-and Mr. Jenkins invites perby any one who doubts her milking

#### Why Not Form Farmers Farm Interests

W. T. Wilson, of the Wilson Draw community, dropped in at our sanctum Tuesday, stating that since the wishing to participate in this ship- ing business. ment should list their number of hogs with W. B. Lee before that date in business will take charge at an early order that the number of cars needed date. coculd be ordered for the shipping from Temple where he and wife had date. Co-operative shipments of been with their little eleven years old livestock, as well as marketing of all son, Jimmie, for treatment and a other farm products has meant much and will mean much moore in the future to the country, not only in providing cheaper marketing facilities, but in securing better markets and prices. A farmers association should of blood were transferred from Tom of blood were transferred from Tom be organized to superintend and take

ists and nurses for some time longer, Lucas and a party of young friends band concert will be interesting and Mrs. McArthur remaining in Temple from Tech College are in Spur for entertaining, and the public is cor-

#### Spur Band to Organize TECH BOYS WIN Association

The Spur Band is being organized dependently of former band organizations in Spur, and in furthering this organization a program will be The picture program will be "The Rose of Kildare" a romance of Old Ireland and Young America, from the

story of Gerald Beaumont. Those interested in promoting an independent band, as well as enjoying an excellent picture program, are invited to attend. Special music by the band will also be given in connection with the program.

#### Who is The Odest Resident Citizen Now of

Saturday of last week a number of old timers of Dickens county incidentally met on the streets of Spur, and made an effort to determine who had been living the longest in the county. Grocery Business of whom have been here from thirty red Monday in the Espuela cemetery. to forty one years, Tol Merriman beissue of the Texas Spur. Mr. Lan- Crosby county. L. G. Crabtree has special "get acquainted" prices and has been here for years but claimed inducements to the trade. He comes King county home and there served business man. The Sullivan build- Davis came here with his parents ing has been leased for a term of when a baby too young to remember years, and Mr. Landers will be per- the circumstances—but is not yet an tian woman, having been an active tell how long he had been here. W. L. Hyatt will have to get the record

# Champion Holstein milk Dickens Highway East

The Highway department is making changes and improvements on giving six gallons of milk each day. the highway east of Dickens, and Hendrix, a brother of Chillicothe, was Mr. Jenkins has placed the cow on a which work is being completed this also here to attend the funeral. An-

The roadway up the Dickens Hill is being straightened to run directly

The Dickens Hill has long been recognized as a hard pull and this improvement will be appreciated on

the part of the traveling public. Dickens county has ever been a leader of West Texas counties in the building of good roads, and since sonal investigation of his milk cow the coming of the Highway Department this work has been extended in a more permanent manner. All the main highways are scheduled for hard surfacing and asphaltam treatment.

#### Ass'n. for Cooperative J. J. Albin Buys Cattle and Leases Blackwell Ranch Near Dickens

This week a deal was consummatcounty is now without an county ed whereby J. J. Albin purchased the agent, it devolved apon himself and Dr. Blackwell cattle, leased the ranch other farmers to keep the co-operative of several sections west of Dickens, shipments of livestock going to the retired from the warehouse business markets, therefore the Texas Spur in Spur and is now ranching right on was requested to announce that a the place. Mr. Albin is an old cowshipment of hogs to market would man and rancher and no doubt will be made March 27th, and all farmers make a success of the cattle and ranch

A new manager for the warehouse

# Spur Band to Give Con-

public concert Friday evening at the Spur Theatre in connection with the regular picture program.

Both the picture program and the dially invited to attend.

#### Independent Band HIGH HONORS IN STOCK JUDGING AT FT. WORTH

According to a telegram received here Tuesday by Clifford B. Jones, president of board of regents of Texas Technological College, of Lubbock, this college won the highest honors in the stock judging contest held at the Fat Stock Show now going on at Ft. Worth.

The Tech team as a group won the first prize and individual members of the team took first and second prize in the individual awards thus taking for their college all the notable honors in stock judging. Among their competitors for these honors were the Kansas, Oklahoma and Texas A. & M. Colleges.

-Trade in Spur-

#### Dickens County? Mrs. J. R. Karr Died Sunday at Home Near Espuela

Mrs. J. R. Karr died Sunday at the Among the number were L. G. Crab- family home near Espuela, following tree, Tol Merriman, W. R. Stafford, an illness of ten days suffering of Jim Gilmore, and White Moore, all pneumonia, her remains being inter-

Mrs. Karr was seventy years of ing the oldest residenter present, 41 age, having been born November 26, years. Luke Davis claims to be the 1857, in Hall County, Georgia. Mr. oldest residenter now living here, and Mrs. Karr, in January of this While Uncle Bill Stafford says that year celebrated their fiftieth wedding and genral merchandise to his busi- W. C. Presley is the oldest living res- anniversary, her maiden name being ness, as will be noted by his adver- identer now here. Jim Gilmore has Esther Antenette Hendrix. Soon aftisement appearing elsewhere in this been here always, but lives over no ter their marriage in Georgia, Mr. nd Mrs. Karr came to Texas, in 1897, ocating a home in Dent county where they lived ten years, moving from there to I d then to Dickens county nighly recommended as a citizen and as sheriff in the early days. Luke thirteen or fourteen years ago, soon after the opening of Spur.

Karr was a consistent Chris-Church for more than fifty years.

There are eight children in the family, five boys and three girls, all of whom were at the bed side when death came. The children are J. L. Karr of Espuela, Ed and Henry Karr Being Straightened of Crosbyton, Dan Karr of Oklaunion and Improved and Ralph Karr of Breckenridge; Mrs. Annie Mabe of Levelland, Mrs. Lillian Clements of Wellington, and Mrs. Beal McBride of Spur. J. R. other brother and a sister living in Alabama, were unable to come. Aside from members of the family, a numeast and west from an intersection ber of friends from Medicine Mound, with the townsite, up and down the Crosbyton and Spur attended the hill. Her pastor, Rev. Victor Crabtree, conducted the services. In the death of Mrs. Karr the country has lost a good, true Christian woman. The Texas Spur extends sympathy to the family in this

#### AFTON PARENT-TEACHERS TO GIVE PLAY FRIDAY 16TH.

Mrs. Luther Stark will present a play, "Mrs. Tubs of Shanty Town," at the high school auditorium at Afton Texas on the night of Friday, March 16th. A large number of characters will

play in the cast, seven of which are Juvenile. Two hours of fun; come and bring someone. The proceeds of this play will be

used by the Parent-Teachers Association. Admission 10 and 25c. -Trade in Spur-Mr .and Mrs. J. H. Hooper were

here shopping this week from Twin -Help Spur Grow--

Mr. Lassetter, of near Spur, was one among the business visitors here

#### NOTICE!

The Spur Theatre will begin afternoon shows March 19th, and run from 2:00 p. m. 'till 5:00 p. m. up to Saturday Saturday show will start at 10:00 A, M.

You are invited out to t shows and at any time yo fail to see a good clean show we will give your money bac

Spur Theatre

# our Hardware and Furniture Company

Will take pleasure in showing you their full and complete line of Spring Furniture. They are offering Especially Low Prices Make farming easy and a pleasure by using P. & O. Listers and Planters See them now while our stock is complete.

### SPUR HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY

"The Home of the Orthophonic Victrolas"

"SPUR'S OLDEST STORE"

"The Home of the P & O Lister"

Mrs. W. P. T. Smith, of Dry Lake, leaving their field crops each year a friendship ties. clear profit. This year Mr. Smith is "bulling" the cotton market, having a number of bales stored away, and here is hoping he will be rewarded with a thirty cent market before next planting time.

-Trade in Spur-

two years hence—and a 'battle royal' up. may be expected with Mr. Shepherd, G. W. Rash, Fred Hisey, and possibly eight or ten others.

-Help Spur Grow-

-Help Spur Grow-A. C. Brummett were in Spur Saturcounty judgeship.

