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**MRS. GERTRUDE McDONALD**  
I ate disagreed with me. I had taken so many medicines without lasting relief, and was so tired, worn and distressed with pain, that I was on the verge of despair. But I will never cease to be thankful for Sargon. If it had done nothing but end my neuritis, that would have been enough but it helped me in every way, and I am feeling better than in years. I eat and enjoy hearty meals, and nothing disagrees with me. Every ache and pain is gone, my strength and energy have returned, and I feel like a different woman.

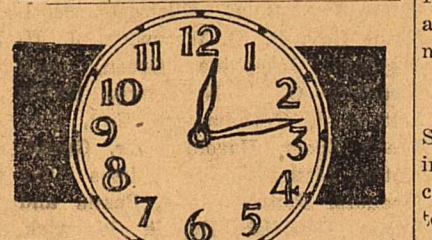
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The above statement was made recently by Mrs. Gertrude McDonald, highly esteemed resident of 737 Melba St., Dallas.

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Ted Darden, of Girard, was in Spur last week, trading and buying new farm implements with which to farm this year. Crop conditions and prospects are also good throughout Kent county. Everything now indicates that this will be one of the most productive years we have ever experienced.

W. A. Valentine, of Garza county, was trading and transacting business in Spur Monday of this week. He reports everything in good shape in his part of the country.

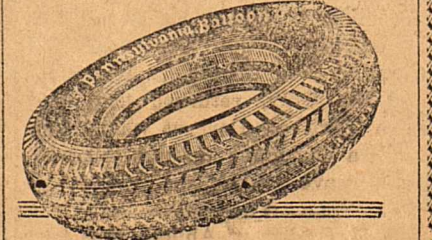


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## WEST TEXAS OFFERS FIELD FOR INDUSTRIES

There are marked evidence that a turning point is at hand in the distribution of population, that congestion in large centers of population has accomplished all the benefits possible, and further congestion will be harmful rather than helpful.

While the so-called "drift to the cities" has been going on, things have been happening in the country too, chief among which are the widespread distribution of electric power and the development of fast freight facilities.

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# West Texas Utilities Company

S. W. Stephenson, a leading citizen of the Plains country was trading recently in Spur. He indicated that everything on the Plains is now in most promising condition with respect to seasons and crop prospects.

R. J. Bateman and his brother of Cass county, were pleasant callers at the Texas Spur office the past week end. His brother is here for the year—and it is possible that after the year he may decide to remain here permanently.

J. C. Miller, of Jayton, was in Spur recently, and while here called in and handed us a dollar and fifty cents for another year's subscription to Texas Spur.

Ernest Mayfield, of Jayton, was a business visitor in Spur Monday of this week.

R. J. Hairgrove, of the Dry Lake section of country, called in Saturday and favored us with a renewal subscription to the Texas Spur. We appreciate every subscription given us.

Mr. Harkey, of near Jayton, was buying supplies Monday in Spur.

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**SPUR WAREHOUSE**  
J. J. Albin, Mgr.

R. C. Forbis came in Friday to spend the week end with his family.  
B. C. Cairns, of Kent county, was in Spur Monday.

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**New Oakland All-American Sixes**  
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**SPUR BAKERY**

**TEXAS FRONTIERSMAN—**

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chance to revisit the scenes of his hard fought battle. But it was generally conceded that he and his men handled themselves most heroically, and the fact that any of them escaped death seemed almost a miracle so badly were they outnumbered.

Added light on the early day history of this section in connection with the Indian battle in which Captain Erath participated, is given in the following which has been prepared for the Times-Herald by C. W. Hubby. In recounting these incidents, Mr. Hubby says:

George Bernard Erath, born in Vienna, Austria, Jan. 1, 1813, died in Waco, Texas, May 13, 1891. Vienna, beside the beautiful Danube river, with its panorama of majestic Alpine scenery in rich profusion. One of the most beautiful cities in the world. Here it was that the Mohamedan invasion of Europe was halted, and, as if God had put forth His hand in indignation, the life of the Mohamedan war lord was snuffed out by apoplexy. It was in Vienna that Mozart and Beethoven gave to the world its highest attainments in the greatest of all arts, music. But lovers of music must ever feel inexpressible indignation when they read the story of the insults and humiliations, to which Mozart was subjected by an emissary of satan, masquerading as Archbishop of Salzburg. And this, while Mozart was giving to the church its richest treasure of sacred music. The despotic emperor, meanwhile added to the evil by refusing permission to Mozart to accept more generous patronage elsewhere. "O hateful spite, that there was none to set it right." And Beethoven, the Shakespeare of music, fared little better. As these great artists were passing from this world famous stage, George Bernard Erath, kind, generous, courageous, entered, and his anxious parents resolved that their son should have more generous environment.

Austria had been ravaged by wars for generations. Two years after the birth of Erath, Napoleon met his fate at Waterloo. Boys at the age of 15 were being impressed into the Austrian army, and often went forth never to return. Erath's parents early began to plan his escape. America was the land of promise, and after preparing their son with all the education possible, in the brief time available, as the fateful age of 15 approached, he was sent to visit an uncle in Wurtemberg, near the French border, and then, as attache of a gentleman of privilege, a friend, he escaped across France, and embarked at Havre on an American brig for New Orleans. Communication with his mother, which had been surreptitious, thru friends, was now forever severed. In his efforts to revive it in America he was repelled by the tyrannical reproaches of a priest for neglecting to immediately establish church connection in America. He had fled from the hated despotism of the Austrian rulers, and when he sought the friendship of a priest of his mother's church, to restore communion with her, he was repelled by what seemed to him, despotism in the church in America. This, stinging in his hour of distress impressed the sensitive soul of youthful Erath profoundly, and when a little later he found kind, warm hearts, inside the buckskin suits of the Texas pioneers, his heart was knit unto theirs with indissoluble ties.

The trip across the Atlantic was rough and eventful. The captain, deprived of part of his crew, found in youthful Erath, speaking German, English and Spanish, a valued helper. On the way, they encountered a hurricane which tore away part of the masts and sails and came near capsizing the brig. When they arrived at New Orleans, Erath was a qualified sailor, and proud of the American brig which, though crippled, sailed past a British ship, under full sail, as they journeyed up the Mississippi river. This was his first impression of American superiority, and when he learned that there were more handsome steamboats on the Mississippi river than there was in merican progress.

Texas was now coming into the limelight, owing to the new liberal colonization policy of the Mexican government. Erath was so impressed with the prospects in Texas that he refused an offer of annual employment in order that he might be free to go to Texas, and as soon as he earned a scant sufficiency, to Texas he came in 1833. He soon found friends among the pioneers, who were friends indeed, and for whom he soon demonstrated his willingness to jeopardize his life. He had not been in Texas long before he started a little cattle ranch, and finding employment as surveyor's helper, his education, youth and tal-

ent quickly qualified him as a skillful surveyor. With surveying, Indian warfare was inseparable in those days, and Erath, keenly observant, soon became expert in understanding Indian cunning. He was returning from a trip of this character when Texas and America were electrified by the news of the fall of the Alamo and Goliad massacre. He was among the first volunteers who resented Houston's policy of retreat, and was Colonel Burleson's messenger, calling the captains for consultation and for assault at San Jacinto. After the sharp, brief battle, Erath and Simmons, an elderly man from Bastrop, were assigned by Colonel Burleson to guard the captured Mexican supplies through the approaching night. Erath had now been in Texas three years, and was 23 years of age.

It is interesting to note that this youth, who fled from the tyrannical military system of Austria, was ever conspicuous as a volunteer to defend his beloved adopted country. He always had a clear conception of the wide difference between liberty and despotism. Through severe privations and exposures, he was ever steadfast in his devotion. His patriotism was his religion, and he might be called a fanatic. Not long after the battle of San Jacinto, he became a lieutenant and was assigned with 20 men to build a frontier fort on Little river, near where the town of Cameron now stands. The fort was soon finished and he was ordered to the Colorado, but just before his departure an Indian fight took place.

From that time Erath was almost constantly in the Texas public service as captain of rangers, legislator, and state senator. Before the battle of San Jacinto, he had established a cattle ranch, and his little herd was ever increasing. Thanks to the integrity of his buckskin friends, his cattle ranch was ever guarded while he was far away on the frontier or in the legislative halls at Austin. Speaking of him in later years, J. DeCordova tells us that "Erath's reputation for honesty and knowledge of the land system was so great that he was often made sole arbitrator by parties, in preference to going to law."

Generous and trusting, he lost many thousands of dollars trying to befriend unworthy men, after the Civil war. He was now in the evening time of life, with failing health and eyesight, and these betrayals of his friendship were cruel returns; but he was still able to leave his children a comfortable inheritance.

