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**Announcements**

The Texas Spur is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

- For Congress 19th District:  
ARTHUR P. DUGGAN  
CLARK MULLICAN  
GEORGE H. MAHON
- For Representative 118th District:  
LEONARD WESTFALL  
JOE A. MERRITT  
(Re-election)
- For District Judge 110th District:  
KENNETH BAIN  
(Re-election)  
A. J. FOLLEY
- For District Attorney:  
ALTON B. CHAPMAN  
TONY B. MAXEY
- For District Clerk:  
MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD  
(re-election)
- For County Judge:  
JIM CLOUD  
(Re-election)
- For County Attorney:  
V. J. CAMPBELL  
L. D. RATLIFF
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:  
W. B. (Bill) ARTHUR  
(re-election)  
W. B. (Webber) WILLIAMS  
JOHNNIE KOONSMAN
- For County Clerk:  
OSCAR L. KELLEY  
FRED ARRINGTON  
MRS. NEAL FOWLER  
(re-election)
- For County Treasurer:  
MRS. NANNIE COBB  
(re-election)  
MRS. HATTIE TURVIN  
ALICE G. MURPHREE  
R. E. (Elzie) HOLLY
- For County Commissioner Pre. No. 1:  
R. E. SLOUGH  
AUSTIN ROSE  
(re-election)  
HORACE D. NICKELS
- For County Commissioner Pre. No. 2:  
E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON  
(re-election)  
A. K. McALLISTER
- For County Commissioner Pre No. 3:  
W. F. FCREMAN  
(re-election)  
FOREST MARTIN
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:  
R. E. ROGERS
- Justice Peace Precinct Number 3:  
W. M. MALONE  
(re-election)
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:  
C. P. AUFILL  
(re-election)
- Public Weigher Precinct No. 2:  
GASTON JACKSON  
RICHARD VARNELL
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 3:  
G. W. RASH  
(Re-election)

**RECEPTION**

One of the prettiest parties of the season was given Friday evening by Miss Gerinne Cooner at the home of Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols, for Rev. and Mrs. M. F. Ewton.

The spacious living room was decorated with large vases of red carnations and pot plants.

In the receiving line were Dr. and Mrs. Nichols, Miss Cooner, Rev. and Mrs. Ewton and Mrs. Engleman. Miss Stella Cooner received the ladies in the bedroom to dispose of their wraps, while little Lavis Lee and Jeane Engleman received the gentlemen's hats and overcoats. Mrs. E. S. Lee seated the guests in the living room.

After matching clover leaf partners they were seated. All participated in singing the song "Smile." After many good laughs the following program was rendered:

Mrs. J. H. Henry and Mrs. R. E. Dickson so graciously sang, "Fleeting Hour."

Song and reading by Lavis Lee and Jeane Engleman.

Reading, "The Newly Weds" by Mrs. Nell Henry.

Accordion solos, by Miss Richter.

After the program many interesting contests and games were played such as "Music Lovers", "Motor Romance". The couple making the highest grade was Miss Pratt and Joe Long. As they proved to be the most intelligence of the crowd they were called upon for a song, they sang as a duet, "Down By The Old Mill Stream".

The crowd was then divided into six groups, paper sacks were handed the captains, they were to blow them up and popped and the contents adjusted by the group. This caused much merriment.

After several other joyful games we were favored again with more music by Miss Richter on her accordion and Mrs. Granberry gave several numbers on the piano.

Miss Cooner assisted by her sisters, Miss Stella Cooner and Mrs. E. S. Lee and Mrs. Engleman in serving refreshments of salad, olives, angel food squares and coffee with clover leaf favors to the following guests:

Rev. and Mrs. Ewton, Messrs. and Mesdames Engleman, F. G. Collier, J. P. Carson, O L Kelley, Bill Putnam, M. D. Ivey, James B. Reed, Alton Chapman, H. P. Schrim

Lonnie Lewis left Sunday for Ft. Worth where he spent several days attending to business.

Mrs. Birdie Jones and Larry Booth spent last week end in Lubbock.

"Sis" Rose of Jayton has accepted a position with the Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., Spur office as day operator.

Mr and Mrs. Basil Cairns of the Paddle Ranch, 25 miles south in Kent County, were Spur business visitors Tuesday.

Bob Rucker of Hot Springs, N. M. spent several days in Spur last week visiting his sister and brother, Mrs. Wilkie Bumpus, Monk and Lem Rucker.

