

Child Bitten by Rattle Snake Monday Near Espuela

The little girl, seven or eight years of age, of Mr. and Mrs. Homer McBride, of the Espuela community, was bitten on the foot by a rattle snake late Monday afternoon. The little girl was going from the house to the windmill, stepping on the snake which struck her foot just above the heel. The leg was immediately corded and her foot placed in kerosene oil, after which the little girl was rushed to the Nichols Sanitarium where Doctor Blackwell administered the rattle snake serum. At this time the child is doing nicely and will be removed from the sanitarium to her home during the week.

Several days ago the grass on a nearby tract of the Spur Ranch was burned, and it is thought possible that the fire caused the snakes to migrate, and at least one of which crawled to the McBride place. The snake was killed after biting the girl.

North and South Highway Meeting Held in Snyder Thursday

County Commissioner H O Albin County Judge O C Newberry and Clifford B Jones manager for S M Swenson & Son attended the meeting held Thursday in Snyder for the purpose of further promoting and encouraging the construction of the proposed North and South Highway a link of which is to run from Snyder through Claiborne Jayton Spur Dickens Afton Roaring Springs and Matador.

This proposed highway if adopted by the State Highway department will turn much travel this way and consequently mean much to the towns touched.

The State and National Highway Departments have become one of the greatest factors and problems, and calls for greater expenditures than other departments, of our government—and good roads and highways have become the greatest factors to progress in commerce, industry and social intercourse—in fact the world is beginning to "live on wheels," and good roads and highways are a necessity.

Sheriff's Department is Actually Abolishing Bootlegging Here

It has been said that it could never be done, but it is a fact that Sheriff Barber and his department have almost completely abolished bootlegging in Dickens county. During the present administration numerous arrests have been made on liquor charges, and numbers of individuals inclined to "dispense jarred corn" for a price have either quit or departed for "greener fields." The net of law enforcement has become so tightly woven around Volstead violations that a deacon even may be leary of transporting a limited lighter to a secluded sanctuary. —And the Texas Spur gave fair warning of what was coming.

Fire Destroys Shack on Ousley Place in East Part of the City

Monday night fire of unknown origin destroyed a shack at the back of the Raleigh Harkey home in the east part of Spur and owned by S. J. Ousley now of Abilene.

Girls and Boy Scouts Preparing for Encampments in August

Both the Girls and Boy Scouts of Spur are now preparing to attend the annual encampment in August. The girls will go to Camp Mary E. White near Clouderoff, and the boys will go to the mountains of New Mexico.

Asphalt Paving Possible by Cooperation on Highway to Kent Co. Line

Since the contract has been let for the grading, graveling and topping with asphalt the highway between Spur and Dickens, and which work is scheduled to begin immediately, and also considering the fact that the highways leading north and west from the county seat have been topped with asphalt, and the highway to the east is in excellent shape it is imperative that the highway leading to the east and south of Spur and to the Kent county line be placed in first-class condition for through highway traffic as well as local travel in keeping with the establishment and maintenance of a complete system of highways throughout the county. The Commissioners court is favorable to the proposition of asphaltizing this roadway, and with the united cooperation of the people there is little doubt but that the Highway Department will cooperate in making this part of our system of highways as inviting and acceptable as is now the other sections of the system of roads.

The highway from Spur to the Kent county line was the first road built in the county. Road District No. 1 was created, and bonds issued to construct the roadway. Later this Road District No. 1 was abolished and included in a county wide road bond issue, and since which time it is the last section of the county system to be given consideration and adequate aid in modern improvement and maintenance in keeping with the demands of the traffic which it accommodates.

If every man interested will talk to members of the commissioners court, and give united cooperation, we will have this part of the county highways placed in good shape and topped with asphalt before another year rolls round.

School Transfers Must be Made by August the 1st

According to the laws regulating school matters, all transfers of pupils from one school district to another must be made before the first day of August.

The observance of this regulative requirement is of importance, since many pupils each year are transferred from one district to another for school attendance—and unless the transfer is registered the transfer of school appropriation funds can not be made and the transferred pupil will be required to pay tuition.

Prospects Good Now on 1000 Acre Cotton Crop Near Spur

C. D. Copeland was in town during the week. On his place Mr. Copeland has a thousand acres planted to cotton, eight hundred acres of which, he states, is a good stand while on two hundred acres a good stand was not obtained. The entire crop is in good shape and growing and with continued favorable weather conditions more than an average crop of the place will be gathered. On the Copeland place, as well as practically every other place in the country, the feed crop will be short, the main hope being that rains will grow and mature suckers. Many acres of feed will be planted later.

Mrs. Hopkins and Austin Frazier Were Married in February

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier, of west of Spur, were in the city Saturday, shopping and visiting with friends. Mr. and Mrs. Frazier were married in February, but until this date not public announcement has been made of their marriage. At this late date, The Texas Spur joins their friends in extending congratulations. Mr. and Mrs. Frazier are among the best people of the country, and we sincerely wish them years of prosperity and happiness together.

Another Hail Storm Did Devastating Damage in Co.

Another hail storm Friday or Saturday of last week did devastating damage on the Plains in the McAdoo territory, extending on down off the Cap Rock.

A number of farmers within the hail zone, which was said to have been two or three miles wide, were heavy losers, among whom were J. T. and Austin Rose, the latter, it is reported, being completely wiped out; Chas. McLaughlin lost about 300 acres of his crop while Rush, and Willie McLaughlin were also heavy losers; G. W. Allen, Joe Poote, G. F. Smith, J. C. McNeill and a number of others also losing a considerable acreage.

Farmers within the territory have already replanted the cotton acreage to feed crops, and with good seasons the prospects are good for bumper feed crops on the Plains this fall.

This is the third or fourth destructive hail storm experienced within the Spur territory this year, thousands of acres of cotton and other crops having been destroyed, causing many thousands of dollars damage to farmers and more than twenty five thousand dollars damage to buildings in both town and country, the insurance companies having paid out \$25,000 for property loss, while crop insurance against hail was carried principally by the farmers themselves, suffering the total loss.

The hails at least in one respect might prove beneficial in that the early feed crops of the country are comparative failures and this necessity of planting cotton acreage to late feed will probably result in giving the country sufficient feed on which to run another year without importing from other sections.

The country as a whole now has a good crop season, and barring further calamities, the prospect is that bumper crops will be harvested.

Russell Smith Leases Klasy Kleaners to A. Freeman

Russell Smith has retired from the Klasy Kleaner business, having leased the plant to A. Freeman who will operate and manage the tailoring business at least for the next four months. Mr. Freeman was a former local manager for Gambills, and is an experienced tailor.

Pentecostal Revival is Now in Progress Under Big Tent in City

The Pentecostal Revival meeting now in progress in the city is attracting large audiences and resulting in a great revival. The services are being conducted under a large tent on the old Tom Cochran place in the west part of Spur, by Rev. Tom Cunningham, assisted by others.

Everyone has a cordial and urgent invitation to attend the services each day. The meeting will probably be protracted over the next two weeks.

D. D. Dunwoody Injured in Car Wreck in Route to Lake Kemp

D. D. Dunwoody was painfully injured and is now using crutches in getting about, the result of an automobile wreck resulting by Eric Ousley, who was driving the car, going to sleep, and unguided the car ran in the ditch and overturned. Mr. Dunwoody suffered injuries to his foot, ankle, knee and shoulder.

The auto party, consisting of D. D. Dunwoody and Eric Ousley and their two sons, and Egbert Chapman, were in route to Lake Kemp to fish on the night of July 3rd, leaving Spur after working hours with the intention of driving through in the night. Every member of the party was asleep when the accident occurred. They returned home immediately with Mr. Dunwoody for medical and surgical aid.

States and Nation Studying Soil Erosion-Water Loss

R. E. Dickson, superintendent of the Spur Experiment Station, has just returned from an absence of two weeks, attending several meetings pertaining to soil erosion and water conservation, and assisting in the organization of societies for the further study of these two most important subjects in the advancement of agricultural interests throughout the country.

At College Station an organization of eight Southwestern States, including Kansas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Texas, New Mexico, Nebraska, Colorado and Missouri, was formed for the cooperative study of methods in preventing soil erosion and conserving water resources. Representatives from each of the eight states were present and participated in the organization of the society.

Mr. Dickson also attended the American Society of Agricultural Engineering which met in Dallas from the 25th to 28th of June. This society also studies soil erosion and water loss. Every state in the Union, with the exception of two, was represented in this meeting, thus giving the discussions on soil erosion and water conservation a wide range of consideration, thought and study.

On July 1st, Mr. Dickson also attended a meeting sponsored by Farm and Ranch and held on the Hollisdale farm in Dallas county, and where the subject of terracing, especially on stubble of the black land belt of Texas, was considered and discussed.

The propositions of terracing, conserving rainfall, and the prevention of soil erosion are of paramount importance to agricultural interests and the country as a whole, and Superintendent Dickson, of the Spur Experiment Station, has been a leader in experiments, demonstrations and advancing these interests both locally and nationally.

M. L. Williams Purchased the J. W. Baker Gin in City of Spur

The past week a sale was consummated whereby M. L. Williams purchased the interest of Mrs. Baker in the J. W. Baker Gin of Spur. The gin this fall will be managed and operated by W. R. Terry of Hermleigh.

The purchase included not only the gin plant and lots but also the residence and other property of the estate of J. W. Baker, deceased. Mrs. Baker is returning to Bellevue where she will make her home in future.

Young Cherry Remains in Critical Condition From Car Wreck

Carroll Cherry, who has been in the Nichols Sanitarium the past several weeks, critically injured from an automobile wreck, underwent a second operation Monday in the hope of relieving his condition. He still remains in a critical condition, and it is hoped by their many friends, that he may recover. Carroll Cherry and Joe Hill were both injured in the car wreck, Joe having almost completely recovered from his injuries.

