

Rain and Hail Storm Did Damage Over Extensive Area

Thursday night of last week a rain and hail storm extended throughout the Spur country, damaging crops and property from the Plains to the northwest to Kent and Stonewall counties to the south east. The extent of the damage done is not known but it is presumed that some four or five thousand acres of crops were destroyed. In Spur many house roofs were damaged and destroyed and window lights broken.

The greatest damage, we understand was done in the Dry Lake community where both rain and hail were heaviest. Farmers all along the line from Spur, Girard, Jayton and on into Stonewall county have been replanting, many not observing the Sabbath because of the urgent need of getting seed in the ground. Carpenters in town also failed to observe the sabbath in replacing house roofs and window lights.

This was the most extensive and damaging storm to visit this territory, the storm area being several miles wide and some fifty or sixty miles in length.

William Lankston Grubbs Died Friday at Home on Red Mud

William Lankston Grubbs, almost ninety three years of age, died June 7th, at the home of his son, Geo. W. Grubbs, of the Red Mud country, the remains being carried to Graham for interment beside that of his wife who preceded him in death a number of years.

Grandpa Grubbs settled in the Spur country some seventeen or eighteen years ago, soon after the opening of Spur, and until the past few years was a prominent character and active in everyday life and associated with fellowmen. The past several years he has been in failing health, living with his children here and at Graham. His immediate death was caused from pneumonia contracted from over-exertion in working about the place. Grandpa Grubbs was one of the first men we knew in the early days of Spur. Truly a good man has gone on to his reward. We mourn with members of the family in his departure from this life.

G. D. Williams Sells Farm Home and is Improving Another

G. D. Williams, one among the oldest settlers of the Spur country, recently sold his farm home in the Red Top community to a man from New Mexico, at a price of \$15.00 per acre for the quarter section. The Williams farm was settled in an earlier day by John Day who a number of years ago moved further West for more room when the Spur Farm Lands were becoming too densely populated.

Mr. Williams bought another one-fourth section of raw land further up the creek, and which he is now clearing up, putting into cultivation and otherwise improving.

Jake Scott and Mat Dawson Injured When Their Car Ran Off of Tongue River Bridge

Friday of last week Jake Scott and Mat Dawson, of the north part of the county were painfully injured when the car in which they were driving to Roaring Springs, ran off the Tongue River bridge four miles this side of Roaring Springs. Both were cut and bruised, several stitches being required to close some of the cuts and wounds, and each were confined several days in an hotel at Roaring Springs where they were under the care of physicians and surgeons.

Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols, John Francis, are spending this week here and other points, visiting relatives and vacationing.

Elmer Hobson Died at His Home Wednesday, June 5th

Elmer Milton Hobson, nineteen years old, son of Mrs. M. C. Hobson of the Soldier Mound community, died Wednesday of last week at the family home, his remains being interred Thursday in the Dickens cemetery. Elmer had just recently undergone an operation for appendicitis, complications arising after his removal home.

The Texas Spur joins friends in extending sympathy to the family in this bereavement.

Work Under Way On Theatre Building

Work is under way and progressing rapidly in the construction of Spur's \$35,000 theatre building, and which will be in operation not later than September 1st.

The new theatre will have a seating capacity of one thousand, furnished with upholstered opera chairs, and talkie movies will be shown from the beginning.

The building is being constructed by Caraway and Hale for Messrs. Remington, Nelson and Phillips of the Lyric and Spur Theatres.

Roaring Springs Being Converted Into Inviting Pleasure Resort

The Roaring Springs, just this side of the town of Roaring Springs, are now being converted into a pleasure resort. A large swimming pool is being built of concrete just underneath and south of the springs, a dance hall, skating rink, cold pop stands, restaurants, camp houses and other stands will be on the grounds to provide everything for the pleasure and convenience of the thousands of guests expected to visit the place. It is expected to have everything in readiness for the opening of the resort to the public on July 4th.

The springs are on the Matador Ranch, and has been leased to the Dallas Amusement Company for a term of ten years at a price of approximately one hundred thousand dollars for the ten years.

Roaring Springs flow about ten thousand gallons of pure water per minute, coming from a canyon and flowing into Tongue river. It affords abundant natural scenery for West Texas and no doubt the resort will meet with favor on the part of the people for hundreds of miles surrounding.

Spur Hardware Company Building Large Iron-clad Warehouse

The Spur Hardware & Furniture Company is having a large iron-clad warehouse building constructed on lots just south of the Tri-County Lumber yard.

Love Dry Goods Co. Putting on June Sale of Dry Goods

Love Dry Goods Company, as will be noted by a double page advertisement appearing in the Texas Spur will begin a June sale of merchandise Friday, June 14th, this being a yearly event of the company.

The Love Dry Goods Company is one of the oldest firms doing business in Spur, and has an established reputation throughout the town and country for fair dealings, legitimate prices and high standard merchandise.

Mesdames Roy Russell and Tracy Gorham, of Borger, are in Spur this week, visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Love.

Mrs. L. H. Perry and son, James Hill, will leave Sunday for California where they will spend the summer.

Big Anniversary Sale Marks Stone's Close of 17th Year

The C. E. Stone Co. will celebrate their 18th anniversary and the opening of the 50th store starting Saturday, June 15th and lasting through Saturday, June 22nd.

This mighty chain was started in 1911 by Mr. C. E. Stone, who is now president of the C. E. Stone Co. chain stores operating in the southwest. Mr. Stone conceived the idea of a southwestern chain that would serve the needs of the people of this section, and at the same time put quality merchandise within the reach of all people by buying and selling on a large scale therefore putting first class merchandise at lower prices.

The C. E. Stone Co. of Spur has only been in operation here a short time, but during this period they

have enjoyed a nice business, due to the fact that they have been able to give the people of this territory real values in quality merchandise at low prices.

Starting Saturday morning and continuing through Saturday, June 22nd, the Spur store and all the other stores in the chain will make the company thousands of new customers, for their prices are always low.

You are always assured of getting the best of styles and the newest of merchandise when you buy at a Stone store, with their great staff of buyers scouring the big markets daily for new styles and better values, you may be sure that you are buying the right item at the right price.

Miss Mary McKnight Died Friday of Last Week in San Antonio

Funeral services for Miss Mary McKnight, 28, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle McKnight, 1100 12 Bluff street, who died in San Antonio Friday afternoon, will be held from the chapel of the Merkle Undertaking company at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Burial will be in Rosemont.

Active pallbearers were announced as follows: L. C. Headrick, T. R. Bond, Everett Meadows and R. H. Dewey.

Miss McKnight is survived by her mother, four sisters, Mrs. Sam Bond of Carlsbad, N. M., and Misses Beatrice, Esther and Vashti McKnight all of Wichita Falls, and her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Garner of Spur.

Emmett Lee is Critically Ill at His Home in the City of Spur

Emmett Lee, one of the oldest and best citizens of Spur, is now critically ill at his home in the north east part of the city, suffering of a brain trouble which developed unexpectedly while he was at work in the construction of a residence for County Agent E. L. Tanner.

His children, including Ernest, Joe, Frank, Harvey and Mrs. Berta Francis, are now here with their father.

Emmett Lee came with his family to Spur soon after the opening of the town, and since which time he has been engaged in carpentering and construction contracting work. He is a good man and loyal citizen, and his many friends hope his illness will be of short duration.

O. B. Bowman Makes Assignment of Dry Goods Stock

O. B. Bowman last week made an assignment of the Bowman Dry Goods stocks, which is now in the hands of a receiver for creditors.

J. Mort Smith, who is operating the Elite Shoe Store in the building with Bowman Dry Goods Store, will continue the shoe business at the same stand, he in no way being connected with the Bowman business and the assignment.

Constable Rawlings Returns With Prisoner From Arizona

Constable Rawlings returned the latter part of the week from Arizona where he had gone after a prisoner. In returning, it is reported that a car wreck was experienced, a new Ford car being almost completely demolished, thus delaying his return with the prisoner.

Dr. C. L. Gibson and wife, of San Antonio, are in Spur to remain indefinitely. Dr. Gibson has charge of the Dr. Howard chiropractic office during his absence with his wife who is in ill health.

The Average Rainfall the Past 17 Years at Spur Station

The following is the rainfall record obtained at the experiment station over a period of seventeen years. The rainfall has been very spotted throughout the country this year. Many sections have received more rain than received at the station while other sections have not received so much.

| Average for 17 years | This year |
|----------------------|-----------|
| January | .31 |
| February | .21 |
| March | 1.05 |
| April | 2.37 |
| May | 3.07 |
| June 1 to 10 | 1.40 |
| | 8.71 |
| | 5.69 |

Up to June 10 the rainfall for the year has been 3.02 inches below normal.

Orchards Producing Abundant Crops of Fruits and Berries

This year the orchards within the Spur country are producing abundant crops. Last week parties looking over the country visited W. A. Craddock "poor farm" among other places. On the Craddock farm in the orchard of several acres were growing peaches, apples, pears, and plums, quince, blackberries, strawberries, mulberries, and other orchard products, and all of which was producing abundantly. Aside from the orchard, Mr. Craddock's dairy of some fifty Jersey cows was viewed and the diversified farm interests was sufficient to not only interest but to substantiate the fact that diversified farming here is varied and when more fully practiced and developed, the Spur country will be recognized as the richest and most productive section of the state.

New Hotel Wilson is Completed and Now Open to the Public

The new Hotel Wilson building has been completed, hotel furnished and is now open for business. Hotel Wilson has forty rooms, and will be under the management of Mrs. Mable Aucutt who is experienced and has a high recommendation in the hotel business. Mrs. Abney will open a coffee shop in connection with the hotel at a later date.

Hotel Wilson no doubt will be a most popular and favored hostelry from the beginning.