The old Erath home on the Bosque is a romantic memory. A magnificent shade tree stood near the long front porch. A water shelf supplied the men with water for drinking and washing and the waste water kept the tree in rich luxuriance. The house was divided by a middle partition, the family apartments on one side, and a large fireplace. Wood was abundant and big fires kept the whole house comfortable. The dining room was in the rear and the kitchen, a separate building, a convenient distance away. In the kitchen was a very wide, high fireplace with an immense hearth. The vessels were large cast-iron ovens and pots, with legs and lids so that the fire could be applied underneath and over. The preparation of a meal in this kitchen was an interesting scene, and the food that came from the ovens and pots was surpassingly savory.

The walks about the yard were of large flat rocks, a good substitute for our modern cement walks. The negro quarters were in the rear, and altogether the home presented a pleasing scene of comfort and ease. Fancy pictures of the homes of Abraham, Isaac and Jacob, in the remote and dim past, as similar. And probably no art of man has ever been able to produce a more satisfying home. In later years another home was built on the south side of the Bosque. There were no bridges on the Bosque in those days, and some times freshets caused serious inconvenience, therefore the change. As the children married and left home and the faithful slaves were gone, the aged couple, in the evening time of life, made their home in a cottage in Waco and there passed the remaining years. "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Love left last week for their new home in Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Love have been residents of Spur the past twelve or fifteen years, and have many close friends who regret to see them leave, but wish them prosperity and happiness in their new home.

**THE THREE MUSKETEERS**

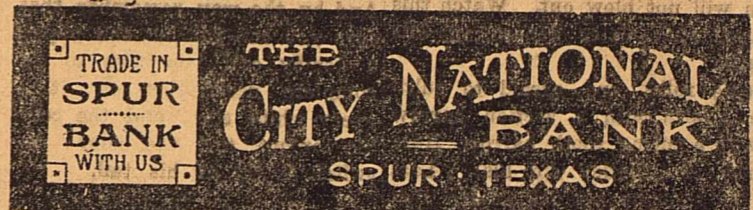
They had many glorious and successful adventures together, guided always by the motto "One for all and all for one."

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**FARM NOTES**

E. L. Tanner, County Agent, Dickens County

W. S. Smiley of Duncan Flats Community was in the office the other day. He is getting ready to sow some more alfalfa. He planted this alfalfa fall before last but owing to the looseness of the ground it froze out. Last year he had it all ready but to the season he did not get in on his type of soil. However he is ready now and is going to it. His soil is of a pretty sandy type and he is a little afraid of its blowing out and so here is the way he is to handle it this late. He planted the land in late cotton last year and has not touched it. Owing to the two years of preparation for the alfalfa this land is in excellent shape, altho it is now in cotton stubble. All he is going to do is to drill ten pounds of seed to the acre right in to cotton stalks and cover them with a stalk cutter. In this way he is sure that the young alfalfa will not blow out. Watch this column for a later report on this alfalfa.

Some folks are afraid to cultivate alfalfa with a section harrow or with a spring tooth harrow. Here is how Mr. Smiley did his: Last fall he thought his old alfalfa was dying out. He has been pasturing it for three years with cows and hogs. After the rain in March, which he says was about four inches in the north part of the county, he put something like a six hundred

pound weight on it so that the teeth went as deeply as they could go and harrowed his old patch good. He says that now his alfalfa is out fine and looks like a perfect stand.

Mr. W. C. Messer who lives in the Espuela community is preparing to put in some alfalfa this fall. He is going to break his land good this spring and keep it clean till fall and just as soon in the fall as he can

Ott (C. A.) Denson, who lives on Dr. Morris' farm west of Spur is going to plant ten acres of Sudan for his ten cows. He says that is how he saves the feed and that he could not get along on less than an acre for each cow. Ott is selling about \$8 per week in cream from four cows. He came in and got the Eudaly cow ration which he is going to begin to use right away. This ration is Ground maize heads or any grain sorghum 200 pounds. In case you have not the alfalfa and do not wish to use it place 15 pounds of odorless steamed bone meal in its place. Both alfalfa and bone meal furnish lime which is one of the main minerals in milk. The alfalfa ration is much the best of the two.

C. A. Smith of McAdoo community was in the office seeing about the papers on a registered cow. And by the way remember that before you can fill out the papers on a Jersey calf you have to have a complete description on it. Get every white spot, and the color of his tongue, and the color of his switch or tip of his tail.

Last week Mr. L. G. Crabtree of Corton Community was in the office. Mr. Crabtree has a terracing and contouring problem on his home place which is a dandy. Later in the week I visited him and went

over the place with him. He has about fifty acres of good flat land which can be flooded with water that comes down from the hills in the edge of the breaks. This can be done at once. It is about a three year job. I located his key terrace for him and he and Riley Rodgers, school boy aged fourteen, son of Elmer Rogers of Croton, will run the lines. Young Rogers is good with a level. He can take every screw out of one and put it back in perfect condition as it came from the factory. He attended the two-day school at Croton last winter, and since then he has been running lines while his dad works the tractor on the county roads.

Mr. Crabtree will contour his land this year and next year he will begin to plan on the use of his surplus water. There are dozens of farms in Dickens County which have surplus water which should be spread and spilled. If you have one see me this summer any time from now on and let me go over it with you. When fall comes it will be late as all my terracing schools will be arranged for and I will be busy on them. If you have a terracing problem get in touch with me early so that I can get you lined up on the nearest school to you. The rest will be easy.

J. S. (Judge Smith) who lives west of the Y that leads to Afton was in to see about the hardware cloth floor for a brooder. This is a big name for ordinary hail screen. He has his brooder fixed up with it now just like Mr. Holmgren told about in the Poultry and Dairy school. The Tri-County Lumber Company told me that they have sold 1600 square feet of this one-half mesh screen for brooder floors lately. This will make floor enough for fifteen brooders of good size. This screen sells 7c per square foot, and in the experience of the A. & M. College it saves them 200 per cent each on the investment. It cuts disease to a minimum.

A. M. Karr who lives three miles south east of Spur is another man who is using hardware cloth for the floor of his brooder. He has out 330 chicks in a small brooder house. He lost 15 the first week and then put in a hardware cloth floor according to directions of the A. & M. College. He lost five more in the next few days but says that his trouble seems to be over now. He only has to clean out the brooder house once every week now instead of every day.

Mr. Karr is another man who believes that an acre of Sudan per cow is the way to save feed and make cheap butter fat. Last year he planted ten acres for his nine cows. He pastured his cows on native pasture in day-time and turned in on the Sudan grass at night. He is now feeding Eudaly's dairy ration and dropped in to the office to get the amounts to feed when cows are on good pasture. This is one pound of the ration to each four pounds of milk or two-thirds of a gallon of feed for every gallon of milk the cow gives.

Mr. M. L. Blakeley of Midway was in to see about the kind of poison to use for codling moth on apples. This is Arsenate of lead at the rate of the paste form. This should be sprayed just as the most of the petals are off the blooms. The effectiveness of the spray will be increased by using a Bordeaux type of nozzle which costs about 50c. This is a coarse nozzle and drives the spray into the petal end of the little fruit where the forms enter nine times out of ten. The trees should be sprayed again in three weeks for the late emerging moths.

Mr. L. C. Arrington of Red Hill community was in to find about getting into the white Leghorn game with 500 hens. He has heard about the 25c per dozen on eggs that is going into effect May 15. He says that he can buy eight weeks old pullets for 60c each and wants to know if that would be cheaper than buying day old chicks. If these pullets are good ones from a high laying flock of hens they will be a good buy. However I sure would investigate the source of the stock. Be sure that some fellow is not getting rid of his culls at that price and that he has raised them himself and not picked up the eggs from Tom, Dick and Harry. Also 200 will be a good number to start with. Grow into it is the way to do it.

And now last but not least: The sorriest looking cow in the first car of cows we bought in the fall is giving six gallons of milk per day with a three months old calf. She was the last one to go because she was the ugliest and one of the cheapest too. Which all goes to

prove that looks is not all there is to a cow. She has a pedigree that has just such cows all along the line in it.

H. P. Edwards, of McAdoo, was a recent business visitor in Spur and while here paid the Texas Spur office a very pleasant call. Mr. Edwards recently sold out and retired from the mercantile business at McAdoo. Mr. Edwards is now specializing in the hog business, buying hogs throughout the country—stating that he puts the top price and in so doing competes with hog buyers from Dickens and adjoining counties.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris, of near Dickens, were among the many in Spur Saturday shopping and visiting among friends.

Chas. Gunn, of near Dickens, was among the crowds on the streets of Spur Saturday.

J. I. Hayes and family returned last week from an extended trip back down in the Eastern part of the state visiting in Fort Worth, Dallas, Waco and other points.

