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Spur Band to Give Last Outdoor Concert Of Season at Spur Inn Sunday Afternoon

There will be a band concert at the Spur Inn Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. This will be the last band concert of the season. The band will render an entirely new program, and we hope that all will come and hear this last concert for a few weeks.

However, the band is working on another program that will be given indoors in a few days. This will be still better, for the band is getting better every day, and even though the weather will not permit outdoor concerts for a while, this does not mean that the band will quit work, but rather to the contrary. The band is doing more and better practice now than ever before, and will continue to do so through the winter months, and any one desiring to enter the band now, we want to suggest it is at a good time, and those joining now, and practicing until summer, would be able to take care of their part in the band by next summer concert. We can use some new members on Alto or Baritone or Bass, also have a bass to furnish to one who means business, and don't mean maybe. Come to the concert everybody.

Love Dry Goods Opens Big Sale

The Love Dry Goods Company, one of the oldest and best stores in our town, started another big reducing sale last Friday. The reputation of the firm is such that the mere announcement of the sale stimulated people to visit and buy, for in so doing they knew there was no make believe business, but a price reduction. The sale started in high Friday and interest grew until when the days business was closed Saturday night, the firm had enjoyed one of the best businesses in its history.

The Love Dry Goods Company was the first exclusive dry goods store to open in Spur. Mr. C. L. Love, the manager, has been in the business more than thirty years and probably is one of the best informed men in the dry goods line that is found in Texas. He has always believed in a high class of merchandise, holding to the principle that the best is always the cheapest in the long run. No store in the West carries a better line of ladies ready-to-wear, mens clothing, piece goods and other lines than does the Love Dry Goods Company.

At this time the store is loaded with a big line of dry goods. No article in high classed dry goods can be needed that is not supplied by this store. The sale goes on and the many bargains are still being delivered to the people as rapidly as the many clerks can hand them out. This is one sale where good merchandise is going at cheap prices.

B. F. Middleton, one of Afton's good farmers, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

Dalton Johnson, of Gilpin, was doing some trading with our merchants Tuesday.

Notice

WILLIAMS-KNIGHT SEDAN SETS MOUNTAIN RECORD

When the most experienced mountain driver behind the wheel of a powerful motor racing car completes the grand circle from Denver, Colo., over Lookout Mountain, to Berthoud Pass, to Grand Lake, through Miller Pass and over Fall River into Estes Park in one day of hard driving, it becomes a much talked of feat.

Recently a Williams-Knight seventy standard sedan, a regular stock car used by the retail store of Willy-Overland in Denver, completed this gruelling test in four hours and thirty-seven minutes, establishing new records for speed and performance.

L. L. Henry, local salesman for the Overland and Williams-Knight says the Willy-Knight is the smoothest running car in America today. Let him demonstrate it to you.

Salem's Guaranty Is Decided Success

Considering conditions from every standpoint, probably very few businesses have enjoyed the fine line of trade and the excellent prosperity of that of Salems Guaranty. This business was established in our city September 13, 1924, by Mr. Joe Salem, who at that time had just passed his twentieth summer. Being a young man who had not gone through the field of experience as far as many business men, yet he plunged into his business with a determination to win.

Mr. Salem had been on the road as a traveling salesman most of his business life before coming to Spur. He had traveled out of Post City some three years, selling goods in the various parts of the country. Just before opening business here he had spent some months in South Texas, and had also traveled out of Dallas where he gained the satisfaction of his different companies. During these years of travel he was continually looking for a place to install a business. He selected Spur because of its business future and present enterprising attitude.

As stated above he opened business in September 1924 with a small stock of dry goods. He was alert to the time and the strong, clean competition he had to meet. He did not try any under-handed methods of drawing trade, but went after business in a business manner. He has always considered the medium of advertising as one of the best in making himself acquainted with the people and getting his business before the people. He stated to us once, that to get people to be your customers that you must first let them know what you have. Then put it up to them in a clean business way, and you would have them not only as customers but as friends, too.

The small stock of goods has grown immensely. Today it is more than four times as large as it was when business was first opened. There has been more room added, and now the store has more the appearance of that of a city than just a West Texas town. It is well in keeping with other fine stores in Spur and today is enjoying a patronage any business might be proud of.

September first of this year the name of the store was changed from just "Salems" to that of Salems Guaranty. The object of this change was only in keeping with the business. Mr. Salem today is placing before the people a stock of goods on which he can place his guarantee and at the same time be economical with the prices. His favorite maxim is, "Search the catalogues and then come to us." And this maxim is not just a mere saying, for this business is placing goods on the market under the catalogue prices.

The business has just passed its second birthday since opening and we doubt if any business has enjoyed a better line of trade than has this one. There have been very few dull months since it begun. When there was little business, the manager made it a point to go out after more business. In other words, he made business by devising some business scheme. He secured what people needed and placed it at their disposal at prices that would create interest. They bought when it seemed there was no chance of buying.

DR. BLACKWELL Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist

Miss Olive Meadors, of Dickens, was in Saturday having her eyes treated.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Biggs, north of town, were in Saturday having their eyes treated and getting glasses fitted.

Fred Boland, of Girard, who underwent an operation on his eyes two weeks ago, was in Monday to have them dressed. He is doing fine.

Mrs. Wright, of Jayton, was here Sunday having her eyes treated.

Berry T., little son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson, of Jayton, had his tonsils and adenoids removed Tuesday. Doing fine.

Mrs. Elzy Watson, city, had her tonsils removed Tuesday. She is doing fine.

SCENE FROM "DADDY LONG LEGS."



"Daddy Long Legs," the fascinating comedy success by Jean Webster, will be presented on our Lyceum course the New York Players. It was dramatized by Jean Webster from her famous book which had a record sale of over two million copies. Every one is familiar with this story of "Judy," the little orphan girl who is

given a wonderful chance to enjoy the things that all girls love, through the kindly interest of an unknown benefactor, whom she nick-names "Daddy Long Legs" for the lack of a real name. Judy's letters to her benefactor in which she pours out the story of her happiness in this newly revealed life form the basis

for this sparkling gem of a play. "Daddy Long Legs" was first produced as a play at the Gayety Theater, New York, with Ruth Chatterton in the part. The New York Players will bring this delightful comedy to the first time to Lyceum audiences this winter. "Daddy Long Legs" will appeal equally to old and young.

This is the first number of the Society, Presbyterian Ladies Aid, Christian Ladies Aid and Young Ladies Missionary Society. It is to be

Salem Contest News

Treva Marshall won last week's bonus. She turned in more cash than any of the other contestants and was credited with the additional 2,000 votes. Next week we will know who will win this week's bonus of 2500 votes. This is to be given to the candidate selling the first \$50.00 certificate. Next week we will give an extra bonus of 500 votes for each \$50.00 certificate sold.

It will pay you to exert all the sales power you have in you next week as the bonus will gradually get smaller and so will the value of the dollar depreciate each week.

After all the work you have done, you cannot afford to lose such a good looking Ford automobile, but devoting all energy towards winning it. So do your best.

Votes	
Treva Marshall, Spur	63,273
Uldeen Robinson, Dry Lake	63,232
Ruby Dott McGaughey, Spur	63,130
Eula Mobley, Roaring Springs	51,332
Mrs. R. L. Thomas, Spur	50,156
Brunetta Shackley, Spur	45,619
Leon Perry, Spur	45,612
Geo. F. Smith, Spur	34,768
Johnnie May Lanier, McAdoo	34,140
Beatrice Cupit, Spur	30,948
Velma Hyatt, Dickens	17,113
Maline Hunter, Spur	14,288
Iva May Cupp, Spur	12,176

Cold weather predicted for Saturday.

The coldest norther we have ever had is predicted for Saturday so we are going to be prepared to take care of all your needs in underwear, g's, drawers, coats, sweaters, and all merchandise of these natures. After receiving a new shipment of childrens coats our cloak stock is now complete in every detail and the price is right. For Saturday we are offering a table full of ladies stylish hats at \$3.50 each. This is a special price on these hats featured for this day only.