J. E. and Bill Cherry, of south of NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR was in the city Saturday. Mrs. Spur, were in the city the first of Smith possibly sells as much in Spur the week, seeking information of the as she buys, always having "home details in the death of Calvin N. No- THE STATE OF TEXAS, produce" to supply the markets. In bles who was instantly killed Saturfact. if we are not mistaken, Mrs. day night of the past week when his Smith told us at one time that the car turned over on the Dickens road. chickens, eggs, butter and cream on Messrs. Cherry were related to the the place more than paid expenses, Nobles family, either by blood or old

——Help Spur Grow—

the past week. -Help Spur Grow-W. A. Craddock, of southwest of

A. M. Shepherd, of Dry Lake, was Spur, was in the city Thursday on Peaceful Hill, Wilson Draw, Spring on the streets Wednesday of this business. Mr. Craddock has not yet Creek, Red Mud, Dry Lake, Highway week. While Mr. Shepherd is not commenced an active campaign in his Espuela, Twin Wells, one among the candidates this year, race for the county judgeship, more for the purpose of electing one Counhe is taking an interest in the cam- than to merely announce to the pub- ty School Trustee in and for said paign and watching the progress of lic his candidacy. However, he ex- Commissioner's Precinct No. 3, of county politics. He now contem- pects to make an active campaign said County; Said election shall be plates being in the "political ring" later, when the race begins to warm held at the same time and place and

-Trade in Spur-For the Best of Eats, go to Bell's thering his campaign for reelection M. and shall not close before 6 o'clock 20tf to the office.

-Help Spur Grow-Candidates O. C. Newberry and H. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edd Hall are this week attending a two days convention day together, campaigning for the of retail druggists of this district, be- NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR ing held in Big Springs.

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COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES

County of Dickens To All Whom This May Concern: By virtue of authority vested in me

by law, I hereby order, and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 7th day of April, A. D. 1928, by the qual-Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris, of near | ified voters of Commissioner's Pre-Dickens, were numbered among the cinct No. 3, in said County, at the many shoppers in Spur Saturday of voting places in and for each Common School District in said Commissioner's Precinct, as follows

Duck Creek, Steel Hill, Red Hill

by the same election officers that hold the election for Common School Trus-Sheriff M. L. Jones was in Spur tees in and for said Common School Thursday on official business, and in- Districts; and the polls at said election cidentally meeting with voters in fur. places shall be opened at 8 o'clock A.

> H .A. C. BRUMMETT, County Judge, Dickens Co., Texas -Help Spur Grow-

COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES

THE STATE OF TEXAS, County of Dickens

To All Whom This May Concern: By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order, and notice is hereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 7th day of April, A. D. 1928, by the qualified voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 2, in said County, at the voting places in and for each Common School District in said Commis-

sioner's Precinct, as follows Afton, Prairie Chapel, for the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioner's Precinct No. 2 of said County; Said election shall be

held at the same time and place and Spur, Texas. by the same election officers that hold the election for Common School Trustees in and for said Common School Districts; and the polls at said election places shall be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and shall not close before 6 o'clock

H .A. C. BRUMMETT, County Judge, Dickens Co., Texas.

NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEES

THE FFATE OF TEXAS.

County of Dickens To All Whom This May Concern:

By virtue of authority vested in me by law, I hereby order, and notice is nereby given, that there will be an election held on Saturday, the 7th day of April, A. D. 1928, by the qualified voters of Commissioner's Precinct No. 4, in said County, at the voting places in and for each Common School District in said Commissioner's Precinct, as follows

Croton School House, for the purpose of electing one County School Trustee in and for said Commissioner's Precinct No. 4, of said County; Said election shall be held at the same time and place and by the same election officers that hold the election for Common School Trustees in and for said Common School Districts; and the polls at said election places shall be opened at 8 o'clock A. M. and shall not close before 6 o'clock

H .A. C. BRUMMETT, County Judge, Dickens Co., Texas.

Ted was very late for Sunday School and the teacher wanted to know what had detained him.

"Well, at fiirst I had not intended to come at all. I wanted to go fishing, but father would not let me." "That's the kind of father to have" replied the teacher.

"Did he tell you why you shouldn't fish on Sunday?"

"Yes, ma'am, there wasn't enough pait for two.'

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS (1½c word or 10c per line.)

EGGS—Black Minorca setting eggs \$5 per 100.—Mrs. A. J. Richey, one making good. He each year has a "home produce." Mr. Bolch has one mile west of Spur.

FOR SALE-White Face, registermett, Dickens.

mules for shoats, light hogs or brood sows.-Central Market and Grocery.

Those who have clothes left with Spur Tailor Shop, may get them at my residence.—Ira Sullivan.

orn setting eggs, \$1.00 for 15 .-J. P. Simmons, Spur.

in Spur.-J. P. Wilkes.

Westerman, Spur, Texas.

H. A. C. Brummett, Dickens, Texas.

EGGS-S. C. Buff Orpington eggs,

STRAYED-One reddish brown

FOR SALE-Registered Hampshire pigs, \$2 extra to furnish registration papers .- M. S. Favers, Af-

To Trade-Wagon, team and har-

FOR SALE-Wilson Long Staple Cottonseed, \$1.50 bushel.—E. A.

FOR SALE-1 horse, 1 P. & O. planter, 1 go-devil .- C. W. Barclay.

FOR RENT-1 furnished bed room, 1 block east of postoffice.-Mrs. Ra-

FOR SALE-20 tons good, bright maize, 15 shoats, and 300 bushels of corn. See J. J. Albin at old Blackwell place in Dickens.

TO LEASE, SELL O RTRADE-My suburban home at Spur. See J. J. Albin or E. J. Cowan.

FOUND-New Oliver Lister Point, sticking in bumper of my car. Owner may have same by paying for this ad. Call at Texas Spur office or see W. B.

J. L. Jenkins was among the many business visitors in Spur during the

him for more or less."

ed young bull. See H. A. C. Brum- In fact practically everything to may always be "king" of the agricul-

FOR TRADE-A pair of young

FOR SALE-English White Leg-

FOR SALE—Three houses and lots

Cord Wood For Sale. See Bob

FOR SALE-Rhode Island Red nens, now laying, \$1.00 each.-Mrs.

Wood for Sale, \$3 cord if taken now. Finis Bilberry, Gilpin Tex. 9-2p

31 per setting, \$4 per 100.—H. L. Pullen, Rt. 1, Spur.

Jersey cow, heavy with calf, dehorned. Please notify J. L. Jenkins, six miles n. e. Spur.

ton, Texas.

ness for truck .- J. T. Bilberry. 19tf

Cochran, 4 miles north Spur. 20-1tp

Old Patient: "A girl no longer marries a man for better or worse.' New Patient. "Indeed!" Old Patient: "No, she marries

Edgar Fisher, of west of Spur, was |

-Trade in Spur-R. J. Hairgrove, of west of town, was here during the week marketing

-Trade in Spur-For the Best of Eats, go to Bell's

-Help Spur Grow-Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bateman, of 16-tf north of Spur, were shopping in the the Spur country, was a recent callweek. Mr. and Mrs. Bateman just advantage of the advertising pages recently moved from the Afton sec- in the sale of farm property intertion of country to the Spur country. ests. The Texas Spur goes to thou-He is now clearing up more land for sands of readers, is read by everyprovements on his new home.

-Help Spur Grow-Albert Jordan was in the city dur- publicity advantages. ng the week from his farm home

in the Duck Creek country. -Help Spur Grow-R. N. James, of the Highway com-

itors here the past week end.

J. H. Bolch, of southwest of Spur, in town Saturday. He informed that was among the business visitors on his farm work for the year is being the streets Wednesday of this week, pushed with the expectation of again trading some and marketing a lot of 18-3tp variety of crops, making cotton and of the finest milk cows of the country maize of secondary consideration in and has cream and eggs each week every way except possibly in acreage, to supply the market. While cotton 18-2tc live at home on' is grown on the tural country, the cow, sow and hen are becoming recognized as the greatest factors in the "real living of the

> conutry." —Help Spur Grow— W. F. Foreman, of Foreman's Chapel, was greeting friends and acquuaintances on the streets during

20tf the past week.

——Help Spur Grow-C. W Barclay, a good citizen of city Wednesday afternoon of this er at the Texas Spur office, taking cultivation and otherwise making im- body in the country and its advertising columns will be of material benefit to those taking advantage of the

——Help Spur Grow——-Will Garner, of northeast of the city, was on the streets one day the past week, meeting and greeting his munity, was among the business vis- numerous friends and acquaintances of the country.