Joe Rose of Afton was a business visitor in Spur Saturday.

sher, J. W. Henry, Roy Stovall, E. S. Lee; Mesdames A. M. Walker, W. R. Weaver, Thad Murley, D. L. Granberry, R. E. Dickson; Misses Clara Pratt, Rachel Langston, Jane Douglas Wilson, Richter, Stella Cooner, Lavis Lee, Jeane Engle-horesses.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this means of expressing our appreciation for the many kind deeds and every assistance rendered by our neighbors, friends and the attending physician during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother, and for the beautiful floral offering and every kindness.

When the testing time comes may your friends and neighbors be as loyal and true.

Blessings be upon you,  
W. M. Austin  
Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Haney  
Austin Proctor.

**MRS. TOM DICKEY ENTERTAINED FRIDAY AFTERNOON**

A very enjoyable occasion was the lovely party given by Mrs. Tom Dickey, Friday afternoon, March 2. Members of the F. A. Club and several other invited guests were in attendance.

The tally cards, score pads and refreshment plate carried out the St. Patrick scheme, "84" was enjoyed by all present.

After much merriment delicious refreshments were served to the following guests:

Mesdames B. F. Hale, Jim Foster, Roy Stovall, W. R. Weaver, S. H. Twaddell, J. P. Carson, Horten Barrett, Acie Bailey, Ned Hogan, Jas. B. Reed, Fred Jennings, M. C. Golding, R. C. Forbis, C. L. Love, H. P. Gibson, Homer Schrimsher, Nellie Davis, Tom Johnson, P. C. Nichols, J. E. Morris, E. L. Caraway, W. S. Campbell, C. H. McCulley, W. R. Lewis, Neal Chastain, Fred C. Hale, E. B. Daniels and Miss Maude Bailey.

**MRS. L. D. RATLIFF HONORED WITH SHOWER**

A very pretty party and most enjoyable social affair was that on Monday afternoon when Presbyterian Church Ladies entertained with a miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. L. D. Ratliff at the home of Mrs. Roy Stovall on West Harris Street.

After a social hour spent in animated conversation and admiring the lovely gifts, pound cake and tea were served those present and enjoying the afternoon: Mesdames T. K. Posey, Sam Clemmons, Cap McNeil, Bill Dorsey, Ray Sanders, Dick Speer, Fred Haile, Frank Goff, S. H. Twaddell, F. W. Jennings, C. L. Love, Roy Stovall, Alton Chapman, Meadows, Miss Eva Murphy. Those sending presents were Mesdames E. A. Russell, S. R. Bowman, Thad Murley, J. P. Carson and Dorothy, J. L. Rosamond, James McCormick, M. W. Chapman, Geo. S. Link, Pat Watson, Coy McMahan, W. H. Suddeth, and Miss Sarah McNeil.

Friends of the family will be very pleased to learn that Miss Anna Mae Hale is reported as improving under the care and treatment received at the sanatorium in El Paso, where she has been the past several weeks.

Burl Harrington and daughter, Mrs. Sadie Dodson and baby, of Lovington, New Mexico, spent several days in Spur this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Harrington.

**HELEN HALE ENTERTAINS WITH PARTY FRIDAY EVE.**

Miss Helen Hale was a charming hostess to the younger set Friday evening at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Hale on North Burlington Ave, entertaining in honor of Norris Russell a former member of the gang, who recently moved with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Russell to Seymour and who was here for a week end visit with friends.

After the usual fun and amusement a very delicious refreshment plate carrying sandwich, olives, angel food cake and fresh strawberry punch was served by Mrs. Hale to the following guest:

Misses Isabelle Campbell, Mary Louise Lisenby, Nell Arthur, Billie Burke Hisey, Francis Morris; Messrs Bill Caraway, Norton Barrett, Johny Nichols, Sylvan Golding, Fred Taylor, honor guest Norris Russell and hostess Helen Hale.

Mrs. E. C. Bailey, of Red Mud, was a business visitor in town last week and while here called in and had us place her name on our subscription list, stating that she liked to have the news of the county both social and political as well as the business news. Thanks Mrs. Bailey call again, we appreciate your visit and hope you enjoy the Texas Spur the coming year.

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A card from Mrs. H. Alexander of the Henry Alexander store says, "You'll like the new spring things I'm buying in the Chicago market," Mrs. Alexander will return home this week. Mr. Alexander having gone to Dallas Tuesday to meet and accompany her home.