SATURDAY \$1.00 DAY
Turn to the center page of the paper and look at our \$1.00 day specials. They are real values.

SALEMS GUARANTY

CEMETERY ASSOCIATION TO MEET SUNDAY

A meeting of the Cemetery Association is called for next Sunday at three o'clock at the Baptist Church for the purpose of electing officers. All members are urged to be present and make these selections. Also, as a matter of pride we ought to take more interest in our cemetery. We need a fence around it to keep the stock off the graves.

Members who are in arrears with their dues could assist greatly by making the proper remittance.

Mrs. Pauline Clemmons, Vice-Pres. Miss Martha Parker, who underwent an operation last week, at the Sanitarium is doing all right.

Henry Parnell, of Croton, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

T. J. Hicks, of Afton, was looking after business affairs here Tuesday.

Club Girls of Dickens County Win Four Prizes at Dallas Fair Over 91 Counties

It ought to be the delight of every citizen of Dickens County to know the record that some of our girls have made with their club work the past year. This record is not simply a "happen so", but is the result of careful study and diligent work on their part, directed by our efficient County Home Demonstration Agent.

The Club Girls of this county sent a collection of ten pieces to the State Fair at Dallas. Four of these pieces were prize winners in a contest where ninety one counties had entered. The prizes came as a result of needle work done by the girls entering work.

The winners were: Miss Danna Street, of Dickens, who took second honors on a sewing bag; Miss Oneta Walker, of Dickens won second honor on a pillow case; Miss Oleta Tree, of Highway, won first honors on wool dresses; and Alta Denson, of Espuela, won second honors on wool dresses. It might be well to state that there

SUNSHINE AND MOONSHINE Bryant Link Company

We have been having both sunshine and moonshine this week and how much we all appreciate this blessing. If it had not been for the cloudy days, we would not appreciate the fair ones to come.

Say, folks, we sold lots of Gold Plume Coffee last Saturday and we will have this special again next Saturday. Don't miss it. Sure, we have a real Grocery Sale on and it will continue. We have the goods and prices. If you haven't been a grocery customer, you may be missing something. Maybe you better investigate. Come in and see a well kept grocery store, and buy your food where it is kept clean and sanitary. Yes, everything in our store goes now for cash only. The credit season is past. We expect those who have accommodated to spend their cash with us and most of them do. If you happen to owe us something you haven't been able to pay yet, come on and spend your cash with us. You will feel better about it and so will we.

If you owe us we want you to count on paying. We don't want to be hard on anyone, but we cannot stay in business without collecting our money this year, so please do not come to us with hard luck stories, but with the money. Now, is the time to see who the men with real backbone in this country are. The twine string fellows will be weeded out.

Keep smiling is our motto. Every clerk in this big store is asked to keep smiling and working to stay on his job and treat every customer courteously, give them full weights and measures and not to misrepresent any article sold. Yes, we believe in the stuff we are handling. We believe honest stuff can be passed on to honest methods. We believe in working, not weeping; in boosting, not knocking. We believe in today and the work we are doing, in tomorrow and the work we hope to do, and in the sure reward which the future

were just two wool dresses entered from the county and they won first and second places in the State.

This is the first time any of the girls have sent any articles of their club work to the State Fair, but if they continue to hold their work up to standard for another year, somebody is going to be hard to beat at the Fair next October. People should feel proud of these girls, and it should be an encouragement to other girls to try to be winners.

It has been authoritatively stated that had some of the ladies of the county sent some of their work that they would have been big winners. This feature should not be neglected another year and the ladies in the various clubs should be encouraged to send in work.

What these girls have accomplished is worth the salary of our County Demonstrator for one whole year. This work is invaluable to this county.

We believe in courtesy, in kindness, generosity and good cheer, in friendship, in honest competition. We believe there is something doing somewhere for every man ready right now for a great fall business. Yes, we are smiling. Come on with the crowds and bring the children.

BRYANT LINK COMPANY

BULL DOG GROWLS

The Spur High Bull Dogs again went into practice last Monday, yet the day was not so easy for the squad as they had been out of practice, spending the time picking cotton. In fact, it was like starting in the first of the year. But the bunch stuck to it like real bull dogs and are now back in shape.

The coach sent the bunch off the field last Thursday "fighting mud", and lucky for Snyder squad that they couldn't get here.

This week the coach is getting the bunch ready to tear Crosbyton to pieces Friday. They are going through some hard scrimmages. —Reporter.

Miss Tallant Leads Times' Contestants In Wednesday's Count

Standing of contestants in the Times contest as checken in Wednesday.

Miss Noble Tallant	11,000
Miss Syble Perry	7,600
Mrs. E. M. Hale	7,100
Miss Iva Boykin	6,100
Mrs. T. A. Bingham	4,550
Miss Frankie Williams	2,900
Miss Lafara Shockley	400
Total	38,650

Watch next week's report. Help your choice to be leader.

R. N. Winship, representative of the Springfield Milling Company of St. Louis, was interviewing our merchants Tuesday.

Father of Miss Dura Whaley Dies

Message came just as we were going to press that Miss Dura Whaley's father died at 12 o'clock Wednesday at his home near Anson.

He had been in a serious condition for a number of months. Miss Whaley left for her home in Anson two weeks ago, and she remained with him until his death yesterday. All the other children were present when the crisis came. Friends here join in extending sympathy to Miss Whaley in this sad hour.

McCLANAHAN-GILBERT

A very quiet wedding occurred yesterday afternoon at four o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gilbert when their daughter, Miss Bonnie Leon, was married to Mr. Jimmie McClanahan, of this city. Rev. L. L. F. Parker, pastor of the First Baptist Church officiated with a simple ring ceremony. Just members of the immediate family were all that were present. It was just a simple home wedding where two fine young people assumed the marriage vow and agreed to love and care for each other through life.

The bride has spent the past nine years in Spur where probably she has as many friends as any young lady in this city. Coming from a family that has been honored a long time, and bearing a reputation exemplified by the greatest of character, she is loved and appreciated by all who know her. She is possessed of those rare accomplishments and graces that go to make a home what it should be.

The groom is a business man in Spur, being interested in the City Grocery. He has been in our city nearly two years, and during that time has made a great number of friends. He is greatly appreciated for his high ideals of life and his honest methods in business.

Mr. and Mrs. McClanahan will remain in our city until about November 1st, when they will go to Houston to make their future home. Mr. McClanahan will engage in business there, he has made a success here, and promises to be even more successful in a city where greater opportunities are afforded.

The Times joins the many friends in wishing them the best in life possible.

Miss Lera Harris is the guest of friends in Floyada this week.

Lewis Gregory, of Swenson, is doing fine after an operation at the Nichols Sanitarium.

We Gladly Paid Off; They Needed It

September 24th, C. C. Horton, of Dickens, departed this life, leaving his wife and four children helpless. He had not been able to work in months. In his good judgment he had provided protection, and in the midst of their sorrow his wife and children received a check from the Spur Mutual Life Insurance Company for \$1500.00.

Last week D. F. Capshaw, of Afton, got up in the night to see about his children. He stumbled over a rocking chair, breaking his arm and badly spraining his wrist. He carried a policy with the Spur Mutual and received their check for \$100.00.

Our new policy covered both of the above cases. You do not know when you will need its protection. You may work one day—the next, you may be confined to your bed. Let us explain how we may be of benefit to you.

In both of the above cases the money was appreciated. You might need the same assistance although you may have millions in property. It is our purpose to do good—let us talk it over with you.

Others May Extend Sympathy—We Take a Check

SPUR MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY

D. O. Blessingame, of Afton, was looking after business affairs in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert, of Wichita community, were doing some trading in our city Saturday.

P. A. Willmon was in looking after business affairs Saturday.

Elmer Thomason, of Highway community, was trading with our merchants Saturday.