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### Spur Theatre

MONDAY & TUESDAY: March 19 and 20.

"THE ROSE OF KILDARE" Benefit going to Spur Band

Afternoon show from 2:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m. WEDNESDAY & THURS.

March 21 and 22:-'A Woman Against the World"

Afternoon show from 2:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m.

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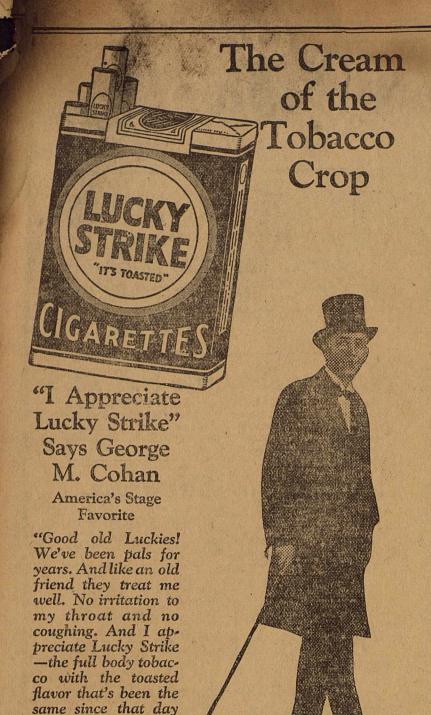
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.01928, The American Tobacco Co., Inc.

J. W. Smith, of north of Spur, was among the business visitors on the streets Wednesday. Mr. Smith is one, for the kind and loving deeds with the campaign issues with the one who keeps well posted on public done us in the illness and death of thought of casting a ballot for the matters, especially in politics and in our dear husband and father.-Mrs. best interests of all concerned. business matters. This year he is Jas. F. Williams and children. promised some interesting developments in both politics and businessand whether or not he can at this in the city Saturday with the usual time predict the outcome remains to crowds for the week end. He had us be determined.

-Help Spur Growthe streets one day the past week, ployed and making his home. wearing that usual West Texas smile of contentment at prevailing condienough to never worry.

CARD OF THANKS

-Help Spur Grow-Ben Rutledge, of east of Spur, was Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

send the Texas Spur to W. S. Rutledge | Cafe. who recently moved from Spur to the C. J. Smith, of Highway, was on City of Waco where he is now em-

-Help Spur Grow-D. G. Simmons, of Steel Hill, was He has been here long among the number of business visitors in Spur the past week.

#### ness visitors in Spur. -Help Spur Grow-L. L. Slayden, of Dickens, was on the streets of Spur recently.

R. L. Gilmore, of the Dickens Star

Route, was among the recent busi-

-Help Spur Grow-H. B. Lewis, successful farmer, well driller, and water witch, was on the streets Wednesday from his farm home in the Croton country.

-Help Spur Grow-G. H. Slaton, of north of Spur several miles, was among the business visitors in the city the past week.

-Help Spur Grow---S. H. Nally, of near Dickens, was in Spur the past week trading and on other business.

-Help Spur Grow-A. J. Slaton, of the Dickens Star Route, was among the business visitors in Spur last week.

-Trade in Spur-T. H. Tallent, of Gilpin, was greeting friends in Spur one day last week. He informed us that his health had not been good the past several months, therefore he had not been getting around as usual. -Trade in Spur-

R. F. Bilberry, of near Gilpin, was meeting with old friends and acquain tances on the streets Saturday.

-Trade in Spur-Virgil Smith, of Gilpin, was a business visitor in Spur the past week. Virgil has for some time been oper ating a filling station, confectionery and grocery at Gilpin.

-66 R. I. Wallace, of McAdoo, was in Spur his week. He had been figuring a bill of lumber for the construction of a business house in McAdoo Mr. Wallace is putting in a meat market in that growing town.

-Help Spur Grow-Chas. Windham is among those of Spur this week attending the big Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

-Help Spur Grow-For the Best of Eats, go to Bell's 20tf

-Help Spur Grow-Jud Boyd met us on the street the other day, dropping a dollar and fifty cents in the Texas Spur subscription till. He knows when a fellow needs

-Trade in Spur-Vernon Powell and Jim Hahn were in town this week conferring with the candidates, obtaining their plat-We wish to thank each and every- forms and familiarizing themselves

Bill McArthur was among those who left this week to attend the big

-Help Spur Grow-For the Best of Eats, go to Bell's

-Help Spur Grow-CITATION ON APPLICATION FOR LETTERS OF GUARDIANSHIP. THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of

Dickens County, Greeting: You are Hereby Commanded to cause to be published once each week for a period of ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper of general circulation, which has been continuously and regularly published for a period of not less than one year in said Dickens County, a copy of the following notice:

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To all persons interested in the welfare of Johnnie Mae Lanier, B. C Lanier, Jess L. Lanier and Woodrow Lanier, all minors, J. H. Warren has filed in said County Court of Dickens County, an application for Letters of Guardianship upon the Estates, both real and personal, of said minors. That said minors are entitled to an estate of real and personal property of the probable value of \$2,500.00, situated in Jones County, Texas, as follows:

About 161 acres of land out of Abstract No. 567, Survey No. 24, cash on deposit in The Anson State Bank, Anson, Texas, and That said minors are entitled to a one-seventh undivided interest in said property to be divided equally between them, which said application will be heard at the next term of said Court, commencing on the Third Monday in April, A. D. 1928, the same being the 16th day of April, A. D. 1928, at the Texas, at which time all persons interested in the welfare of said minors, may appear and contest said application, if they see proper to do so.

Herein Fail Not, but have you before said Court, on the said 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 the sea of said Court at office in Dickens, Texas, this the 12th day of March, 20-2t County Court, Dickens County, Tex. the latter city.

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Having taken over the D. H. Sullivan Grocery, we are converting same into a GENERAL MERCANTILE BUSINESS. And being desirous of getting acquainted, we have decided to put on a big 7-DAY SALE, BEGINNING SATURDAY, MARCH 17TH AND LASTING TO AND INCLUDING SATURDAY, MARCH 24TH.

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John D. Hufstedler was in the city political happenings-since the State paign. Block 2, Southern Pacific Ry. Co., of Texas will be recognized as headland, Jones County, Texas, and some quarters for national politics. We, of West Texas, will appreciate this opportunity to see big politics played-having had heretofore to be content with reading newspaper reports of national convention proceedings.

\_\_\_Help Spur Grow-W. A. Kimmell has been doing some campaigning of his own during the past several days. He is being solicited to enter the race for sheriff Court House thereof, in Dickens, and tax collector, and told us Monday that he might decide to "throw his hat in the ring" at an early date. As heretofore, the races for sheriff and county judge will be the warmest races of the campaign.

-Help Spur Grow-Will Watson, of east of Spur, was mong the many traders and busiess visitors on the streets during the week.

--- Help Spur Grow- --Homer Boothe is in Dallas and Ft. Worth, on business and incidentally (seal) ROBERT REYNOLDS, Clerk taking in the big Fat Stock Show at

Fred F. Henry was among the canevery individual will be interested probably be quite active in further- in that section the past week, givin and very likely become enthused in ing their political interests in the cam- all the moisture needed at this time

—Trade in Spur—

J. M. Hahn, of the Highway comnunity, was here Saturday with the greeting friends and acquaintance crowds, talking politics as well as bus- on the streets Saturday. Mr. R iness and other matters of interest dall is another one of the "old and concern at this time.

the first of the week from his Dockum didates on the streets Saturday, cam- try, was in town last week, calling Valley farm home-talking optimism paigning for preference in the race in and favoring us with a renewal interspersed with political prognos- for sheriff and tax collector. From subscripition to the Texas Spur. Mr. tications. This will be one year that this time on candidates will very Varnell reported that a nice rain fell for farming purposes.

—Help Spur Grow-

W .M. Randall, of Steel Hill, v

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MESDAMES HALL AND RIPLEY JOINT HOSTESSES.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Edd Hall and Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Ripley were joint hosts at a series of bridge games Thursday and Friday evenings of last week at the Hall home. Saint Patrick motifs and color schemes were in evidenced. Thursday night Mrs. Brannen won high cut. Mrs. C. L. Love high guest, Mrs. Dickson consolation. Mr. Gibbs high score prize for men and Hill Perry consolation.