—Watch Spur Grow—  
E. D. Jackson, of near Dickens, was trading in Spur Monday of this week.

—Watch Spur Grow—  
Edgar Fisher, of west of Spur, was in the city Saturday and while here was a very pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office. He informed us that a fine shower of rain, accompanied by hail, fell in his part of the country Friday. The rain was heavier the further west. Rain is also reported in the Watson community Sunday.

—Watch Spur Grow—  
W. F. Webb (of the Watson section of country, was in Spur Monday. He reports that a nice shower of rain fell in that part of the country Sunday afternoon. It appears that rains fall this year locally rather than general.

—Watch Spur Grow—  
S. H. Nally, of north of Spur, was among the many here trading last week.

Harvey S. Holly, of near Dickens, was transacting business in Spur Monday morning of this week.

Uncle Dick Holly was on the streets Monday. Uncle Dick, we are sorry to note, is in failing health.

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- 25 lbs. Cane Sugar ..... \$1.43
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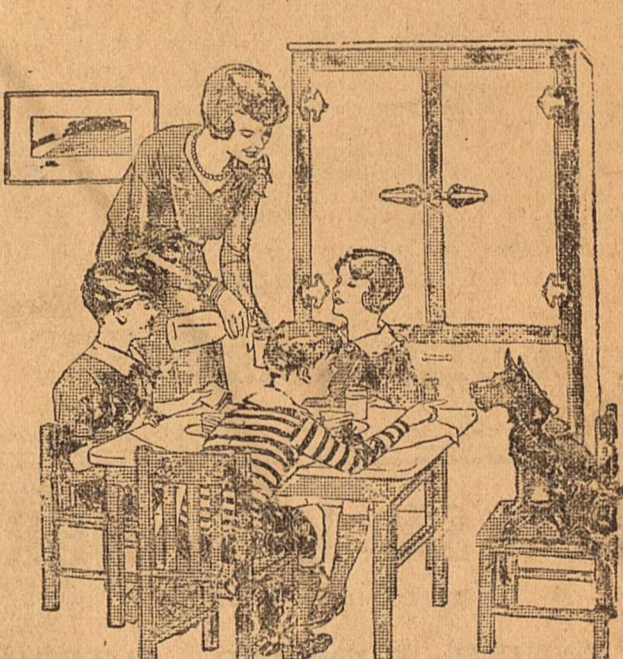
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# EDUCATIONAL PREPARATION A GROWING REQUIREMENT FOR SUCCESS IN MODERN BUSINESS

**Death-Knell Sounded for Guesswork and Slipshod Methods by Advancing Technical Proficiency in Finance, Trade and Industry—How Banks Are Developing a Professionally Qualified Generation of Younger Bankers.**

By HAROLD STONIER  
American Bankers Association

**T**HE great school of Experience is still holding classes in America, but the scientific spirit of the age has so generally invaded the workshops of industry and trade that they have largely become technical research and training laboratories in themselves and are no longer run on the old-fashioned cut-and-dry methods of former generations when Experience was considered the only teacher. It would be hard to find a working force in any pre-eminent successful business or industrial organization in the United States today but what the dominating leadership is schooled in the scientific principles of its specific field, whether manufacturing, merchandising or finance. The rapidly advancing standards of business in this country, with their relentless demands for efficiency as the only hope for survival in the competitive struggle for economic existence, has sounded the death-knell for guesswork and slipshod methods.



HAROLD STONIER.

As a result, educational preparation in the techniques of commerce, industry and finance are virtually essential to outstanding success in these fields, as it is already an absolute prerequisite in the various recognized professions. This is not to depreciate the value of native ability and experience in business, but education after all is merely a means for helping the individual to apply the net good of the accumulated experience of many to his own day's work—a means for helping special native ability to come into its own more rapidly and surely and for enabling all classes of ability to gain the maximum of success to which they are entitled.

These facts are plainly recognized by practical, work-a-day business in every line. Every progressive business organization in America is emphasizing the importance of education as never before. Education has come to be looked upon as the answer to many of the problems within the organization as well as to problems affecting industry as a whole.

**Business Organizing Institutes**

Institutes for developing specifically qualified workers are being operated or organized in many fields of commercial and industrial activity. These institutes are trying various types of educational work with a distinct trend toward more and more emphasis upon education for the rank and file of business employees of all grades.

We have been having business failures in this country at the rate of about 2,000 a month. This score speaks for itself. It is glaring evidence of incompetence on the part of thousands of business men in handling the problems inherent in their fields of endeavor. The detailed records show that practically 75% of business failure in this country is due to lack of training and competence on the part of those who failed. This is conclusive evidence that no one can afford to undertake executive business responsibilities without adequate education and training. It is for that reason that every enlightened business organization is today insisting as never before that its employees take advantage of some type of technical training.

American banking is fortunate and has just cause for pride in that it has a record of twenty-eight years of definitely organized educational activity among its workers to its credit for developing trained bankers. People in banks in large numbers are taking advantage of the educational opportunity given by the great non-commercial college of the banking business, the American Institute of Banking. They see on every hand evidences of the value of the training it gives. Of the 10,000 graduates of this Institute, 70% now occupy official positions in American banks. The other 30% are still too young to have attained such heights. Here is an example and an encouragement to the people of all lines of business.

The American Institute of Banking has a membership of 64,320. Of these 33,851 are class enrollees, comprising younger bank people, both men and women, who are learning the scientific technique of their chosen business at the same time they are engaged in the practical work of earning their livings at it. The difference between the 33,851 enrolled in classes and the 64,320 total membership comprises older bankers who have taken the Institute courses in the past or are at the present time sponsoring some type of educational work in the organization.

**Banking Educates Its People**

It has been estimated that there are probably 375,000 bank officers and employees in the United States at the present time. These figures would mean that about one banker in every six is either enrolled in Institute classes in banking or is actively supporting some educational function of the organization. No statement could possibly give more emphasis to the importance placed on education by the banking interests of America than these facts.

This American Institute of Banking

**GIRARD NEWS**

There has been a revival meeting in progress at the Church of God, but it closed Sunday.

Mr. Lewis Mason of Jayton was transacting business in Girard Monday.

The Jayton boys came to Girard Monday afternoon to play us a game of baseball. The scores were 15 to 33 in favor of Girard.

Mr. and Mrs. Ot Nance of Post City visited friends in Girard this week.

The Senior Class celebrated Senior Day with a picnic Friday. They went to Roaring Springs, and other places. Mrs. Glen Huls went with them as chaperone. They reported a wonderful time.

Misses Lois and Grace Langford and Edith Harwell motored down to Jayton Monday morning for a few hours shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Smith made a business trip to Spur Saturday.

The Methodist Church is beginning a revival meeting here April 15.

Miss Samantha Beaver is now employed at Spur.

Bro. North the Baptist pastor of the Girard church sent in his resignation Sunday.

The Church members and congregation mourn his departure very much.

Mr. Lloyd Womack went to Crosbyton to work Friday, but he seems to like Girard better, so he has returned.

Mr. Henry Simmons of Plainview visited with his parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Turmon entertained a large crowd of young people Saturday night with a party.

Mr. Bili Foley of Valentine, Tex-

as was in Girard Saturday.

Mr. V. Ramsey made a business trip to Spur Saturday.

The Junior Class and their sponsor, accompanied by Mr. Glen Huls, and also Mr. Clay Beaver took their supper and went to the Dickens Springs Monday evening, for a little moonlight picnic.

Mrs. G. Simmons, and Mr. and Mrs. George Willis visited relatives in Coleman County during the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Johnnie Renfroe of Sonora visited with Mrs. Pursley this week.

Mr. Arol Kerley whom has been gone to South Dakota, returned home Saturday.

The Freshman class of Girard is presenting a play at Claremont Wednesday night entitled "The Early Bird."

Mrs. Douglas Graves is now in the Stamford Sanitarium receiving medical treatment.

Little Billy Doug Graves has the measles this week.

Mrs. Jinks Coper and Mrs. Joe Turner made a business trip to Spur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Fincher went to Abilene Friday, and returned Sunday.

Mr. H. T. Combs of Jayton visited in Girard Sunday.

Mrs. Gip Mayfield and children drove down to Jayton for a few hours visit Monday.

Mr. Clay Beaver visited the Girard school Friday and while he was there he gave them a very interesting talk on "The World War."

Happenings in our town are few and far between.

But when speaking of our town here is what I mean.  
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Mrs. A. M. Turner has been very ill with Diphtheria for the last few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Darden of Idalou visited in Girard Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. George Spradling made a business trip to Rule one day this week.

Mr. R. I. Goodall was on the streets of Girard, transacting business Saturday.