J. S. Strong, south of town, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

R. B. Sharp, west of town, was in looking after business matters Saturday.

J. M. Stinnett, of Twin Wells community, was doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

J. A. Putman, west of town, was in looking after business affairs Saturday.

R. L. Fuqua, of Cat Fish community, was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

J. S. Pope, of Twin Wells community, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday.

A. B. Lucas, of at Fish community, was doing some trading with Spur merchants Saturday.

T. J. Schoonover, east of town, was in doing some trading Saturday.

W. W. Neeley, of McAdoo, was doing some trading with Spur merchants Saturday.

A. P. Meador, south of town, was trading with our merchants the last of the week.

J. F. Hine, of McAdoo, was transacting business on our streets the last of the week.

O. M. Smith, north of town, was in looking after business matters the last of the week.

N. S. Norris, of Watson, was taking advantage of the many Spur bargains Saturday.

Harvey S. Holly, of Dickens, was over greeting friends on our streets the last of the week.

R. G. Fuqua, engineer on the local train now running between Spur and Double Mountain bridge, was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

C. R. Gunn, north of town, was in trading Saturday.

In the Kitchen
with 6 Famous Cooks

NOVEL MEXICAN DISHES
Pacific Coast Expert Tells
How to Prepare Them

(Editor's Note: This is one of an unusual cooking series contributed to this paper by six famous cooks. Cut it out and paste in your cook book.)

Enchiladas, picadillo, Spanish rice, beans a la Ayre, and refritos!

Those words conjure up pictures of most palatable and spicy dishes to the Spaniard. And many an American has fallen for their tempting tooth-someness.

Mrs. Kate Brew Vaughn, home economics director, Los Angeles, and author of several cook books, was taught how to make these dishes by a Mexican lady.



MRS. KATE BREW VAUGHN



Fragrant and Delicious

Mrs. Vaughn gives the following directions for making enchiladas. The gravy may be made the day before. Its ingredients are: 4 ounces chili peppers, 1 1/2 pounds tomatoes, 2 slices hard toast, 1 small onion, 1 pinch each of clove, thyme, pepper, sugar, and salt. Open peppers, and if it is not desired very hot, remove veins and seeds. Soak in boiling water about 10 minutes. Skin tomatoes by holding over flame. Put toast and onion through food chopper and then strain all the ingredients in order to make a smooth gravy. Melt two tablespoons shortening in frying pan, add gravy, and simmer slowly until smooth and thick.

Filling for Enchiladas (Picadillo)

1 pound pork
1 tablespoon shortening
1 teaspoon chopped onion
Clove of garlic (chopped)
1/2 cup chili sauce
1 tablespoon chopped green olives
1 tablespoon chopped, blanched almonds
1 tablespoon raisins (chopped)
1 teaspoon vinegar
1 pinch salt
1 pinch sugar
1 teaspoon olive oil
Boil pork until tender, then chop fine. Melt shortening and fry pork until brown. Add onion, garlic, and chili sauce, and fry for three minutes. Add olives, almonds, and raisins, and cook two or more minutes. Just before removing add vinegar, salt, sugar and olive oil.

Make Tortillas, Too

1 quart white flour
1 cup lard
2 teaspoons salt
Enough water or milk to make dough sufficiently thick to roll out like biscuit.

Divide into balls size of turkey egg and pat between the hands until thin and round and cook on top of the stove without grease. After frying, dip in hot gravy, place on plate, and place 1 1/2 tablespoons of filling in center. Roll tortilla loosely and garnish with gravy, grated cheese, sliced onion that has been soaked in salt water a few minutes, a green olive, blanched almond, radish, and a sprig of parsley.

Spanish Rice

1 cup rice
1 tablespoon shortening
1 tablespoon chopped onion
1 clove of garlic
1/2 cup tomato sauce
1/2 quart boiling water
Pepper and salt to taste
Melt the shortening, add the onion, and partially cook, not allowing to brown. Add to rice and fry until brown. Add the tomato sauce a little at a time, allowing each portion to almost cook dry before adding more. Add the boiling water. Do not stir, and allow to simmer slowly until done. If it is necessary to add more water, be sure it is boiling. Do not stir. Requires about 1 1/2 hours of cooking.

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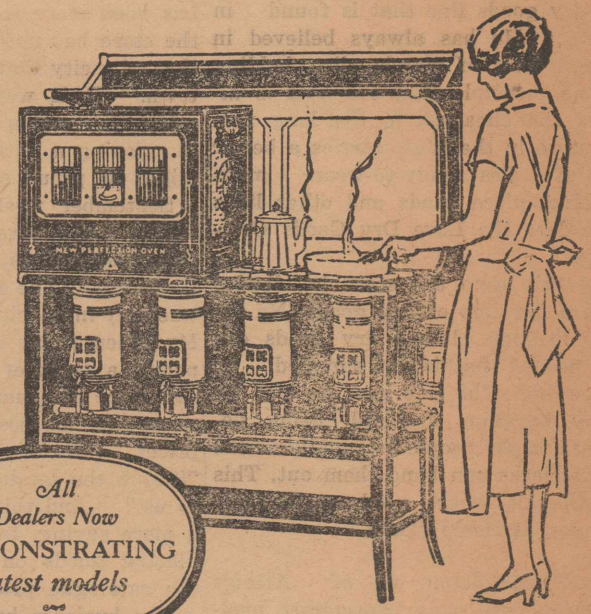
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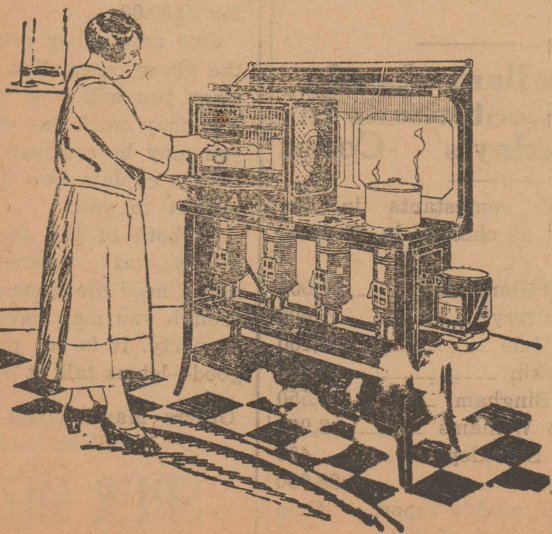
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SPUR HARWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY

C. A. Hurley was looking after business matters in our city Saturday.

P. F. Pope, of Dickens, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday. C. W. Fincher, south of town, was in looking after business matters Saturday.

Miss Leona Hoover, of Twin Wells community, was doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

Mrs. B. G. Worswick, of Dickens, was doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

A. A. Frye, of Red Mud community, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday.

Seales Ernest, of Espuela, was trading with our merchants Saturday.

Mr and Mrs. J. J. Randall, of Steel Hill community, were looking after business affairs here Saturday.

D. J. Harkey, of Dickens, was looking after business in our city Saturday.

J. L. Karr, of Espuela community, was looking after business interests here Saturday.

Miss Olive Meadows, of Dickens, was doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

P. A. Smith was trading with Spur merchants Saturday.

Mrs. C. W. Dennison was shopping with our merchants Saturday.

V. S. Mackey, of Dickens, was a business visitor in our city Saturday.

R. L. Stewart and two daughters, of Roaring Springs, were doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

Alex Winkler, of Corton, was doing some trading with Spur merchants Monday.

J. H. Youngblood, of Croton, was greeting friends and attending to business matters in our city Monday.

Mrs. W. J. Bryant, of Hamlin, was visiting friends in our city last week.

Dick Renfro was in transacting business Saturday.

Edd Hemphill, of Dickens, was trading with our merchants Saturday.