Emmett Lee Died Thursday at Home in Spur

Emmett Lee died Thursday afternoon at the family home in the northeast part of Spur, following an illness of several weeks suffering of a brain affection. His remains will probably be interred in Spur cemetery this, Friday afternoon.

He leaves nine living children, seven sons and two daughters, Berta and Elva, and Ernest, Jesse, Harvey, Lawis, Joe, Frank, and John. Emmett Lee and family had lived in Spur since the beginning of the town. He was a consecrated Christian gentleman, and a good citizen has gone to his reward.

W. W. Waldrup Died and Was Buried Sunday in California

The friends and acquaintances of W. W. (Billy) Waldrup were surprised and grieved when the news came of his death which occurred Friday or Saturday of last week in Los Angeles, California, where he had gone on account of his health. His remains were interred Sunday at Los Angeles. He had been ill and suffering of leakage of the heart for the past year or two, but his friends and associates had no intimation that death would come so soon.

Billy Waldrup, some thirty odd years ago, came to Dickens county where he has continuously resided, working on the ranches in the earlier days and later owning and operating a small ranch and farm of his own in the Croton country east of Dickens. Here he married Miss Myrtle Harkey, daughter of Tom Harkey. They had one daughter who with the estranged wife now survive and live in California.

Billy Waldrup was not only one of the early day cowboys and ranchers, but later served as deputy sheriff and peace officer in Dickens county. He was a "good scout" and another of the old timers of Dickens county who has gone on to his reward in the great Unknown Beyond.

Bryant-Link Company Managers Meet in Spur Wednesday

A meeting of the Bryant-Link Co. managers was held in Spur Wednesday of this week to discuss business matters and enjoy the opportunity for pleasurable social intercourse. Managers from each of the several stores throughout West Texas were in attendance, and Geo. S. Link, manager of the local store, was a royal host to the visiting managers.

Rotarians Enjoy a Chicken Barbecue at Fair Park Thursday

The Spur Rotarians Thursday entertained visiting members and their friends Thursday with a chicken barbecue at the fair park. Among the visiting members was District Governor Bernard Bryant of Stamford, who addressed and instructed Rotarians on matters of general importance to the organization.

Compress Business Demands an Additional Warehouse Shed

The Spur Compress and Warehouse is having constructed an additional warehouse shed for the accommodation of additional bales of cotton for compressing anticipated for the approaching fall. Last year approximately 19,000 bales of cotton were compressed in Spur, and while it can not accurately be estimated at this time, it is possible that this number will be materially increased this fall. A. M. Walker is superintendent and manager of the business in Spur.

Spurites Taking 'Flyer' in N. M. Oil Fields

F. B. Crockett this week returned from Hobbs, New Mexico, where he and a Steve Crockett are "taking a flyer" in the future development of that section as an oil field. They have already established a tailor shop and eating joint in the town, and are waiting and watching for the expected boom. Quite a number of derricks are up and drillings are in progress immediately surrounding the town, and the prospect is that the field will be immediately developed.

REVIVAL MEETING TO BEGIN AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

A revival meeting will begin at the Church of Christ Sunday, July 21. Rev. J. D. Harvey of Colorado City will have charge of the services.

Mel-Roy Makes the Blind Drive Monday Successfully

Mel-Roy, the psychic wonder, successfully made his drive with a Chrysler car as scheduled for last Monday. Blindfolded, Mel-Roy drove the car through the streets and uninterrupted traffic, making turns and stops as scheduled without bauble or accident and with as much skill and accuracy as the best seeing and most observant and careful driver could do. After leaving the Lyric Theatre the first stop was made at C. E. Stone Company Chain Store where he alighted from the car, entered the store, called attention to articles of merchandise on display and naming the price. The second stop was made at C. R. Edwards & Co. where a similar program was carried out, and then on to Grubens where the store was entered and a short talk made to the crowds. From there the car was driven to the proper turn and then back up the street to the DeLuxe Tire Company where he drove the car into the building drive-way and back out as accurately as if he could see; then on up the street to Spur Tailors, entering and inspecting the cleaning and pressing process; and then to Spur Coffee Shop and calling for a cup of coffee. From there the drive was continued to Spur Service Station where the turns were perfectly made and the drive into the station successfully negotiated and where the car was refilled; the drive then being concluded at the Lyric, the place of beginning.

Throughout the week Mel-Roy has been showing at the Lyric, giving psychic performances to the delight and mystification of the audiences.

THE EXAMPLE OF LEADERS

There are few people who are willing to make themselves ridiculous today by saying, "Advertising doesn't pay." For it is apparent to everyone that the biggest and most successful business institutions in the country advertise extensively, and that they are big because they do advertise.

John Wanamaker started with a small capital. In fact it is said that it was so small that he had to make his first delivery with a wheel barrow. And yet, he put about half of it into advertising. The William Wrigley, Jr., Corporation was built on advertising, as the heads of the organization frankly admit. Other examples might be cited, but this is only an editorial and the space is limited.

Great and successful enterprises are not built on unwise expenditures but on prudent investments. Of course there are many ways of spending money in advertising—some seem to be more effective than others.

If we can accept the findings of experts, who in recent years have made advertising a science, we can believe that newspaper advertising is most profitable.

A few years ago few national advertisers other than patent medicine people used papers such as the Saturday Evening Post. If you will go through our columns now, however, you will find the advertising of such organizations as General Motors, the Standard Oil Company, the Railroads and many others.

It requires an expenditure of hundreds of thousands of dollars a year to use the advertising columns of a great number of home town papers. But the men who study advertising, who buy it only where and because it produces profits, find home town paper valuable.

Can the man who has given the subject little thought and study question the good judgement?—Ex.

MISS BIGGS AND MR. McDANIEL ANNOUNCE APPROACHING MARRIAGE, AUGUST 4

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Addie Biggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Biggs, to Mr. Jim McDaniel, on Sunday, August 4th, 1929.

Mr. McDaniel has just completed the construction of a modern bungalow home in the west part of Spur where he and his bride will make their home.

B. Schwarz & Son, Spur, Texas

JULY CLEARANCE AND ROUND-UP SALE! Starts Friday July 12.

A Round-up of Bargains!



This store-wide Clearance Sale carries the Economy Wallop of a dozen ordinary clearance sales combined. From far & near the powerful magnet of great savings will attract the keen buyer, and shopper. We are bringing to you, values beyond your dreams, in every article of wearing apparel, and dry goods. To attempt to list every item would be an impossibility.

Look at the prices below, and you will see that we have crowded in only a few of the thousands of bargains you may expect. Its a tribute to this entire community to give you without question, the one and only Summer Clearance, to attend at this time.

Thousands of bargains in Ladies Ready-to-wear, Dress Goods, Millinery, Hosiery, Children's Hats, Children's Shoes, Children's Clothes, Ladies' Shoes Men's Shoes, Men's Hats, Men's Suits, Men's Underwear, Shirts, Neckwear, Boy's Suits, Boy's Shoes, Boy's Shirts.

HUNDREDS WILL COME FROM MILES AROUND!

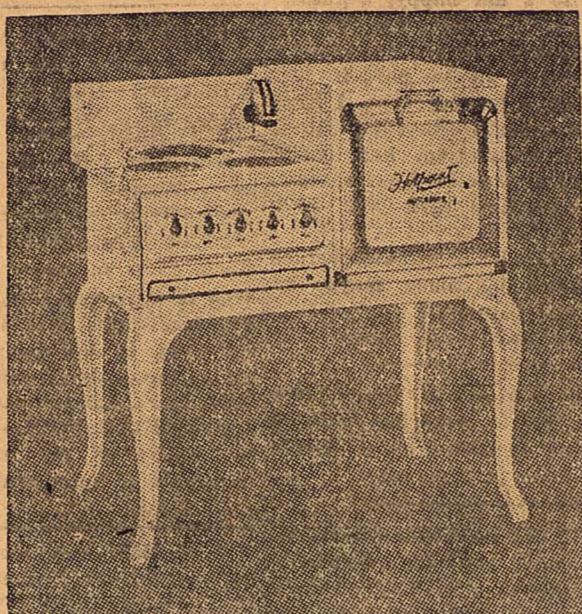
WON'T YOU COME?

NOTE THE PRICES BELOW!

