

**UTILITIES COMPANY
GIVES 1928 EXPAN-
SION FIGURES**

ABILENE, Texas, Jan. 22.—Through a net work of transmission lines extending more than 2,000 miles into the heart of West Texas, the West Texas Utilities Company at the close of 1928 was serving 108 prosperous cities, towns and communities with an inexhaustible supply of electrical energy. While the major activity of this company is the generation and distribution of electricity, the West Texas Utilities Company is supplying ice, water, gas, transportation and merchandise in many cities and towns.

Heralded as "the land of opportunity", West Texas by its phenomenal growth has truly merited its slogan. And to keep pace with this rapid expansion the West Texas Utilities Company added to its properties towns of Eldorado, Sonora, Wingate, Medicine Mound, Dodsonville, Rochelle, Goodlet and Dickens. The population of the communities served by the company totals 225,000.

It added more than 300 miles of transmission lines during the year and several miles of gas mains. The books of the company shows a total of 54,201 customers with an increase of 7,102 for the year. The connected load was increased 25,964 kw showing a total connected load of 111,588 kw.

The company now is operating in 42 counties covering an area of more than 40,000 square miles.

The most outstanding construction work during the year was the completion of the first unit of a proposed 60,000 horsepower generating station at Lake Pauline. On September 10th, six months after ground was broken on the bank prairies near Quannah, a switch was thrown sending 20,000 more horsepower of electrical energy coursing through the highlines of the company, increasing the available capacity of the company to 70,000 h. p.

Construction work and additions during 1928 follow:
Power plant building and installation of 450hp Diesel engines at Quitaque, Ice sales station at San Angelo, Quannah, West Vernon, Abilene, Coleman, Ballinger, Childress, Texon, Eldorado, Memphis.

Purchase of electric and ice properties at Sonora and Eldorado. Installation of 300HP engines at Sonora. Construction of 11kv line from Eldorado to Sonora.

Purchase of land on Lytle Creek, three miles South of Abilene, for future location of dam and reservoir for power plant.

Spur, Jayton and Aspermont tied in with transmission system—38 miles of 66 kv line.

Twenty three ton ice plant at Albany.

Office, storeroom and building for

ice plant at Sonora.
Cold storage plant at Cisco. Store-room at Cisco.

Cold storage plant at Childress. Warehouse at Baird.

San Angelo distribution system changed over from 2300 volt to 4160 volt. Water filtration plant at San Angelo.

Four residences for employes at McCamey.

750 kvc substation at Baird.

Addition to car barns at Abilene.

Eleven miles 66 kv line from McCamey to Pecos Valley Power & Light Co. power plant for interconnection.

Purchase and installation water treating plant at San Angelo.

Rebuilt and improved distribution systems at Clarendon, Santa Anna, Memphis, Spur, Hamlin, Haskell and Menard.

Second story to San Angelo office. Enlarged Albany office.

New office building at Aspermont. New office and storeroom at Winters.

66 kv line from Melvin to Brady. 66 kv line from Wellington to Shamrock.

Extensions to serve rural communities to Christoval, Gasoline Dickens

Knickerbocker, Cross Cut, Goodlet, Wall and Twitty.

12 kv line between Quitaque and Turkey.

66—24 kv substation at Rotan.

Extension to San Angelo generating station and installation of second 5,000 kv unit.

Extensions in Noodle Dome, Putnam, Wilbarger, Cook, Cross Plains, Yates and Big Lake oil fields.

Six and one-half miles of gas main extensions in Abilene and Cisco.

Fifteen miles of water mains extensions in San Angelo.

This report would not be complete without a mention of numerous industries being served by the company.

Records show the company serving 97 cotton gins, 32 ice plants, 8 bakeries, 7 rock crushers, 5 brick plants, 75 municipal water pumping plants, 35 privately owned water plants, 60 mills, 10 cotton oil mills, 1,447 producing oil wells, 10 oil gathering stations, and 29 pipeline pump stations.