Monday night a Slumber party was given for a few of the school girls at the Langford home. Those present were, Inez Vincent, Jane Beaver, Dottie Simmons, Elsie Clark Edith Harwell, Viola Darden and Irene Boland, Bonnie Spradling, Lois and Grace Langford.

The Tennis tournaments are to be held for the District at Abilene on Friday of this week, and there are several Girard High School students to enter there.

Singing was held at Jayton Sunday afternoon, and there were several present.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens entertained with a singing at their home Sunday evening. There was a large crowd present, and all enjoyed the splendid singing.

Mrs. J. E. and Mrs. G. W. Darden made a shopping trip to Spur Monday.

The Clairmont school is presenting a play in the Girard school auditorium Wednesday evening entitled "Always in Trouble," or "The Hoodooed Coon."

The Girard Freshman class is presenting a play Friday evening entitled "The Early Bird."

Miss Lois Beaver of Clairmont spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Langford entertained with a dance Saturday night.

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Bob Hahn, of the Highway section of business visitors in Spur Monday of country, was among the number after noon.

TEXAS FRONTIERSMAN TELLS OF EARLY DAY HISTORY AND INDIAN BATTLES

The following story, published in the Waco Times-Herald, by George B. Erath, with reference to frontier days in Texas, beginning 92 years ago, will be interesting historical reading to many. George B. Erath is a grandfather of Geo. B. Erath of the Spur country.

saw that they were playing a losing game, but who were nevertheless determined to die resisting this steady tide.

Two well known Waco women, Misses Lucy and Lelia Erath, are yet residents of Waco, and have heard their father recite many times, before his death, details of this and other encounters, but these details were always given modestly and without the least braggadocio, according to all who knew the daring lieutenant, who came as a boy from his home in Europe to make this new land his home.

Interesting, also, is the fact that with Lieutenant Erath were one or two other men who afterwards called McLennan county their home. One of these was Lee R. Davis, whose son Lee Davis, was county tax collector of McLennan county until about the time that Collector Arthur Mills came in. He has since removed to another part of the state.

veyed land for the state in many portions of this big section.

In the early part of November, 1836, Lieutenant Erath was placed in command of a few more than a score of men detached from Barron's company, and stationed on the Leon river about a mile from the Three Forks of Little River, mentioned above, in what is now Bell county. Lieutenant Erath cut out, marked and measured a road from the Falls of the Brazos to that place. Colonel Coleman, who had accompanied the Erath party to the vicinity of Three Forks, aided in planning improvement to be made by the Erath party, then left, measuring and marking a road to his fort on Walnut Creek, about six miles east of where Austin now stands and about eight miles above Hornsby's the then highest settlement on the Colorado.

Settlements had been attempted in the country around Three Forks, near where Belton and Temple now stand, the winter before, and here and there patches of corn were planted in the spring, mostly without fence, and as there had been a prolific season, some corn not eaten by the buffaloes or wild stock, matured. Thus, Lieutenant Erath procured a few bags of corn which he

issued, "a rubbin a day," and which had to be ground on a steel hand mill. The Indians, however, had a cabin built on the hillside, and a settler with his family occupied another. In the morning, the Indians, who were in the neighborhood, had a party of about twenty men, and a family and a few children, and with buffalo robes, moccasins, log cabins, with wooden benches, and a few articles of household furniture, they were used sparingly.

It was on the fourth of January, 1837 that Lieutenant Erath was instructed to be ready to proceed on a moment's notice to Colorado Fort (Coleman's Fort), and Lt. Curtis was to take charge of Little River Fort. The order was brought by Lt. McLochlin, but the information he brought was of greatest consequence in that he had seen the tracks country about 12 miles from the fort, on the waters of Elm creek.

News of the Indian tracks caused wild excitement and bustle in quarters, as it was determined to intercept and prevent the Indians from reaching the settlements below and doing mischief. During the night a slow, cold rain began falling. Lt. Erath completed arrangements at 10 o'clock on the morning of January 6, 1837, left on the scout. His force consisted of 14 men rank and file. Sergeant McLochlin and rangers Lee R. Davis, Daniel Clark, Empson Thompson, Jack Gross, Robert Childers and his boy brother, Frank, Jack Houston (volunteers) John Folks, Lewis and Maurice Moore, Green McCoy (the three latter mere boys) and Leishly, a prospector. 4 of these had never been in battle before.

This bold and intrepid little force of less than a score soon struck the trail of the Indians, but to their astonishment other Indians had joined the first and the red men, judged by their tracks, numbered about 100 and all on foot and heading toward the settlements below. In a little time Erath's men came to the point where the Indians had camped the night previous, finding that they had built temporary shelter of brush and grass to keep off the rain. Signs were fresh and campfires still burning. The moccasin tracks showed a large number, but the pursuers pushed on. In explaining afterwards why it was that the white men even ventured to attack such superior forces, Lt. Erath explained that it was done to scatter the Indians and keep them from attacking the settlements below, where they would have killed many women and children.

At nightfall of Jan. 6 the little force halted close to the enemy, whose position they reconnoitered. The Indians, Caddos, all well armed and chiefly with rifles, were encamped in a small horseshoe like bend about 23 miles east of the fort and within about 8 miles of a small settlement near the present town of Cameron in Milam county. Resting until about 4 o'clock in the morning, the horses were saddled and tied to trees, ready to mount in case of retreat, and the men advanced on foot under cover of the creek bank.

As the Indians rolled out of bed and began to build fires Erath shifted his forces to within about 25 yards of the foe, and as soon as it was light enough to see sights on guns delivered a well aimed volley, which tumbled 8 or 10 redskins to the ground, some of them falling into the fires. The Indians, completely surprised, were thrown into confusion, but as the white men had to stop and reload their guns, the savages soon recovered and began leaping behind trees, some returning the fire. Other Indians began moving to the right and left flank where they could see into the creek, bottom thus finding that they had been attacked by a numerically small party.

The fight soon became desperate and David Clark and Frank Childers were mortally wounded. The white men, greatly exposed, shifted to the opposite bank of the creek where there were some small trees. Erath remained behind to watch the outcome. In the meanwhile the Indians with blood curdling yells, charged. Erath was still in the channel of the creek and under a bank six or eight feet high, being in great peril, seemingly doomed to death. One Indian within a few feet of him fired point blank, but missed. Erath shot this Indian. The Indian continued to advance and fire in combined force, and Erath seeing that his party was about to be overwhelmed, ordered a retreat. This was done by one half of the men covering the retreat of the other half. As the white men's guns belched death every time fired, the big force of Indians was held back and the white men reached the cover of another lot of elm trees and saplings. But this was slow work as they could only rush 30 to 40 yards at a time. The white men finally reached their horses at the edge of the prairie. There were many narrow escapes.

Lieutenant Erath, whose coolness prevented almost a massacre of his men, told about the latter part of the fight as follows: "At this juncture my left had reached the bank of the gully we had just descended into. There was a big thicket on the other side. The Indians charged us with great fury and terrific yells. We could not be blamed for taking shelter, but it extended my line, and seeing Indians on my right dashing up to us, McLochlin and myself took to a big tree standing on the extreme right. McLochlin extended his gun, but it was broken and would not fire. My gun was loaded and I aimed at a bunch of Indians close by. I had not time to see the effect of my shot, but ran

to another thicket with McLochlin, the Indians getting between us and the other men and keeping up their yelling. Fifteen or twenty steps more and we reached the ravine that went square up the creek. Here we found Clark going up the bed of it, just about exhausted and sinking. He said something about fighting to the last or we would all be killed. I halted a few moments with poor Clark, who was now down and his life ebbing, but as half a dozen Indians were rushing toward us, I continued on up the gully, reloading my gun as I went, and soon rejoined my men."