S. B. Boykin, of Soldier Mound community, was doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

G. B. Erath, south of town, was in looking after business interests Saturday.

P. E. Gregory, south of town, was in trading with our merchants Saturday.

W. L. Armstrong, Red Mud community, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday.

A. M. Shepherd, of Dry Lake, was looking after business affairs here Saturday.

J. L. Hart was in Spur Saturday greeting old friends.

H. O. Allen, of Espuela, was shaking hands with friends on our streets Saturday.

G. J. Pierce, of Dickens, was doing some trading with Spur merchants Saturday.

J. L. Hutto, of Dry Lake community, was looking after business matters in our city Saturday.

J. C. Collett, of Roaring Springs, was greeting old friends on our streets Saturday. Mr. Collett says he is going to try an experiment in feeding out some sheep another year.

Robert Davis, of C. R. Edwards & Company, was visiting his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Duff Green, of Chandler Sunday.

A REGRETTABLE CHANGE

What has become of the old-time religious instruction in the home? Family prayers and the asking of blessing have given way to chat about bootleggers, bridge, scandal. The old family Bible, which once occupied a prominent position on the centre-table in the sitting room or the parlor, has been replaced with the radio, or victrola, or cigarettes. It isn't easy to find a Bible in the modern home.

The Bible has been hidden away in the book-case or closet.

Dr. Edward W. Stitt, associate superintendent of New York City Schools, told a great truth when he said recently that children of America are growing up ignorant of real religion. Too many parents consider that they have done their full duty toward their children when they have provided a good home and a satisfactory school.

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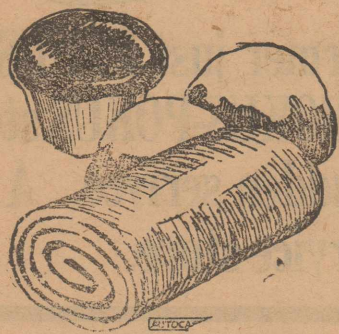
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Free Phone, Free Cleaning of Wind Shield, Inflation of Tires, Filling Radiators with Water, Greasing Oil and Filling Batteries, Free Road Information and Maps. Every morning the station opens for business at 6 o'clock with the manager on duty. On week days the Station is open until ten o'clock, for business, on Saturday it is open until 2 a. m. All our efforts are directed in giving motorist just as much service as possible in as short a time as possible.

KING & SAMPLE

AND WHEN THE PIE WAS OPENED



—it was filled with the luscious goodness, quality and wholesomeness that is found in all baked goods from Spur Bakery. Only the best and purest ingredients are used and all baking is done under sanitary, healthful conditions. That's why the whole family enjoys our Breads, Cakes and Pastry that mother does not hesitate to give them.

SPUR BAKERY



UNCLE BEN SAYS

"If you want to know about going into silence, ask Cal Coolidge, he's always just coming out or just going in to one."

POWER FOR THE PLANT WITHIN

The stomach in some respects may be likened to a furnace, but its more important function is as a sort of distillation plant charged with the duty of separating our food into its basic elements and distributing each where needed.

Food elements which will strengthen the blood as diverted to the veins; those which will make flesh and bone and sinew are winnowed out and diverted to body-building channels. An efficient stomach extracts all nourishment possible and discharges only waste into the eliminative organs. Stomach action is muscular and needs power for operation. The muscles are furnished this power through nerves, an if sufficient in quantity, digestion will be perfect. If not, spinal irritation of these nerves is to be suspected, and a chiropractor consulted.

Gains 15 Pounds In Three Months

"At 53 I had suffered for twenty years with stomach trouble and constipation and could not eat a heavy meal without smothering. I tried many medicines and doctors and one specialist, but received only temporarily relief. Five months ago I began taking Chiropractic adjustments and in three weeks I commenced to mend. I gained 15 pounds in three months; everything I eat now digests easily without smothering or dizzy spells and I can do more work now than twenty years ago. In all I have taken 60 adjustments.

—G. H. Nored, Chiropractic Research Bureau Statement No. 2203-0.

Your appointment for health can be made now by telephoning 288.

Lavina B. Conklin

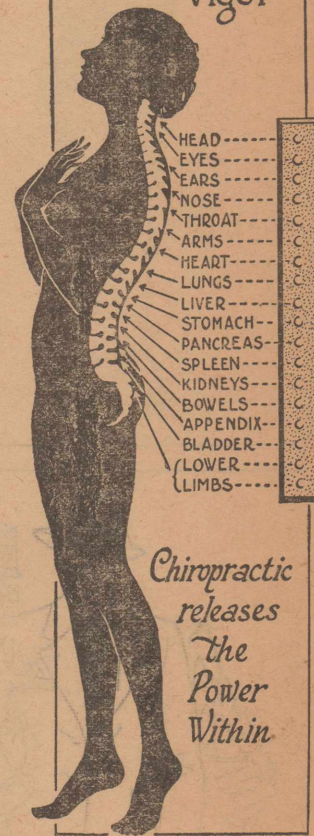
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The Standifer ranch of 2740 acres,

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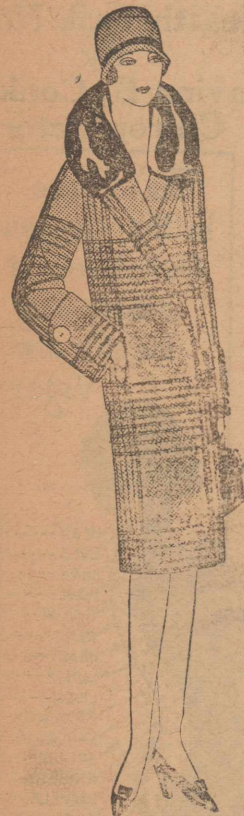
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Coats up to \$22.50

Special—\$14.75

Coats up to \$29.95

Special—\$23.75

Silk Dresses

\$19.50 to \$22.50 values

\$14.75

All the new timely arrivals, and come in satin, crepe back satin, satin crepe, flat crepe, crepe romaine, jungle green, claret chanil, red, navy, tans, browns and blacks.

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The selections are large and every garment offered is truly worth much more. This is a sale you cannot afford to miss.

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Men's Hat Special—\$3.95

Another shipment of Men's good felt hats, with very smart shape that is being shown and worn this fall. Roll or snap brim, plain or fancy band.

Specially Priced, these are regular \$5.00 Values for \$3.95



Men's New Fall Oxfords

These shoes are possessed with character and style equal to a ten dollar shoe. Broguish in design, broad, comfortable toe in blucher and bal styles. Trimmed in fancy storm welt. Shown in black, tan, and light brown. Showing a dozen or more styles.



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B. Y. P. U. PROGRAM

Sunday, October 24, 1926
Senior Division
Doctrinal Meeting on Sin

1. Miss Rachel Langston
2. Mr. Ralph Jackson
3. Miss Daisy Gordon
4. Miss Hazel Watson
5. Miss Kittie Powell
6. Miss Myrtle Lyndsey.

All members please be present as we are going to give a social pretty soon, and you don't want to let it get by you. New members always appreciated. Be on time at 6 p. m.

sharp.

Cleo Hazel, Group Captain

The Ladies Missionary Society met Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock with twenty present. After the devotional, led by Mrs. M. A. Lea, our leader, Mrs. Manning, took up our study book, "Muslem Women". It was a very interesting lesson. Wish more of our church women would study it with us. We then planned for our chicken dinner Saturday, the 24th, in the basement of the Methodist Church.—Reporter.

C. W. Frazier, of Afton, was doing some trading with our merchants Monday.

For the best hot chili go to the Cozy cafe.

Willie Eldridge, of McAdoo, was looking after business affairs in our city Monday.

Prof. and Mrs. C. Evans, of Watson, were doing some trading with our merchants Monday.

Christian Endeavor of Presbyterian Church meets next Sunday at 6:30. All young people invited.
Margaret Elliot, President.

R. L. Wallace, of McAdoo, was looking after business affairs in our city Tuesday.

Business Locals

ROOM AND BOARD WANTED—
Call 30 for information. tfc

FOR SALE—Some good Jersey cows, or will trade for stock cattle or hogs.—A. B. Morgan. 4tp

FOR SALE—My home place on Hill Street. Will sell or trade. Will sell on long terms or will trade for small house and lot as first payment, or trade for farm land.—Mrs. Kate C. Buchanan.