Consumers Fuel Association Being Organized in the City

A Consumers Fuel Association is being organized in Spur, with S. E. Boothe as general manager. It is proposed to furnish stockholders we understand, with oil, gas and fuel at cost, and the business will be conducted at the former Shepherd grocery and filling station location which has been purchased by the association.

Mrs. L. V. Turner is remodeling and improving her home in the west part of the city.

R. F. (Firm) Self Died Tuesday at His Home in Lamesa

The report came to Spur this week of the death of R. F. (Firm) Self which occurred Tuesday at his home in Lamesa.

Firm Self was one of the early day settlers of the Spur country, and for years was pastor of several of the local Baptist churches of the country, and still owns a fine farm home to the southwest of Spur.

Firm Self was well known to the old timers here, all of whom will learn of his death with real sorrow and regret.

Mrs. Dawson To Start Revival Saturday

By special arrangement the tabernacle erected for the meeting held recently by the Baptist church was not torn down and will be used by Mrs. Viola Dawson of Tulsa, Oklahoma for a meeting beginning next Saturday night under the auspices of the local Nazarine church.

With a reputation as a woman evangelist going into the places of worst degradation fighting sin and all its cohorts Mrs. Dawson has been in Spur for more than a week getting things in readiness for the meeting.

Mrs. Dawson's mother resides near Spur. Her sister, Mrs. W. A. Bell, lives here. Other than that she was a stranger here until her pleasing personality has made for her many friends in Spur.

Mrs. Dawson has sent out a cordial invitation for cooperation and assistance from other Christians of the city in a campaign of thorough evangelism.

W. D. Wilson Moves Into Modernly Remodeled Home in Spur

Wednesday of this week W. D. Wilson and family removed to their modernly remodeled home on Hill Street, the work of remodeling having just been completed.

The work of remodeling included the addition of several rooms, sleep-porch, heating basement and equipments, making the place one of the most modern and handsomely appointed homes of the city.

Leon Goodrich, of Stonewall county was in Spur Wednesday, and while here had the misfortune of dropping his bill fold containing nearly a hundred dollars on the streets. Notwithstanding the fact that within a few minutes he missed his purse and money some one had picked it up and up to this date has failed to report the find. A hundred dollars these days looks mighty big—possibly in the eyes of the finder as well as the loser.

D. D. Dunwoody was among those who this week favored the Texas Spur by having his name added to the regular subscription list. We appreciate every name added to our list of readers.

John Aston, of the Plains country near Wake, was down the past week trading with Spur merchants, and meeting with his many friends and acquaintances of the Spur country. John reports crop conditions and prospects good on the Plains at this time.

NOTICE!

Percy Jones will hold services in the Presbyterian church in Spur on Sunday, June 16th.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Garner, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Jones, Mrs. Hyatt, Estelle Collett, Ella Garner, Hub Hyatt and Joe Lee attended the funeral of Miss Mary McKnight at Wichita Falls Sunday.

Ernest Buckney and Jim Derr, of McAadoo, were in Spur Wednesday of this week.

Highway Work to Begin Immediately Spur to Dickens

Sheriff G. L. Barber has sub-contracted the work of grading and graveling the highway from Spur to Dickens, on Highway 18, and will have men, teams and tools on the work within a very few days. The highway will be widened to 100 feet, changed and straightened in places, and a two-way bridge constructed over Duck Creek about a quarter of a mile north of where the present bridge stands.

Upon the completion of the grading and graveling work, the highway will be topped with one or possibly two coats of asphalt, making it one of the best roadways of the entire country.

Sheriff Barber has had teams, tools and a crew of workmen doing railway grade work in Texas and Oklahoma, and which will be moved to Dickens county to rush this highway work to completion.

The highway between Spur and Dickens, by actual survey, is conceded by the highway department to have a larger traffic and travel than any other piece of highway within the district of twenty odd counties, and in making it a highway of the first class thousands of people will be convenience, benefited and pleased.

Dougherty and Spur Play Baseball Sunday at Dougherty

The Spur and Dougherty baseball teams crossed bats Sunday on the Dougherty diamond, with the result of a score of four to three in favor of Dougherty. As the score indicates, it was a good game and very warmly contested by both teams.

Big Rains Do Damage to Crops in Garza Last Week

Lee Davis was up the past week end from Garza county, stating that the heavy rains of the past week, together with hail did much damage to crops in that section, hundreds of acres having to be replanted.

However, there is plenty time for replanting and harvesting of bumper crops, with favorable conditions in future.

Mrs. T. V. Shockley Died and Was Buried in Spur Monday

Mrs. T. V. Shockley, of the Soldier Mound community, died Sunday night at the Nichols Sanitarium where she had been under treatment for blood poisoning ten days or two weeks. A baby was born about two weeks ago, and from which the complications arose. The baby is living and reported doing nicely.

The remains of Mrs. Shockley was interred Monday, a number of the friends of the family being present to pay their last respects to a departed friend.

City Grocery Buys Bells Market and Will Move to the Market

The City Grocery Store, under the ownership and management of Preston McClanahan, has purchased the Bells Market and will move his stock of groceries to the market location where a combination market and grocery will hereafter be operated.

Spur Citizens Called For Jury Service in Federal Court

W. S. Perry, L. R. Barrett and A. B. Winkler are among the Dickens county citizens who were called upon to do petit jury service in federal court now in session at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Snider are on a summer vacation trip.

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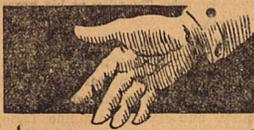
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Meets Monday night on or after each full moon.
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M. E. Tree, H. P.—J. Rector, Sec.

Judge H. A. C. Brummett, of the city of Dickens, was in Spur Wednesday, and informed us that he is having a law office building constructed in Dickens, and will soon be located in the office which is now hearing completion. Judge Brummett recently stood the required examination in Austin and was granted a license and permit to practice law to which profession he will hereafter devote his time. During his several terms of service as county judge, Judge Brummett no doubt acquired both knowledge and experience of the law and its general practice, and though is just "hanging out his shingle," the professional practice will be handled by experience as well as efficient hands from the beginning.



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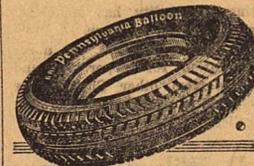
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Congress Asked To Aid States In Rural Education

On May 9, 1929, Hon. Charles Brand of Ohio introduced H. R. No. 2570 in Congress appropriating the sum of \$100,000,000 from the federal treasury "to aid in the reduction of taxes on farm lands, and to promote elementary education in the rural areas of the United States, and to cooperate with the states in the promotion of these objectives."

In many sections of the country assessed values are so low that sufficient funds to support good schools cannot be obtained without levying a rate of tax that is almost confiscatory. General relief will be given to the farmer by lowering the school tax. If the state would accept the provisions of this proposed act, in many cases it need not be necessary to levy a local maintenance rate of more than twenty five cents.

In the event the bill becomes a law the state will be called on to match the federal funds on a 50-50 plan, and the allotment to the various states will be made upon the ratio of the rural population of Texas to the total rural population of the United States as determined by the federal census of 1930.

An examination of the census of 1920 discloses the fact that the rural population of Texas was seven and one half per cent of the total rural population of the United States. This bill proposes to aid all rural schools and those in towns and villages with a population of less than 2,500. It is probable that this percentage will be slightly reduced in 1930, but perhaps not below seven per cent.

TWIN WELLS CLUB

Mrs. Barrett was hostess to the Woman's Home Demonstration club May 23rd. There were eleven old members, three new members and several visitors. A useful demonstration was given in tying and dyeing by Miss Osborne.

We have arranged to meet at the school house during the summer months. The next meeting will be held on June 13th with the following program:

Care of Milk and Sweet Cream. Roll Call: average daily milk production of our cows.

1. Need of Wholesome Milk.
 2. Selection and care of Utensils.
 3. Care of Milk in the Home.
 4. Disease transmitted by milk.
 5. Importance of Keeping Milk Cold.
- Demonstration: making cooling vat for cream.—Reporter.

Sinclair Must Serve Other jail Sentence

Washington.—The Supreme Court Monday decided that Harry F. Sinclair, now serving one sentence for contempt, must also serve another one of six months. The negro organization known as the Ancient Egyptian Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine was permitted to retain the name in another decision. Railroads seeking to force changed grain rates to the gulf were defeated in another case. Other important decisions were also handed down.

The sentences imposed upon Sinclair Henry Mason Day and W. Sherman Burns for having the Fall-Sinclair Teapot Dome jury shadowed, were upheld by the court, but the fifteen day sentence upon William J. Burns was disapproved.

While Sinclair and Albert B. Fall former Secretary of the Interior, were facing trial on charges of conspiracy in connection with the leasing of the Wyoming oil field to the oil operator, the case was suddenly terminated and the jury discharged.

Sinclair subsequently was sentenced to six months in jail for contempt; Henry Mason Day, one of his associates, received a sentence of four months; William J. Burns was ordered to serve fifteen days and W. Sherman Burns, his son, was fined \$1,000.

It was charged that Burns detectives had improperly scrutinized the jurors who were considering the case.

Sinclair is now serving a three

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month sentence in the District of Columbia jail for contempt of the Senate. He refused to answer questions before the Senate Oil committee in connection with the oil investigation.

In the case decided Monday the Government charged that Sinclair through Day had employed the Burns detectives to shadow the jury. Sinclair contended the Government had failed to show evidence showing that the shadowing had obstructed the trial. All defendants joined in an appeal.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends who were so kind and helpful in the sickness and death of our baby. We wish to express our heartfelt thanks. May God's richest blessings be upon you is our prayer.—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. James and family.

Tom Gree rand family are now living in California, Tom having recently accepted a place as policeman for one of the smaller cities of that state.