Among the guests present Thursday were Messrs. and Mesdames Brannen, Fox, Flint, King, McClure, Schrimsher, Reed. Love, Davis, Perry, Gibbs, Dickson, Senning, Golding, Kellam. Friday evening the guests included Messrs. and Mesdames Harris, Hicks, McClure, Smith, Zachry, Hull, Hale, Edmonds, Wilson, Wester, Gordon, Laverty, Love, Jennings, Tillotson, Brown, Putman.

MRS. SCHRIMSHER ENTERTAIN-ED JOI DE VOI CLUB THURSDAY

Mrs. Homer Schrimsher entertained the Joi De Voi Club members and other guests Thursday afternoon of this week with bridge. After several games a refreshment plate was passed, each plate bearing a favor of lovely garters.

Those present and enjoying the occasion were Mesdames Jim Edd Hall, Charlie Powell, Thurman Harris, Weldon McClhre, Jack Rector, Dan Zachry, Floyd Barnett, W. D. Wilson, E. C. Edmonds, Robt. Lea, Joe Kellam, W. L. Gibbs, Lee Davis, and Jas. B.

MR. AND MRS PERRY ENTER-TAINED TUESDAY EVENING.

Mr. and Mrs. Hill Perry entertainde a number of friends Tuesday evening of this week with bridge and dancing in their home on Hill Street.

A lovely buffet supper was served. The guests included were Messrs. and Mesdames Thurman Harris, W. L. Gibbs, A. C. Hull, Roy L. Harkey, Bill Putman, Frank Laverty, M. C. Golding, E. C. Edmonds, and Mrs. Kate Senning.

WHILE-A-WAY CLUB MEETS AT AFTON.

Mrs. Charlie Denison was charming hostess to the ladies of The While-A-Way Club Thursday afternoon at her home in Afton ..

After enjoying several games of 42, dainty sandwiches, hot chocolate and candy was served to Mesdames Burnet Haney, Dempsey Sims, Harold Newberry, Brownlee, Byron Haney, Carl Randolph and Roy Hill.

Mrs. Dempsey Sims and Mrs. Carl Randolph were high on the game scores.—Reporter.

TWIN WELLS CLUB NEWS.

roll, Mrs. Bowman and Mrs. Scoon- ter. over. The house was called to order by our president. The minutes were read by our secretary and approved by the club. In the roll call each member answered by stating the furniture liked best in the living room. Miss Gordon gave a demonstration on refinishing furniture by painting a magazine holder for Mrs. McMeans. She also gave a lecture on living room improvements. Our next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Beulah Hill, March 22nd at 2 o'clock, the subject for dscussion being the care of the hair.

All who are interested in home improvements are cordially invited to meet with us. You will be delighted to meet our Demonstrator. She is an able and willing instructor.—Club

-Help Spur Grow-CROTON SENIORS ELECT OFFICERS.

On Monday, March 5th, the Croton Seniors met and elected class officers as follows:

President, Leroy Mimms. Vice-President, Tom Porter. Sec.-Treas., Edna Lambert. Class Reporter, Eola Lambert. Class Sponsor, Mr. Barnes.

The class is composed of eight mem bers: Edna Lambert, Velma Scoggins, Edythe Shaw, Eola Lambert, Leroy Mimms, Tom Porter, Earl Murchison, and Amos Jackson.

The class is going to give a senior play and the commencement exercise will be June 1st. The class expects to get some one from Tech or some other nearby college to deliver \*the commencement address. The class received their rings March 1st .-Eola Lambert, Reporter.

-Trade in Spur Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Renfroe, Sonora, were guests last week of Miss Jettie Windham.

-Help Spur Grow-Mus. A. B. McClanahan, of Vernon visited with her mother, Mrs. Jordan of Spur last week.

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Plain Rayon Socks, size up to 8 1-2, 25c Boy's Rayon Hose, pair \_\_\_\_\_ 25c Boy's Lisle Hose, pair \_\_\_\_\_ 20c

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Every boy loves a new cap. Some here to match every boy's suit, big or small. Shaped in a new assortment of spring

#### Boy's Shirts \$1.00, \$1.35, \$1.50

Spring calls for new shirts, the new ones just received will all white and fancy patterns.

DAY AND THURSDAY AT

The ladies of Twin Wells Home Wild Geese is a characterization of you.-J. R. Karr and children of Mrs. Deuvall on Thursday even- er written, and the picture is coning, March 8th. There were ten sidered one of the best, being in the ed to add two new members to our the Lyric, and others of this charac- end with her mother, Mrs. Jas. F.

We wish to express our heart felt THE SPUR THEATRE thanks to neighbors and friends for Wednesday and Thursday of this week "Wild Geese" was shown at the Spur Theatre to crowded houses. The spur Theatre to crowded houses.

members present. We were delight- class with Ben Hur recently shown at from Tech College to spend the week Williams and family.



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Monday, April 16, holders of record at

iness on March 15, 19 H. BLAIR-SMIT



Copyrigh 1927, Warner Bros. Pictures, Inc. John Barrymore in "WHEN A MAN LOVES" is a Warner Bros. Plo turization of this novel.

as she said:

"Monsieur le Comto in plendo &

Andre? Act shaking fingers fum-blod with the bolt and unfactened it, but ever her shoulder appeared

a heiry hand that rasped her

with the shook is on what are with and with the null or not opened the door. A terraying think for not ecopea here asked to her protect Andre, in a furious struggly with

Lescout had a weeting glimpse of Manon before many hands reaches

out and arew her back into the root. With a final desperate limit by broke away from his capture and burst through the door after her. The power of several massic upon the guards that were asiff carrying, half leading his sictor away. Gone forever was the

ter away. Gone forever was the entiren, dispicable despoiler of women. The inhuman scavenger who

sought to live from the forcel immorality of his own sister. In its

place was an avenging madman. whose uncanny strength grasped a victim in each hand, cracked their skulls together and toscool them aside. The very sudceduess

From the doorway the Comte

watched the struggle, then as Les

know that Andre was fighting to save her, but she did not know that

ing directions to the men, and her ming wandered back to Fabien.

With sobs that racked her to her

very soul she ceased her struggles

the safety of her lover let herself

Manon had no idea where she

When Fabien won the seclusion

of the little room at the head of the stairs, and locked out the an-

surrounding walls he chose the one to the left. He hoped it would

lead into the same room he had seen Lescaut enter from the cor-

Fortunately the door was unlocked. Bursting into the room,

concerned with Manon that he did

not notice the deadly stream of blood that slowly trickled down the back of Lescaut's satin coat.
"Where is Manon!" demanded

"In there—a—moment—ago,"

ridor a short while before.

Andre Lescaut's back.

be borne away.

was being taken.

Fibien, good and handsome slowly there were of the pour of France, trains for the root where Manon was croused priesthood; but meets and loves in a vain attempt to make a reelf Canon Lescaut, becateous orphan, as i conspicuous as possible. He who is coveted by which stood looking at her for a mother of the constant of the covered by which is covered by the covered by which i who is covered by Mary's Count stocking at her for a monager risher off to Paris. Circumstances force her to surrender to Ravoir.

She rejoins Fabien, and they they to do, to fleunt His Majesty? Resh co extravagantly that Fabien is chill! I have succeeded in poving forced to capitalize a genius for cards. The King plays Fabien at cards for Manon, accuses him of King!" cards for Manon, accuses him of King!" cheating, gives Manon to Ravoir, He bent closer as if to the who carries her to a secret room Manon in hit arms. See gain a which Fabien tries to find, Philip with a contemptuous I also which broke into sneering ler later fiercely fighting.