TYPEWRITER RIBBONS—Just received a new supply of typewriter ribbons and carbon paper. Get your supply at the Times office.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—166 acres, one of the best farms in Dickens County, one mile east of Afton, all in cultivation, sub-irrigated, fine for alfalfa. Will sell or trade for small farm near Spur, or home in Spur. See W. M. Ledford, Spur, Texas.

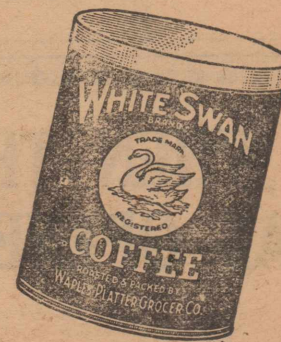
FOR SALE OR TRADE—for small block of land near Spur—Meat Market and Cafe in Petersburg, Texas, doing good business. W. T. Fortson, 7 miles north of Spur. 94-2tp

LAND FOR SALE—320 acres of good farming land, house and well with mill, fence. A bargain at \$25.00. Only land available at that price. Good terms. For particulars see or write. L. L. Henry of Henry Motor Company Spur, Texas.

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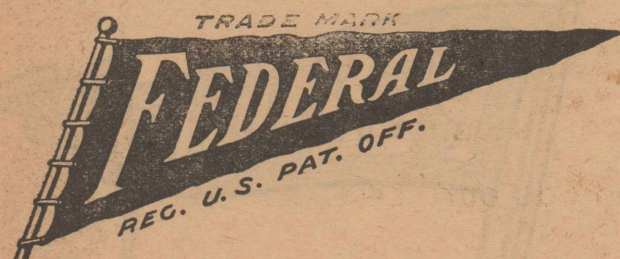
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SUNSHINE SERVICE STATION

One Block North of Spur National Bank

We are just back from market with just lots of everything to sell. Come in and look us over.

J P WILKES & SON

Church of Christ Has New Pastor

Elder John M. Rice arrived in our city Friday to take up his work with the Church of Christ. Bro. Rice is not a stranger here as he held a meeting with this church last spring, becoming well acquainted and making many friends.

He has been spending most of his time in evangelistic work, not having pastored any churches in some time. However, through an urgent call from Spur Church he has decided to take care of the work here for a period of months and is here for that purpose. He is an able preacher and we are glad he is with us. We need a few more good preachers in our town.

He preached to his congregation last Sunday and Sunday evening, and will be with them each Sunday morning and night from now on.

Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Wester, little son, Hall, of Sulphur Springs, are here visiting their children, Mr and Mrs. Carl Wester and Hubert Wester. They enjoyed a little family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wester at Plainview Sunday.

"JOI DE VOI"

Mrs. W. E. Flint entertained the Club this week at her suburban home. Four tables were arranged for bridge. Hearts and Spades were a clever decoration for the score pads and tallies. High scores were awarded—Mrs. C. Fox, a hand painted picture; Mrs. T. B. Harris, a hand embroidered guest towel and next high, to Mrs. M. A. Lee, Jr., a lovely hand made taffeta scarf.

A delicious salad course was served to: Mmms. Fox, Lee, Rector, Zachary, Morrison, Schrimsher, Hull, King, Barnett, Powell, Hall, Harris and Misses Beth Harkey and Lois Harkey.

W. T. Wilson, one of our good farmers east of town, was in doing some trading Monday.

W. P. Fretwell, of Afton, was greeting friends on our streets Tuesday.

W. T. Fortson, seven miles north of Spur, was in Monday looking after business affairs. He has some property at Petersburg for sale.

Good home baked pies at the Cozy Cafe.

F. F. Henry, of Duncan flat, was greeting friends and transacting business in our city Monday.

Right by the Spur National Bank is where you get those good eats—Cozy Cafe.

Miss Pauline Foreman is in the Nichols Sanitarium and is still doing fine and will soon be able to return home.

A. E. McLean underwent an X-Ray examination at the Nichols Sanitarium Tuesday. He received injuries by being kicked by a mule, but nothing serious had developed.

Howard Reed, of Watson, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins returned the last of the week from Dallas where they had been taking in the State Fair. They also visited their son, Henry Elkins, who is teaching in T. C. U. at Fort Worth.

Andy Morgan says he is selling around twenty five to thirty dollars per week in cream and eggs. Well, you can't starve that farmer out by running cotton prices down. He has a living in other lines.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Jordan returned the last of the week from Carbon where they attended a home anniversary.

C. A. Jones, of Duncan Flat, was looking after business affairs here Tuesday.

J. C. Christopher, of Afton, was doing some trading with our merchants Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gipson, of Dickens, were over greeting their Spur friends Tuesday.

Miss Blanche Miller, who had been spending some months in her home in Dallas, is now back in Spur and has taken up her position with J. P. Wilkes & Son. We are glad to have Miss Miller back with us. Mr. Wilkes was in Dallas and she accompanied him back, arriving Tuesday.

Mrs. R. C. McMahan, of Dry Lake, underwent an operation Monday at the Nichols Sanitarium and is getting along nicely.

Mr. Kelley, who is in the Nichols Sanitarium, is still improving and soon will be able to be up.

Miss Velma Morrow, of Aspermont, who underwent an operation at the Nichols Sanitarium last week, is getting along fine at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Jennings returned from Stamford Friday where Mrs. Jennings met Mr. Jennings on his return from his old home at Mt. Vernon, Mo. Mr. Jennings had been called there on account of the death of his mother.

The name "Philippine mahogany" is being applied to certain woods that do not belong to the mahogany family. Among the Philippine woods to which the name is being applied are tanguile and lauaan. This loose use of standard terms is not approved by the Forest Service of the Department of Agriculture. It has been quoted as "indorsing" the name "Philippine mahogany," but, on the contrary, the Chief Forester says that it is desirable to use standard names that do not deceive or mislead the public. The name "mahogany," he says, should be confined to true mahoganies which belong to the botanical genus Swietenia.

There has been so much agitation recently about off color jokes that we announce with extreme great pleasure the arrival of an absolutely clean joke, as witness; He—You are a little Fairy. May I hold your Palmolive? She—Not on your Lifebuoy. Your head's solid Ivory. He—This is where I get the Col-

gate. She—I Woodbury that joke if I were you. Mrs. Cal Martin, who had been visiting her father, Mr. J. C. Collett at Roaring Springs, returned home Monday.

J. C. Niblett, of Swenson, is convalescing and will soon be able to return home after being in the Sanitarium.



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By

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New or Repair Work Office at Roaring Springs November 1st to 7th

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Meets Thursday nights on or before the full of the moon. Visitors always welcome.

H. P. GIBSON, W. M. JACK RECTOR, Secy.

SPUR LODGE NO. 771

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C. H. PERRY, Secretary

SPUR CHAPTER NUMBER 340

Meets Monday night on or after each full moon.

L. E. LEE, H. P. JACK RECTOR, Secy.

ROTARY CLUB OF SPUR

Meets every Thursday at 12 o'clock at Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome.

CLIFF JONES, Pres. DODGE STARCHER, Secy.

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TO BE MAILED ON A DIFFERENT PLAN

—This plan of rendering telephone bills is now in effect.

—Please be sure to read the notices accompanying your telephone bill.

—Our business office will be glad to furnish other information, if desired.

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OLD FORD CHASSIS

For use in making your four wheel trailers.