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New York.—Babe Ruth is "very ill," his wife and bride of less than two months, told the Associated Press today, when asked about published reports that the home run king would be out of the Yankee lineup for at least a month due to a weakened heart.

LYRIC THEATRE PROGRAM

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Program Of Meet Of Baptists Ready

The program is complete for the Lueders Baptist Encampment and every effort is being put forth for the greatest work in its history. The encampment will begin July 16 and extend through the 28th. The camping facilities is the best that has ever been offered, and the

grounds are in excellent shape. Free camping ground will be provided for every visitor who pays the regular registration fee.

Dr. Lee R. Scarborough, president of the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, will be the inspirational speaker. He is one of the greatest pulpit orators in the south, and those in charge of the encampment are expecting the largest crowds in its history.

Every provision has been made for complete study course program, inspirational addresses, recreational sports, etc.

The camp is located near the Bankhead highway on the highly improved road leading from Albany to Stamford. The Clear Fork of the Brazos river at this point affords splendid fishing grounds.

Among the leading lights on the program will be Dr. and Mrs. B. L. Lockett, who are just returning on a furlough from Nigeria, West Africa.

Every community in this part of the state is expected to have a large representation on the grounds.

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How to Raise Poultry

By Dr. L. D. LeGear, V.S., St. Louis, Mo.

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

The Important Half of Your Flock

"A good cock bird is half the flock," says an atrocious bit of doggerel in an archaic work on poultry raising that came to my attention recently. Poor verse, certainly but good logic, notwithstanding! It is undoubtedly true in my opinion that a good male is at least half the flock—probably much more than half. His characteristics are transmitted to so many chicks and are so distinctly stamped upon them that too great care can not possibly be exercised in his selection.

It seems to be a well established fact that the egg laying ability of a hen is often inherited from the father. That alone should establish the necessity for extreme care in the selection of male birds for breeding. Generally speaking egg capacity is the most important consideration of all since eggs provide the quickest means of securing profits from the poultry flock.

Be sure, therefore of the ancestry of any male bird used for breeding. Know that he comes from a strain bred for egg production, vigor and the standard requirements of his variety. While a poor male will not harm good females, he will transmit his poor traits to the offspring to an even greater degree than the hens will convey their good qualities. Thus, his poor blood will counteract the good blood of the hens, resulting in lower vitality and reducing laying capacity for the following generation of chicks.

Having established the importance of having only the best males for breeding, the question naturally arises as to how the right kind shall be chosen. The first consideration is ancestry. A rooster that comes from a long line of known productivity and adheres to standard qualities will be more likely to be able to transmit such qualities to succeeding generations. If any flock when proper culling or weeding out of unfit members is consistently practiced and where fairly accurate records are kept on egg production, it should be fairly easy to judge the ancestry of any particular male.

Good health is, of course, essential. No matter how fine a pedigree any bird may have, if he is not up to par or better in this respect, better not use him. His lowered vitality will almost surely result in insufficient fertilization of eggs from hens with which he is mated. That means a lower percentage of hatchability and, in all likelihood, lower vitality for the resulting chicks than if they had been sired by a more vigorous specimen of chickenhood. The ideal rooster for mating is really more than just healthy. He should be overflowing with vitality. He should have an erect bearing, a cocky self-assured way of swaggering about as if he owned the place. He should have bright, alert eye, good plumage, good standard head, should have a good appetite, good flesh, and should be quite free from defects or deformities.

He should crow with a loud, clear ringing note, the kind that sounds like a challenge to anything and everything that may question his right as ruler of the flock. He

should be aggressive in his guardianship of hens entrusted to his care but need not necessarily be pugnacious or vicious fighter. Insistence on such qualities may, at first seem somewhat far fetched. Never the less, they are important indications of relative fitness for the important task entrusted to him and should be taken into account.

The ideal rooster should be a late molter, as a rule. Early molting shows that his mother or the strain from which he came are early molters. That would indicate generally that the females of the line are poor layers. Since, as has already been pointed out the laying qualities are transmitted through the male even more than through the female this is a very important point to consider. Naturally, the male does not moult because he has stopped laying, so his molting habits are undoubtedly inherited from the mother, grandmother or earlier female ancestors. They are, therefore, extremely important indications of the tendencies he is most likely to pass on to his descendants.

While ancestry is important, as stated above, the fitness of a rooster for use as a breeder should not be judged solely by the record of his mother or other female ancestors. It is also advisable to consider the records and characteristics of his sisters and half sisters. It stands to reason that if they are not sufficiently inherited the desirable qualities of their immediate ancestors, he will also be lacking in much the same extent as they are. This is not an infallible rule, but generally, the male from a good line that readily transmits its good qualities to succeeding generations, will himself be a good producer.

The question of body tests to ascertain good breeding males is more or less in dispute. I know definitely that body tests can establish the laying qualities of a hen, but it has not yet been fully established whether or not similar tests can be safely relied upon to indicate a rooster's ability to pass on to his progeny a certain degree of laying power. Until that question is definitely settled, most poultry raisers will prefer to put their main reliance in such indications of fitness as are explained above. Careful selection along the lines suggested is bound to be amply rewarded, particularly for those who have hitherto felt that a rooster is just a rooster and that any old rooster will do. That such is not the case, and successful poultry raiser will be glad to testify. Too much care cannot be used in choosing the others of your chicks-to-be. (Copyrighted)

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Russell returned this week to Spur from California where they have been making their home the past year. Mr. Russell will be associated with Chas. Windham in the local sales agency for Hupmobiles. The salesrooms for the Hupmobiles will be located in the new Masonic Hall building which is being completed this week.

J. I. Greer was in the city Saturday from his Lone Oak farm and ranch home. He reports everything very promising of good crop harvests this fall. His section of the country also escaped damage from the recent hail storm.



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

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LARD Wilson's Advance

8 pound bucket 1.02

FLOUR 48 lb guaranteed 1.65

RAISINS 4 pound package . 26c

LEMONS nice size, dozen ... 25c

CORN Standard, No. 2 can ... 10c.

TOMATOES Fresh lb 12c

SALT BACON pound 15c

K. C. Baking Powder, 25 oz .. 18c

GRAPE JUICE qt. size 43c

GRAPE JUICE pt. size 23c

GRAPE JUICE 4 oz size 8c

SOAP 10 bars Crystal White 39c

COFFEE Arbuckle, pound .. 34c

MAC or **SPEG** Skinners 3 for 23c

LYE Babbitt's, per can 10c

SUGAR Pure Cane, 10 lb bag 57c

Bring Us Your Eggs—We Pay Top Prices

Quality, Cleanliness, Courtesy

MEAT MARKET SPECIALS

Our Meat Market Stock will Be Incomplete, due to business reasons. However, it will be fully stocked and equipped next week.

THE HOME OF QUALITY MEATS

THIS BIG JUNE SALE BEGINS

Friday, June 14

Prices are cut to the Rock Bottom and everything in the store is included in the slashing

BE HERE AT THE OPENING PROMPTLY AT 9 O'CLOCK

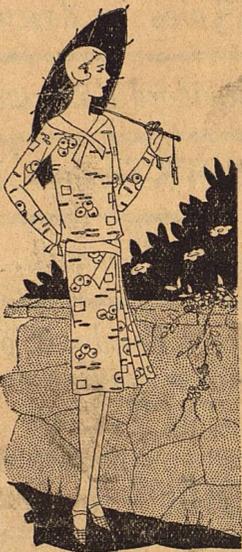
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Here are some prices to note on dresses

\$4.95 Silk and Rayon Dresses for \$2.95
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42 inch ORGANDIES, all shades
75c grade for 57c

Ladies Wash Dresses

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| Fast Colors. | Well Made | |
| \$1.50 grade for | | 98c |
| \$1.95 grade for | | \$1.29 |
| \$2.50 grade for | | \$1.89 |

Here is a good one,
35 LADIES HATS
in the line, \$6.00 grade
Your choice for
98c
Also one lot for \$2.49

Childrens Wash Dresses

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| \$1.25 kind for | 98c |
| \$1.50 kind for | \$1.19 |
| \$2.25 kind for | \$1.59 |

MEN'S DRESS PANTS

Including late shipment choice pattern

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|------------------|------------------|
| \$8.50 line 6.69 | \$7.50 line 5.59 |
| \$6.50 line 4.85 | \$6.00 line 4.65 |
| \$5.00 line 3.85 | \$4.00 line 3.20 |
| \$3.50 line 2.95 | |

MEN'S PANTS

Note this snap in price, see the goods
1 lot \$4.50 to \$6.00 grade, size mostly
32 to 34 waist, to close at, choice \$3.65

MEN'S DRESS SHIRTS

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| \$3.00 shirts 2.45 | \$2.75 shirts 1.99 |
| \$2.50 shirts 1.95 | \$2.25 shirts 1.79 |
| \$2.00 shirts 1.48 | \$1.75 shirts 1.32 |
| \$1.25 Boy's Shirt for | 98c |
| \$1.00 Boy's Shirt for | 89c |

Men's Work Shirts

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|------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| \$1.75 Sweat-proof, Sweet-Orr and Co. made. Several shades | \$1.49 |
| \$1.50 Sweet-Orr and Co. | \$1.23 |
| 1 lot Work Shirts, 1.00 | 83c |
| 1 lot 1.25 kind | 95c |
| 1 lot 1.00 Boy's Shirts | 79c |
| 1 lot Boy's Shirts | 83c |

MEN'S
No tricks in our prices. We give you facts about what you get for your money. We put us in a hat: these
\$9.00 grade 7.65
\$6.50 grade 5.40
\$5.00 grade 4.27

Clean-up in B
1 lot \$1.00 hats
1 lot \$1.75 hats
1 lot \$2.50 dress
We will give you