CHAPTER XVIII—Condinued

The man outside has been and the secure of t wall socket. The men outside had disposed of complete the begun rounding on the bolted door is you?"

wall socket. The men outside h d begun pounding on the bolted door when Frahen turned his back to it and surveyed the room. It was standard to be considered that surveyed the room. It was supported that surveyed the control walls. We have too late? What had been to follow the small room at the bolt, just as Fraish did have. The suffling of host, nuttered on the shall be deer through t



"The is my property—I give has

survely, "But you—you are honest of his attack, the maniacal fury of his hands was demoralizing."

apprehension as she drew back in caut crashed another guard to the "Come here!" Commanded the and true to his cowardly nature

Ams, moistoning his small full plunged the heen blade deep into Makon looked him squarely in

When the King's soldiers carried When the King's soldiers carried Manon through the doorway should be a soldier to

'Your Wajesty!" It was a cry for pity, but Louis mistook it for was dimly aware of the Comte was dimly aware of the Comte hovering in the background, giv-

ed again and Manon saw the Com-Stand with his back to the door. A feeling of utter helplessness surged over her as the King advanced and attempted to caress her. Her eyes blazed with anger as she struck down his arms and ran to the other side of the room.

ran to the other side of the room.
Pounding on the boited door she called wildly for Fabien.
The King was infuriated. Never before in his licentious career had his amorous advances met with his amorous advances met with side and repulsion.

Fate had again separated ner from Fabien and put her in the Comte's power. She was crazed with anxiety to know what had happened to her lover and if they would ever see each other again.

such indifference and repulsion.

"Monsieur La Comte," he said
with an angry gesture, "It seems
this wench still prefers her card

cheating lover to, shall we say, a friendship with her King."

"Your Majesty's pardon," replied de Ravoir, "But Sire, what can you expect? The woman had become so notorious that even I was forced to discard her!"

At this the King turned to lear

At this the King turned to look at Manon with a scowl on his face that indicated a mixture of rage

and disappointment. dignity will suffer as it ls," continued the Comte, For she locked. Bursting into the room, will doubtless make of this a joke Fabien saw Lescaut leaning over

to be repeated at the gaming a chair, but his thoughts were tables of Paris."

The King continued to scowl. Already he had made himself ridiculous, and ridicule of all things he could neither stand nor afford. "Whe After all, why was one woman any Fabien. With 2 shrug he turned and left gasped Lescaut with difficulty, the room, saying as he approached waving toward a door opposite the the door, "She is my property—I one Fabien had entered. "My God, man you are wounded past experience you can find a way to make her more agreeable to compassion and put his arms about

As the door closed behind the

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(To be continued.)

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SYNOPSIS

after a modernt by pick of himself up and ran with all possible speed toward the open himself up and ran with all possible speed toward the open himself toward the

"Yes, a generous last thrust from the Comte." Lescaut smil-

ed ironically with his hand pressed

against his breast.
Fabien turned livid with rage. Cursing insanely he rushed to the door that Lescaut had indicated ond pulled it open. The room was

Fabien on his guara. With all pos-sible an ed he asked the goor and the night. eashed across the room to fasten the one through which he had to make Fabien realize what an ir-Richelleu and the Comte, backed numerous guards, demanded

by numerous guards, demanded aumittance.

Fabien ignored them with a feding of contemptuous hatred. He knelt at Lescaut's side and logan

"That neither your family, your knelt at Lescaut's side and began unfastening the wounded man's

"Don't—waste time—with me! Find-Manon. It is impossible to chest-death!" For a moment their hands met is a firm grass have required utterance.
"Yes," agreed Tiberge, "It is



tnat wiped away all past griev-ances. Then Lescaut's head slumpon forward and he spoke no more. Fibien clutched the lifeless shoulders copelessly. It was a tender, regretful farewell to the tender, resretful farewell to the Tormenting remembrances of his fatal and unhappy love flashed

the combined efforts of the guards. They knew that Fabien must have standing by to see that Fabien was brought to justice. Both of them tail while waiting for the door to

"I persuaded His Majesty that it would be wise to let the girl go— est dregs of Parisian womanhood." she is such a notorious creature that she would have made sport of his name in public."
"What did he do with her?"

Richelieu was intrigued.
"He presented her to me, but I have had her before and am tired of her inconstancy. I have consigned her to the Magdalen Prison the cold barren hall and said to —she is being driven there even now." The Comte was decidedly

pleased with himself.
"Foolish girl," supplied Richelieu "She will not find prison cots s comfortable as the soft bed the King would have given her!" Both

more. He had learned of Manon's terrible plight and knew that death awaited him—if he were caught. Escape through any one of the doors was a vain hope Fa. of the doors was a vain hope. Fa-bien rushed to the window and sized up his chances of getting out barred windows made it feel dark

Thick vines, ages old, that covered the walls were a help, and grasping them with frenzied hands Fabien clawed, and swung and lought his way to the ground with the barred windows—Fabien discovered win a final jump that nearly broke his legs. His hands were bleeding, his clothes were dusty and torn, his head throbbed feverishly and sharp pains tortured the joints in his his, knees and ankles; but left but his high many continued.)

Cras for Manon, accuses him of cheating, gives Manon to Ravotr.

After a terrible fight, Masson to carprecists, the fact task a farmal sold away; Fadien fines her brother satin costume and jewels were tec conspicuous and inappropries for a fugitive to very along the partic highways in the tark morning

> The risk of going to his own apartments for a change was too great. Again in his extremity he thought of Tiberge and ho

to his lodging found the faithful friend salesp. Walle Fabien exchanges an avay!

The sound of heather voices put the process of black he released to the process of the pr ly related the harrowing events of

reparable injury no was innicting upon his conscience, his honor, his

tutors nor I can understand two excess into which you have fallor." "I have changed since my lon-ment days." It was a simple statment of fact, too self evident to

asconishing that with your fluor-eat good qualities and training you could have abandoned yournely to

"You don't understand," Fabiear resented the word 'vice,' "I love Manon. My affection, esteem, you stom—what you will—is the growtest and purest thing that how ever come into my life. It is not shaful! It is not wrong! It is just deplorated. able that circumstances have been against us."

Then cease trying to combat them and return to a regular and respectable life."

Fabien listened to the advice 'a a kindly manner, but without the smallest inclination to give up Manon and return to his former mode of life. Tiberge lamented his obduracy and could not agree that Manon, or any woman for that matter, was worth the sacrifices and hardships that Fabien had enoured on her account.

An hour later Fabien left Ti-

The Provost's secretary motioned berge, for what proved to be the last time, and began plodding his weary and lonely way toward the Prison of the Magdalen.

He wanted to arrive by dawn and explain to the Provost of Police, at the first possible mo-ment, that it was all a horrible mistake for Manon to have been

great a wrong.

The door began to bulge from of the night. One seemed just as vague and temporary as the other and he had no power to control either. Manon's absence—the locked himself in the room and in as much as the King had ordered his capture they were determined to effect it without further delay. The Comte and Richelieu were lity, all formed melancholy thoughts ily, all formed melancholy thoughts in his overwrought brain.

enjoyed the evening's scandal and were reviewing it somewhat in decriminal stories of the way the women were treated and it seemed impossible for his adorable misbe broken down.

Fabien heard the Comte explain, tress to be a degraded inmate of Cost what it might Fabien was so bent upon rescuing Manon that

he decided to set fire to the prison if no other mode of escape pre-sented itself. The sun was just coming up be-

the guard on duty at the desk, "I wish to see the Provost of Policethe man who is in authority regarding Mademoiselle Lescaut.

"You are early," observed the guard. "However, the Provost is Fabien did not wait to hear more. He had learned of Manon's terrible plight and learned of Manon's here. He has been superintending

that way. It was a long drop to the courtyard below, yet it was his only chance—and he took it! and cold. The floor was bare and the only furnishings were a long desk and two stiff chairs. After

Fabien, good and handsome youth of France, trains for the priesthood; but mects and loves Manon Lescaut, beauteous orphan, who is coveted by hideous Count Ravoir. Fabien saves her and carries her off to Paris. Circumstances force her to surrender to Ravoir. She rejoins Fabien, and they live so extravagantly that Fabien is forced to capitalize a genuis for cards. The King plays Fabien at cards for Manon, accuses him of cheating. Manon is spirited to prison, Fabien goes there to rescue her, and is goes there to rescue her, and is faced by Ravoir.

And is and stood back long enough for him to recover. Then they locked in a fierce struggle and rolled the floor.

see the Provost of Police."

"I am he!" the Comte replied with a satisfied smile that turned into a sneer. "What do you want?"

"I heard that you had Manon put shook him like a ferret does a rat in here and came to get her out— When he felt the body go limp in I did not know that you were the Provost." Fabien tried to control slight hands had been strong the hopeless feeling that surged enough to crush the life out of over him.

to be deported!" The Comte was there any reason Fabien should lose valuable time regretting a enjoying his revenge.