We have them at reasonable prices

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See the Ladies Slippers we are selling at—

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Men's Work Shoes at

\$2.10

Cotton Checks at

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O. N. T. Thread, 7 spools for

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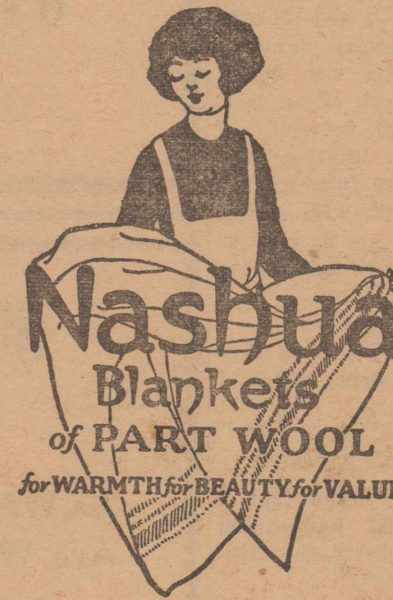
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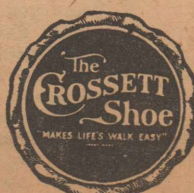
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We propose to move this stock of merchandise into cash, and the first to buy will naturally get the better selection. Beautiful dresses and coats in our high grade lines very cheap considering that the lines embrace—

Peggy Paige Apfelbaum & Stern and other high grade lines, also coats in—Printz Brederma and Peggy Paris

May we have your attention as early as possible. We suggest to our city trade to avoid trading on Saturday as we are so very rushed for time that you will receive better attention in week days other than Saturday. However we will do our best at all times.



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SHE HAD SPEED
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One of the answers wrote that she noted the requirements and went on: "Your advertisement appeals to me strongly—stronger than prepared mustard—as I have searched Europe, Airopé, Irope and Hoboken in quest of someone who could use my talents to advantage. When it comes to this chin music proposition, I have never found man, woman or dictaphone who could get first base on me, either fancy or catch-as-catch-can. I write shorthand so fast that I have to use a specially prepared pencil with a platinum point and a water cooling attachment, a note pad made of asbestos, ruled with sulphuric acid and stitched with catgut. I run with my cutout open at all speeds, and, am, in fact, a guaranteed, double hydraulic welded, drop-forged, and oil-tempered specimen of human lightning on a perfect thirty-six inch frame, ground to one-thousandth of an inch.

"If you would avail yourself of the opportunity of a lifetime, wire me, but unless you are fully prepared to pay the tariff for such service don't bother me, as I am so nervous I can't stand still long enough to have my dresses fitted."

She got the job.

S. H. Twaddell, of the Spur Grocery, says he needs a stenographer of the above description.

ANOTHER FORD FALLACY

Old Man Necessity, rather than a coy and demure ideal, has caused Henry Ford to inaugurate the five-day week in his factory.

At least that is the impression one gains from inside information filtering out of Detroit for several days.

Two weeks ago the industrial

world read that Henry Ford, promoter of the minimum wage, had gone one step farther and established a five-day week with six days' pay. Once more Mr. Ford was hailed by industrial idealists as the savior of the workingman.

As a matter of fact, Henry Ford's plants have been operating a five-day week for six months—in fact, practically since the early weeks of the year. In recent weeks there have been slight pay increases given to a small percentage of the Ford employes. This raise has in no sense been general, but follows the line of the official statement that those considered worthy would receive additional compensation. Those favored with increases announce that the increase they received for the week is not equal to a full day's

The prime reason behind the five-day week, it seems, is the drop in Ford sales. The present retail sale of Ford automobiles does not warrant a full week's production. Statistics prove that Ford production in the first six months in 1926 have not kept pace with sales in other years. Chevrolet, Dodge, Essex, other leading low-priced cars, show tremendous gains in production and sales. Ford virtually quit advertising in country weekly newspapers some time ago. Other companies advertised more than ever. That had much to do with the unprecedented Ford slump—in production, profits and prestige.

Others, in time past, have also learned this lesson.—Selected.

W. M. Bird, northeast of town, was in doing some trading Monday.

G. H. Connell, of Fort Worth, arrived in our city the last of the week and is spending a few days visiting his children, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Edmonds, and looking after business interests.

S. R. Garner, of the Pitch Fork Ranch, was in our city Monday looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ivey and daughter, Miss Evelyn, were guests of friends in Roaring Springs Sunday.

W. H. Condron, was in from the J. C. Davis place Monday looking after business affairs.

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OVERLAND WHIPPET
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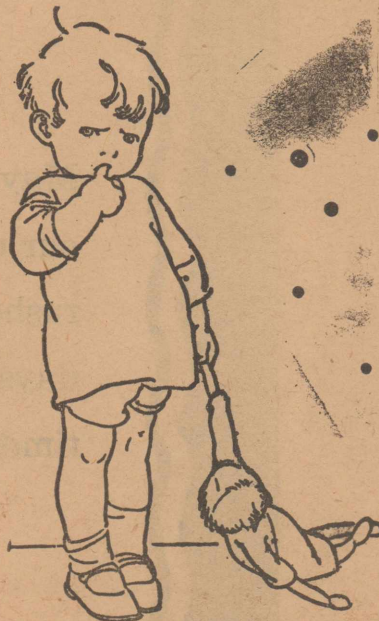
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Come and See Us

Mother!

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"California Fig Syrup" is Dependable Laxative for Sick Children



Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will sweeten the stomach and thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Even if cross, feverish, bilious, constipated or full of cold, children love its pleasant taste. It never cramps or overacts. Contains no narcotics or soothing drugs. Tell your druggist you want only the genuine "California Fig Syrup" which has directions for babies and children of all ages printed on bottle. Mother, you must say "California" before any imitation.

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STAMFORD 12:30 P. M. 4:00 P. M.
Aspermont 2:00 P. M. 3:30 P. M.
Jayton 3:10 P. M. 6:40 P. M.
SPUR 4:00 P. M. 7:30 P. M.
LUBBOCK 10:00 P. M.

LEAVE:
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STAMFORD 11:30 A. M. 3:30 P. M.
FT. WORTH 8:45 P. M. 11:30 A. M.

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Let Us be of Service to You!

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We built our new gin to serve the farmers best, and we tried to add all the equipment to make it a gin of service.

We have the electrical unloaders, the latest and best tested cleaners, the most modern machinery to be obtained just to give the farmers good service.

We have a housing capacity of forty bales. If you come to our gin and cannot wait, we unload your cotton into the dry gin house and gin it off at the proper time. When you bring your next bale the last one is ready for you.

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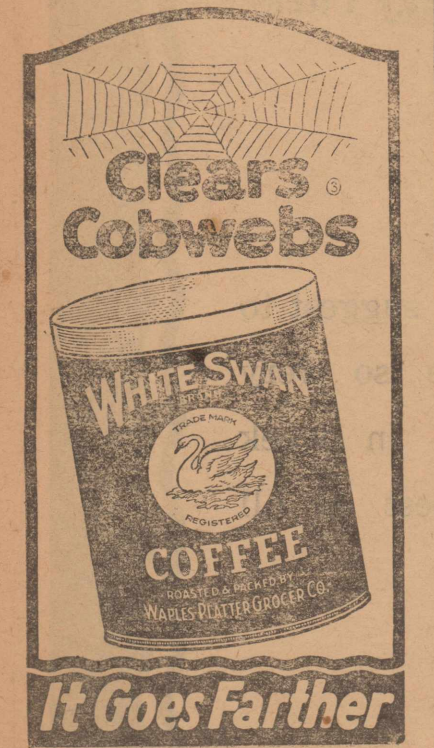
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SICKLY, PEEVISH CHILDREN

Children suffering from intestinal worms are cross, restless and unhealthy. There are other symptoms, however. If the child is pale, has dark rings under the eyes, bad breath and takes no interest in play, it is almost a certainty that worms are eating away its vitality. The surest remedy for worms is White's Cream Vermifuge. It is positive destruction to the worms but harmless to the child. Price 35c. Sold by

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R. A. Willis, of Girard, was taking advantage of the bargains offered by Spur merchants Saturday.

C. Hogan, manager of C. Hogan & Company, returned from the Panhandle Oil Fields Saturday.

Joe Christian, who had been spending a few days in the Panhandle Oil Fields, returned home Saturday, reporting business lively in that country.

D. Bird, of Matador, was greeting friends on our streets Monday and looking after business affairs. He owns a nice little ranch west of Spur.