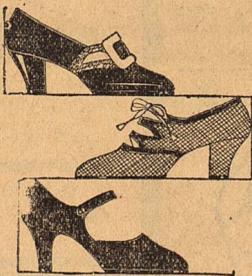
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150 pairs Ladies Sandals, Pumps, Straps
Values \$6.50 to \$11.50

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Fine Summer styles. Mostly high heels
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Tan and Black shades in Oxfords only
High grade shape-retaining footwear for men. Prices are for
\$10.00 for \$5.95
\$7.50 for \$4.65
\$6.00 for \$3.95
\$6.50 for \$4.10
\$7.00 for \$4.55

LEATHER WORK GLOVES

All Leather Cuffed Gloves
65c gloves 48c
\$1.25 gloves \$1.05
\$2.00 gloves \$1.79
\$1.00 gloves 87c
\$1.50 gloves \$1.29
\$2.50 Busby \$2.15

MEN'S HOSIERY

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| \$1.00 kind 69c | 75c kind 59c |
| 65c kind 48c | 50c kind 37c |
| 35c kind 27c | 65c Golf Socks 49c |

Boy's Overalls in the Better kinds
nothing to deceive you on

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| \$1.65 fancy 1.39 | \$1.35 fancy 1.19 |
| \$1.25 fancy 1.09 | \$1.00 fancy .89 |

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EARLY EVENT
JUNE 14, 1929

and continuing the remainder of the month. We expect to
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 FREE FREE

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| \$5.00 Buster Brown make | ----- | \$3.95 |
| \$4.50 Buster Brown make | ----- | \$3.65 |
| \$4.00 Buster Brown make | ----- | \$2.95 |
| \$3.50 Brown Special | ----- | \$2.65 |
| \$3.00 Brown Special | ----- | \$2.55 |

MEN'S WORK SHOES

in every conceivable kind to sell during
 this sale at cheap prices:

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|------------------------|-------|--------|
| \$2.75 work shoe | ----- | \$1.98 |
| \$2.25 Boy's Work Shoe | ----- | \$1.79 |

"YOUNG MEN

Look at the price on these desirable
 patterns in shorts and undershirts
 made by "Ide."

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|-------------------|-------------------|
| \$1.00 shirts 89c | \$1.25 trunks 89c |
| 85c shirts 69c | 75c trunks 63c |
| 50c shirts 39c | 65c trunks 47c |

MEN AND BOYS UNION SUITS

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|------------------|---------------|--------|
| \$1.00 Men's 79c | 75c Men's 50c | |
| 50c ones, 3 for | ----- | \$1.00 |

All Men's SOFT COLLARS, Arrow
 and Ide, 35c kind: 20c or 6 for \$1.00
 20c Collars for ----- 12 1/2c

YOUNG MENS SUITS

We have for your selection 1 lot of suits highly
 tailored, fast color fabrics mostly light shades
 for immediate use. Suits that sell from \$25.00
 to \$35.00.

Our sale price will jar you loose
 of that coin when you see how
 cheap they are, Get yours for

\$14.95

MEN'S SUITS

We quote you here a suit that is
 properly tailored, fast color
 and your money's worth or money refunded.
 In this Blue Serge Suit, extra pants look it over

\$37.50 seller for \$29.95

Many other good staple suits around the above
 prices and some cheaper.

Boy's School Suits

Think of this for school days
 to come later, and buy now.
 Boy's Long Pant suits, sizes 16
 to 19. Worth three times the
 quoted price to sell for

\$5.00

All other boys clothes 33 1-3 off



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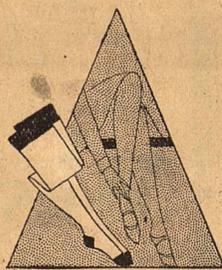
SOME OTHER BARGAINS

Here are a few small items you may need

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| 7 spools Clark's O. N. T Thread | ----- | 25c |
| Best Needles made | ----- | 8c |
| Best pins made | ----- | 8c |
| 15c Elastic, yard | ----- | 11c |
| Buttons in Pearl | ----- | 3c |
| 15c Pearl buttons | ----- | 8c |
| 7 yards toweling, 20c kind | ----- | \$1.00 |
| Cannon towels | ----- | 48c |
| Fast color silk wash prints \$1.25 kind | ----- | 98c |
| 9-4 sheeting for | ----- | 26c |
| 65c fast color Silk Rayon | ----- | 39c |
| 60c fast color Indian Head | ----- | 32c |

LADIES' HOSIERY

Do not confuse our lines with the faulty
 makes



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| 50c Rayon sold by some for 75c for | ----- | 39c |
| \$1.25 Silk to toe for | ----- | 98c |
| \$1.95 Silk to toe for | ----- | \$1.69 |



SWEET-ORR
 TRADE MARK

When you buy work clothes get the kind
 that wears and stays sewed.

SWEET-ORR & CO.

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| \$3.50 work pants | ----- | \$3.10 |
| \$3.00 work pants | ----- | \$2.65 |
| \$2.50 work pants | ----- | \$2.15 |

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TEXAS

Heart To Heart Talk

By Dr. John Joseph Gaines

A TRIBUTE

The finest example of military courtesy that I have ever heard of, the most touchingly beautiful, was when the allied commanders conferred on Marshall Ferdinand Foch, the leadership over all the mighty hosts rushing to the defense of the great principle of world democracy.

Valiantly the little Frenchman had struggled his back to the wall, confronted by a merciless foe. Modestly he accepted a position of supreme trust, of highest honor. And, he pledged the support of a soldier-citizen, to maintain the dignity of his exalted station. The eyes of the world were upon him—its prayers with him.

At his command the legions

sprang to the conflict, against the most terrible fighting machine the world had ever known; a thousand years of history were written within the compass of less than half a bloody decade.

Then, the surrender—the armistice. Nobly he confronted personally his fallen enemy, dictating less of exactions than many considered fair to the conquerors. With dignity he retired to his home, his people, his duty well done. The world acclaimed, but aroused no feeling of selfish vanity on part of its hero.

In his own allotted time he crept away, to lie down beside the unknown soldier, beneath the Arch of Triumph, where both sleep, oblivious to the din and uproar of the cannon.

Another great soldier will repair once in awhile to the shrine near the great cathedral; he will doff his

cap and remember the hour when the little marshal accepted the commission naming him the world's greatest commander. He will recall the trying, bloody hours of conflict; and, he will turn away with a swelling heart, for that is the sort of heart our own "old Jack Perishing" has.

SUMMER EPISCOPAL CONFERENCE AT LUBBOCK

The North Texas District Summer Conference of the Protestant Episcopal Church will be held for ten days beginning at 5 p. m. on June 17th in Lubbock.

Arrangements have been made to have classes in one or two lecture rooms of the Tech college. Meals will be had at the college cafeteria and members of the Conference will be quartered in the two wings of the Cheri Casa dormitory 2406 Main street.

Rev. Percy Jones of Stamford will be one of the feature lecturers during the Conference. His subjects will be "Fellowship With Other Churches, the Spur Plan." Another feature lecture will be given by Dr. J. C. Granberry, on "The Church and Social Problems."

Ten class periods of fifty minutes each will be devoted to young people's activities and program building and to Sunday school methods and Woman's Auxiliary ideals and the newly revised prayer book of the Episcopal church. These courses will be given by Rev. E. Cecil Seaman, Rev. L. G. H. Williams, Mrs. Elizabeth Fry Page, student councilor of the Episcopal church at the West Texas State Teachers College.

A well balanced recreational program is in charge of the Rev. L. G. H. Williams, who is also business manager of the conference.

Storms Take Heavy Toll Near Plainview

Plainview.—A violent windstorm at Olton the county seat of Lamb county 25 miles west of Plainview, wrecked about eight or ten houses late Thursday evening. No rain accompanied the storm but several hundred acres of wheat were completely destroyed a few miles north of Olton.

The best theatre at Olton was badly wrecked. It was a frame building. Jess Jeter's home was destroyed and several members of his family badly injured. H. A. Sharp's new home which had not been moved into was badly wrecked. The old union church was set about ten feet from its old location. The H. R. Miller store building which was vacant was carried several feet by the storm. Practically every windmill in the city was destroyed or blown over. Other than the Jeter family no one was injured.

Two persons were killed and seven were injured seriously by a tornado which struck Running Water, Hale county town, and Flagg, in Castro county, late yesterday.

The dead: J. A. Snipes, Running Water, R. A. Cassaday, Flagg.

Six houses were blown away at Flagg and a number of automobiles were tossed about on the prairie near that place. At Running Water three houses were destroyed.

Hail and rain followed the storm at Flagg, damaging crops in a strip three miles wide and several miles long.

The injured were: Mrs. J. A. Snipes, her four children, Arthur, Ivan, Flodelle and Evelyn and Mrs. J. A. Morgan, Flagg, and Mrs. R. A. Cassaday at Flagg.

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The milk's been stopped, the ice man has been called off, and the Man Who Delivers the Newspaper has been instructed to bring no more until further notice.

But the telephone will be left at home, drawing full pay in an empty house!

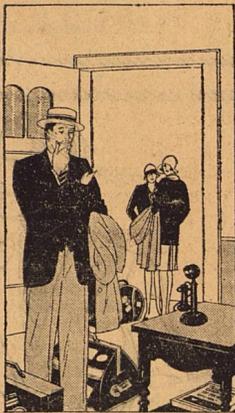
Something should be done about this!

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It's a convenient way to save money. And—this to folks who sometimes have their telephones taken out—it spares you inconvenience on your return. That's because:

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2. Service is reconnected quickly after you return—usually within 24 hours after you notify us.
3. You keep your present telephone number. (You'd lose it if you had your telephone removed!)
4. Your name remains in the telephone book.



"Something should be done about this."

If you wish, while you are away we will refer your calls to another telephone—that of relatives, for instance.

Vacation rates are available for periods of more than 30 days, but not over four months.