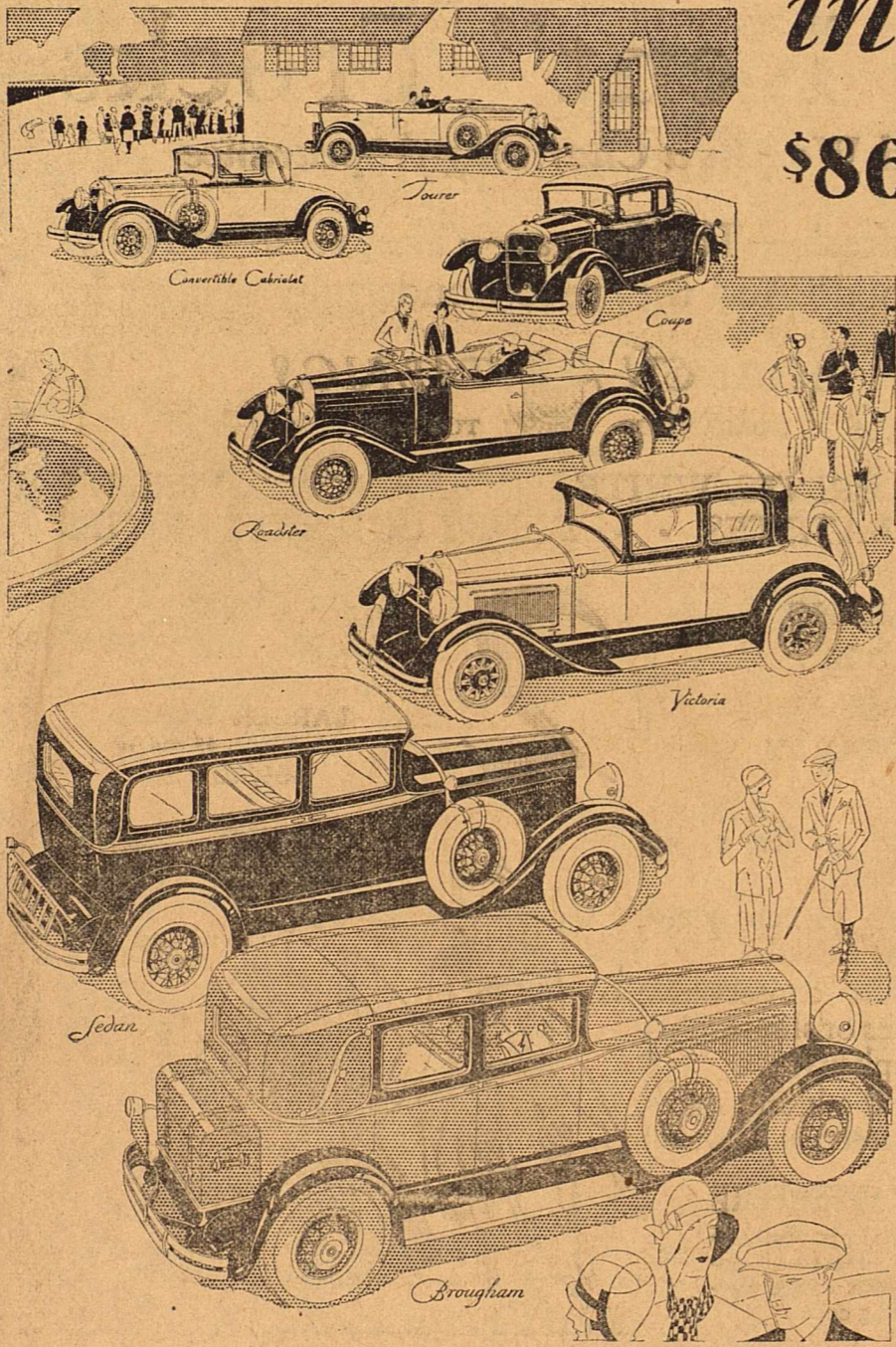
The survivors stated afterward that the Indians sprang upon Clark butchering him up in a horrible manner. But they failed to find Frank Childers, who unable to join in the retreat, had sunk down at the foot of a tree in a secluded spot, dying within 20 steps of where the hottest fighting had been going on.

Fortunately the Indians made no further attack and soon collected at their camp and set up a terrible howl over their dead. The white men, besides losing the two gallant rangers, had many narrow escapes, finding that bullets had cut their clothing while others had slight wounds. The Indians lost 10 warriors who were thrown into a hole of water after a big pow-wow.

Plans for pursuit were made as soon as Erath and his men reached the fort, but as a heavy and severe snow storm prevented, Lieutenant Erath left the following morning for Coleman's fort where he had been ordered. He never afterward had a (Continued on another page)

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## VERNON REFUSES OFFER FOR CITY LIGHT PLANT

Vernon, Texas, April 14.—The Vernon City Commission has declined to consider an offer of \$320,000 by the People's Public Service Company of Seguin for purchase of the city light plant, Mayor H. D. Hockersmith said.

W. B. Miser of Amarillo, vice president and general manager of the company, made the proposition.

## CONTRACT FOR POWER PLANT LET AT TEAGUE

Teague, Texas, April 12.—The City Council of Teague has closed a contract with the Fairbanks-Morse Company for the installation of a municipal power plant in Teague. Contractors have the plans for the building which will be started immediately. Machinery for the \$105,000 plant will be in transit right away.

Rev. and Mrs. I. A. Smith, of the city of Memphis, were in Spur Monday and Tuesday attending the Methodist Conference in session here the two days, and also visiting with their daughters, Mesdames Hindman and Perry. Rev. and Mrs. Smith formerly lived in Spur and have many warm friends here who are always glad to see them.

Watch Spur Grow—J. M. Hahn, of the Highway community, spent Sunday in Stonewall

county, visiting among his relatives and many friends of that section of the county.

Watch Spur Grow—

Miss Ruth Maples, of Stamford, spent Sunday in Spur the guest of Mrs. Kate Senning.

Watch Spur Grow—

Will Walker and Oran McClure, Jr., came down Sunday from Tech College and spent the day here visiting with home folks.

Watch Spur Grow—

G. W. Allen, a prominent citizen of McAdoo, was a recent business visitor in Spur.

Watch Spur Grow—

Geo. Harris, of McAdoo, was in Spur Monday. He came down to attend county court at Dickens.

Watch Spur Grow—

Ward Harris, of McAdoo, was in Spur Monday for a short time, trading and transacting business matters.

Watch Spur Grow—

Albert Power, of Afton, was in Spur the past week. He reports everything in fine shape in the north part of the county.

Watch Spur Grow—

E. T. Varnell, of Afton, was transacting business in Spur one day the past week. Mr. Varnell states that the country as a whole is in good shape at this time, with most promising seasons and prospects for big harvests this fall.

Watch Spur Grow—

Mr. Mimms, of the Wichita community, east of Dickens, was transacting business in Spur Saturday of the past week.

Watch Spur Grow—

Wylie Stafford, of Swenson, was in Spur, spending Saturday night and Sunday here visiting with his friends. Wylie is now engaged in the drug business at Swenson, and enjoying a liberal and extensive business from the town and surrounding country.

Watch Spur Grow—

E. A. Cochran, of north of Spur, was here Saturday trading and meeting with his friends.

Watch Spur Grow—

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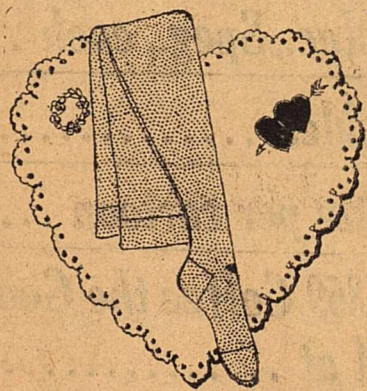
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SPUR, TEXAS

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SPUR, TEXAS



Picot Top—Ingrain Slightly Irregular

**CHIFFON SILK HOSE**

**\$1.79**

Usual \$2.95 and \$3.95 Quality

Does an imperfection. . . that does not impair the wearing quality of the hose . . . and is so slight that it is not noticeable when worn . . . lessen the desirability of that hose as an article of service and fashion?

Hundreds of women think not . . . one of the highest class hosiery mills of the country supplied us with these hose. They are the ones that are culled out in the FINAL inspection obviously imperfect ones thrown out by inspector number one. Hosiery that sells for \$2.95 and \$3.95 per pair must be absolutely perfect . . . so the final inspector must go over each pair very carefully. His practiced eye discovers imperfections that we—or you—would perhaps never notice.

To be able to offer such quality hose! Such fashionable hose! At this low price is truly an achievement. Only 30 dozen, three hundred and sixty pair in all. Every pair new, all pure ingrain silk picot from top to toe. The thrifty women will buy several pair at this low price.

All the new colors including, Gunmetal shades, Plain Chiffons and Clocks.

# SPOT CASH GROCERY

SATURDAY, MAY 20th, You will be shown in our Store

*That New Rare Coffee Flavor People Are Changing to*

We have arranged to have a special Folger's representative with us on the above date and he will serve you with a cup of the best coffee you have ever tasted.

## THE FAMOUS FOLGER TEST

Get a can of Folger's Coffee from us and drink it the next morning. The Second morning, drink the coffee you have been using. The third morning Folger's again. If for any reason, you do not choose Folger's, we will gladly refund the full purchase price. For SATURDAY ONLY—We are selling Folger's Coffee at the following very low price.

5 Pound Can ..... \$2.83  
2 1-2 Pound Can ..... \$1.44  
1 Pound Can ..... \$ .59

So Come in Saturday and let us show you how good Folger's Coffee Really is!