C. M. Jackson of Croton community was looking over the large stocks of merchandise now on sale by Spur merchants Saturday.

Mrs. A. Biggs, north of town, was in doing some shopping Saturday.

J. V. Smith, of Cat Fish community, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

J. A. Legg and son, Tandy, of Croton community, were looking after business affairs in our city Monday.

J. Z. Smith, of Red Mud community, was buying some merchandise in our town Saturday.

Mrs. E. W. Rodgers, of Highway community, was doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

J. W. McDaniel, of Twin Wells community, was greeting friends and trading in our city the last of the week.

J. H. Hahn, of Espuela, was looking after business affairs here Saturday.

Carl Van Meter, of McAdoo, was doing some trading with our merchants the last of the week.

W. A. Harris, of Dry Lake, was greeting friends on our streets Saturday.

Fred Hisey, of Dry Lake community, was in looking after business affairs Monday morning.

B. Rodgers, of Wichita community, was a business visitor on our streets Saturday.

Eugene Roscoe, was a business visitor in our city Saturday.

Prof. Dave Waldron, of Dickens Schools, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

E. C. Thannisch, of Wichita community, was doing some trading with Spur merchants Saturday.

Jeff Harvey, of McAdoo, was greeting friends and doing some trading in our city Saturday.

J. S. Sparks, of Red Mud, was greeting friends on our street Saturday.

L. B. McMeans, west of town, was in doing some trading Saturday.

G. M. Cox, of Soldier Mound, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Miss Maggie Mathews, one of Dickens County's fine teachers, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

W. W. Pickens, northeast of town, was in looking after business affairs Saturday.

L. F. White, a cotton buyer at Lubbock, was in our city last week inspecting Dickens County cotton and taking in a few orders.

R. S. Harkey, of Dickens, was greeting friends on our street Saturday.

J. H. Booth, east of town, was in doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

A. W. VanLeer, of Espuela community, was among the many who were trading in our city Saturday.

J. T. Hale, one of Afton's progressive farmers, was trading with Spur merchants Saturday.

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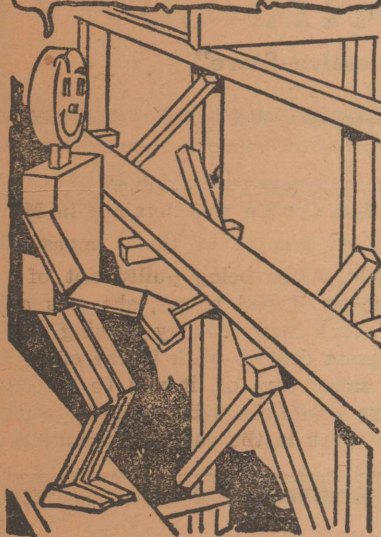
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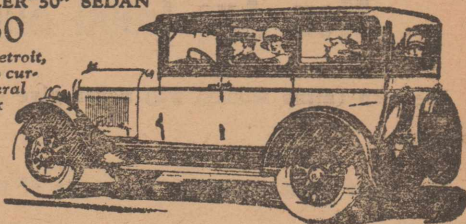
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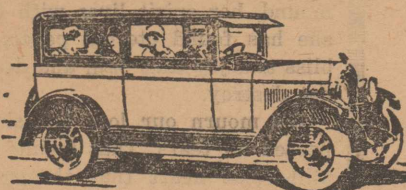
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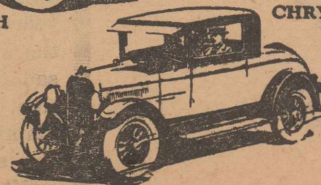
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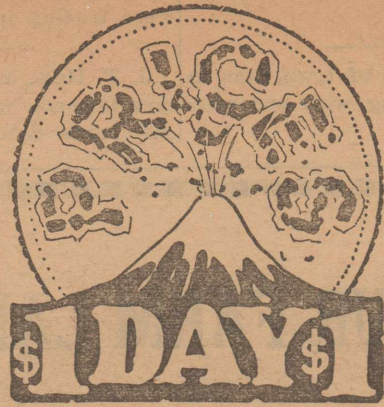


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7 1-2 yards Hope domestic	-----\$1.00
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Men's and ladies coat sweaters	-----\$1.00
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7 yards cotton suiting	-----\$1.00
Your choice ladies fall hats	-----\$1.00
12 yards narrow gingham	-----\$1.00
12 yards wide dress gingham	-----\$1.00
7 fancy turkish towels, colored border	-----\$1.00
3 men's fancy knit silk ties	-----\$1.00

We will have other dollar specials on display. Bring your dollar to—

SALEMS GUARANTY

Spur, Texas

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What's Doing In West Texas Towns

Garza County carried away first honors for West Texas and the South Plains this week in having its agricultural exhibit adjudged the finest agricultural display of all state en-

tries at the Dallas Fair. The display was arranged by George (Scotty) Samson, Garza County Agricultural Agent, and featured small grains and grain sorghums. Garza's grain sorghums scored 193 points out of the possible 200, forage feeds 47 out of 50, and alfalfa 72 out of 75 points. The same exhibits took first honors at Lubbock and Abilene. Randall and Hartley Counties drew sec-

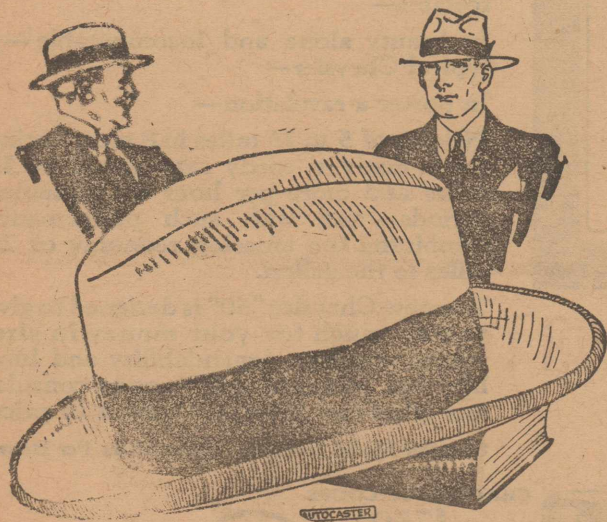
Men Are Good Shoppers!

We men (alho women will never give us credit) are very good shoppers.

We know what we want. No waste of time—no display of temperament.

Take our hats. A woman thinks about buying for a month—tries on every hat in town—goes home—talks it over with the neighbors and finally buys one she isn't satisfied with.

But a man—ah! He buys scientifically! He suddenly says—guess I'll buy a new hat. Drops into C. HOGAN'S—mentions his size—points one out—puts it on and is satisfied.



New Felts \$2.50 to \$5

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ond and third honors to Garza. The biggest demonstration in the history of Post was given on the return of George Samson from Dallas, over 1200 people with the band meeting him upon his arrival.

Amarillo and Wichita Falls are running neck and neck in their West Texas Chamber of ommerce membership drive contest, with Wichita leading slightly. Both have around 500 memberships but Amarillo expects to forge ahead when all her pledges are taken up.

An impediment to Quanah's progress in the opinion of its citizens has been removed with the opening of the Pease River Bridge as a free bridge. No more tolls will be collected for passage over it.

Despite the continued rains in Stamford section, the community fair which opened there Thursday is drawing good crowds. A concert by the Stamford Fireman's Band, official band of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, started the festivities in the municipal auditorium where the exhibits are located. Some 25 merchants, manufacturers, and communities have displays there.

A new unit, consisting of engine and dynamo, will be installed at Levelland immediately by the Texas Utilities Company, doubling the capacity of the local power plant.

Contract has been let by the Texas Gas Company for the construction of its line from the Panhandle gas fields to the South Plains. Cities already under franchise are Lubbock, Slaton, Plainview, Floyada, Lockney, and Tullia. Distributing systems are to be located at Canyon, Abernathy, Happy, Kress, Hale Center, and other points.