To obtain them, mail the coupon or telephone the business office.

Manager, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., City.

Call me about vacation half-rates for my telephone.

Name.....

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Strengthened Entire System, She Declares

"Two years ago specialists in Louisiana advised me to come to San Antonio to recuperate from a bad spell of malaria, which had poisoned my system and left me in a run-



MRS. E. PRUDHOMME

down condition. My complexion and eyes had turned an unhealthy, yellow. Everything I ate gave me trouble instead of strength. Constipation kept my system from throwing off poisons. I was almost hopeless.

"Sargon did more for me in less than a month than all the medicines I used in five years. My friends say they have never seen such a remarkable change in anyone in such a short time. Every trace of indigestion is gone. My food gives me the proper nourishment and I have gained five pounds. I feel good all of the time.

"Sargon Soft Mass pills overcame constipation in a natural way. They not only have rid me of constipation but have driven the malarial poisons out of my body.

"I take the greatest pleasure in telling all my friends about it.

The above statement was made recently by Mrs. E. Prudhomme, 616 West Woodlawn, San Antonio, Texas, who is rightly regarded by her friends and neighbors.

Sargon may be obtained in Spur at the Red Front Drug Store.

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WE WILL HELP YOU DO IT BY GIVING YOU THE HIGHEST PRICES FOR YOUR CREAM—

SELL IT SWEET!

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A BIG CAR OF FURNITURE RECEIVED THIS WEEK. Fit up your house for Spring with a Living Room Suite, A Bed Room Suite and Rugs to match. We are just unloading a car of the very latest.

Call and see them—You will like them

SPUR HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY

"Spur's Oldest Store"

We Handle Nationally Advertised Line of Groceries — the kinds that are Endorsed and called for by the buying public.

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

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A Good Yard in a Good Town



THE BASIC INDUSTRY

Considered in terms of equipment—of bricks and mortar, machines and supplies—the electrical industry ranks as one of the foremost in the United States.

Considered in terms of human betterment—the end and sole purpose of our economic effort as a nation—it is the country's basic industry.

The key to this happy state of affairs is abundant mechanical power. America enjoys advantages approached by no other country because among other things, American manufacturers and workmen have at their command more electrical power than is available to all the rest of the world combined.

In the three major generating stations and fifteen auxiliary plants of the West Texas Utilities Company this Land of Opportunity has an unlimited supply of electrical energy which contributes to the happiness and prosperity of her people. Through a net work of more than 2,000 miles of transmission lines the West Texas Utilities Company has available at all times 70,000 horsepower of electricity.

West Texas Utilities Company

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

USE STAR PARASITE REMOVER
The easy way to rid poultry of Lice, Mites, Fleas and Blue Bugs.—City Drug Store. 32-Up

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

WOOD FOR SALE—Come and take a look.—R. F. Bilberry, Gilpin.

PASTURAGE—Good grass, plenty water. See me if you have stock to pasture.—J. W. Garrett. 29tf

MONEY to Loan on farms and ranches. Long time and low rate of interest.—Mace Hunter, Agent. 1f

FOR SALE—Nice, young, fresh Jersey cow, \$75.—H. A. C. Brummett, Dickens, Texas. 31tf

STAR PARASITE REMOVER
Given fowls in water or feed will keep them free of Lice, Mites, Fleas, and blue bugs. Will keep them in better health and egg production or money back.—Spur Drug Co. 31-6p

FOUND: A watch on streets of Spur. Owner describe watch at the City National Bank.—ound by W. H. Condon.

FOR SALE: 2 good Jersey milch cows cheap. Apply at Spur Wrecking Company. 1tc

LOST—Amity bill fold containing about ninety dollars in currency, on the streets of Spur Wednesday at about twelve o'clock. Will the party who picked up this bill fold please return to Bryant-Link Co. of Spur, or L. V. Goodrich at Jayton, and receive a ten dollar reward. 1tc

Mr. Bennett, of the Prairie Chapel community east of Afton, was trading and transacting business affairs Wednesday in Spur. Mr. Bennett reports everything in fine shape in that part of the county, with most promising crop prospects at the present time.

NEW MODEL STUDEBAKER CAR IS BEING INTRODUCED

Plans for the production of a limited number of President Eight roadsters identical in appearance with The President which served as pace maker for the Indianapolis Speedway race Memorial Day have been announced by the Studebaker corporation.

An ovation which sets something of a precedent in motordom is responsible for the fact that lovers of fine cars may soon secure replicas of the gleaming black and silver President which flashed past the crowded grandstands on the pace lap. As the car took its position at the head of the head of the ranked racing cars it aroused enthusiastic comment from motor-wise throngs of officials, drivers, and race fans gathered for the start. And before the race was more than half over, it was learned that the car had been sold on sight to a wealthy South American sportsman and would be shipped at once to Buenos Aires.

The new pace car models of the famous President Eight will be finished in exactly the same gleaming ebony black and silver as the pace car itself. The leather upholstery of the comfortable driver's cockpit and the rumble seat will also be in black leather.

Under the gleaming body will be the chassis the same in every detail as the pace car itself, and blood brother to the President Eight roadsters which established eleven world records for speed and endurance by traveling 30,000 miles in 26,326 consecutive minutes—60 times as far as the special racing cars which finished the Indianapolis grind. The President also holds 115 official American stock car records for the same achievement.

Mr. and M. C. Golding and children left Spur Wednesday for a summer vacation trip of several weeks, going by way of Stamford Breckenridge and other points to Hempstead where the greater part of the time will be spent. They are making the trip in a new model Chrysler sedan just purchased from the local Chrysler agency.

J. C. McNeil, of the Alamo Stock Farm west of Spur, was in the city Wednesday of this week, transacting business affairs.

Mr. Owsley, district manager for West Texas Utilities Company, with headquarters at Stamford, spent last Wednesday in Spur, looking after company business.

Mr. Owsley states that the utilities company is making line extensions and improvements at many points. The utilities company is one of the biggest, if not the biggest, electrical concern of the state, and has contributed much in the development progress of the entire country. This is an electric age, and without such concerns as the West Texas Utilities Company the progress of towns and rural districts would be greatly hampered and retarded.

Miss Honora Cargile, of Roaring Springs, was brought this week to the Nichols Sanitarium where she underwent a successful surgical operation and is now reported recovering very nicely and satisfactorily. Mr. Cargile has been here most of the time to be with his daughter. A son had just recently been operated at the Nichols Sanitarium, having just been removed to the home.

Joe Gaines, who is now making his home in Afton, has been spending much of his time in Spur the past several weeks. Joe will again this fall manage and operate one of the Afton gins.

Will Dunwoody, of Aspermont, is just recovering from an operation, and is again at his home. Mr. Dunwoody was formerly engaged in the newspaper business up on the Plains. He has two brothers now living in Spur.

Sam Hinton, a prominent citizen and farmer of the Girard country, was in Spur Wednesday of this week, trading and meeting with his friends and acquaintances of this section. In speaking of the hail storm of last Thursday night, Mr. Hinton stated that very little damage was done on his place, and that but very little rain fell in that vicinity. While the hail strip extended from the Cap Rock through Dickens, Kent and on into Stonewall county, yet the hail was lighter through the Girard section possibly than elsewhere.

Mrs. W. W. Boland, is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hail.

FATHER'S DAY

June 16th is Father's Day, and we want to urge everyone not to overlook this occasion. For the same reason, Mother's Day is much more widely observed than Father's Day. This is understandable in the light of the beautiful sentiments that are aroused by the very word "mother"—yet father need not be neglected, as too often he seems to be.

Father may seem to be inrefferent to such an occasion as Father's Day. Probably, if ask, he would call it "nonsense" and ask his children to "forget it."

Father may seem austere, or too practical to care for such trinkets as you might seem ridiculous to present him with a gift out of his own money.

But remeber one thing! A man is only a boy grown up. Your father no matter what his exterior, has hidden away in his heart as a little boy. And that little boy will come to the surface and with father will retire to his room as happy about the red pair of suspenders, or the tie, or the box of cigars that you have given him, as any little boy would be about a box of marbles or a baseball glove.

Don't be fooled by your father. He likes little attentions just as much as mother does.

Mrs. E. P. Tayloe of Paris, Tennessee, formerly Mrs. H. P. Cole, is here visiting her children and many friends.

Boney Scott was in the city the past week end from his farm home in the Watson community. Boney is this year farming, and states that he is not only up with his farm work but that he has fine prospects and is expecting to have a bumper harvest this fall.

A. W. Jordan, of the Duck Creek country, was on the streets Wednesday of this week.

R. J. Bateman, of north of Spur was on the streets one day the first of the week.

J. R. Rogers, of Wichita, was in Spur the past week end trading and transacting other business affairs. Mr. Rogers reports everything in fine shape in his part of the county.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hindman returned this week from a trip to Corpus Christi and other points in the Coast country. While on the trip they also viewed the Rio Grande Valley country which is now being developed very highly, producing fruits and vegetables by irrigation, and where land prices are soaring. Unquestionably the Valley is a very rich and productive territory, but West Texas farmers would very likely go busted there trying to learn to truck farm.

A. C. Hindman, of north of the city, was on the streets Tuesday of this week.

A. C. George, of Highway, was Mrs. George Pierce, of east of Spur, was shopping in the city Wednesday of this week.

in the city Saturday, meeting with his friends and trading with the merchants.

J. R. Bilberry, of Jayton, was in Spur Wednesday.

Some time ago O. E. Brooks advertised in the Texas Spur for a lost suit case. The advertisement brought in the suit case, it having been found and returned by Jack Smiley of the Afton country. The suit case was lost on the streets of Spur.

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Washable Silk Frocks
for as little as
\$875 and \$1475

We make a specialty of frocks at these prices but please reserve you opinion until after you have seen them. You might be inclined to think: it can't be much of a dress at these prices—judging solely by the price. What you want to do is to judge from the dress itself and just the sort of dress you need for summery afternoons, dances, outdoor wear, and sport occasions.