<p>Fast Color Percalé All New Patterns—Sale Price only 10c yard</p>	<p>BEST AND HEAVY GRADE Children's Union-Alls Size 9 to 16—\$1.45 Values Sale, 89c each</p>	<p>Solid Color Voile All new colors including white 25c Value Sale 17c yard</p>	<p>Men's Summer Pants Value \$3.00—Sale Sale price \$2.19</p>	<p>Boy's Dress Oxfords \$3.25 and \$3.45 values Sale, \$2.49</p>
<p>36 INCHES WIDE 36in Brown Domestic Heavy Quality—Limit 10 Yards Sale 5c yard</p>	<p>MEN'S ATHLETIC UNDERSHIRTS only 25c</p>	<p>LADIES Allen A Hosiery \$1.95 value -- \$1.39 \$1.50 value -- \$1.19 \$1.00 value -- .79</p>	<p>MEN'S WHITE Broadcloth Shirts \$1.45 value Sale price \$1</p>	<p>Georgette and Flat Crepe All New Spring Shades \$1.95 and \$2.25 values 40 inches wide Sale \$1.49 yd.</p>
<p>Best Grade Sheeting 35c yard</p>	<p>Curtain Material 15c Value Sale, 10c yard</p>	<p>MEN'S TWO-PIECE Athletic Underwear 50c and 65c Values 39c garment</p>	<p>Ladies Wash Dresses All new styles and materials \$1.95 value Sale \$1.49 All Guaranteed Fast Colors</p>	<p>BOYS LONG PANTS \$1.95 and \$2.95</p>
<p>SILK PONGEE Red Label, Government Seal, and inspected, Best Quality. Sale 35c yard.</p>	<p>36in Figured Batiste and Dimity All Fast Colors—New Summer Pattern 37c Value Sale 23c yard</p>	<p>LADIES RED AND BLUE Novelty Slippers High and Low Heels—Values to \$6.45 Sale, \$2.95</p>	<p>Mens Handkerchiefs 3c each</p>	<p>SILK VOILE \$1.45 Value — Sale, 69c yd.</p>
<p>GENUINE KOTEX only 29c box Limit 3 Boxes</p>	<p>Every Ladies Hat \$3.45 to \$4.95 Value Sale 98c (New Felt Hats not included)</p>	<p>Men's Seersucker & Linen Pants Value \$1.95 to \$2.45 Sale, \$1.39</p>	<p>Men's Dress Pants Value \$4.45 up to \$7.50 Sale price \$3.49</p>	<p>Hope Domestic 15c value 10c yard</p>
<p>32in GINGHAM New Fall Patterns—Sale, only 9c yard</p>	<p>CHILDRENS Wash Dresses Value \$1.00 and \$1.25 Sale 79c each</p>	<p>Men's Blue Chambray Work Shirts All sizes 14½ to 17 sale 49c each</p>	<p>Athletic Union Suits 55c Value—Sale, 39c Garment</p>	<p>ANNA MAE Pongee Prints All fast colors—Sale Price 22c yard!</p>
<p>NEW FALL Shirting Chevoits Solid Colors and Stripes—Sale, only 9c yard</p>	<p>Every Ladies Dress in the House Silk Dresses, Prints, Ensembles, and Evening Dresses—Values to \$29.75 Sale, \$5.00</p>	<p>Men's Fancy Hose 25c pair</p>	<p>MEN'S BEST GRADE Athletic Union Suits \$1.00 and \$1.25 Value Sale, 79c garment All sizes up to 52 chest</p>	<p>Palm Olive Soap Genuine—Limit 5 Cakes only 5c cake</p>
<p>Children's Unions SUMMER—ONLY, 33c Each</p>	<p>BEST AND HEAVY GRADE Childrens Union-Alls Sizes 3 to 8—\$1 and \$1.25 values Sale, 69c</p>	<p>MEN'S NO-FADE DRESS SHIRTS Guaranteed not to fade—\$1.25 val. Sale, \$1.00</p>	<p>MEN'S FREEMAN DRESS OXFORDS All New Styles, \$6.50 and \$5.50 val., \$4.20</p>	<p>Ladies Silk Parasols \$3.45 and \$4.45 values Sale price, \$1</p>
<p>MEN'S FREEMAN-BEDDOW DRESS OXFORDS New Styles \$6.50 and \$7.50 Values Sale, \$5.20 pair</p>	<p>100 Men's and Boys SUITS Values \$12.95 to \$22.50 Sale, \$7.95 All other suits not listed at 20% REDUCTION</p>	<p>Men's Dress Shirts Not listed, No-Fade and other Standard Makes 20% Reduction!</p>	<p>27in Diaper Cloth Put up in 10 yard bolts Sale \$1.39 Bolt</p>	<p>MEN'S FANCY Dress Straw Hats Value \$3.45 and \$4.45 Sale, \$1.95</p>



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COOKING three meals a day used to keep me tied close to the kitchen . . . now I have a new all-white Hotpoint Electric Range, the automatic kind, and I am free from the kitchen to do what I wish hour after hour; this I couldn't do when there was an old-fashioned range in my kitchen.

—We want every Mother to have this great convenience . . . we want them to see this new low-priced Hotpoint Electric Range . . . but, most of all, we want them to enjoy the freedom-from-the-kitchen-hours made possible by the new all-white Hotpoint Automatic Electric Range.

—A wonderful Steam Pressure Cooker is included with each Hotpoint priced from \$132.50 up. . . Convenient terms if desired.

West Texas Utilities Company

Kyle Rogers and wife, of Donna, Texas, down in the Rio Grande Valley, are here spending two or three of the summer vacation months with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rogers, and other friends of the city. Kyle is employed with a grocery concern of Donna which is near the line of Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Snider returned this week from a visit and trip through the Eastern part of the state. Mr. Snider stated that the Eastern part of the state as a whole had good crops growing with fine prospects of bountiful harvests this fall—regardless of reports to the contrary.

Pete Perry has been quite ill during the week, suffering of tonsillitis and a high fever.

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

You are hereby commanded to summon W. R. Martin, whose residence is unknown, to appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas, to be held at the Courthouse thereof in the town of Dickens, Texas, on the third Monday in August, A. D. 1929, same being the 19th day of August, A. D. 1929, then and there to answer a petition filed in said court on the 9th day of July, 1929, the file number of which said suit is No. 1064 on the docket of said court, in which suit the Farmer's Co-Operative Society of Spur, Texas, a corporation is plaintiff and W. R. Martin is defendant; the cause of action alleged by plaintiff being briefly stated, as follows:

Plaintiff sues in trespass to try title for title and possession of the following lands and premises, situated in Dickens County, Texas, to-wit: Lot No. 9, in Block No. 8, in the town of Spur Dickens County, Texas; plaintiff claiming title thereto in fee simple, and also claiming title under and by virtue of the three, five and ten years statutes of limitation of this State, respectively.

You are hereby commanded to summon the said defendant and to serve this citation by making publication of this citation once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof in some newspaper published in your county; but if there be no newspaper published in said county, then in any newspaper published in the nearest county where a newspaper is published.

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

Witness: Robt. Reynolds, Clerk of the District Court of Dickens County.

Given under my hand and seal of said court at office in Dickens, Texas, this the 9th day of July, A. D. 1929.

ROBT. REYNOLDS, Clerk, District Court, Dickens County, Tex. Issued this the 9th day of July, A. D. 1929.

ROBT. REYNOLDS, Clerk, District Court, Dickens County, Tex. 37-4tc.

SPUR ORCHESTRA

The Spur Orchestra, under the direction of Mr. Paul Smith, will meet for practice at Smart Music Shop Friday, July 12, at 8:15 p. m.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB NEWS

The poultry records kept by Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith of Dry Lake speak for themselves. In April Mr. and Mrs. Smith began feeding according to directions in the poultry calendar put out by A. & M. College. Their hens averaged 9 eggs per hen during the month of April, in May 14 eggs was the average, in June the production was brought up to 18 eggs, which is above the standard production. Their fryers brought them \$26.90 and they sold \$65.34 worth of eggs. After discounting expenses their profits were \$86.74 for three months. They sell the infertile eggs which bring a much better price at this time of the year. Mr. and Mrs. Smith plan to keep feeding the regular egg mash straight through the summer because they say that they realize that the hens will be in good condition and will lay more eggs during the fall months when eggs are high if fed properly throughout the Summer months.

Mrs. Roy Harkey left Sunday morning of this week for California where she will join her mother, Mrs. L. H. Perry, and brother, James Hill Perry, who are now summering in that state. Roy accompanied Mrs. Harkey to Amarillo where she boarded the train for the trip. They will remain in California at least until the first of August.

Mrs. Ralph Jackson recently returned from a visit to relatives and friends at Stamford.

Mary Scott Clay has been ill the last few days but is better now.

4-H CLUB GIRLS WILL HAVE CLOTHING CONTEST JULY 17

On Wednesday, July 17, the Home Demonstration Club Women and the 4-H Club Girls are having a clothing contest. The girls contest is divided into two classes, the school dress, class 1, and the afternoon dress, class 2. There are about 15 girls entered in the contest. The winners in class 1 and class 2 will be awarded trips to the A. & M. Short Course by the Chamber of Commerce. There will be about 30 women entered in the contest which will be an afternoon dress contest. The women and girls dresses will not be judged together. The woman that wins will be given a trip to the A. & M. Short Course by the Woman's Home Demonstration Council. The dresses will be judged on the morning of the 17th by Miss Myrtle Murray of College Station and Miss Marie Strange, Home Demonstration Agent, of Floydada. At noon there will be a basket lunch at the Methodist church and in the afternoon a program consisting of a judging demonstration and a style show of the dresses. All interested in this work are extended a cordial invitation.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Denton, formerly of Spur but now of Post City, spent Friday, Saturday and Sunday in Spur visiting with their friends of the town. It will be remembered that Mrs. Denton formerly managed and operated the lunch room at the school building in Spur.

Mrs. R. C. Forbis came down Tuesday with Mr. Forbis, spending the night in the city with Mrs. Sol Davis.

Pearl BEVERAGE TONIC FOOD All in One
Enjoy it
WHOLESALE DISTRIBUTORS
Coca Cola Bottling Co.

Miss Jane Douglas Wilson and John A. Davis spent the 4th of July in Lubbock.

Tom Johnston, manager for Bryant-Link at Jayton, was in Spur Wednesday for the company managers meeting.

A. M. Hoover, of near Spur, was in the city Wednesday afternoon of this week.

A big bouncing boy was born Monday to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Landers at their home in Eastern part of Spur.

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We reserve the right to accept or reject all bids. You may bid on them as a whole or separately. Certified checks must accompany each bid.
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Come look over our stock and you will buy what you need.

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"Spur's Oldest Store"

The Bones of The Ghost

By George Floyd Murray

(Continued From Last Week)
Part Three

Uncle Tom was now able to be about the place. Days had passed wearily along, since Holoway returned and placed August in prison. Nothing had been heard of Augusta since the night Holoway went to the old mansion to investigate the affair of the lighting of the house. Her departure was almost as mysterious as other things happening along the line of affairs connected with the dreaded old house. She had been delivered by two of the white beings and probably the same ones relieved her from jail that captured Holoway.