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Bill Powers, Cecil Wolfe and Morris Lane, students in Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent last week end in Spur with homefolks.

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11:25	2:55	1.75	Swenson		1:75
11:50	3:20	2.00	Aspermont		1:50
12:10	3:40	2.25	Old Glory		1:00
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**GEO. S. LINK ENTERTAINS HIS SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS**

Mr. Geo. S. Link entertained the younger men, members of his Sunday School class of the Methodist Church, at his home 601 North Willard Tuesday evening 8 to 10 o'clock. "40", checkers and various games were the diversion of the evening and a most pleasant and enjoyable time was spent by the nineteen members of this Sunday School class.

A favorite refreshment of ice cream and cake was served at the close of the evenings entertainment and each youngster departed declaring a most enjoyable time.

Rev. and Mrs. E. F. Norris, Mr and Mrs. Bell and two children and Mrs. Chapman, of Hubbard, Texas, left for home Wednesday morning after spending the past several days here visiting their daughter and sister, Mrs. Loyd A. Wolfe, Mr. Wolfe, Cecil and Elizabeth.

The recent cold snap is no more than West Texas weather, running true to form and judging from past seasons we are due some more cold snaps.

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**FINAL DATE FOR SIGNING HOG CONTRACT MAR. 17**

Final date for signing hog contracts in Texas has been set for Saturday, March 17th, according to information received by G. J. Lane, County Agent, from E. M. Regenbrecht, Extension Swine Specialist. It is very necessary that every farmer interested in signing a Corn Hog Reduction Contract, have his contract in the process of being finished before that date. Up to date twenty-nine Corn-Hog Contracts have practically been completed, which represents 124 acres of corn and 1813 hogs.

**FINAL TABULATIONS OF COTTON REDUCTION**

Final tabulations of cotton reduction contracts indicate that rented acres to the Government will exceed number of acres of cotton plowed up in the plow-up campaign. To date 756 contracts have been tabulated and approved by the County Allotment Committee. Acres rented to the Government by the 756 farmers is 31,275, which is approximately 37 per cent of average acres planted to cotton through the base years 1928-32. According to contracts tabulated, the acreage planted to cotton through the five years has been 85,270.

**WE ENJOY "42"**

"What grand entertainers our wives are," said the husbands of McAdoo Home Demonstration Club Tuesday night of last week at Mrs. Frank Carter's at the night meeting of the club.

The ladies found that their husbands really like for them to entertain them, especially with "42". It was amusing too see Mr. Jim Nickels enthusiasm over losing his last game at the head table.

About twenty were present with Mr. and Mrs. Twaddell and Mr. and Mrs. A M Lay as special guests.

All women of the community are especially invited to Mrs. Jim Eldredge's Tuesday, March 13, where we are going to learn to cut all new sleeves by our foundation patterns. Each lady is to bring sandwiches fruit or cookies for lunch, also bring pins, a large piece of paper and yard stick.

I am still filing saws. Bring on your dull saws I can make them as good as new. Work every Saturday, at the old band stand.—J. M. Goodwin, 1tp

Sam Graves and daughter, Miss Margaret, were in Spur Sunday visiting friends in Spur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Combs and Mrs. Ireton, of Dickens, were shopping with merchants and visiting with friends in Spur Friday.

Jas. H. Goodwin, manager of the Spur Gin Company and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. White left Monday evening for Corsicana, where they will spend several days attending to business and visiting.

Dr. E. F. Hale, Henry Alexander, E. L. Caraway and Dr. M. H. Brannen went over to Lubbock, Monday night to see Jack Dempsey, "The Old Mauler" and incidentally to attend the prize fight at the Armory. Sixteen hundred people were in attendance.

Spencer Sullivan, of Clovis, New Mexico, came to Spur last week, spending several days here a guest of his sister, Mrs. Elmer Shugart and Mr. Sugart and also to meet his little daughter, Davie Sue, who has been spending an extended visit with her grandparents in Haskell and accompany her home.

Byron Haney was down from Afton Thursday transacting business with Spur merchants.

Uncle Bill Cherry was in Saturday from his farm and ranch down in Kent county and while here dropped in at the Texas Spur office for a friendly visit.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Russell and children, Junior, Norris and Billie Marie, of Seymour, spent last week end in Spur as guests of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Russell lived in Spur for a number of years and have many friends here who are always glad to see them.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Bateman and daughter, Miss Annie of Afton, were shopping and visiting in Spur Tuesday.