"Deported!" exclaimed Fabien in pointed duty.

The Comte had killed Lescaut in horror, "Why? She has broken no laws."



His hands went about the Comte's

your fair mistress among the chain

Manon. Not e en the wretched-ness of her prison attire could hide beauty, but her shoulders regred and she attempted to hide her face in shame. Fabien knew that she did not belong to that order of the frail sisterhood where the Comte had cast her as punishment for spurning his advances.

"In the name of God, stop tram!" Fabien cried in anguish.
His voice sounded unnatural and

"Why should I resort to so much trouble for you? If you want her —g\*t her!" The Comte indulged in a taunting laugh. He knew better than anyone else how impossible it would be for Fabien to joy Manon's society again. enge had been more comunlooked for climax to have the

favored lover witness his mistress's degradation.

Looking after them, through the of the early morning sun, the lating."

on disappeared.

SPUR nd ad-

CHAPTER XIX—Continued

"You!" exclaimed Fabien in
amazement; then continued, "There
must be some mistake I wish to must be some mistake, I wish to blow when Fabien worked himsel free just in time to escape having his head crushed. Again Fabien attacked his victim, and this time he had no mercy. His hands went about the Comte's throat and he ver him.

"No one can get her out, she is man—for there was no doubt about the Comte being dead. Nor was thing that had been his self ap-

a cowardly attack, he had insulted Manon beyond repair and sent her to a living death in the Colonies. "No?—Well, perhaps you and I to a living death in the Colonies. Yes, he deserved his inglorious death and it was justice that Fand the fact remains that she is

avenge his friends. Cautiously approaching the door he assured himself that the struggle had not been heard by the secretary or guard. All trace of the murder must be cleared away so that he could leave without heing stopped and reach Manon before the tragedy had been discovered. With great effort he dragged the Comte's body to the desk and lifted it to a sitting position in the high backed chair. In one outstretched hand he placed a tall quill

If anyone entered the door it would appear that the Comte was busily engaged with his work. Satisfied with the arrangement Fabien evoted a few moments to making himself presentable then, opening the door—so that the Secretary could see in-he turned back and said, as though speaking to the Comte, "I shall see that you are

not disturbed, Monsieur."

Fabien went out and closed the door. He longed to run through the corridor and follow Manon in her miserable caravan; but discretion to be deported this very morning.

Come here!" he beckoned Fabien
Toward the window, "Do you see

with no hope of with no hope of ever seeing her

carriers?"

Trembling with apprehension and anger, Fabien went to the window and looked down into the courtyard at the secretary's desk with a friendly little warning. "You are and looked down into the courtyard below. Three covered vans were backed up to the prison doors. The horses were strapped to the shafts waiting for the familiar whip lash that would start them on their long journey to the water front.

Eighteen women, some of them horrible creatures, dressed in the waly prison garb, walked across the courtyard in a long line. They were herded together, one behind the other, with heavy chains that riveled their waists and wrists, icaving only a few feet of slack between each one.

Mark the secretary's desk with a friendly little warning. "You are fortunate that he prefers to be left alone." Then with an assumption of unconcern he sauntered out of the prison and began walking rapidly along the road to Havre. Every few steps he would look back, fearful that the murder had been discovered and a guard sent after him.

As the minutes passed and no one appeared, Fabien's walk quickened into a run and he pushed on in search of his loved one.

Since meeting Manon that Spring morning at the White Horse Inn,

Presently Fabien distinguished Innon. Not even the wretchedcess of her prison attire could hide are beauty, but her shoulders his own-made it easy and delight-

> He had gone through sorrow and uffering. He had stolen, or cheated at cards; it amounts to the same thing. He had given up his family, renounced his inheritance, insulted the King and even committed murder. And now, Manon; his love, his very life, the one for whom he had done everything; was being taken

Heartsick, tired, lonely, fright-ened and even hungry, he stumbled along the dusty road with the hope that he could overtake Manon's caravan and hold her in his arms once more.

CHAPTER XX "Who will care for my little Jean-my baby—my baby!" moaned the

"By God—I will get her! Fa-tien had again become a fighting temon.

The Comte laughed at his boast

"Stop your bellowing," snarled a
hard faced woman from her place and pointed out how impossible such a capture would be. He also dwelt at length upon the fact that no man or woman could ignore and input him without more considerable. In the dirty straw that covered the bottom of the wagon. "Why didn't you think of the baby before you got it? Now shut up so I can enno man or woman could ignore and insult him without suffering the consequences.

Fablen saw the wagons with the chained prisoners passing out of the grounds, and all the blood seemed to leave his heart as Man being deported to America—men are just the same, no matter what side of the ocean they live on besides a change of scene is stimu-

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For County Commissioner, Pre. 3: H. O. ALBIN (2nd Term)

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J. A. AKINS (2nd Term) J. W. JONES

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#### Announcements For Kent County

For County Commissioner, Pre. 2: J. J. MARTIN M. F. HAGAR (2nd term)

L. A. Grantham, of the Red Hill Jas. E. Rideout community, was among the business Mr. Grantham stated that everything visitors in the city the past week. was moving along nicely in his part of the country.

-Trade in Spur-M. V. Hutto, of west of Spur several miles, was here with the crowds the past week end.

-Help Spur Grow---Charlie Fox, of the Highway Cafe, is spending the week in Fort Worth seeing the sights at the Fat Stock Show.

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T MAKES A DIFFERENCE "WHOSE OX IS GORED."

The annual inundation of the coun try postoffices by mail order firms is now on and the newspapers of the afflicted towns are loyally taking up the cudgels against the invader, tho all too often the very business men who complain loudest and expect the printerman to "lay it on" heaviest, do little or nothing to support their local newspaper. They consider that it is the publisher's duty to keep their possible customers from purchasing goods of such concerns but it is just "good business" for them to order their letter heads and envelops from out-of-town firms. It makes all the difference in the world "whose ox is gored," but editors believe so thoroughly in community cooperation and understand so well how needful local reciprocity is that they rush to the defense of their home merchants without regard to whether or not those merchants practice what they preach. We sometimes wonder if the said merchants would show themselves as "good sports" were the case reversed .- S. W. Plainsman. Mail Order concerns use the local

newspapers as a basis for sending out catalogues; for instance when they notice a community where the merchants are doing little or no advertising, they immediately flood that community with catalogues etc. and the number of catalogues sent to a community is based on the amount of advertising carried by the local newspaper. Catalogues are always sent out during dull times when local advertising is slowest. Towns that have the livest merchants receive the least number of catalogues, circulars, etc, that are sent out by mail order houses who seek business where there is least competition.

-Help Spur Grow---C. W. Stewart was on the streets In the varied array of Tuslay of this week, meeting with

-Help Spur Grow-Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan last week state.

-Help Spur Grow-Some time ago J. V. McCormick gave us a five dollar william to keep the Texas Spur coming to his address. We are glad to keep the paper going-and five dollar williams helps materially in keeping it going. Who will be next?

-Help Spur Grow-Newt Kidd was among the many in Spur last week, taking advantage of trade offerings and incidentally telling friends which way the politi cal winds are blowing. -Trade in Spur-

Ott Denson, of two or three miles west of town, was on the streets Saturday greeting his friends and acquaintances, reporting everything looking good and promising. -Trade in Spur-

Andy Thomas recently returned from Weatherford where he spent two months resting, recuperating and visiting among relatives and friends of that section.

-Trade in Spur-Tom Simmons, of the Dry Lake ommunity, was meeting with his friends on the streets of Spur Saturday, reporting everything now in good and promising shape out his way. -Help Spur Grow-

W.I. Simmons, of the Duck Creek community, was among the business visitors in Spur during the past week. Mr. Simmons says everything is prom ising at this time.

—Help Spur Grow — ---T. G. Bass, of the Dry Lake community, was among those in the city Saturday trading and mingling with the crowds.

-Trade in Spur-J. L. Karr, of Espuela, was in the city Wednesday.

-Help Spur Grow-W. C. Messer was here during the week, trading and on other business -Help Spur Grow-

S. M. Puckett was here on business one day the past week. -Help Spur Grow-B. L. Pickens was here trading and on other business last week.