Holoway came to himself in what he decided to be an underground prison. He was dreadfully sick as a result of the anesthetic which had been administered to him shortly after he was captured there in the Miller yard. The room was well lighted and well ventilated. An electric bulb hanging from the ceiling made the room as light as day. He found himself bound with a small linked chain. The chain was locked securely about his wrist sufficiently tight enough that it was impossible for him to pass it over his hips. The chain was long enough to reach the table where a large pitcher of water sat. There at one side was a bath tub and other furnishings necessary for one to remain in there without any inconvenience. He was at a loss to know how long he might have been in this strange prison, but natural intuition taught him when it was day and when it was night.

He had drank most of his water supply, and was beginning to be a bit hungry. He noticed that the light snapped out as though one had turned the switch off. He sat there on the side of his bunk and wondered what the next move would be. The light remained out for the space of an hour. He listened but not the sound of a foot-step did he hear.

Pretty soon the light came back on and there on the table was a lunch spread. He did not need an invitation to take the food. He enjoyed it very much. He noticed there on the wash stand a clean suit for his bed. He also found clean clothing for himself.

Holoway was bothered in as much that he had come to believe that he was to be a prisoner there for a long time before he was relieved if he ever was. He thought seriously of his orders to hold Augusta without bail until he returned with evidence as to her guilt or innocence in connection with the affair of the Miller mystery.

He had made several attempts to encourage the one who was caring for him to speak, but despite his efforts he was never able to know when the one serving him came into the room or when he departed, only by the turning out of the light.

Blackey Dawson fell back as the struck in the face with a club when Paul said weakly, "Please do not throw me over into the water."

The hum of the approaching car was growing more and more distinct and was drawing so very near that it was casting the shadows of the trees along the highway upon the banister rail of the bridge. "Good God," Blackey exclaimed, "are you still alive?"

"I'm" Paul drawled weakly. "Listen, Paul, if I save you will you protect me?"

"I will if I can," he said. "Then come with me, pal, and we will be going."

Blackey helped Paul into the seat with him and pulled a wrap up about his shoulders just about the

time the approaching car started on the foot of the bridge in the same direction which Blackey had come. Blackey shot the gas to the car and it bounded forward like a cat. He changed the gears to high and within a second he was swirling madly around the curve like mad.

He reached for Paul's arm often to ascertain the condition of his pulse. He gave Paul the water sack that he might drink all he wanted.

It was light the next morning when Blackey turned the car to one side, and drove along over the fallen pine needles. He had left the road quite a ways. Paul, however, had come to himself as the fever was cooled by the circulation of the damp night air but he did not question Blackey as to his intentions.

The car came to a standstill beneath the outstretched limbs of a giant pine near a little spring branch. Blackey jumped out and began raking a pile of fallen needles together for a bed for Paul. He spread the foot mat and other wraps and spreads over them until he believed he had arranged Paul a place as comfortable as he could owing to the surroundings.

He helped Paul down from the car and to the place he had arranged for him with brotherly tenderness. He brought him water from the little branch and placed it near him. Then he struck off down the little branch. Pretty soon he returned with cooked bread, bacon, honey and coffee. He arranged a little fire and went about broiling the bacon and making coffee for their breakfast.

Paul and Blackey ate their breakfast. Blackey served Paul first, and took the rest of the time helping himself.

Paul thought deeply over the mess he had made of his uncle's business that night he was sent for his uncle's gold at the old Miller house. He knew that he was not responsible for what had come about but on the other hand he knew his uncle well enough to know that he would never forgive him for what he had done. He believed that he knew that his uncle was far more interested in the gold which he had stored away than he did for his welfare.

Blackey had unfolded his life to Paul before falling to sleep that afternoon. He had agreed to stick to Paul through thick and thin if Paul would save him in case the law overtook him. Paul saw that Blackey had unfortunately fallen in with Sco Higgins, and that it was not his intentions to do wrong when he was out from under Stot's hypnotic influence. They had done planned their way, before Blackey had fallen asleep that evening, and owing to the surrounding circumstances Paul had decided never to let his uncle know what had become of him.

Paul had gained strength during the next few weeks, and by the time they were forced to abandon their car at the foot of the Casidania range Paul was strong enough to trudge along through the deep sand with remarkable endurance.

Day after day Paul followed Blackey. Night after night they arranged their bed beneath the snow covered spruce and listened with shuddering horror to the yelp of the timber wolf or the resonant growl of the mountain lion as they lurked near their sleeping quarters pondering as it appeared as to whether they would pounce on Paul and Blackey as their prey or not.

The dark clouds held on and on until it looked as though the sun would never shine again. Finally, they were short of food and lost there in the mountains. Finally, they saw that they had passed over and were on the west side.

It was near sunset when they came out on the flat country. The sun was shining brightly. The millions of sparkling bits of snow had served to injure their sight. They were at a loss to know what they were to do for shelter from the striking north wind which was biting them to the bone when a horseman galloped up and reigned near them.

"Hey, here, fellows," he said as Paul and Blackey turned to see where he was. "Curley said for you fellows to come and stay all night."

"We will, and will be very thankful to the one sending for us." "The one is a gal who's been running this ranch since old man Dawson died a few years back."

They started on in the direction indicated by the horseman while he rode slowly along near them.

"Here, pard, you get on this horse. I see that you are about

tuckered out."

"I can make it on to the house," Paul assured him, but Slim Hodge was not the kind to see a fellow walk when he looked as tired as Paul looked. Paul finally mounded the horse as he turned and twisted about.

Curley was on the porch when the two strangers arrived with Slim. She saw that they were respectable looking young men, and invited them to come on in to the fire which was smouldering in the open fire place.

Curley was too much like her father to let anyone stay over night at the Circle D ranch without finding their name out first.

"What is your name?" she queried of Paul.

"Paul Banderoff."

"I am Curley Dawson" she said. "And that is Franklin Dawson," Paul said.

"Dawson" she said looking directly at Blackey.

"Well, we have the same name and it might be that we are kin folks."

"You do have some resemblance" Paul ventured.

"What was your father's name?"

"His name was Sam," Blackey said moving a bit closer to the fire.

"Did your father have any brothers and sisters?"

"Yes," said Blackey, "I had a brother somewhere in the west by the name of Franklin, and he had one sister Mary."

"That's enough, Franklin," Curley said reaching for his hand, "and we are own cousins."

"Come here, mother," Curley called, "here is some of our kin folks come to see us."

Paul could hear the sound of booted feet on the porch during the time Mrs. Dawson and Curley and Blackey were talking over the kin folks affair. He noticed that at the hitch rack several horses at the hitch oak several horses were saddled and ready to be ridden.

Pretty soon Smart came in and said, "Curley, we are ready to go."

"I will not go along tonight as one of my cousins has come, and I will stay and talk with him."

"No, no" Paul said, "you just go along with them, for we will be here long enough for you all to have all the time talking that you want."

"That's right, pard," came the sound of several husky voices, "we need her tonight at the hop."

It was all settled and understood that she would go along with them over to the Bell Clapper ranch, the distance of about fifteen miles to a dance. The most of the boys rode along ahead but Smart waited for Curley until she had arranged supper for the two.

While it was late when they arrived at the Bell Clapper ranch, the music had just started for the first set. Slim Hodge caught sight of the little Welfare worker as she went to the floor with George Moss. Slim bit his teeth, and fingered the butt of his six gun, and thought of how much pleasure it would afford him to just get the chance to puncture old George with one of his soft nosed bullets which was in the chamber of the weapon.

Slim was the next to dance with the welfare worker. Then Smart and then most all of the boys of the Circle D danced with her. Curley

was just enjoying herself beyond measure that night.

It was midnight, and the old fashioned midnight supper was being served. Curley and the little welfare worker had already finished the meal and had come back to the ball room.

"Curley," the little welfare worker asked, "what makes you look so happy tonight?"

"Because I am happy, I guess," she said. "You see, one of my cousins came to see me this evening and to beat it all his pard is just the kind of a looking chap I have long been expecting to find. He is tall, dark complected, and has a regular statesman-like head on him, and the prettiest eyes you ever saw."

"Well," the little welfare worker said, "what is his name, maybe he is some one I know."

(Continued Next Week)

Hubert Wester is here from Midland. He is suffering with a broken leg sustained at a picnic when a man fell on him.

MOST ENTERTAINING MUSICAL PROGRAM GIVEN SUNDAY NIGHT AT THE FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH

A most pleasing and entertaining musical program was given at the First Christian Church of Spur. The program was rendered by Henry Elkins with violin, Misses Nell Higgins, Maude Clemmons and Mrs. C. B. Jones at the piano, and Miss Annie Mae Hale, Nell Higgins and Mrs. R. E. Dickson rendering vocal solos. The songs and music were inspirational, enjoyed and appreciated by the large audience. The pastor, Rev. Abbott read a few verses of Psalms. Such programs are a pleasing departure from the regular routine of church services.

Mrs. C. Fite, Miss Etta Fite and Mrs. Weldon Grimes, accompanied Mrs. Matthews to her home in New Mexico after visiting here some time. While in New Mexico they not only visited with Mrs. Matthews in Lovington, but also went to Carlsbad and explored the Carlsbad Caverns. Mrs. Fite stated that good rains fell in New Mexico while they were there, and with all of us deplored the inability to extend the rains on down this way.

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FOR SALE—Bed room suite of furniture, dining table, 4 chairs, and kitchen cabinet.—Earl Boothe.

Mrs. Eula Ford, of Afton, was shopping and visiting in Spur the first of the week.

O. Taylor was in the city Wednesday from his farm home in the Duck Creek community. O. stated that he had good crops and was almost ready to "lay by."