# Spot Cash Grocery

Phone 76

Spur, Texas

# HOCUS POKUS

**WE SELL FOR CASH ONLY  
MONEY TALKS! MONEY TALKS!**

## SAURDAY SPECIALS

- Green Beans per lb. .... 11c
- New Potatoes, per lb. .... 5 1/2c
- Squash, fresh and tender ..... 5c
- Grape fruit, Texas Sweet 4 for. 25c
- Bananas, ripe fruit, per doz. .... 25c
- Cabbage, green stock per lb. .... 3c
- Lettuce, firm heads ..... 9c
- Fresh Spinach, per lb. .... 5c

**WE WANT YOUR TRADE**

**NOTICE**

Perey Jones will hold services in the Presbyterian church on Sunday April 21st. The public cordially invited to attend.

**STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP.**

Management Circulation, Etc., Required by the Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, of The Texas Spur and Dickens Item published weekly at Spur, Texas for April 1, 1929.

**STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF DICKENS**

Before me, a Notary Public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Oran McClure, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and publisher of the Texas Spur and Dickens Item and that the following is to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, embodied in section 411, Postal Laws and Regulations printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

1. That the names and addresses of the publisher, editor, managing editor, and business managers are: Oran McClure, Spur, Texas.
2. That the owner is: Oran McClure, Spur, Texas.
3. That the known bondholders, mortgagees, and other security holders owning or holding 1 per cent or more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, or other securities are: There are none.

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 13th day of April 1929.  
E. J. COWAN, Notary Public. (My commission expires June 1, 1929.)

**THE CHURCH OF CHRIST**

The work at the Church of Christ is still progressing and the interest is growing every day.

The attendance at the morning service is great, there being a goodly number present at Sunday school and a full house at the eleven o'clock hour.

There has been several renewals of membership and one Baptism service. Bro. Berry came to labor here.

The subject for discussion next Sunday at eleven o'clock is "Christian Activity." Every one is cordially invited to attend.

Young people program for 7:00 is as follows: Leader—Herman McArthur. Song Leader—Gladys Johnson. Prayer—O. C. Thomas.

1. Importance of Bible Study—Loise Grantham.
2. What it Means to be a Christian—Dob Read.
3. The Advantages a Christian has Over a Worldly Person—Derman McArthur.

The Junior Division for next Sunday is:

- Leader—Ora Pearl Johnson.
- Verse—Frederick Malone.
- Prayer—Estelle Oliver.
- 1. Jesus' First Miracle—Oleta Dell Read.
- 2. Jesus at the Temple—Estelle Oliver.
- 3. Jesus and the Samaritan Woman—Lorene McArthur.

4. Jesus and Nicodemus—Frederick Malone.

5. Benediction—Frederick Malone.  
Tom Cherry, of north of Spur a few miles, was on the streets Saturday, meeting with his friends here that day.

J. A. Kerley, of east of Spur, was here Saturday with the crowds of shoppers and business visitors.

**REMEMBER**

## THE REXAL ONE CENT SALE

Thursday, Friday, Saturday,  
April 18, 19, 20

Buy one item and the second one will be sold in addition for only 1 cent.

## THE CITY DRUG STORE

Spur, Texas

## PIGGLY - WIGGLY SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

- Green Beans young and tender, per pound ..... 10c
- Nice New Potatoes, per lb. .... 5 1/2c
- Blackberries, No. 2 Cans, each. 13c
- Wapco Green Bean, No. 2 Can (2 for) ..... 25c
- Matches, per cartoon, ..... 15c
- Gallon Peaches ..... 46c
- Skinner's Mac., Spag., each .... 07c
- Quart Pickles ..... 19c
- All Cigarette per cartoon .... \$1.15
- 3 lb. Can 1869 Coffee the Good Kind at ..... \$1.41
- Tall Milk, Pet or White Swan .. 10c
- Small Milk, Pet or White Swan .. 5c
- Peas, No. 2 Can, Kuners & Concho, (2 for) ..... 25c
- Nice Bananas, per dozen ..... 25c
- Quart Olives ..... 47c

**MARKET SPECIALS**

- Pork Sausage ..... 25c per lb.
- Calf Brains ..... 25c per lb.
- Long Horn Cheese ..... 30c per lb.
- Best Barbecue on Earth ..... 35c per lb.

We have pails for gravey. We also have added sausage stuffing equipment. Featuring Barbecued Sausage. Try some. We handle meats of a better class. Give us a trial.

**Bring us your Eggs—We Pay Top Prices**  
Quality, Cleanliness, Courtesy.

**WANT ADS**

(10c per line, 6 words to line)

MAIZE FOR SALE—See L. A. Hindman.

For Sale—Two well located residences in West part of Spur.—H. E. Blenden at Spur Produce Co. 10tf

FOR SALE—162 acres, 145 in cultivation, all tillable, 5 acres in alfalfa, fair improvements, 2 1/2 miles southeast of Afton, immediate possession. \$60 acre, including the teams, tools and feed.—R. S. Mobley. 20-4tp

WANTED—To rent vacant business lot facing main street or build to suit tenant.—C. V. Anderson, 1105 N 12th, Waco, Texas. tf

Hot Barbecue, cooked daily. Bring your bucket for gravey.—Central Market. 21tf

If you want good horses or work mules, from 1200 to 1400 pounds, see J. L. Hutto at the Spur Realty Company. 2tc

COTTON SEED—Taylor's Long Staple, pure planting seed, -1.10 per bushel, sacked.—F. O. Taylor. 22-4p

SEED CORN—Reese Drouth Resister, the dry weather corn. For seed corn see Dan Pritchett or the Crouch Milling Co. 22-4tp

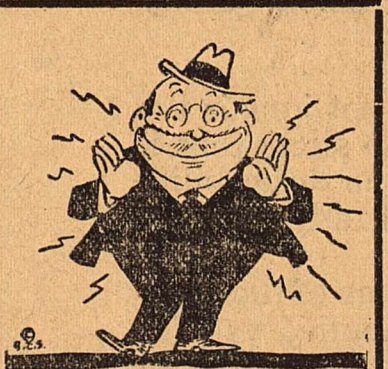
WANTED—To sell house in Corpus Christi, or trade for satisfactory Western property. Enquire at Texas Spur office. 22-2tp

FOR SALE—One 1 1/2 and one 2-ton heavy duty International trucks; will take good car as part payment.—E. M. Hale, Spur, Texas 18-4fc

WANTED—Stock to pasture on 1200 acres of two year's grass growth, plenty water.—J. W. Garrett 9 miles west of Spur. 21tf

FOR SALE or Trade—New and used Hudson-Esssex cars, Fords, Dodge, and Chevrolets. Will trade for land, lots, grubbing or good notes.—Dr. T. H. Blackwell. 23tf

BRONZ Turkey setting eggs, at \$2.50 dozen.—W. A. Holloway, Star Route. 23-3p



**No Wonder He's Smiling!**

He Has Just Received a Beautiful

**CIGARETT LIGHTER**

—at the—

**Quality Cleaners**

OTTO MOTT, Prop.

These Cigarette Lighters Will be Given with Every Two Dollars Cash Work All the Next Week.

## Sale Opened Thursday April, 18th

The Geatest Sale  
In The History  
Of Spur!

WOW!

**WOW!** WHAT A SALE  
EVERYTHING  
SACRIFICED

A Demonstration  
Sale—Demonstrating  
Our Ability to Save You Money!

A drastic slashing of prices that will reveal our earnest efforts to enable you to save on summer goods.

WE ARE LOCATED IN THE  
**Low Rent District**

WOW!

Watch for our BIG CIRCULAR which will give complete details and a partial list of prices

Walk a Block and Save

# KELLAM D. G. CO.

SPUR, TEXAS



## GROCERY REMOVAL

We have moved to second door east of former stand, where we will be glad serve old as well as new customers. We handle standard brand groceries, and always make prices as low as the best goods can be sold for. Come see us

## VIRGIL SMITH GROCERY

### STOP AT PLUNGE-IN TOURIST CAMP ON RUNNING CREEK NORTH OF SPUR, TEXAS

Good Cabins, completely furnished, Good Water, Lights and Bath; Tires, Tubes, Gas, Oil, Groceries and Tourist Supplies.

### INSURANCE BONDS LOANS GLEMMONS INSURANCE AGENCY SPUR NAT'L. BANK BLDG. SPUR, TEXAS.

Phones 84 and 122  
See us for the best loans on brick buildings and residence property.  
LET US INSURE YOUR COTTON!

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ONE 1927 MODEL FORD TRUCK  
1 CHEVROLET Touring 1926 M.

At Very Attractive Prices!