For Father's Day
Sunday, June 16th

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| No-Fade Shirts | ----- | \$1.00 |
| Ties | ----- | 50c and \$1.00 |
| Men's Silk Hose | ----- | 75c |
| Rayon Hose | ----- | 25c and 39c |
| Men's Union Suits | ----- | 39c, 55c and 89c |
| White Broadcloth Shirts | ----- | 1. & 1.95 |

Summer Morning Frocks.
Hundreds of new sparkling Summer Morning Frocks developed from colorful, cool, crisp dimities, Tissues, Organadies, Beautiful Summer Materials.
\$100 \$195 \$295
Outstanding value at these prices, gay frocks shown for the first time for house and morning wear, also afternoon wear. Cool and charming for the warm days. 50 styles to select from.



Ladies Novelty Slippers
New Summery Step-in Types
\$595 and 645
In Lindo-Sand Kid, Suntain Kid and dull Mat Kid. These slippers are from the newly presented mid-summer collection of interesting footwear. Types for every occasion with emphasis upon those for travel wear. All sizes.



Ladies Cotton Pajamas
In Pretty English Prints
A glorious assortment of colors, blues, oranges, reds, and greens. Short sleeves, long sleeves. Sizes 16, 18 and 20.

Just one more word folks, our prices every da to wait for special sales to get bargains, large stocks to choose from, and not so-called lots, but just worlds of new merchandise, just unpacked, everything new for summer wear.

Mrs. Christopher Is Givn Third Place

Mrs. D. F. Christopher, working under the direction of the home economics agent, in the living room contest that was conducted by A. & M. college and the Semi-Weekly Farm News has received honorable mention for the work she has done in this district. This district is composed of seventeen counties who had entries.

Mrs. Christopher received third place or honorable mention in this district.

She feels that her work has been worth while in more ways than one. Her family is much happier in the new living room, and working on the living room has given her an inspiration to improve all of her other rooms.

She receives a trip to the Short Course at A. & M. this summer that is given by the Womens Home Demonstration Council and she has now received honorable mention for her work in the district which again pays her for her efforts.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baum and two daughters, little Misses Winnie Lee and Mozelle, and Mrs. Mamie Cunningham, of Cross Plains spent several days of this and the past week in Spur, visiting their sister, Mrs. Oran McClure and family, and other friends and acquaintances here.

Mrs. W. T. Wilson is reported very critically ill at their home in the new Hotel Wilson. It is hoped by their many friends that Mrs. Wilson's condition will soon be improved.

Travis Burnam has been spending the week here visiting with his parents, and meeting with his numerous young friends of the town and country. Travis is now and has been for the past several years engaged in the tailoring business at Abilene, stating that he has been enjoying a good business.

Miss Lois Grantham returned this week from Austin where she attended the graduation exercises of the State University and high school in both of which she had relatives and friends.

Carl Tree and wife and Ex Blackmon and wife returned last week from a trip to Carlsbad Caverns. While out there near the line, they crossed over into Old Mexico, seeing the sights in Juarez—and no doubt a boys once again experienced the novelty of placing their foot on the brass rail and calling for something straight.

W. L. McAteer favored us this week with a dollar and fifty cents for the renewal of his subscription to the Texas Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Martin returned recently from Hot Springs, New Mexico, where they spent a month or more taking the hot mineral baths and treatments for rheumatism. Mr. Martin stated that the baths made him feel mighty fine, but said that Mrs. Martin was not materially benefitted nor favorably impressed with the Hot Springs of New Mexico.

Misses Annie Mae and Ottie Maude Lassetter returned the past week to Tech College for the summer courses, after spending a short vacation at home with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lassetter of west of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Abney, of Lubbock, have moved to Spur. Mrs. Abney will have charge of the coffee shop in connection with the new Hotel Wilson which is this week being opened for business under the management of Mrs. Audutt also of Lubbock.

John Goodall, of near Girard, was in Spur Tuesday. John stated that the hail did him very little damage, but that the heavy rain caused him to have to replant several acres of his crops. This was one of the most extensive and destructive hail storms that has ever struck this section of the country, covering a strip of territory several miles wide and extending from the Plains through Dickens, Kent and Stonewall counties, thousands of acres of crops being destroyed.

Ernest Mayfield, of Jayton, was in Spur Wednesday, transacting business affairs and meeting with his friends.

Swedish Wild Moose

Stockholm.—The Swedish wild moose is threatening the country's match industry by feeding too generously on the aspen trees from which matches are made. As a result the Vaestervik Match company, in the central province of Smanland, is asking the government for permission to kill the moose, regardless of existing game laws. For some years the factory has tried to raise these trees, but the attempts have been frustrated by the "monarch of the Swedish forests."

When a hard-surface alley is laid in Utopia, it is customary to leave a few half-bricks around for small boys to throw at things.

The human skull, says a scientist, has not increased in size in 25,000 years. What has happened to the thickness thereof is not stated.

American Bible society reports the printing of 10,000,000 Bibles in 1927. Sometimes it does seem as if this era were not so irreligious as people think.

Over in Sweden the young intellectuals are said to be reading all the modern American novels they can get their hands on. A hardy race, the Swedes.

Some of the brightest and funniest remarks about feminine indecision have been made by men who change brands of safety razors every three months.

At the rate matters are going, robbery insurance rates will soon be prohibitive, and then the average citizen won't feel so complacent over the crime news.

A fashion note says that a small, thin veil will be worn as low as the nose this summer. This will be of no avail—the shiny nose will have to be powdered.

Problein in Ethics: What to say to the dear thing—who was told a few years ago that her bob had taken ten years off her age—now that she is letting it grow.

If certain publicity-seeking young women were actually to spend as much time in flying as they spend in talking about it, they'd be in the air the rest of their lives.

The Alpha ray, so one is told, will travel from New York to San Francisco in one-sixth of a second. It may be silly of us, but we cannot refrain from asking, "What for?"

Now how about a moonshattering drum?

Marriage makes man and woman one until they go to the polls.

The war in Nicaragua is over. The marines had the sums and the rebels the legs.

Nearly 170,000 pairs of French shoes for women were brought to this country last year.

The average man wonders what a newspaper fills up its columns with between campaigns.

They say a first edition copy of one of the new small \$10,000 bills will be worth \$10,000.

A good aviator, like every other artist, needs financial backing to gain public appreciation.

"Diets," says a household page, "are no longer controlled by calories but feature quality and variety as well as quantity." Diet, it appears, is assuming many of the earmarks of food.

A market tipster who says with perfunctory monotony, "Don't gamble," does not expect others to heed his advice. He probably does not heed it himself.

It's marvelous, the number of mandolins that escaped unsmashed and are now used for background in the pawbroker's window.

A truly successful fisherman is one who can organize a force to take care of details while he takes a few days' vacation.

Man's inhumanity to man makes many hesitate at the church doors.

With mother in politics and the law forbidding child labor it looks as if father will have to go to work.

A paradox means a thing that seems self contradictory; such as a song that becomes so "popular" it is a pest.

HOW TO GO BROKE FARMING

1. Grow only one crop.
2. Keep no livestock.
3. Regard chickens and a garden as nuisances.
4. Take everything from the soil and return nothing.
5. Don't stop gullies or grow cover crops—let the top soil wash away, then you will have "bottom" land.
6. Don't plan your farm operations. It's hard work thinking—trust to luck.
7. Regard your woodland as you would a coal mine, cut every tree, sell the timber and wear the cleared land out cultivating it in corn.
8. Hold fast to the idea that the methods of farming employed by your grandfather are good enough for you.
9. Be independent—don't jolt with your neighbors in any form of cooperation.
10. Mortgage your farm for every dollar it will stand to buy things you would have the cash to buy if you followed a good system of farming.—Division of Extension, University of Tennessee.

Suicide is against the law. Some of the more reckless flyers should be required to study law as well as aviation.

Years ago when a man was referred to as a good provider, the neighbors didn't mean the size of his alimony payments.

A good many persons who object to too much form in the church can't get enough of it on the stage.

MRS. COZBY NOTIFIED DEATH OF HER BROTHER JOHN COLLEY OF DALLAS

W. D. Blair Tuesday received telegram for Mrs. J. T. Cozby, informing them of the death of her brother, John Colley, Monday night in Dallas. John Colley was formerly of Proctor in Comanche county, and was among the frontiersmen of West Texas.

Rev. J. V. Bilberry was greeting friends on the streets of Spur last Wednesday.