W. H. Condon, of northeast of Spur, was in the city Wednesday of this week.

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We Want Your Trade

RED TOP CLUB NEWS

The club met with Mrs. Henry Slack July 6th and had an interesting lesson on books in the home. Miss Osborne gave a demonstration on jelly making, and also on the alcohol and epsom salts tests for pectin. Fruit juice should be tested for pectin before making jelly, to determine how much sugar to use, and if there isn't enough pectin lemon or plum juice may be added. In making the alcohol test we place one table spoon of juice in a dish and add one table spoon of alcohol—wood or denatured. Do not taste the tested product. If sufficient pectin is present a jelly-like mass will form which should be firm enough to lift with a spoon. If a small amount of pectin the juice will form into small, flaky particles. In using epsom salts, 1 table spoon of juice, 1 teaspoon of sugar, ½ teaspoon of salts, let stand 20 minutes.

The club will meet at the Christian church July 19th. All members be present, as that is the day to decide who will go to the Short Course.—Reporter.

J. J. Albin was here the past week from Morton to which place he and family recently moved, having sold his place here and purchased one there. He says crops prospects are as fine as he ever saw anywhere at this time in the Morton country—and we bet he wants to trade again and move back.

Mrs. S. T. Myers is visiting relatives in Dallas this week.

W. A. Johnson, of the Floydada country, was in Spur trading Wednesday. He states that his section has fine crops, suffered but little damage from hails and everything now looks good.

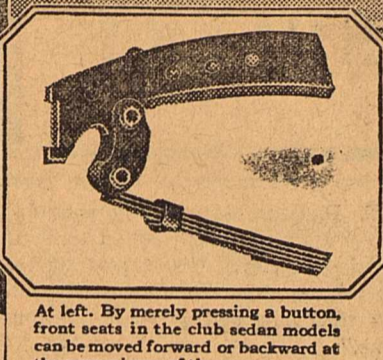
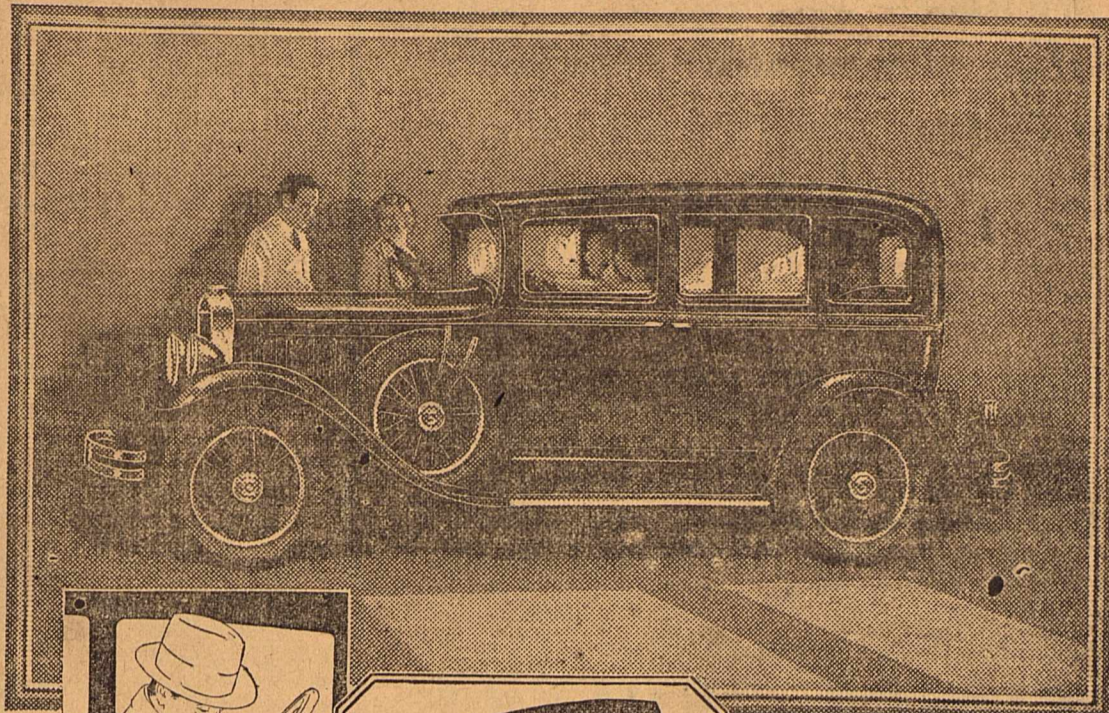
Mrs. J. M. Foster is in the State of Washington, visiting with her brother, Elsworth Ham and family and other relatives and friends of that state. Jim has not yet told Mrs. Foster to come home, but we understand that he did write her that if she intended to remain in Washington indefinitely that he had an opportunity to employ a good looking housekeeper and cook.

H. C. Eldredge, of McAdoo, was in town Wednesday. He informed us that on his place was appearing an uncommon and destructive weed, to this section. He bought and carried out poison with which to kill out the weed which apparently can not be killed with the hoe and plow.

Mrs. Ralph Jackson returned the past week from a visit with relatives in Stamford.

R. I. Wallace, of McAdoo, was in Spur Thursday. He reports that practically all farmers have replanted following the hail of last week.

New Studebaker Dictator Six—Lower Priced



At left, By merely pressing a button, front seats in the club sedan models can be moved forward or backward at the convenience of the passenger.

With the introduction of new Dictator Six models listing from \$995 to \$1195 at the factory, Studebaker adds a companion car for the new Dictator Eight. The Dictator Six Coupe offered at \$995 carries the lowest price of any Studebaker closed car in history. The Regal Sedan, illustrated above, carries six wire wheels and trunk rack as standard equipment. The fore-shock front spring of the new Dictator, giving greater steering stability, is shown at left.

A NEW DICTATOR SIX

A new Dictator Six with a longer wheelbase and a complete range of beautiful new body styles, yet selling at the lowest price ever placed on a Studebaker closed car, is announced by The Studebaker Corporation of America. Announcement of the new Dictator Six closely follows the introduction early in June of the new Dictator Eight.

"The new Dictator Six offers the brilliant performance characteristic

of Studebaker engineering and the roomy comfort of liberally dimensioned bodies mounted on a chassis of 115-inch wheelbase. The six body models are offered at prices ranging from \$995 to \$1195," the local Studebaker-Erskine dealer through whom the announcement was made. "The truly fine car quality evident in the new six at these prices marks a new achievement in Studebaker's unique One-Plant manufacturing plan.

"With its smart appearance, its exceptional riding and driving ease, and its brilliant, yet thrifty performance, the new Dictator Six is a notable addition to Studebaker's family of championship cars. In every respect it is worthy to assume the place of its predecessor, whose achievement in traveling 5,000 miles in 4751 consecutive minutes has remained unchallenged as a standard of performance and stamina for stock cars priced below \$1,300.

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**Shall We Have A
State Income Tax?**

Governor Dan Moody of Texas has suggested that the Legislature give some time to the study of the income tax system as applied to raising money for Government expense. The suggestion of the governor carries with it the condition that property be relieved of the ad valorem tax now assessed against it.

It is patent to every thinking citizen that the taxing system of the State is not fitted to present conditions. The basis for taxation was fixed at a time when about the only property in existence was real estate. Since that time we have found new things to tax, such as corporations, intangible values etc., but even so, a large amount of wealth escapes taxation altogether. There are many citizens with comfortable incomes claiming and receiving the protection of the Government, who pay very little or nothing at all toward the maintenance of the Government and its institutions, except such indirect taxes as may be assessed from which there is no escape. As a result, farmers, small home owners and others with tangible property are paying an unjust share of Government expense. This fact, apparent to all, is in itself a justification for a general revision of our assessing and taxing methods.

The suggestion of an income tax has not met with the hearty approval of many of our citizens. There are some, of course, who object to paying any kind of tax, but there are others who are voicing their disapproval of this method of raising revenue on grounds which appear to them to be reasonable. We do not know just what Constitutional provision, if any, stands in the way of assessing a tax on income. If that form is desirable, the Constitution can be amended. But is it desirable in theory? Is the most equitable form of taxation. The United States Government through the income tax has been able to meet its war obligations and retire many millions in indebtedness. The uncertainty and bother which first made this tax so unpopular has been partly removed by the simplification of the blanks and a better understanding of what it is all about. But, would a State income tax prove to be as practically perfect as it appears to be theoretically? Would it merely serve to increase taxes without equalizing the tax burden? Would it prove to be a double taxation on many who are already paying their

just share? Or would our lawmakers wisely and conscientiously take into consideration every factor which enters into a just distribution of the cost of Government?

Farm and Ranch does not undertake to answer these questions at this time. We are inclined to the belief that there would be very little opposition to a State income tax if taxpayers could be assured that all taxes would be equitably assessed, and that every citizen would be called upon for his share in the support of the Government, according to his ability to pay for the benefits received.—Farm and Ranch.

Mrs. Mack Wilson is in San Antonio visiting with her parents of that city.

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Mrs. Newt Harkey, of Breckenridge, spent the first of the week in Spur visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hyatt, and other relatives and friends of the city.

Luther Karr of the Espuela community, was on the streets Tuesday of this week, transacting business affairs and meeting with his many friends.

Uncle Bill Cherry of south of Spur, came in Tuesday, spending a few hours here trading and on other business. He reports every thing o. k. out his way.

Henry Elkins, of New York, is here spending the summer vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins. Henry is employed with one of the largest telephone systems of the world, in New York office.

Attorney B. G. Worswick, wife and daughter, Miss Bennie, returned the past week from an extended vacation trip to California and other points of interest.

F. B. Crockett recently attended the "Hatchermans" convention in Oklahoma city. His report of the convention was brief, merely stating that they had a "most hilarious time."

L. N. Riter and John King Jr., returned the past week from El Paso where they visited with his daughter-in-law and children. They made the trip through the country in an automobile.