Bodye Stafford, prominent farmer of the Afton community, was a business visitor in Spur Friday and while here was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office. He states that his community received a good rain and prospects are looking fine at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forbis, of Afton, were here Friday visiting and attending to business affairs.

G. Brown of one mile north of town, was mingling with the crowd on the streets Friday and shopping with the merchants.

Mrs. Elmo Townsend, of Madill, Oklahoma, is in Spur guest of friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Withers, of Paducah, are visiting with their many friends in Spur this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Boothe, of a few miles south of town, were business visitors here Saturday.

County Treasurer Nannie Cobb, of Dickens, was a Spur business visitor Friday.

Lynn Mayfield, student in McMurry College at Abilene, spent last week end in Spur with Mrs. Mayfield, returning Sunday.

Horace Nickels of McAdoo, was a Spur visitor Monday and while here paid the Texas Spur a pleasant call.

Uncle Eb Shaw, of the Wichita community, was down the past week and while here was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rucker of Swenson Camp were here Saturday visiting with friends and shopping with Spur Merchants.

Mrs. R. D. Sharp, of East Afton, was in Spur Wednesday shopping and visiting.

Mrs. Edgar Carlisle and daughter, Miss Bertha were in Spur Saturday shopping with Spur merchants. Miss Bertha has been absent from her school work due to sore throat.

Word received Saturday from T. M. Maples at Alvarado where he is visiting a brother, John Maples. Mr. Maples has been to Marlin taking treatment and stated that he believes he was completely well. He also made a trip Corpus Christi, where he has a business location and contemplates on moving in the very near future.

**F. G. ALEXANDER TO BE HONORED BY SERAICE CLUB**

With a representative attendance present, the Haskell Service Club held its weekly luncheon Tuesday noon and laid plans for a special program next Tuesday, which will be given in honor of F. G. Alexander 79, pioneer Haskell county merchant and rancher. Mr. Alexander recently celebrated his 50th anniversary as a resident in Haskell county.

While no definite plans have been laid, the committee in charge of the program is expecting to make all arrangement fitting to the occasion.

At the meeting Tuesday, most of the discussion concerned projects in which the club members are vitally interested and steps were taken to bring those projects to a culmination.—Haskell Free Press.

F. G. Alexander is a father of our good citizen and business man Henry Alexander.

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Two small children of Mr. and Mrs. Preston McClannahan, who have been critically ill the past two weeks are very much improved, we are glad to state.

Misses Sadie, Ramza Gabriel and Blanche Taylor, visited with friends in Quanah Sunday.

Mrs. H. O. Albin is spending this week in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. Joe Stotts, going in response to a phone message stating that Joe Ann Stotts was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. W F Shugart, of Red Hill, were shopping and visiting in Spur Saturday.



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## Farm Credit

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and marketing the crop or livestock which the loan is made to produce. Loans for crop production will usually mature in less than a year, although loans such as those on dairy and breeding cattle may run longer. Applications for these short-term loans are handled in this territory by James B. Reed, Spur, Texas.

Applications for these short quickly when they give a clear financial statement of the applicant's farming condition, listing all assets and liabilities, and estimating net worth. The applicant should name specifically all of his farming assets offered as security for the loan, and give a plan, or budget, showing how he is going to use the loan applied for and how he is going to repay it.

Primary security for production loans consists of livestock, farming equipment, growing crops, or other personal property most appropriate to secure the loan adequately and make us a chattel mortgage. It is not intended that loans shall be secured primarily by mortgages on real estate. Where this type of security is taken it will be regarded only as additional collateral.

The minimum loan is \$50 and no

loan may exceed 20 per cent of the authorized capital of the association unless the loan is adequately secured by collateral and approved by the Corporation. The amount of the loan should correspond with the actual need for credit. Perhaps more farmers and stockmen have become heavily involved in debt because of too much credit than because of the lack of it. Loans from production credit associations will only be made as needed; and proper precautions will be taken to prevent over-extension of credit so that farmers and stockmen will not have to pay unnecessary indebtedness with resulting interest.

After a farmer's or stockman's statement is checked and the property offered as security for the loan personally inspected by a loan inspector of the association, Regulations about inspection charges and collection may be changed as required by the Production Credit Corporation. Usually no charge will be made for inspection of the loan is not granted.

If the report of the inspector is satisfactory and the loan is approved by the loan committee of the association, the farmer's or stockman's note is endorsed in the name of the association, and sent, along with his credit statement and chattel mortgage, to the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston. If the bank approves the credit statement and the security, it makes funds available to the association, and the association sends a check to the borrower immediately.