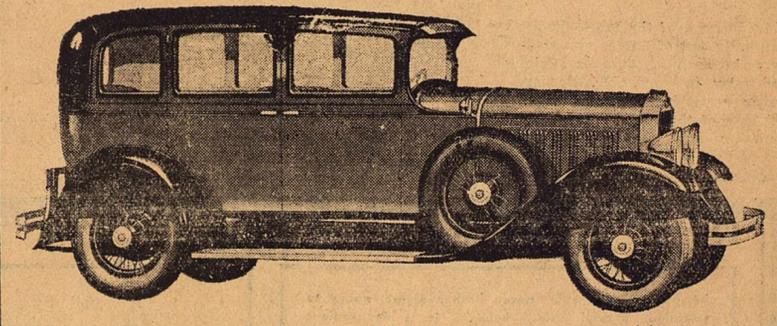
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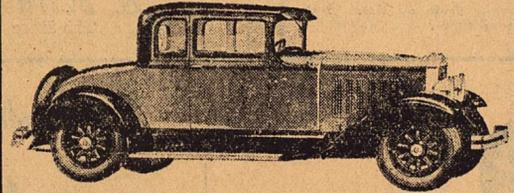
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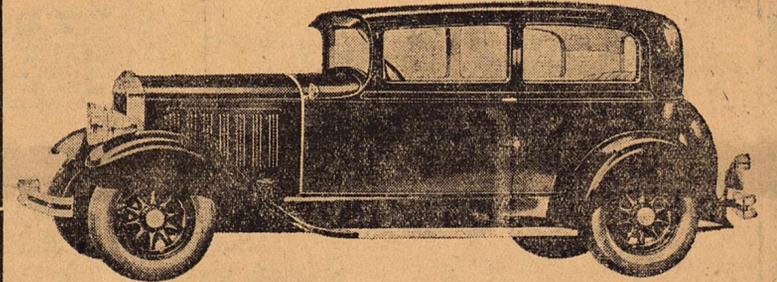
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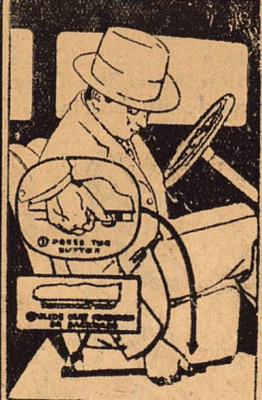
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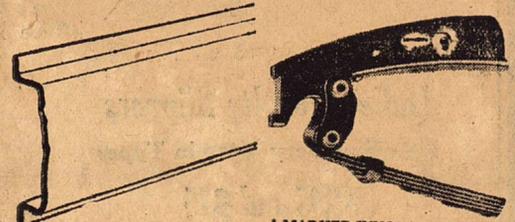
(At left) STUDEBAKER'S NEW DICTATOR STRAIGHT EIGHT COUPE—for two, \$1185; for four, \$1235. Prices at the factory. 115-inch wheelbase; hydraulic shock absorbers.



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The Bones of The Ghost

By George Floyd Murray

The old Miller mansion stood at the top of the bluff overlooking the river. It commanded an excellent view of the spacious pine forest of virgin pine timber laying far back on the slopes.

Miller had purchased this land which is known as the Gaudianna, Baddilla survey being one of the old original Spanish grants.

Miller had spent his fortune in purchasing the great body of land and in erecting a magnificent home there among the people of that secluded section of the country.

He was like most other men who never knew what it was to be short on financial means. There scattered over the Gaudianna Baddilla was a number of settlers who had improved their homes, opened up farms without the consent of anyone.

These people had been living there so long that they were really entitled to their homes by limitation.

While Miller was like other men who never knew what it was to be short of financial means, he was also like most Englishmen who come to this country for financial gain. His ways are entirely different to that of those who were raised in the remote section which he chose for a quiet home.

He was distant, and unfriendly toward the people who were settled about over the land which he had purchased. He served each man with a notice demanding a settlement for the land which they claimed.

Pretty soon after Miller made settlement there a bitter feeling had arisen between himself and the settlers. Yet, Miller looked to the future with a very satisfactory view of financial gain as his intention was to manufacture his pine into ship material. He had already planned out an inexpensive method of getting his lumber around to the navy yard at Pencil. Everything as far as he was concerned was working along nicely. He did not appear to mind the feeling which had manifested as a result of his demand for settlement of the people who had their homes there on the Gaudianna Baddilla.

The mansion was equipped with all kinds of modern furniture, and valuable rugs, and rare paintings. He had brought along with him a full force of servants, which all served to kindle a little deeper the hatred amongst these native people.

About two years passed along before a mill was situated near the foot of the hill, only a few hundred yards down from the Miller mansion on another adjoining plot of Spanish grant land. Miller contested the rights of the property, and found that Tom Banderoff had not infringed on his rights.

Tom Banderoff had blighted his future by post poning his marriage to Reba Hightower indefinitely thinking that she would hinder him in his gold collecting career. Tom took advantage of the inexpensive method of getting his lumber to market that Watson Miller had already been thinking of.

The Banderoff sawmill soon became very prominent, and was enjoying quite a nice local business besides supplying the navy yard with ship timber which he floated down the river to the coast in great rafts. He soon established a large comersary, and pretty soon a post office was granted, and named Sun Set, as the mill was located on the west side of the river.

Pretty soon Sun Set was quite a nice little saw mill village.

Tom Banderoff's success also served to create a very antagonistic feeling between himself and Miller. Tom Banderoff was let in keepings

of a small fortune for Paul Banderoff by his brother who requested that Tom take the boy and raise, and school him, before he passed away.

Time was drawing nearer and nearer that the people who were settled about on the Gaudianna must either make settlement or vacate.

And it was beneath the outstretch ed limbs of the giant elm's that a caacus was instigated for the purpose of coming to some understanding as to how to deal with Miller. Miller himself might have been willing to have vacated himself had he known what the outcome of the meeting amounted to that night before the nesters broke away each fellow for his respective home.

It had been a big day at Sun Set. The first circus which had ever been in that part of the country ascended the river to Sun Set on board a steam boat.

Miller, his wife and little daughter, Ross, had attended the circus. Also Miller's servants had attended that night. It was the first time since the Miller mansion bloomed out there at the top of the bluff that it had been left alone.

Miller went to the veranda the next morning as usual to take a view of his spacious body of pine to see if he could see a little quid of smoke which might indicate the outbreak of a forrest fire, when something slippery under his feet called his attention to a large puddle of blood there on the veranda floor.

A small linked chain and a pair of handcuffs attached to the end of the chain, and a bloody razor laying near was evidence that a murder had been committed there during the night.

This was the first time since Miller had been there that he really felt the need of neighbors. An investigation followed the discovery of blood on the floor of the veranda. The house was hunted and searched out from the basement to the attic, for any trace of the criminal or any clew leading to the attention of any one's having been murdered there.

Patches of blood left by the foot print of a small shoe track led off from the blood puddle on the floor of the veranda in the direction of the stairway leading down, but the patches of blood left by the foot prints of the criminal grew more and more indistinct until at the stair way it could not be determined whether he had descended the stair way or whether he had turned aside to a room.

While the little party of investigators went to the attic they looked into every little nook and corner conceivable, they passed one place which held out such an innocent little appearance that it was passed by uninvestigated.

It was a place in the ceiling where sub guyers had been set in to afford an agreeable curve in the ceiling of one of the upper rooms.

Three nights later a ghost appeared at the mansion. It was first discovered about the blood stains on the floor of the veranda. It was groaning and moaning as tho one suffering death's agonies. The terrible noise it was making first attracted the attention of one of the servants. The servant called Mr. Miller. Then Mr. Miller called his wife to view the white monster which appeared to be rolling over, and over, there where the blood was on the floor.

The family servants and all spent the remainder of the night barricaded in the lower room until day light the next morning.

Another investigation failed to throw any light on what the ghost

was or its purpose in appearing there.

Several nights went by without anything worth noticing.

Finally, after two weeks passed, a servant disappeared, leaving his room in disorder as tho a great struggle had insued before he was taken out of his room. Great blood splotches were all over the walls, and everything which indicated foul play were plainly manifested by the appearance of the room.

Again the ghost appeared at the blood stains on the floor of the veranda.

The ghost put in its regular appearance then every night or every third night until Mr. Miller decided to return to England with his wife and Ross and to leave the beautiful mansion as a rendezve for spooks, and ghosts, and the land for the settlers who had been so reluctant in arranging for their titles for their homes.

Ten years had gone along by the time the mill was beginning to be nearly cut out. Paul Banderoff was now a young man. He had never known what it was to do any thing but hard work. His uncle had apparently forgotten that according to his brother's will to school Paul. Paul was engaged in carrying down the great rafts of ship timbres over the river. Paul never knew what it was to have a kind word of his uncle Tom. He spent little of his time at home as he was needed on the river to keep the rafts clear and drifting on down.

Tom Banderoff even became more of a gold hog than he had ever been. He barely gave Paul enough for common every day clothing. He often complained when Paul was at home of having been to so much expense in raising him.

Paul had learned to hate his uncle with a hatred rooted and grounded deep into his boyish life. He knew that he was not getting a fair deal according to his father's wishes.

He was almost tempted at times to rebel against his uncle but all ways taking the second thought he knew it would be useless to do so.

It was late in the summer when Tom was struck down with a terrible fever which held on unabated. Day after day the dreaded fever dragged him on down until when one month had passed along he was very weak.

His condition at this time was of such nature that he was compelled to have a nurse with him day and night. Estell Harrison was called in by Doctor Stillwater and put in charge of his case.

Estell soon saw that she must have the help of a special nurse to handle his case, and in spite of all his case appeared as a doubtful one. At last the mill was closed down to await the outcome. Paul was called in from his rafting job, and upon arriving home he found his uncle in an unconscious delerium.

Well, so far as Paul could see, there was nothing which might be done but to wait for the end to come. He knew that his uncle had never had any dealings with any banks, and that he had all his wealth hidden away to where no one would ever be fortunate enough to find it.

Paul was mad at the world. He had nothing in the future but hard work as a result of his uncle's way of taking care of financial affairs.

He had spent the most of the evening lounging about the mill shed. He had thought of his past, and as a matter of fact he was reflecting over some of the happiest hours of his life.

He cast an occsional glance in the direction of the old Miller mansion at the top of the bluff. And despite the gasty white walls towering high, Paul could capture a pleasant thought as to some of his childish courtship with Ross Miller before she was taken away from him.

He thought of some of their solemn vows to each other. He thought of the last letter he had received from her. It read as follows:

"Paul, I am glad it is me you are going to marry and not some other girl."

All such little childish things like that had presented themselves to Paul that evening to help tear down some of the foreseen misery which he saw in the future, just because his uncle had chosen the method of hiding his wealth instead of placing it in a bank where it could have been gotten to in case of death. But then, he would think, "Ross is gone."

He had visited his uncle's room once during the time since he had arrived home from his river duty.