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## THE HIGHWAY CAFE

BEST MEALS & SHORT ORDERS  
Special—A Short Plate Lunch, 25c

## J. T. BILBERRY, TRANSFER

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FOR QUICK SERVICE—TEAM OR TRUCK

## PAGING MR. PROMPT PAY

The "Prompt-Pays" are always being paged because they are the kind of folks with whom merchants are glad to do business.

The men and women who fulfill their obligations and pay their just debts are always the desirable people in any community.

Call for tickets for the Jersey cow to be given away Monday, May 6, 1929.

## RETAIL MERCHANTS ASS'N

SPUR, TEXAS

**A JOINT RESOLUTION** proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas providing for a Supreme Court of nine members and for continuous session of that Court—  
**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That Section 2 and 3 of Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"Article 5. Section 2. The Supreme Court shall consist of a Chief Justice and eight Associate Justices, any five of whom shall constitute a quorum, and the concurrence of five shall be necessary to a decision of a case; in other matters, until otherwise provided by Law, the jurisdiction of the Court shall be exercised under such regulations and orders as the Court by a majority vote may prescribe. No person shall be eligible to the office of Chief Justice or Associate Justice of the Supreme Court unless he be, at the time of his election, a citizen of the United States and of this State and unless he shall have attained the age of thirty years, and shall have been practicing lawyer or a judge of a court, or such lawyer and judge together at least seven years. Said Chief Justice and Associate Justice shall be elected by the qualified voters of the State at a general election, shall hold their offices six years, or until their successors are elected and qualified, and shall receive such compensation as may be provided by law. In case of a vacancy in the office of Chief Justice of the Supreme Court, the Governor shall fill the vacancy until the next general election for State officers, and at such general election the vacancy for the unexpired term shall be filled by election by the qualified voters of the State. The Judges of the Supreme Court who may be in office at the time this amendment takes effect shall continue in office until the expiration of their term of office under the present Constitution, and until their successors are elected and qualified. When this amendment takes effect, the Governor shall immediately appoint six additional Associate Justices of the Supreme Court for term of office so that the terms of two of such appointed Associate Justices shall expire with the term of office of each of the present members of the Supreme Court, and upon the qualification of such new Justices, the Commission of Appeals of the State of Texas shall terminate."

"Article V. Section 3. The Supreme Court shall have appellate jurisdiction only except as herein specified, which shall be co-extensive with the limits of the State. Its appellate jurisdiction shall extend to questions of law arising in cases of which the Courts of Civil Appeals have appellate jurisdiction under such restrictions and regulations as the Legislature may prescribe. Until otherwise provided by law, the appellate jurisdiction of the Supreme Court shall extend to questions of law arising in the cases in the Courts of Civil Appeals in which the Judges of any Court of Civil Appeals may disagree or where the several Courts of Civil Appeals may hold differently on the same question of law, or where a Statute of the State is held void, and shall extend to such other questions as may be within the Courts Appellate Jurisdiction under the Statutes of the State in force when this amendment takes effect. The Supreme Court and the Justices thereof shall have power to issue writs of habeas corpus, as may be prescribed by Law, and under such regulations may be prescribed by Law, the said Court and the Justices thereof may issue the writs of mandamus, procedendo, certiorari and such other writs, as may be necessary to enforce its jurisdiction. The Legislature may confer original jurisdiction on the Supreme Court to issue writs of quo warranto and mandamus in such cases as may be specified, except as against the Governor of the State.

The Supreme Court shall have power, upon affidavit or otherwise as by the Court may be determined, to ascertain such matters of fact as may be necessary to the proper exercise of its jurisdiction. The Supreme Court shall be open at all times and shall sit at the State Capital for the transaction of business at such times as may be designated by the Court.

The Supreme Court shall appoint a clerk, who shall give bond in such manner as is now or may hereafter, be required by law, and he may hold his office for four years and shall be subject to removal by said Court for good cause entered of record on the Minutes of said Court who shall receive such compensa-

tion as the Legislature may provide."

Sec. 2. Said proposed Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State on Tuesday, July 16, 1929, at which election each voter opposing said proposed amendment shall scratch off of the ballot with a pen or pencil the following words printed on said ballot: "For the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members, and for continuous session of that Court." and each voter favoring said proposed amendment shall scratch off the ballot in the same manner the following words printed on said ballot: "Against the amendment to the State Constitution providing for a Supreme Court of nine members, and for continuous session of that Court." If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the voters cast are in favor of said amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published and said election held as provided by the Constitution and Laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

Approved February 19, 1929.  
(A Correct Copy)

JANE Y. McCALLUM,  
Secretary of State.

### A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor; providing for its submission to the voters of the State of Texas as required by the Constitution, and making appropriation therefor.

**BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:**

Section 1. That Section 5 of Article 4 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be so amended as to hereafter read as follows:  
"Section 5. The Governor shall, at stated times, receive as compensation for his services an annual salary of Ten Thousand Dollars and no more, and shall have the use and occupation of the Governor's Mansion, fixtures and furniture; provided that this amendment, shall not become effective until the third Tuesday in January, 1931."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at an election to be held throughout the State on July 16, 1929, a which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "For the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor." And those voters opposing said amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words: "Against the amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas fixing the salary of the Governor."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas not otherwise appropriated to pay the expense of such publication and election.

Approved March 19, 1929. (A Correct Copy.)

W. F. Cathey, of near Dickens, was in the city Saturday.

### Look Over Our House Plans

In the varied array of plans you will be certain to find a house that exactly fits your needs. And when you have decided upon the plan you like, we can tell you to a dollar just what the materials will cost. Stop in any time and look them over.

Musser Lumber Co  
Spur, Texas

We Handle Nationally Advertised  
Line of Groceries — the kinds  
that are Endorsed and called  
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Particular women, who order their groceries by the well-known brands, may well afford to do their trading at this store—and you may rest assured our prices are as low as you will find on the quality of merchandise we sell.

## GIBSON GROCERY

## BRAZELTON LUMBER COMPANY

A Good Yard  
in a Good Town

REGISTERED GERMAN POLICE  
WOLFRAM (ARIZONA) STUD—  
\$15.00 or male pup.  
H. H. HAWLEY, SPUR, TEXAS

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Sold By  
CITY DRUG STORE  
The store of neighborly service.  
Guaranteed to him by the Co. and him by the customer to rid the poultry of insects and also sure cure

BRING YOUR  
CREAM  
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Swift Cream Station  
Courtesy and Service  
Guaranteed.  
IN TAYLOR AND CROCKETT  
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Virgil Teague, Mgr.

## Now is the time to fix up your MODEL T FORD

RIGHT now, after winter lay-ups and winter driving, is the time to go over your Model T and find out just what it needs in the way of replacement parts and adjustments. For a very small cost, you may be able to protect and maintain your investment in the car and get thousands of miles of additional service.

To help you get the fullest use from your car, the Ford Motor Company is still devoting a considerable section of its plants to the manufacture of Model T parts and will continue to do so as long as they are needed by Ford owners.

These parts are quickly available through Ford dealers in every section of the country. Note the low prices in the partial list given below:

Piston and pin	1.40
Connecting rod	1.60
Crankshaft	10.00
Cylinder head	6.00
Cylinder	20.00
Time gear	.75
Time gear cover	1.00
Crankcase	12.00
Magneto coil assembly	5.00
Fly wheel	13.00
Transmission gear shaft	1.65
Transmission cover	6.00
Clutch pedal	.65
Steering gear assembly (less wheel and bracket)	8.50
Starter drive	4.25
Generator	12.50
Battery	8.50
Carburetor	3.00
Vaporizer assembly (with fittings)	9.00
Rear axle shaft	1.75
Differential drive gear	3.00
Universal joint assembly	2.50
Drive shaft pinion	1.50
Front axle	9.00
Spindle connecting rod	1.75
Front radius rod	1.80
Rear spring	6.00
Radiator—less shell (1917-23)	15.00
Radiator—less shell (1923-27)	14.00
Hood (1917-1925)	6.50
Hood (1926-27) black	7.00
Gasoline tank	6.00
Front fenders (1917-1925) each	4.00
Front fenders (1926-1927) each	5.00
Rear fenders (1922-1925) each	3.75
Rear fenders (1926-1927) each	4.00
Running board	1.25
Horn (battery type)	1.50
Headlamp assembly (1915-26) pair	5.50
Touring car top (1915-25) complete	27.00
Touring car top (1926-27) complete, includes curtains and curtain rods	35.00

These prices are for parts only, but the charge for labor is equally low. It is billed at a flat rate so you may know in advance what the job will cost.

FORD MOTOR COMPANY



**GIRARD NEWS**

Mrs. Donie Beauer returned home from Abilene where she had been visiting Friday.

Mr. J. W. Waggoner made a business trip to Fort Worth Tuesday.