Each association is capitalized according to the credit needs of the territory it will serve. Most of the capital stock is purchased by Production Credit Corporation of Houston and this enables the association to begin making loans immediately. Funds derived from the sale of stock to the corporation are used by the local association to purchase high grade collateral, chiefly Government bonds, which are placed with the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston to establish a line of credit, that is, to get the bank to discount the notes of framers and stockmen which the association has endorsed. Ordinarily the bank will discount well-secured farmers' or stockmen's notes up to five times an association's capital. In this way an association may get all the credit it needs.

The authorized capital of the Spur Production Credit Association is \$40,000.00.

Actually the Production Credit Corporation of Houston owns about three-fourths of the capital stock of an association. The farmers and stockmen who borrow from it own most of the remaining portion, each borrower being required to own 5 per cent of the amount of his loan in voting in the association.

A farmer or stockman who gets a loan from the association does not have to advance any money to pay for his stock, as the purchase price may be included in the loan, one \$5

## ALMANAC



"None are more apt to boast than those of the least worth."

- MARCH**
- 5—Merry Widow Hats make their first appearance, 1907.
  - 6—Ring Lardner, humorist and writer, born 1885.
  - 7—First telephone patent is issued to Bell, 1876.
  - 8—First bridge over Niagara River is opened, 1855.
  - 9—Famed battle of Monitor vs. Merrimac, 1862.
  - 10—Germany declares war on Portugal at last, 1916.
  - 11—Start of great three-day blizzard, New York, 1888.

## Financial

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for all mail sent out by the office. To help defray these expenses she may receive \$25.00 per month. In properly caring for the office, going where ever needed or where it is possible to render service the allotment for traveling expenses and stamps is used up and often fifty or sixty dollars besides. Thus the net salary is probably never more than seventy or eighty dollars per month.

Dickens county schools have, despite the fact that the last few years have been the hardest in a long time, kept in a better financial condition than most of the counties in the drought stricken areas; so much so that salesmen of school supplies and other commodities have commented on the fact, often. This is partly due to the fact that school finance has been watched carefully and expenditures kept down to a minimum.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Anz and little daughters, Joye and Jean, of Snyder, were in Spur Sunday visiting with Ruth and Jicks Maples and drove home in a new 1934 Chevrolet purchased from the Spur Motor Company.

R. E. Slough, of Dickens, was mixing with the crowd on the streets of Spur Saturday and furthering his candidacy for Commissioner of Precinct One.

share being purchased as each \$100 or fraction thereof borrowed.

A farmer or stockman does not have to purchase new stock each time he borrows unless the stock he owns has become impaired in value or he wishes a larger loan. A borrower not indebted to the association may sell his stock to another eligible farmer or stockman, or may exchange it at its fair book value for non-voting stock. Such an exchange must be made within two years after the holder ceases to be a borrower.

The stock purchased by the corporation is non-voting, but preferred as to assets in case the organization is liquidated. The voting stock is owned only by the borrowing farmers and stockmen each having only one vote in the association no matter what the amount of money borrowed or stock owned.

Officers and a local loan committee of each association are selected by the temporary directors which was elected by the charter members when the association was organized. At the first annual meeting of the voting stockholders, that is, the farmer and stockman borrowers, a board of directors will be elected, confirming or replacing the temporary board. Thus each borrower has an equal chance of voting his opinion as to the management of the association.

The interest rate charged the individual borrower may not exceed by more than three per cent the rate at which the association gets money from the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank. The interest spread of 3 per cent between the rate paid by the association and that paid by the borrower goes to the association to meet operating expenses and build up a guaranty fund or surplus needed by any carefully managed business institution.

Actually, the Farm Credit Administration is establishing at Spur as at other centers of farming and ranching sections, a farmers' and stockmen's short-term credit business. Each borrower has part ownership in the business. His liability for loans of the organization is being entrusted to representative farmers and stockmen chosen by the member borrowers. This is the only method ever devised which permits farmers and stockmen with the aid of the Federal Government to ultimately own and operate their own production credit business.

**COTTON PRODUCERS NOTICE**  
Producers who have obtained advance on cotton on notes payable to Frierson & Company may obtain offers on such cotton F. O. B. Spur warehouse from the undersigned.  
C. H. WHITE, Agent,  
Frierson & Company, Inc.