Mrs. S. B. Scott and family spent the 4th in Abilene, returning by Anson, where they spent a few days visiting with relatives and friends.

Clarence Knight, an old acquaintance of twenty five or thirty years ago, visited with us Monday, in passing through Spur. He is now traveling salesman for the Intertype—and we, of course, had to purchase some new equipment for the shop.

Buren Smith, of the Dry Lake community, was in the city Wednesday.

**Local Business Man
Endorses It**

**Says Orgatone Restored His Health
When Everything Else Had
Failed**

T. H. Martin, who owns and operates a shoe shop at 809 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas, and who resides on Ave. H. 1934, talks interestingly of the benefits he has derived from Orgatone. In a conversation with the Orgatone representative, he said:

"I was in a general rundown condition and have had a severe chronic case of stomach trouble and indigestion for a long time, was in such a low-spirited, run down condition my life was miserable. I had no appetite and could hardly eat anything unless I was troubled afterward with severe bloating spells and gas that formed on my stomach. I was constipated and was forced to take strong laxative most all the time.

"I am getting wonderful results since taking Orgatone. Doctors told me I would have to be operated on for gall trouble but Orgatone has saved me from this. It, to my notion, has saved me hundreds of dollars and a lot of suffering. I eat anything I want and it does not bother me at all. Gas does not form on my stomach any more and I eat anything I want now and it does not form on my stomach any more and I have improved with every dose till I feel now like nothing ever was the matter with me. I sleep and rest fine and am not nervous anymore. I will praise Orgatone for what it has done for me and I am telling all my friends about it. I am more than glad to give this statement for it has certainly made me feel like a new person."

Genuine Orgatone is not a so-called patent or secret remedy but a new scientific bile treatment containing no alcohol or other false stimulating drug and is sold in Spur by the Spur Drug Company who are direct laboratory agents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Akin of Dickens, returned this week from a vacation trip to El Paso and over the Old Mexico line into Jaurez. Mr. Akin reports a most enjoyable trip, so much so that he intends to also attend the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention to be held in El Paso in October.

**Congress Could Help
If It Would**

Industry, other than agriculture and related lines, has thrived under the protective tariff policy. Agriculture, of late years due to surplus production of some commodities, and competition on other products from growers in other parts of the world, has declined as a profit-producing industry. The farmers of this country have been forced to buy in a protected market and sell in open competition with producers in foreign countries. These conditions have brought distress to the basic industry of the Nation. The artificial handicap thus imposed on the producers of our food and fiber has been declared an economic crime. It is so recognized by millions of our population. The two great political parties, representing, as they do, the leaders in all affairs of Government, declared for economic equality as between the producers of raw material and other industry. To carry out his pledge to agriculture; President Hoover called a special session of Congress for the sole purpose of bringing the best thought of the Nation to bear upon the question of farm relief. But what will Congress do about it? At this writing it is problematical.

Congress seems to be agreed up on the creation of a farm board with an available fund of a half billion of dollars for the purpose of encouraging co-operative selling and caring for surplus production. On other measures necessary to the permanency of the relief thus granted there seems to be a wide difference of opinion. Without an equitable adjustment of the tariff, this half billion dollars will dwindle away and another large appropriation will have to be made if the farce is to be continued until after the next election. It means temporary relief only.

Farmers are not asking for a bonus, but for economic justice, and this cannot be had so long as their products are on the free list and the products of other industry protected.

Every big industry seems to be willing to give the farmer protection just so long as it does not call for any sacrifice of advantages now possessed by it. It is all right to put a small tariff on hides, the most of which will go into the till of the packer, but the tariff must be doubled on leather and shoes, which the farmer must buy. A proposed tariff on cotton is agreeable to the manufacturers and distributors of jute of which 1,160,000,000 yards are imported annually, is revolutionary, according to those interested in that industry.

Jute displaces cotton. It puts the American cotton grower in competition with labor which works eighty one hours a week at 10c to 15c a day and under these conditions the manufacturers of jute products, mostly Americans who have moved their mills to India, make an annual profit of 50 to 54 per cent. Notwithstanding this opportunity to give protection to the cotton industry which has been responsible for this nation's balance of trade for many years, influence brought to bear on our lawmakers seems sufficient to prevent any change in present conditions. We have a similar situation with reference to vegetable oils and a large number of other foreign products which come into open competition with American farm commodities or which can and are used as substitutes.

Congress could if it would, adjust the tariff schedule so that it would be fair to all, but Congress can never do this without incurring opposition of other industrial interests, powerful in money and influence.

There are enough farmers and friends of farmers in this country to control Congress and to elect a President, but will the South and the West, where agriculture predominates, ever forge minor political differences and join hands in a fight for economic justice?—Farm and Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Proctor of Los Angeles, California, and Mrs. A. E. Bell, of Snyder, Texas, are here visiting their brothers, H. C. and John Aston and family.

John Aston, of the Plains community, was in Spur Saturday meeting with his friends and buying supplies of Spur merchants.

Billy Bryant, formerly of Spur, but now manager of the Bryant-Link establishment at Hamlin, was in Spur Tuesday and Wednesday, looking after business affairs and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Link.

T. M. Green, of Dickens, was in Spur Tuesday.

**TRY OUR CHICKEN DINNERS
HIGHWAY CAFE
THEY ARE BETTER!**

**SPUR FARM LANDS
AGAIN OFFERED
FOR SALE**

We are glad to announce that we are again offering for sale (at no increase in price) farm and small ranch tracts in Dickens, Kent, Crosby and Garza Counties.

Terms: One-fifth cash.
Balance on easy terms.

S. M. SWENSON & SONS
CLIFFORD B. JONES, Manager

J. T. BILBERRY, TRANSFER

PHONE 169 RESIDENCE 279m

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**Clemmons Insurance Agency
"The Old Reliable"**

Spur, Texas

INSURANCE LOANS BONDS

READY FOR VACATION

An automobile that might give way in a critical moment is a misery to your trips. Have your car put in ship-shape readiness by

HOWE
HE KNOWS HOW!

LUBBOCK to STAMFORD

NEW RATES AND NEW SCHEDULES
New Low Rate on all Cars East after September 1st

TEXAS MOTOR WAYS, Inc.

Main Office, Lubbock Texas —Ed. C. Abbott, Pres. —Phone 123

Eastbound		Westbound				
Read Down	Read Up	Read Down	Read Up			
7:45	12:00	5:00	LUBBOCK	3:30	8:30	10:15
8:20	12:25	5:30	Idalou	2:55	7:50	9:40
8:40	12:55	6:00	Lorenzo	2:35	7:35	9:20
9:00	1:15	6:30	Ralls	2:00	7:15	9:00
9:30	1:40	7:00	Crosbyton	1:40	6:55	8:20
10:30	2:40	7:30	Dickens	1:20	6:05	7:20
11:00	3:00	7:50	Spur	12:00	5:30	7:00
11:30	3:30	8:00	Girard	11:30	5:05	
11:45	3:45	8:15	Jayton	11:15	4:50	
12:10	4:10	8:30	Peacock	10:50	4:25	
12:25	4:25	8:45	Swenson	10:35	4:10	
12:45	4:45	9:00	Aspermont	10:05	3:50	
1:10	5:10	9:15	Old Glory	9:50	3:35	
1:25	5:25	9:30	Sagerton	9:35	3:20	
2:00	6:00	9:45	Stamford	9:00	2:45	

Dark figures denote P. M. Time; Light figures A. M. Time
Through parlor coaches, reasonable fares...Local passengers carried between all points...Many other local schedules. Operating under state regulations—insured coaches—careful drivers.

Two through coaches daily, no changes. Direct connections: At Stamford for—Albany, Breckenridge, Ft. Worth, Cisco, Abilene, Austin. At Lubbock for—Post, Sweetwater, Tahoka, Lamesa, Big Spring, Midland, Brownfield, Levelland, Roswell, Littlefield, Clovis, Plainview, Amarillo, Denver. At Ralls, 9:00 a. m. and 2:00 p. m., for—Floydada, Matador, Paducah, Crowell, Vernon, Quanah, Childress, Altus, Oklahoma City, and other Oklahoma points.

DEPOT: Lubbock—Union Bus Terminal, phone 123. Spur—Bell's Cafe, phone 13. Ralls—Bus Terminal. Stamford—Bus Terminal, phone 723.

BURDEN BEARERS

In the past decade the rapidly climbing cost of government has annually called for more and more funds from the tax payer. This is a tremendous burden and any assistance in carrying it should be appreciated.

The Electric Light and Power Companies are among the heaviest taxpayers of the country and are carrying a great part of this burden of government. Here are interesting figures:

A Federal census shows the Electric Light and Power Companies paid \$6.00 in taxes out of every \$100 of their gross income. This was greater than any other public utility. The total amount which they paid was \$73,773,000. These figures were for the year 1922, the last covered by the federal census. It is estimated that Electric Light and Power Companies last year paid \$150,000,000 in all forms of taxes. This amounts to \$8 per family.


IF ALL OF THESE PLANTS WERE PUBLICLY OWNED AND TAX FREE, EVERY FAMILY IN THE UNITED STATES WOULD HAVE AN \$8 TAX BOOST ALONE TO MAKE UP THE DEFICIT CREATED BY CUTTING OFF THE PRESENT SOURCE OF INCOME.

And the West Texas Utilities Company helps to carry the tax burden in West Texas. It is one of the heaviest tax payers in every city, town and county in which it operates.

**West Texas Utilities
Company**

W. P. NUGENT & CO.
GENERAL CONTRACTORS
Estimates made on all classes of work
WE GUARANTEE SATISFACTION

FELT BAD AFTER EATING



"Four years ago, I suffered with heartburn and bilious indigestion. Whatever I ate disagreed with me. Gas on my stomach made me very uncomfortable. My tongue was coated and my color was bad. I needed a good laxative, and so my mother-in-law gave me some Black-Draught and told me to take it. I found it helped me very much, so I bought it for myself. Seems it was the very thing I needed. It is a fine family remedy, and I use it when I need something for constipation.