Mr. George Graves and Mr. Claud Ails were in Girard Saturday.

Mr. George Goodall one of Girard's prosperous farmers was transacting business in town Monday.

Mr. T. A. Bailey, another good citizen of Girard was in town Saturday.

E. R. Prince, of north of Spur, was one among the many here the past week end trading and transacting business.

Watch Spur Grow—  
Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Faver, of the Afton country, were in Spur Saturday. Mr. Faver has been sick, and we are glad to note that he is now able to be up again.

**Took Soda 20 Years For Gas—Stops Now**

"For 20 years I took soda for indigestion and stomach gas. One bottle of Adlerika brought me complete relief."—J. B. Hardy.

Adlerika relieves stomach gas and sourness in TEN minutes. Acting on BOTH upper and lower bowel, it removes old waste matter you never thought was in your system. Let Adlerika give your stomach and bowels a REAL cleansing and see how much better you feel. It will surprise you!

SPUR DRUG STORE

**MRS. CARSON HOSTESS TO THE FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB**

Mrs. J. P. Carson was a gracious hostess Thursday afternoon to members of the Friday Afternoon Club and other guests. Forty two was the entertaining feature of the occasion, and following a number of interesting games delightful refreshments were served by the hostess.

**MRS. WESTER ENTERTAINED JOI DE VOI CLUB**

Mrs. Hubert Wester was hostess to the Joi De Voi Bridge Club and other guests Friday afternoon of last week. Following a number of interesting games of bridge, the hostess very graciously served refreshments to the number of guests present and honored on this occasion.

**MESDAMES FLINT AND WESTER ENTERTAIN WITH 42.**

Mesdames W. E. Flint and Hubert Wester were joint hostesses Thursday afternoon of this week, entertaining quite a number of guests with forty two, at the home of Mrs. Wester. After a number of very pleasant games, the guests of the afternoon were graciously served with delightful refreshments by the hostesses.

**ENTRE NOUS CLUB ENTERTAINED WITH THEATRE PARTY.**

Members of the Entre Nous Club were most pleasantly entertained Thursday evening of this week with a theatre party at the Lyric. Following the show, the party was very delightfully refreshed at Bull's Cafe.

**MRS. WILLIAMS ENTERTAINED THE DELPHIAN CLUB.**

Tuesday afternoon of this week Spur Delphian Club members were entertained at the home of Mrs. Geo. M. Williams. An interesting lesson was had with Mrs. Williams as leader, roll call being answered by members with quotations from American authors.

**NOTICE.**

I have sold my interest in the Spur Coffee Shop to Cecil Hicks who assumes all indebtedness and is authorized to collect all outstanding accounts due the business.—C. R. Edwards. 24-3tc

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bowman went to Lubbock Monday with their son, Glenn, who was placed in a Lubbock sanitarium for special treatment or possibly an operation.

Watch Spur Grow—  
Mrs. Ralph Jackson is in Stamford visiting with friends.

Watch Spur Grow—  
Mrs. A. J. Hodges has gone to Jayton as manager of The Hub for Mr. Bowman.

Watch Spur Grow—  
FOR SALE—28 Model Whippet Coach, in perfect condition, can be bought worth the money, will accept trade.—C. R. Edwards & Co. 24tc

Watch Spur Grow—  
Prof. H. P. Bell, of the Prairie Chapel school, east of Afton, was greeting friends and acquaintances in Spur Saturday.

Watch Spur Grow—  
E. E. Cowan, of the Afton section of country, was in Spur trading and on other business the past week end.

D. F. Capshaw, of Afton, was trading and transacting other business affairs in Spur recently.

Watch Spur Grow—  
R. S. Mobley a prominent citizen of the Afton country, was here recently, trading and on other business.

SPANISH Peanuts for sale at the farm of B. C. Cairns, Clairemont, Texas, price \$1.75 per bu. 24-3p

Watch Spur Grow—  
DRIVING to Shreveport, La., on about May 5, in roomy Sedan, will take 3 or 4 passengers to help pay expenses. If going to points down

East, see Carl Raudolph, Afton, phone Central. 24-3tp

DRIVING to Shreveport, La., take 3 or 4 passengers to help pay about May 5 in roomy Sedan. Will expenses. If going to points down east see Cair Raudolph Afton. Phone Central. 24-3tp.

**HARGROVES GIN AT DICKENS TO STAY PUT**

Some kind friend with or without malice has started the silly story that I intended to move the Dickens Gin which I built last year to Spur to take the place of the one lost in the fire of April 1st. I can not imagin why any one would start such a ridiculous LIE. I built the Gin at Dickens in good faith, operated in good faith and in spite of the short crop, made a little money and ginned more cotton than either of the other Gins, so my dear farmer friends of Dickens territory, we will be ready at Dickens for your first and last bale.

M. HARGROVE, Gen. Mgr.

**SPECIAL FLOOR BARGAINS IN FLOOR COVERINGS & RUGS.**  
For Two Days Only, Saturday and Monday, April, 20th and 22nd.

9x10 1-2 Felt Base rugs ----- \$6.45      9 ft. Felt Base Yard Goods (Armstrong)      12 ft. Armstrong Linoleum, Per yd. .95  
9x15 Felt Base Rugs ----- \$8.45      Per yard ----- .65

We have many other bargains in the Hardware and Furniture line. Call in and see our stock of Spring Merchandise.

**SPUR HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY**  
"Spur's Oldest Store"

**END-OF-THE-WEEK TWO DAYS**  
**- SPECIALS -**

We Are Determined to Make the Month of April the Banner Month in Volume and in Securing New Customers—Hence, We Have Made Ready This Marvelous Week in Selling Event That Will Eclipse Any Merchandise Ever Witnessed in Spur!

**READ OUR ADS AND WATCH OUR WINDOWS FOR SPECIALS ON SATURDAY AND MONDAY**

<p><b>Mens Summer Unions</b> Unions You Would Expect to Pay 75c for—Special 3 for</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p> <p>CHILDRENS <b>Combination Unions</b> Seal Pox—Special, 2 for</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p> <p><b>Large Turkish Towel</b> Fancy Border, Size 18x36 Special—8 for</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p> <p>BIG PICK-UP—A Large Assortment of Nice, Fancy <b>Silk Brassieres</b> In All Sizes, Regular 50c Sellers, Special, 3 for</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p>	<p><b>All Ladies Hats</b> FOR A CLOSE-OUT SPECIAL</p> <p><b>1/2 Price</b></p> <p><b>Suit Cases</b> A Special Buy in Suit Cases for a vacation trip</p> <p><b>89c</b></p> <p>Large Assortment of Colors and Stripes, all New Colors in <b>Percales &amp; Gingham</b> Special Saturday and Monday 6 yards for</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p> <p>BROWN AND <b>Bleached Domestic</b> Heavy Grade—Special, 9 yards for</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p>	<p>In Our <b>Ready-to-Wear DEPARTMENT</b> WE HAVE GONE THROUGH OUR LARGE STOCK OF</p> <p><b>Dresses</b> AND ASSORTED THEM OUT IN 3 GROUPS</p> <p>No. 1—\$7.85, 2 for <b>\$15.00</b></p> <p>No. 2—\$11.85, 2 for <b>\$22.50</b></p> <p>No. 3—\$14.85, up to <b>\$29.75</b></p> <p><b>Ladies Spring Coats</b> A REAL "EYE-OPENER" IN SPRING COAT VALUES!</p> <p>7.85, 12.75, 16.75, 19.75</p>	<p><b>Mens Blue Overalls</b> 8 oz., heavy weight, you would expect to pay \$1.50 for—Special</p> <p><b>\$1.19</b></p> <p>MENS <b>Blue Work Shirts</b> 2 Pockets, 6 Button Front, you would expect to pay \$1.00 for. Special, 2 for</p> <p><b>\$1.49</b></p> <p><b>Straw Hats</b> Mens and Boys Straw Hats for Dress. Price</p> <p><b>98c up</b></p> <p>WASH FAST <b>Bonnie Rugs</b> In Colors that Last. Sell regular at \$1.00. Special, 2 for</p> <p><b>\$1.25</b></p>	<p><b>Sanitary Napkins</b> PURITAS "55" Special, for</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p> <p><b>Crinkled Bed Spred</b> Sells regular for \$1.19, Size 80x90 Regular 39c—Special, 3 for</p> <p><b>89c</b></p> <p><b>Childrens Slippers</b> We have a limited amount of these Slippers in the sizes 6 1/2 to 10 1/2. Special, per pair</p> <p><b>\$1.00</b></p> <p><b>Rubber Aprons</b> For House Use, in all colors. Sell regular for 50c. Special</p> <p><b>29c</b></p>
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