West Texas advertised as the "Land of Opportunity" has recently gotten publicity over 10 states of the Union. The medium through which the section was brought to mind of New Mexico, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, North and South Dakotas, Nebraska, Oklahoma, Kansas, and all parts of Texas was the Wortham Shows. The Wortham Shows, which are one of the largest carnival attraction organizations in the states, hold large memberships with the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, and as a means of expressing their loyalty to that great regional organization, and to further the interest of their native state and favored section, they carry over their office wagon large signs telling the world about West Texas. The Wortham Shows are having a two weeks run in Stamford now in connection with the first annual Community Fair held there, having come direct from Wichita Falls where they had an engagement in connection with the Oklahoma-Texas Fair.

West Texas and the West Texas Chamber of Commerce which serves the empire region have been honored by the Southern Steamship Company who has named its newest steamer the "S. S. West Texas". It is the expressed desire of the company's officials that the craft will be a floating monument to the world's greatest regional chamber and the territory in whose interest it works.

A transaction was completed last Saturday and contract signed whereby the Texas Utilities Company take over the Matador light and ice plant. They will assume control at once, making arrangements to build a high line to that point, probably from Paducah. Matador citizens will be furnished electricity and ice at a very low cost.

IN MEMORIAM
Lovingly Dedicated to the Memory
of Mrs. Mary Dodson by
Lon Kizziah

A tender babe was born, and in her birth God sent a gem of His great love to earth to cheer and comfort in the strife, to lead by her example through this life. But God, who gave her, took her up above that she might live with Him in joy and love. Her pages full of good deeds, her life book closed, and she sleeps in God's great heart in sweet repose.

We miss her! Oh, how dreary seems the days because she is gone. But we will love her always. The blessings of her life will always be kept sacred in the heart of memory. Her body sleeps out there beneath the mound, her spirit lives with God and she has found eternal peace, eternal bliss and joy that pain and death cannot destroy.

We mourn our loss but she has passed all tears. That loving heart is still—that heart that through the years gave happiness and help to those in need. Well may we all feel sad that she is gone—sweet disposition, kind and suffering long, complaining not, an angel in her grace she smiling, met the close of life's swift race.

She lived, was loved and now we mourn our loss,
Her life was spent in love around the cross;
And when she passed Christ took her by the hand
And led her up to God's blest Holy

Land.
Love fought the fight and kept the faith,
Now rest come up to reign forever with the blest;
The faithful's mansion now is yours on high
While endless years of time gliding by.

Mrs. Mary Dodson, wife of G. W. Dodson, was born November 26, 1862. She professed faith in Christ at the age of eleven years and united with the Baptist church in the State of Tennessee.

Our loss is her gain when fast and fainting breath gave her new life. Immortalized by death our hopes seem gone ahead. She has just gone home, and for a few brief years we must stay here and suffer pain and tears, then we will follow her to heaven above if we live as she has lived, with all death passed, to live with her in love.

LESS THAN CENT MILE FOR GAS AND OIL ON LONG TRIP

Driving a Whippet sedan, James J. Marshall of Council Bluffs, Iowa, recently covered the 1600 miles between Omaha, Nebraska, and New York City in four days of driving and at a total cost for gasoline and oil of \$15 or less than one cent per mile for fuel and oil.

His average mileage was 400 miles a day which required a high driving average making the low cost for fuel even more pronounced, the gasoline economy being 33 miles to the gallon.

The cost for oil included one complete change of oil during the trip.

Previous to making the run from Omaha to New York, Marshall had driven the same car from Norfolk, Nebraska, to Seattle, Wash., thence down the Pacific Coast to Los Angeles, returning to Omaha across the Great American Desert and over the Rocky Mountains.

In 60 days he has driven his Whippet a total of 8112 miles on the original tires and has not at any time carried a spare casing with him—San Antonio Light.

MRS. FORBIS ENTERTAINS

A very delightful afternoon and evening was spent by members and friends of the Friday Afternoon Club at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forbis with Mrs. Forbis hostess to the Club. The afternoon entertainment was for ladies only and the program consisted of "Forty-Two". At the evening hour Club members and their husbands were entertained, the game of the evening being "Whist". High score prizes were awarded in the evening. The high prize lady was Mrs. W. D. Wilson who was awarded a beautiful evening bag. Robert Davis was lucky high man and was awarded a deck of cards in a nice leather case.

The refreshments for each occasion consisted of tea, cake, sandwiches, olives and fruit salad.

The afternoon guests were: Mesdames W. T. Andrews, Leland D. Campbell, H. P. Gibson, C. L. Love, M. E. Manning, Chas. Whitener, E. A. Russell, James B. Reed, Roy Stovall, O. D. Daniell, B. F. Hale, Bill Putman, W. R. Lewis, J. M. Foster, E. L. Caraway, G. H. Snider, W. E. Sample, W. S. Campbell, T. H. Blackwell, Geo. M. Williams, J. H. Busby, J. H. Dobbins and W. F. Godfrey.

The guests at the evening hour were: Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Edmonds, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. James B. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Putman, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Golding, Mr. and Mrs. Oran McClure, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Fred S. Reynolds, and Mesdames, Sol Davis and Kate Senning.

AT THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Evangelist Jno. M. Rice of Abilene preached at the Church of Christ last Lord's day at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. There were two splendid audiences present to greet the new Evangelist who will work regularly for the Church of Christ in Spur for the next six months. There will be preaching each Lord's day at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m..

Subjects for next Lord's day, September 24 are:—at 11 a. m., Book of Romans"; at 7:30 p. m., "God's Immutability Laws."

Prayer meeting each Wednesday evening at 7:30.

Young Peoples Meeting each Lord's day evening at 6:30.

You are invited to all these services.

JNO. M. RICE, Evangelist

NOTICE TO COMMUNITIES

The County Home Demonstration Agent requests us to announce that her schedule of work still provides time for one more community club, either for the ladies or for the girls. If any community is interested in this work and desire a club organized, you may get in conversation with her and work out the plans. But you had better speak now as she has time for just one more club.

EVERYTHING GOES AT COST!

Ladies we are selling ready-to-wear so that you can afford a new coat or dress

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Regular \$6.95 dresses for only	-----\$3.50
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Regular \$12.75 dresses for only	-----\$8.10
Regular \$22.50 dresses for only	-----\$15.50
Regular \$28.50 dresses for only	-----\$20.10
Regular \$35.00 dresses for only	-----\$27.00

COATS

Regular \$26.50 coats for only	-----\$20.10
Regular \$19.75 coats for only	-----\$12.90
Regular \$11.85 coats for only	-----\$8.10
Regular \$6.85 coats for only	-----\$4.50

MILLINERY

Regular \$3.95 hats for only	-----\$2.10
Regular \$6.95 hats for only	-----\$4.50
Regular \$7.35 hats for only	-----\$5.40

SHOES

Ladies, we have a large stock of new novelty shoes.	
Regular \$7.35 shoes for only, per pair	-----\$4.98
Regular \$6.95 shoes, for only, per pair	-----\$4.74
Regular \$6.50 shoes for only, per pair	-----\$4.20
Regular \$5.95 shoes for only, per pair	-----\$4.02
Regular \$3.45 shoes for only, per pair	-----\$2.20

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ATTENDS DISTRICT MEETING

Miss Daisy Gordon, County Home Demonstration Agent, spent last week in Seymour and Monday attending the Demonstration Agents District meeting. The meeting was held in Seymour and was presided over by Miss Myrtle Murray, District Agent. Many problems of interest discussed, and programs for the

coming year were outlined.

Miss Gordon was detained in Monday on account of the impassable roads. After being pulled out of a number of bad places, she was able to reach Spur Monday evening. With a great deal of work in the office to be taken care of, it will be a few days before she will be able to resume her work in the various communities.



All kinds of Special Hallowe'en Doo-Da's for your party.

Hallowe'en is the Magic Day when youth runs riot, and age joins hands to become the life of the party. Allow us to assist you in planning your social.

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