"I also give Black-Draught to my children whenever they need something for colds or upset stomachs. Our whole family takes Black-Draught."—Mrs. G. C. Leary, 103 North Alston Ave., Durham, N. C.

BLACK-DRAUGHT
for Constipation, Indigestion, Biliousness
WOMEN who need a tonic should take CARDUL Used over 50 years. 6-142

R. B. Niese, Jr., manager of the advertising and publicity department of the West Texas Utilities Company, was in Spur Monday in the interest of the company. Mr. Niese is an old newspaper man, having formerly edited daily newspapers in other states, and occupied the city editorial chair on the Houston Post-Dispatch and Dallas daily. The publicity and advertising department of the West Texas Utilities Company is of extensive proportions and only a man of wide experience and newspaper ability could fill the place.

Dr. Bannen, Geo. S. Link, Roy Stovall are leaving tomorrow for Arizona to fish.

R. C. Forbis & Co.
CATTLE AND RANCHES FOR SALE
Office with W. D. WILSON over Spur National Bank Spur, Texas

LOOK
Can put Piano and Player Piano or Talking Machine in your home on Easy Terms
B. C. YOUNG
General Delivery, Spur, Tex.

C. L. Love, of the Love Dry Goods Company, returned this week from an absence of several weeks spent in Borger looking after business interests and in New Mexico visiting with his sister and assisting her in the settlement of an estate, following the death of her husband. After leaving Spur and before arriving in Borger, Mr. Love, who was accompanied by his daughters, Mesdames Russell and Gorham, experienced an automobile wreck in which a wheel was crashed and the car overturned several times. However the occupants of the car escaped with slight injuries.

Guy Speck, formerly of Spur but now manager of Bryant-Link Co. at Anson, was greeting his friends here Tuesday and Wednesday, being among those here attending the meeting of Bryant-Link Co. managers from the several stores over West Texas.

Spring Time
IS THE TIME TO LOOK OVER YOUR SCREENS
Replace those that are worn out, or repair those that will still give you service.
We carry a complete stock of Screen Doors, Screen Wire, Mouldings, and can secure ready-made Window Screens on very short notice.
Tri-County Lumber Co.

Unable to Work For 5 Years: Finds Sargon

"Sargon did more for me than all other medicines I ever took." "I was dreadfully run-down, and suffered from rheumatism continually. My joints were so stiff I could not raise my arms. I would be ex-



E. P. RUSSELL

hausted if I walked a city block. I had not been able to do a day's work in five years. My system was full of poisons and I suffered from constipation and bilious headaches. "I started taking Sargon and began improving at once and now my rheumatism is better than it has been in years. Sargon Soft Mass Pills overcame my constipation and the bilious headaches, and I feel wonderfully strengthened and helped in every way. "I believe I will soon be able to go out and work with the best of them." The above statement was made by E. P. Russell, 1318 Royal Street, Dallas. Sargon may be obtained in Spur at the Red Front Drug Store. Buster Bural, of Antelope, was in town Wednesday. The Antelope community, it is reported, recently had about one-half inch of rain which is holding crops up for the next big rain expected soon.

THE THREE MUSKETEERS

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

A romantic expression of the spirit of cooperation—a spirit that always leads to achievement.

It is in this spirit we wish to regulate all our relations with our depositors and the citizens of this territory.

THE BANK OF FRIENDLY SERVICE
LARGE ENOUGH TO SERVE YOU—SMALL ENOUGH TO KNOW AND STRONG ENOUGH TO PROTECT YOU



E. C. EDMONDS, President JAS. B. REED, Cashier

BRAZELTON LUMBER COMPANY
A Good Yard in a Good Town

PIGGLY--WIGGLY
"All Over The World"
SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

LARD 8 pound pail \$1.07	K. C. Baking Pdw. (50 oz.) .. .39
BORAX Wash. Pdw., 10 box .39	LYE Babbit's, per can10
Chrystal White Soap, 10 bars .39	LEMONS (Ice Tea) per doz. .27
CORN Our Darling, No. 1 .. .10	MJB COFFEE 1 lb. can .51
FANCY BELL PEPPER, lb., .10	MJB COFFEE 3lb. can 1.52
COMET RICE, 2lb. box, 2 for .45	MAYONAISE Henard's pint .33
CRAX Saltine, 2lb. box39	SUGAR Pure Cane, 25lb. 1.52

Meat Market Specials

Wilson Picnic Hams lb. 21c	Baked Loaf, Pimento Loaf or Ocean Loaf, per lb., 35c
Cured Ham, Sliced, per lb., ... 40c	Fresh Liver (fine with onions) .15c
Bed Ham, Sliced, pound, 50c	PORK SAUSAGE, fresh 25c
1/2 lb. box Wilson Sliced Bacon, 20c	Fleischmann's Yeast, 4 for 15c
LONGHORN CHEESE, lb. 30c	

Our quality of meats cannot be beat. If you are figuring on a party or picnic, let us supply your meat needs. If you are hot and thirsty, come down as we now have installed a cold water fountain. It is free, also have plenty of sanitary drinking cups. We have plenty of parking space at the rear of our store.

CLEAN, MODERN SERVICE

Joe Gaines and children returned this week from a visit to relatives and friends in Red River county and Eastern Oklahoma. Joe reports a most pleasant visit, meeting with many of his old time friends and school mates.

Mrs. Lera Mateer, who has been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Albin, returned Wednesday to her home in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Albin and daughters, Miss Nellie B., and Mrs. Stotts accompanied her to Roaring Springs to board the train. Mrs. Mateer taught the past year as substitute in the Oklahoma City Schools, and has been employed as one of the regular teachers for the coming terms. Before her marriage, Mrs. Mateer taught in the Lubbock Schools having resigned the place upon her marriage and removal to Oklahoma City.

Miss Faye Post, who has been in Spur visiting with her grand mother, Mrs. D. G. Hisey, left this week for Amarillo where she will visit with Wes Hisey and family, before returning to her home in Waco.

J. A. Legg, of the Croton section of country, was conversing with his friends and trading in Spur Tuesday of this week.

To Have Your Clothes Cleaned and Pressed According to Hoyle
BRING THEM TO
Quality Cleaners
OTTO MOTT, Prop.

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

Highest Market prices paid for Hogs and Cows!
ALSO HAVE A FEW GOOD MILK COWS FOR SALE OR TRADE.
JOE COLLIER
SPUR, TEXAS

Genuine **BAYER ASPIRIN**

SAY "BAYER ASPIRIN" and INSIST!
Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for
Colds, Headache, Neuritis, Lumbago, Pain, Neuralgia, Toothache, Rheumatism

DOES NOT AFFECT THE HEART

Safe Accept Only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists.

Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monocrotonester of Salicylic Acid

YOUNG LADY OF DEER LAKE UNDERGOES A SUCCESSFUL OPERATION AT NICHOLS SANITARIUM SATURDAY

Miss Virginia Adkinson, sixteen years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Adkinson, of the Deer Lake community, underwent a successful operation for appendicitis Saturday at the Nichols Sanitarium in Spur. Friends of the family will be glad to learn that Miss Adkinson is now reported doing nicely and recovering very satisfactorily to physicians and nurses.

MRS. COLLIER ENTERTAINED FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. Faust Collier was a charming and gracious hostess to members of the Friday Afternoon Club last Friday at her home in West Spur. 42 was the entertaining feature, and among the guests were Mesdames C. L. Love, L. R. Barrett, W. C. Gruben, W. T. Andrews, M. E. Manning, James B. Reed, E. A. Russell, Chas. Whitener, W. F. Godfrey, J. P. Carson and Page Gollihar.

ENTERTAINED WITH A BIRTHDAY DINNER

Miss Olea Bilberry honored Mr. Rigby Self with a birthday dinner Sunday, July 7th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bilberry. Those present were Misses Juanita Weaver, Thelma Hooper, Dora Messer, and Messrs. Rigby Self, Bailey Matsler, Clifton Clark, Roy Harris and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Bilberry, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Weaver and the hostess, Miss Olea Bilberry. Little Miss Dorothy Hooper presented the presents to Mr. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Edmonds are in Fort Worth visiting with Mrs. Edmonds' mother, Mrs. G. H. Connell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mort Smith last week visited with relatives in Crosbyton.

Ted Darden, of Girard, was in Spur Wednesday.

MESDAMES NED AND CEPHUS HOGAN ENTERTAINED WITH FOURTH OF JULY PARTY

On the evening of the Fourth of July, Mesdames Ned and Cephus Hogan were hostesses to members of the Friday Afternoon and Blue Bonnett Clubs and other guests at the home of Mrs. Ned Hogan. A patriotic scheme was followed in the tallies, table preparation and decorations throughout the rooms. Among guests enjoying the evening were Messrs. and Mesdames W. D. Wilson, Chas. Whitener, Roy Harkley, A. C. Hull, W. T. Andrews, E. L. Caraway, C. B. Jones, Joe Kellam, W. B. Lee, M. E. and Wm Manning, James B. Reed, Shirley Robbins, H. O. Everts, James Smith, F. W. Jennings, Tom Dickey, P. C. Nichols, T. H. Blackwell, A. B. Vaughn, and Mesdames Sol Davis, Geo. M. Williams, C. L. Love, Artie Daniels, Lura Glasgow, A. Hogan and Miss Virginia Forbis.