His uncle's boney ace, and slender fingers showed deep marks of his long suffering. He lay there lifeless almost with a pallowed expression about his once stately face, not

so much as twitching a muscle. But owing to his general attitude toward Paul during his coming up Paul had little if any bsais for a sympathy for his uncle.

But some how that evening was set apart for a general reformation of thought for Paul. Paul had gone down into deep reasoning. He had come to realize while there about the shed that he was one of the same blood as the man who was laying there suffering death.

Somehow Paul conceived the thought of sorrow and forgiveness. He thought too that in case his uncle had not provided a will for his welfare that he would fall into possession of the mill which might serve to help him along. It was near sundown before a real sense of forgiveness came over Paul. He raised and walked the dolly run down to the edge of the water where the rafts of timber were assembled for floating.

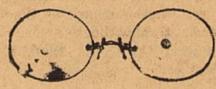
There above him stood that gasty old Miller house which seemed to have some special attraction for his thoughts that evening.

He had walked the gang plank out to one of the unfinished rafts, and was bathing his face with a handkerchief which he had dipped into the water, when a voice called out, Paul, oh Paul, where are you?" (To Be Continued)

STEEL HILL HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Steel Hill Woman's Home demonstration club met with Mrs. W. D. Blair Tuesday May 26 at 2:30 with nine members present. Our lesson was on Color in the Home. Miss Osborne gave a demonstration on tying and dying for scarfs, handkerchiefs, luncheon sets, etc. This makes beautiful sets for the home and also nice for gifts.

Miss Osborne gave us another demonstration on painting pillow cases in pretty designs on Rayon, taffeta, satins, etc. Our next meeting will be with Mrs. J. W. Carlisle at 2:30 on June 11th. The lesson will be The Care of Milk and Sweet Cream.—Reporter.



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| 11:30 | 3:30 | 8:00 | Girard |
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| 12:10 | 4:10 | 8:50 | Peacock |
| 12:25 | 4:25 | 9:00 | Swenson |
| 12:45 | 4:45 | 9:15 | Aspermont |
| 1:10 | 5:10 | 9:30 | Old Glory |
| 1:25 | 5:25 | 9:35 | Sagerton |
| 2:00 | 6:00 | 9:00 | Stamford |

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Texas Dairymen Must Fight Competition Of Wisconsin

The growing dairy industry of the South and the Southwest must be prepared to meet the stiffest competition from Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, and other states where dairying has long been established as a major project. The dairymen of these states are preparing to undersell Southern producers in the big markets of the country, and it will not be surprising if they fight very strenuously for the Dixie market which they have so long controlled.

Farm and Ranch makes this statement, not for the purpose of discouraging the development of the industry, but to stimulate farmers and others interested to lay the right kind of a foundation in which to build it profitably.

Low cost of production and quality products are the weapons to be used in this fight to maintain leadership, and Southern dairymen must arm themselves in a similar manner if they expect to win recognition.

Wisconsin is testing its cows. Only high producers will be retained. The others will be sold, not in Wisconsin, but in other states. Probably some of them will be sent to Texas at a fancy price. Others will be distributed throughout the South and West in States where dairying is new. The annual sale of cows in Wisconsin averages about 80,000 and you can bank on the fact that the most of this number are not in the best of herds.

This culling of herds along with better feeding is greatly increasing the average cow production in that State and increasing total production of creameries, cheese factories, and milk plants without increasing the number of cows. In Burnett county, Wisconsin, where there are 20,000 cows, the production of butter and cheese has doubled in ten years without adding to the number of cows milked. Burnett farmers are endeavoring to produce one ton of alfalfa for every cow in the county.

The average milk production per cow, culls included, in Wisconsin is now above 4,600 pounds. They have set the next mark at 5,000 pounds, and when they reach that they will strive for another goal. Are we going to profitably compete with this kind of production backed by thorough organization and efficient marketing by milking average Texas cows which produce below the 3,000 pound mark?

Knowing conditions in the Northern dairy section as well as those in Texas, we are thoroughly convinced that with good cows properly fed and protected we can meet any competition in the Southwest that comes from any section of the country, but our farmers and dairymen must forever keep in mind that good pastures and home grown feed stuffs are the most important factors in the cost of production after inherently good producing cows are

secured. We have a long road to travel before we become sufficiently dairy minded to pay close attention to the details necessary to profitable production.—Farm and Ranch.

A WORD TO THE PUBLIC

There's a few words I would like to say to the people about my Baptistism. I hear they are wondering why I first thought of uniting with the Baptist church, then changing to the First Christian. They tell me they hear from so and so that the reason I first went to the Baptists was because Bro. Abbott would not baptize me. You might ask him about that. But as for me first going to the Baptist you will never learn from me.

All my life I have born my own burden and try to carry that of my friends and neighbors, and have gotten along fairly well. Although at times it would seem more than I could bear but at that time God would always open the flood gates. Then things would be brighter and brighter. And I want you to know that the heaviest burden I had to carry was pain and sickness.

Now that is all passed, I must carry the burden of others. Some of them being in the shape of gossipers, others are more honorable. If it makes your life sweeter by criticizing me I want you to continue to do so. I will not complain for there is one who will plead my cause, hereafter, and you gossipers will not be either the judge or the jury.

Please don't mistake my meaning for I mean just what I have said. And whoever you are, I am still your friend, ready to help you at any time. I hold nothing against you, only pity you. There is too much to think and talk about in this life that is good and worthwhile, for us to be criticizing and persecuting our fellowman.

As ever, your friend,
Mrs. Lewis Rickels.

James English, of west of Spur, met Norman Eldredge of McAdoo on the streets the other day and asked if the hail did him damage. Norman stated that he saw the cloud coming, pulled out his rabbit foot taken from a rabbit killed in a grave yard, scratched the back of his left ear, and retired without further worry, knowing the charm would work and his crops saved—and so they were.

Clem Harkey and wife and her mother passed through Spur Wednesday, returning to Dublin from the Plains country where they had been visiting with relatives, stopping over in Spur for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harkey and other friends here. Clem informed us that he was no longer with the government revenue department, but is now engaged in the real estate business with headquarters at Lubbock.

Jim McDaniel has almost completed the construction of a modern four room bungalow residence in the northwest part of the city.

Roy Harkey is completing a neat bungalow residence in the north part of the city.

A girl baby was born last week to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lester of Dickens.

Miss Faye Post, of Waco, is in the city visiting her grand mother, Mrs. D. G. Hisey.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Chancellor returned the past week from a visit with their daughters in Dallas.

P. H. Miller returned this week from a trip over the country, including points in East as well as West Texas. He states that it has been too wet for farmers to work in East Texas, while out here everything looks lovely.

Mrs. E. L. Adams is on a vacation, spending the time in the Ozark Mountains and visiting with relatives in Kansas City and other points.

Misses Pearl and Ossie Matthews of Dallas, and Mrs. John Ivy of Lueders, and Chester Matthews and wife of Lovington, New Mexico, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gruben this week. The latter part of the week Mrs. Gruben accompanied them to Lueders where they will visit with other relatives and friends.

T. H. Tallent, of Gilpin, was on the streets one day during the past week.

Judge F. C. Gipson, of Dickens, was here on business the past week. W. A. Valentine, of Garza county, was trading in Spur the first of the week.

Mrs. Burl Harrington underwent an operation at the hands of Dr. Standifer at Turkey this week. Dr. Standifer is establishing a new sanitarium at Turkey, and Mrs. Harrington was the first patient.

J. V. Powell made a trip Friday night to Vernon after cotton seed with which to replant his crops destroyed by hail. Cotton seed has been at a premium since the hail storm.

B. F. Simmons, of the Elton county, was in Spur after supplies Wednesday. He reports fine crops on his place, he having recently bought the old Stegall place.

Sam Derr recently leased his filling station at McAdoo, and has gone to Temple for treatment and probably an operation at the hands of specialists.

Jim Eldredge was here from McAdoo during the week.

Mrs. A. Lollar was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur this week, favoring us with the renewal of her subscription.

Mrs. Otto Mott returned last week from a visit with friends and relatives in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Ferris, of Stamford, were guests this week in the homes of S. H. Twaddell and Otto Mott.

Mrs. Kilgore is in the city visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lea.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lea are leaving this week for a trip to Carlsbad Caverns.

J. P. Goen was among the visitors to Spur this week.

H. C. Eldredge was here the first of the week from McAdoo.

Mr. Stelton, who recently moved to McAdoo from Arkansas, was in Spur Wednesday.

G. B. Jopling and wife and Leonard Jopling and family left this week for Glenrose and other points where they will visit several weeks with relatives and enjoy a summer vacation.

J. F. Blakley and wife returned recently to their home in Dallas, after visiting with E. J. Lasseter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Smart and son V. C. Jr., are out of the city vacationing and visiting with relatives and friends at different points.

Jas. Hill Perry was among the college boys returning home this week.

The Texas Spur joins friends in extending sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. R. C. James in the recent death of their little baby.

Miss Rachel Langston is at home from Simmons University, for summer vacation period.

Jack Smiley, of the Afton country left this week for Teague Texas, where he has accepted a position and will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Jas. B. Reed and daughters, Julia Joe and Miriam, are visiting her mother and other relatives at Lubbock.

SPECIALS for SATURDAY

SUGAR 25 lb bag \$1.42

SUGAR 10 lb bag 57c

LARD Wilson's, 8 lb pail 1.06

SALMONS Pink, 6 for ... \$1.00

MILK Baby Carnation 5c

PEACHES Table, No. 2 1/2 ... 19c

BANANAS Ripe Fruit 17c

TOMATOES Fesh, 2 lb for . 25c

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FLOUR 48 pounds Peerles . 1.50

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MATCHES cartoon 15c

PEACHES 5 can No. 2 1/2 95c

HOMINY No. 2, 3 for 25c

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