J. C. McNeill of the Alamo Stock Farm and Ranch, fifteen miles west was in Thursday spending some time here attending to business interests and visiting his sons, Reece and Cap McNeill and families.

H. P. Cole, of Dickens, was a Spur visitor Saturday.

### Chickens - Turkeys

Don't wait and have Diseased Fowls from Worms and Losses from Blood-Sucking Lice, Mites, Fleas and Blue Bugs this Spring. Begin NOW to give STAR PARASITE REMOVER in the drinking water for both Fowls and Baby Chicks. It will keep them free of these destructive Parasites, their system toned up, their health and Egg Production good at a very small cost—or money refunded.

City Drug Store

Mr. and Mrs. Olda Harrington and children, Alice Bardy and Johnnie Brown, spent last week end in Snyder, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Chalk Brown and family.

## Lax The Bladder With Castor Oil

No, it can't be done. But you can do it with juniper oil, buchu leaves, etc., contained in BUKETS, the

bladder laxative, which is pleasant to take. Drive out impurities and excess acids that cause the irritation which results in backache, bladder weakness, burning and getting up nights. Get a regular 25c box. After four days if not relieved your druggist will refund your money. You are bound to feel better after this flushing and you get your regular sleep. Bukets guaranteed by Grubben Drug Company.



We have a fresh supply of that good Economy Chick Starter.

Best equipment. Robbins Incubator enormous capacity, 36,000.

### Let Us Do Your Hatching

in our new Robbins. It produces more and better birds.

Good chicks cost little more, why buy ordinary chicks? Many of our chicks are from Texas State Accredited flocks.

Set every Monday and Thursday. Chicks for sale every Tuesday and Friday.

## HAIRGROVE HATCHERY

Phone 32 Spur, Texas



"Mother, how can I get big like you?"  
"Well, Freddie, I guess the best way is to eat more of that wholesome food down at—

## Highway Cafe

"A Good Place To Eat"

## FLOWERS

Send your flower orders to the Blossom Shop—Lubbock's modern flower shop. We carry a complete stock of flowers and floral accessories and can at all times fill orders for bouquets, blooming plants, wedding flowers, funeral sprays and designs.

### The Blossom Shop

1610 7th St - Lubbock Texas, PHONE 45



## THE EASTER

### PARADE

Let us arrange your hair for that new Spring hat. PERMANENTS WAVES FROM

\$2.00 to \$7.50

- Shampoo and set ..... 65c
- Finger Wave ..... 30c
- Manicure ..... 60c
- Lash Lure Dye ..... 50c

Try one of our quick tonic facials 75c and up Let us recondition your hair for that Spring Permanent

## Mrs. Fannie Smith Beauty Shop

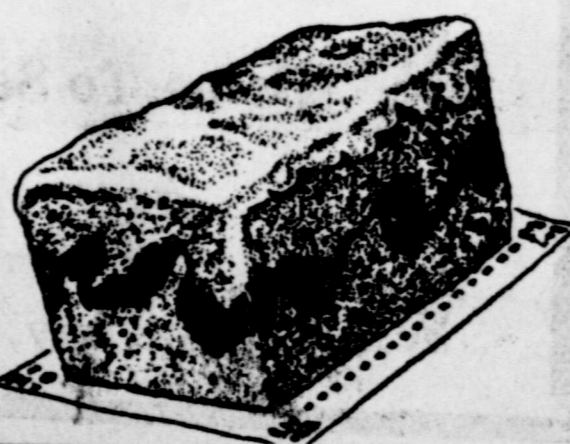
## There Isn't AN OLD SPINNING WHEEL

It had its day—just like standing over a hot stove and slaving to obtain delicious foods had its day. Let us suggest for a treat—well one of these tasty cakes.

Come in look at the nice things to eat—a delicious desert for tomorrow, another the next day—and they're always kept fresh for you.

We'll have everything you want for EASTER.

## Spur Bakery



# Do You KNOW?



That Spring is here and that Easter is only some three weeks hence.

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That Spring is here and that Easter is only some three weeks hence.

### Do You Know?

That considering the quality of material you get we can have a suit made to your own personal measurements and requirements for the same money you would spend for a hand-you-down.

### Do You Know?

That we have some three hundred satisfied customers to our credit last year, as a result of our Fit and Satisfaction Guarantee.

### Do You Know?

That we now have our display large yard length samples that you may easier make your selection for your Spring Suit.

COME AND SEE THEM

# SPUR TAILORS

"The Friendly Shop"