MRS. B. F. HALE ENTERTAINED SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Monday evening Mrs. B. F. Hale entertained members of her Sunday school class at her home on Burlington Avenue. Varied games and contests were enjoyed, after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Morris Collett, Dot Lisenby, Dudley Wooten, Geraldine Morgan, Lenoy Hazel, S. M. Newberry, Holly and Ray Dickson.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all of the kind friends and neighbors, that were so good to come and help with our Mother in her last illness; and the kind words that were spoken, May Gods blessing rest upon each of you is our wish.—Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wyley Cooty, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Quisenberry, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Quisenberry, Mr. Otis Quisenberry, Mrs. A. Fry, sister.

Miss Cooper, of Girard, was among the shoppers in Spur the past week end.

THE STATE OF TEXAS

To the Sheriff or any Constable of Dickens County—GREETING: You are hereby commanded, that you summon by making Publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Dickens if there be a newspaper published therein, but if not, then in the nearest County where a newspaper is published, one in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, Ira Swan whose residence is unknown, to be and appear before the Hon. District Court, at the next regular term thereof, to be holden in the County of Dickens on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1929 at the Court House thereof in Dickens, Texas, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court, on the 3rd day of July A. D. 1929, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1061, wherein Mrs. Naomi Swan, is plaintiff and Ira Swan, is defendant. The nature of the plaintiffs demand being as follows, to-wit:

Plaintiff alleges abandonment and adultery.

Herein Fail Not, And have you before said Court, on the said first day of the next term thereof, this Writ with your endorsement thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Dickens this, the 3rd. day of July A. D. 1929. ROBT. REYNOLDS, Clerk Dist. Court, Dickens County, Texas. 37-4c.

Mrs. J. N. Duke and daughter, of DeLeon, are in the city visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Stockton.

Mrs. S. J. Ousley, of Abilene, is in the city visiting Eric Ousley and family and D. D. Dunwoody and family.

Mr. Owsley, district manager for the West Texas Utilities Company, was in Spur Tuesday, looking after the company interests of this section.

J. W. Hickman, of near Spur, was in the city Tuesday morning, trading and meeting with business friends of the city.

V. T. Sanders and family returned Thursday to their home in Hubbard, after visiting his brother, Ray Sanders and family.

Lee Sanders was here Wednesday from Albany, making final arrangements in the establishment of a new pharmacy in Spur, and also visiting with his brothers, Ray and V. T. Sanders.

Chesley Speck is in Spur this week.

J. T. Bilerry returned Thursday from Mineral Wells where he has been, taking treatments for rheumatism. He is improved, but still he has to have crutches in walking.

J. B. Morrison was in the city Tuesday from his farm and ranch to the southwest of Spur.

W. J. Elliot was in the city the first of the week from his Spring Creek farm and ranch.

Homer Cargile and family are in New Mexico spending a two weeks vacation visiting with relatives. During Homer's absence Cal Martin is holding down the M System business with the aid of his son and wife.

F. W. Jennings, president of the Spur Rotary Club, and W. D. Starcher attended the Rotary meeting Monday and Tuesday at Sweetwater.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CITY NATIONAL BANK OF SPUR, IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON JUNE 29, 1929.

RESOURCES	
1. Loans and discounts	\$318,988.47
2. United States Government securities owned	90,050.00
3. Other bonds, stocks, and securities owned	6,033.88
4. Banking house \$7,000.00; Furniture and fixtures, \$3,700	10,700.00
5. Real estate owned other than banking house	22,078.39
6. Reserve with Federal Reserve Bank	25,661.39
7. Cash and due from banks	26,330.48
8. Redemption fund with U.S. Treas & due from U.S. Treas.	500.00
Total	\$500,342.61

LIABILITIES	
15 Capital stock paid in	\$40,000.00
16 Surplus	25,000.00
17 Undivided profits—net	1,235.93
20 Circulating notes outstanding	10,000.00
21 Due banks including certified and cashiers checks outstanding	3,389.32
22 Demand deposits	359,602.86
23 Time deposits	6,120.00
26 Bills payable and rediscounts	54,994.50
Total	\$500,342.61

State of Texas, County of Dickens, ss:—I, James B. Reed, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.—JAMES B. REED, Cashier. Correct—Attest: E. C. Edmonds, C. Hogan, C. L. Martin, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of July, 1929.—Birl Hight, Notary Public.

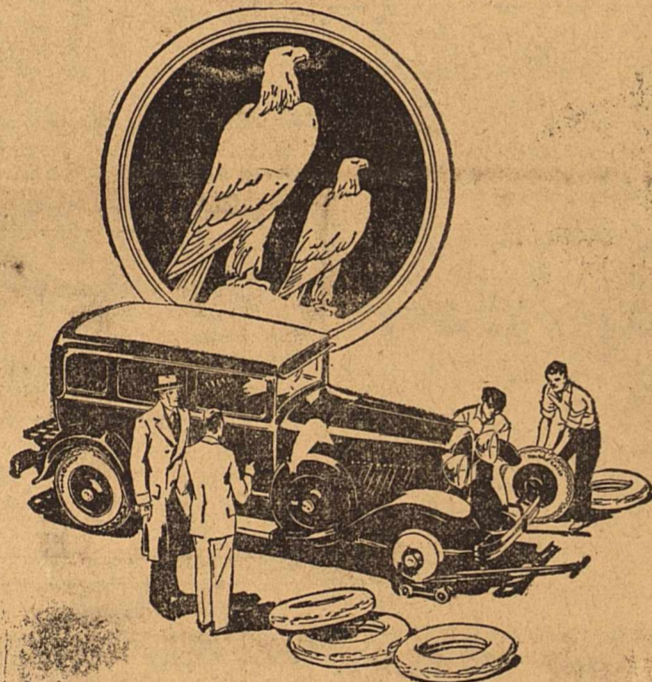
C. R. Edwards and family left Monday for Russell, Mississippi, where they will spend three weeks visiting with his relatives in the oil Mississippi home. The trip is being made through the country in their car. During the absence of Mr. Edwards, the C. R. Edwards & Co. store will be under the management of Mrs. E. L. Adams, and Messrs. Meyers, Joe Gaines and Joe Crystal—and they are pushing the big gigantic summer clearance sale of all merchandise.

Rev. F. G. Rogers is attending the Luaders Baptist Encampment, while Mrs. Rogers and children are visiting with relatives out of the city.

J. D. Powell has resigned his place as local sales agent for the Oakland and Pontiac cars.

Tom Cross was in the city Tuesday, reporting crop conditions good in his section.

JUNK METALS
We pay top prices for Junk Metals, Aluminum, Copper, Brass, etc., Old Radiators and Batteries. SPUR AUTO WRECKING CO.



LEAVING ON A TRIP

YOU'RE probably going on another long trip this Summer in your car. You'd like to enjoy it without even a stop for a puncture.

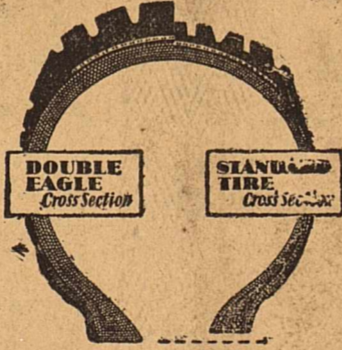
You're going to hit all sorts of roads, and probably will travel pretty fast at times. You want to ride with the greatest safety and comfort possible.

I'm writing you a "prescription," therefore, against all worry about tires until you finally trade in your car, and I hope you'll take it.

It calls for a set of the new Goodyear Double Eagle Tires. (I'll be glad to accept your present tires in trade.)

These are the finest tires that the world's largest rubber company can build when costs are totally disregarded.

Can I show you these tires?—I'll be glad to bring one over, or to have you drop in soon to see them.



Notice the practically double thick All-Weather Tread. But there's more than this to Double Eagles. Every ounce of material in them is the finest that the world's largest rubber company has yet been able to perfect.

GOODYEAR DOUBLE EAGLES

We also have heavy duty and regular Goodyear All-Weathers and Goodyear Pathfinders at lower prices.

GODFREY & SMART SPUR TEXAS

A Pioneer Store

We have weathered the storm of many years in Spur, and are alive to the many changes that come and go.

WE HAVE NEVER SACRIFICED THE QUALITY FOR THE SAKE OF 'CATCH PENNY' TRADE! We are holding to the policy that better grades are cheaper.

GET THESE PRICES—SEE FOR YOURSELF

MEN'S TAN OXFORDS
to close out
\$10 oxfords, \$5.95
\$7.50 oxfords at \$4.65
\$7 oxfords for \$4.55
\$6.50 for \$4.10
\$6.00 oxfords for \$3.95

Misses
PLAIN SILK SOCKS
sizes 8 1/2 to 10, 65c values
FOR 49c

MISSES SOCKS
50c grade for
39c

35 MEN'S & YOUNG MENS SUMMER SUITS
to close—choice for
\$14.95

WE SELL YOU THE BEST
SILK HOSE FOR LADIES
at the price of
\$1.00
That the market produces—
See the line.

Men's and Youths' CAPS
\$3.50 caps for \$2.69
\$3 for \$2.48
\$2.50 for \$1.85
\$1.75 for \$1.39
\$1.25 caps for 98c

15 dozen Ladies RAYON HOSE
Perfect weaves, standard grade
50c

A new shipment of 2-PIECE UNDERWEAR
the new black and white effects, in 14c make—have the new top bands that make them fit and look better.

Ladies Extra Size SUMMER UNIONS
\$1.00 value for
89c
LADIES AS ABOVE, EXTRA SIZE
65c value for
48c

Ladies Summer Unions
75c for 53c

50 Ladies CHOICE HATS
just the wanted kind for present wear
CHOICE, 98c



GIVE US A CALL AND LET US SHOW YOU THE MERCHANDISE FOR PRICE AND QUALITY—WE ARE SURE YOU WILL APPRECIATE OUR EFFORTS IN PRODUCING YOU THESE VALUES.

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MERCHANDISE OF QUALITY. SPUR, TEXAS