-Help Spur Grow-C. D. Copeland is in the Eastern part of the state this week, looking after business matters as administrator of an estate of a deceased relative. Mr. Copeland has been spending much of his time in these matters the past month or two.

-Help Spur Grow-O. B. Sims, of the Espuela community, was in Spur Saturday with the crowds of shoppers here that

-Help Spur Grow-W. D. Robinson, of west of Spur, was among the recent business visitors in the city.

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----Help Spur Grow-Uncle Dick Holly was meeting with his friends on the streets during the past week. He states that fishing time will soon be here when he expects to thus employ himself during

the long summer days. -Help Spur Grow-Ned Bowers was here Saturday and acquaintances.

-Help Spur Growthe Highway community, was among the many business visitors to Spur Saturday. He reports everything o. k. and promising in his section of the urday with the crowds of business

-Help Spur Growcommunity, came in Saturday, spending the afternoon here trading and greeting friends. - -- Help Spur Grow-

Judge Walter L. Powell, of the Dry Lake community, was on the streets Tuesday of this week, meeting and greeting friends of the town and surrounding country. -Help Spur Grow-

John Randall, of south of the city the political situation.

Uncle Eb Shaw, of Croton, was a recent business visitor in Spur. We would like to know of Mr. Shaw what rounding country. Joe was here the present weather indications porwhen the town opened in 1909, and tend. Other old timers tell us that has been here since, with the excepthey never saw it continue cloudy tiion of a few years spent further and threatening rain and yet never rain at this season of the year.

- -- Help Spur Grow-Roy Arrington, of northeast of the settlement. However, he is again city, was among the business visitors

-Trade in Spur-W. G. Causey, of southwest of the city, was on the streets the past week meeting with his friends of both town and country.

-Trade in Spur-H. C. Cravey, of southwest of Spur on Red Mud, was in town last week, and while here was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office, having us mark his subscription up for anfrom his ranch headquarters to the other year. Mr. Cravey is one among east of Spur, spending the afternoon the oldest settlers of the country, meeting with his old time friends having settled his place on Red Mud and continuously lived there thirty odd years. He is one of the best, A. C. George, a leading citizen of fairest and squarest men we have ever known.

-Trade in Spur-Hugh Gray was on the streets Satvisitors here that day. Hugh is already one among the biggest farm-D. D. Hagins, of the Duck Creek ers of the country, and is this year clearing up more land for culvation with the hope and intention of making bumper crops and securing good prices again this fall.

-Trade in Spur-J. A. Kerley, of eight or nine miles east of Spur, was among the business visitors in the city during the past week.

-Help Spur Grow-Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Rogers, of the was here Saturday. John states that Dry Lake community, were among this year he is enjoying politics and the shoppers and visitors in Spur the past week.

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-QC Austin Frazier, of the Red Hill community, was in the city Tuesday, transacting business and incidentally meeting with his friends of the town. He reports everything all the city Saturday, shopping and viso .k. out in the Red Hill section.

-Trade in Spur-

W. H. Condron, of northeast of the city four miles, was among the number of business visitors in Spur Sat-

#### NOTICE!

The Spur Theatre will begin afternoon shows March 19th, and run from 2:00 p. m. 'till 5:00 p. m. up to Saturday Saturday show will start at 10:00 A. M.

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Spur Theatre

H. C. Parsons, of the Highway community, was in Spur one day the past week, dropping around at the Texas Spur office an dfavoring us with a renewal subscription. Mr. Parsons has been a Texas Spur reader almost since the beginning, and we appreci-

at ethem every one. —Help Spar Grow— —Help Spur Grow—---

Paul Aikin, of near Dickens, was in Spur Saturday meeting with his many friends and acquaintances of this

-Trade in Spur-Mr. and Mrs. Al Bingham, of the Spur Ranch headquarters, were in iting among friends.

W. R. Gannon, of southwest of Spur twelve or fourteen miles, was on the streets Tuesday, greeting his friends and also trading with Spur merchants.

—Trade in Spur— O. F. Scott, of southwest of Spur ifteen or twenty miles, was a recent ousiness visitor and trader in the city of Spur.

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14. a. Checks and drafts on banks (including Federal Reserve Bank) located outside of city or town of reporting bank of reporting bank \_\_\_\_\_\_ Miscellaneous cash items \_\_\_\_\_ 6,521.89 500.00 **697,507.24** 15. Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer Capital stock paid in \_\_\_\_\_\_ Surplus fund \_\_\_\_\_a. Undivided profits \_\_\$9,493.76 c. Less current expenses paid \_\_\_\_\_\_ \$4,733.34 Circulating notes outstanding \_\_\_\_\_ Amount due to Federal Reserve Bank \_\_\_\_\_ Cashier's checks outstanding \_\_\_\_\_\_ Total of Items 24 and 27 \_\_\_\_\_ \$19,392.24 Demand deposits subject to reserve:

STATE OF TEXAS, County of Dickens, ss:

Individual deposits subject to check \_\_

I, James B. Reed, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

JAMES B. REED, Cashier.

Total of time deposits \_\_\_\_\_ \$5,120.28

Correct-Attest: C. L. Martin, E. C. Edmonds, C. Hogan, Director. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8 day of March, 1928.
BIRL HIGHT, Notary Public.

State, county, or other municipal deposits secured by

pledge of assets of this bank or surety bond \_\_\_\_\_ Total demand deposits subject to reserve, \$593,234.30 Time deposits subject to Reserve:

Savings deposits (including time certificates of deposit)

J. T. White, of the Soldier Mound transacting other business affairs.

-Trade in Spur-Dee Hairgrove, of the Plains country, was in Spur the past week visiting with relatives and friends in this

H. C. Peterson, of the Cat Fish secness visitor in the city.

-Trade in Spur-

-Trade in Spur-Mr. and Mrs. Buel McDaniel, of southwest of Spur, were shopping and visiting in the city Saturday of ing with friends in Spur. ast week.

E. M. Hale, who is now engaged spent the past week end in Spur with his family. Mrs. Hale and children the present school term, at which phone C. W. Denson, Spur. time they, too, contemplate moving to Pyote with Mr. Hale.

-Trade in Spur-Spur twelve or fifteen miles, was a sa. recent business visitor in Spur.

-Trade in Spureral miles, was here Saturday trad- past week. ing and on other business. -Help Spur Grow-

W. L. McAteer, of the Egyptian Farm between Spur and Dickens, was here during the week, talking politics as well as business. He informed us that the Dickens gin recently destroyed by fire will be rebuilt for origin of the fire is unknown, but a week. suspicion is entertained that it was of incendiary nature.

-Trade in Spur-J. E. Sparks, of west of Spur eight or nine miles, was among the business visitors on the streets during the week.

-Trade in Spurboth in production and prices.

-Help Spur Grow-W. W. Pickens was among the Spur the past week.

-Help Spur Grow-L. L. Rankin was among the many

-Help Spur Grow-Riley Smith, of the Watson comand on other business. He says meeting with friends. farming coditions are promising in

his territory -Help Spur Grow-R. N. Thomas, of just south of the day. eity, was here transacting business

luring the week.

-Help Spur Grow-Mr. and Mrs. White Moore were in the city Saturday from their farm and ranch home six miles west of

-Help Spur Grow-M. E. Manning. of the Hudson-Essex business, made a trip this week to Sweetwater, in the interest of promoting local sales of these popular business visitors in the city Saturday

H. J. Parks was on the streets durcommunity, was among the many in ing the week, meeting with the voters Spur Saturday buying supplies and in furthering his campaign for sheriff and tax collector.

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-Trade in Spur-We are glad to note that S. R. Bowman is now able to be on the street, following a recent operation at the Nichols Sanitarium. Mr. Bowman has been in ill health for some time, having had specialists treat and diaghe may soon be completely recover- Fat Stock Show. ed and again enjoy good health.

-Trade in Spur-W. M. Byrd was trading and meet-

-Trade in Spur-

west on corner of Harris St and Wil-present political campaign, since W. his old time friends. in the trucking business at Pyote, lard Ave.—See D. A. Young. 20tf. A. Craddock proposes to give musical ---Trade in Spur-

For Sale—A Lloyd Loom baby cart the county judgeship. will remain in Spur until the end of and a Simmons baby bed. Call or

—Trade in Spur— Mrs. W. P. Marshall returned Sun-community, reporting everyhting in day from a week-end visit to her tip top shape out that way. Geo. W. Grubbs, of southwest of daughter, Mrs. Eva Brown of Lame-

-Trade in Spur-Seals Earnest was among the num-business visitor in Spur F. L. Lowery, of west of Spur sev- ber of business visitors in Spur the

-Trade in Spur-Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Crockett are among those attending the Fat Stock

Show in Fort Worth. Mr. Crockett never misses one of these expositions. -Help Spur Grow-C. A. Brninell, of the Spur Ranch

headquarters, was among the busicoming cotton ginning season. The ness visitors in the city the past -Trade in Spur-

W. L. Hudson, of west of Watson several miles, was in Spur Saturday with the crowds here that day. -Help Spur Grow-

W. B. Ford, of Watson, was among

the traders and business visitors in Spur Saturday. Mr. Ford is betting J. B. Morrison was in the city last heavy on the advance in the price of Saturday from his farm and ranch cotton, he now having about one hunnome to the southwest. He reports dred bales on hand awaiting the exthings looking good for both farm- pected price advance. Here is hoping and cattle interests at this time, ing he may get thirty cents, and which may be possible. -Help Spur Grow-Prof. C. Evans, of the Kalgary seclarge number of business visitors in tion, was among thos erecently on

the streets of Spur. ---Trade in Spur-

Jim Cross was here trading Saturshoppers and traders in Spur the past day fro mhis farm home to the southwest of Spur. -Help Spur Grow-

D. D. Stewart, of east of Spur a nunity, was here recently, trading few miles, was here during the week,

-Help Spur Grow S. B. Boykin, of north of Spur a few miles, was on the streets Wednes-

-Help Spur Grow-T. L. Dozier was on the streets the past week, meeting with friends and acquaintances.

-Help Spur Grow-J. W. Grizzle, of the Watson comnunity, was in Spur recently trading and on other business.

-Help Spur Grow-W. C. Cartwright, of the Soldier Mound community, was among the of last week.

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Spur Hudson-Essex Company

THE Dixie Beauty Shoppe at Home

D. W. Pritchett was here marketing home produce and buying a few of community to the south of Spur, was the luxuries Saturday. Dan is one a recent business visitor. Mr. Hoovamong the first farmers of the coun- er has been doing considerable imtry who appreciiated the value of the the diversified interests will make this one of the most highly improved the richest agricultural section in all places of the country. America—Dan Pritchett and others now contributing materially to that

---Trade in Spur-

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Simpson are in Dallas and Fort Worth, taking special courses in beauty shop work, and tion of country, was a recent busi- nose his troubles. It is hoped that incidentally seeing the sights at the

-Trade in Spur-

on the streets Saturday, conversing loose lock on the place for sale. with his friends. Uncle Bob is a noted old time fiddler, and he may For Sale-My home two blocks be requisitioned for service in the West Pasture the past week, greeting entertainment while campaigning for

-Trade in Spur-W. H. Young was here Saturday from his farm home in the Red Hill

-Trade in Spur-H. R. Witt, a leading citizen of

the Watson community, was a recent -Help Spur Grow-C. M. Buchanan, of north of Dickesn, was among the business visitors

in Spur the past week.

A. M. Hoover, of the Duck Creek proving on his place the past several 'cow, the sow and hen." Eventually months—and may eventually have

George B. Maben was among the recent business visitors and traders

-Trade in Spur-J. B. Morrow, of Elton, was trading in Spur during the week, spending a short time meeting wiith acquaintances of the town. Mr. Morrow made good crops the past year, R. D. Williams, of Red Top, was stating that he is cleaning up every

-Trade in Spur-Joe Ericson was here from the



Uncle Bill Perry and H. A. Cook have taken charge of the Skelton Cafe, and are ready to serve you the best Meals, Hamburgers and Drinks—Fresh Fish & Oysters.

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Tuesday

"Ole" Olson says that you derive, Cal Martin this week made a busigood from a cooperative in propor- ness trip to Pyote. tion as you help it. Some men, he continues, remind him of a certain rich man who died and in due course the crowds at the Fat Stock Show. of time applied at the pearly gates for admission. St. Peter called for his credentials, but the man could week from a business and profes think of no good he had done on sional trip to Fort Worth. earth, except to give a poor beggar a dime for a sandwich. The bookgate, and he found one other item of good. a nickel to a poor boy. After quite a controversy the bookkeeper solved the difficulty by offering to give him ground 3 miles north Spur. Call at back his fifteen cents and let him go Texas Spur office. to the other place.

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W. B. Lee is in Fort Worth with -Trade in Spur

Dr. Hale returned the fifirst of the -Trade in Spur-

Wheat is now growing nicely since keeper was then called on to investi- the rains, and early wheat will make

Wood for sale at \$3.50 a load on

Throughout the balance of this month we will give a six months free Mrs. L. S. Wilson and son, Robert, subscription to the National Farm are among those attending the Fat News to every new or renewal subscription given The Texas Spur.

ed With Many New and Animal Shows Coming they will attend the celebration of be held in Spur Tuesday, March 20 Renewal Subscriptions

During the past few days The ledge, M. F. Hagar, John H. John- grounds just east of town. A. B. Hogan, W. J. Elliot, Bob Wes- ing the history of the show. He addterman, C. W. Roberts, Ralph Seale, ed further that the show last season Hornaday, R. G. Smith, J. Z. Smith, of Texas and Oklahoma, finding Spur Perrin, H. C. Parsons, W. D. York, J. of the show exhibitions—receiving R. Karr, W. A. Harris, Ed Hender- the lowest receipts within the history son, E. R. Prince, Tony Holly.

they will keep coming in this way. -Help Spur Grow-W. D. York, of Dry Lake, was a pleasant caller this week, favoring The Texas Spur with his renewal subscription, and for which he has

We appreciate every one, and hope

----Help Spur Grow----A. K. McAlister, of Afton, dropped in and paid us his subscription the first of the week. Thanks.

---Trade in Spur---

in Spur Saturday.

Texas Spur Being Favor Zellmar Bros. Trained to Spur Again 28th the eightieth birthday of Mrs. Wilkes' at eight o'clock, for the purpose of father, J. D. Miller. Her father has organizing a company and building

been living on one place in Comanche real farmers gin in Spur. The farm Last week E. E. Garretson, adver- county fifty five years, being one of ers will be addressed by W. W. Co Texas Spur has been favored with tising agent for the Zellmar Bros. the oldest residents of that section. of Chillicothe, who will have some in quite a number of new and renewal Circus, was in Spur arranging to About thirty members of the family teresting things to tell us. All farm subscriptions, among whom were give a second exhibition in Spur on are expected to attend the celebraters are urged to be present.-J. L Spur Hatchery, E. A. Cochran, J. P. March 28th, Wednesday, and the big tion. Scott, Mrs. T. M. Verner, J, T, Ar-tents will be located on the same

vin Landers, J. B. Allen, G. A. Willigiven in Spur last fall had the largest receipts of any point visited durest receipts receipts of any point visited durest receipts receipts receipts of any point visited durest receipts receipt receipts receipts receipts receipts receipts r Jim McClanahan, B. S. Haney, W. D. gave performances in thirty odd towns W. S. Leach, Will Watson, Chas. the best show town within the history of the shows at another nearby point in Texas-thus finding the best and the worst show towns of the season

> in Western Texas. Mr. Garretson was a Spur Booster, stating he was glad to again visit the town.

Most of the people of the country saw Zellmar Bros. Shows last year and know what it is. They are all expected to see it again.

Wat Holly, of Dickens, was on the Mr. and Mrs. O. D .Blassingame, streets one day during the past week, of Afton, were among the shoppers meeting with his friends of this part of the country.

# Return from Beauty

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#### ----Help Spur Grow A boy baby was born Friday of L. B. McMeans was among the son, R. B. Stanley, Carl Denson, Mel- Mr. Garretson told us that the show last week to Mr. and Mrs. D. Y. business visitors on the streets during the week.

FOR FRIDAY, MARCH 16TH, AND SATURDAY AND MONDAY FOLLOWING

J. P. Wilkes and family are leaving | NOTICE OF FARMERS MEET

oday, Friday, for Comanche where A meeting of farmers is calle

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