These new structures and extensions represent several million dollars investment which shows the company's faith in the communities served and in West Texas. Uninterrupted service equal to that enjoyed by great

metropolitan cities is extended to the smallest community on the properties of the West Texas Utilities Company.

PEACOCK LADY DIES HERE

Mrs. Annie Almeda Halford of Peacock Texas died at the local Sanitarium last Saturday morning. Funeral services were held at Peacock Sunday afternoon and interment was made in Double Mountain Cemetery. Mrs. Halford was born in the State of Missouri November 5, 1901. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Horton, her parents living at this time. She passed her twenty-seventh birthday at the time of her demise.

Dub Latham of Red Hill was in

trading with our merchants Saturday. Mrs. T. L. Rape of Steel Hill was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

Herbert Hoover, a young man of Croton Community was doing some trading with our merchants Saturday.

A. C. Martin of Dickens was transacting business with our merchants Saturday.

T. J. Williams, east of town was in Monday attending to business matters.

W. L. McAteer, of near Dickens was looking after business affairs here Monday.

S. J. Ousleu of Abilene was greeting old friends in our city the first of the week. Upon being asked when he was going to move back to Spur he stated that it would be some time

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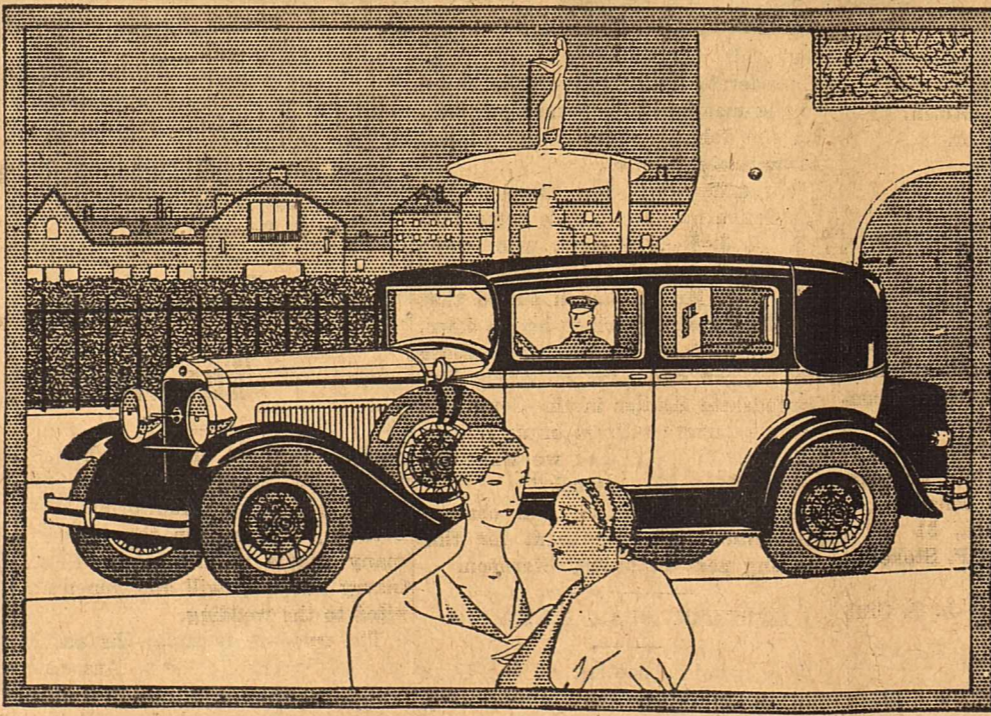
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GIRARD SCHOOL NEWS

(Too Lat for Last Week)

Miss Winnoa Stephens has been sick but was able to be back in school last week for the first time since the Christmas Holidays.

A very interesting debate was ren-

dered Wednesday afternoon during Mr. Ramsy's History Class. The subject was: Resolved: That the young folks of today are as good as the young folks of yesterday. The debate was very good as well as interesting.

The pep girls of Girard came dressed last Friday in their pep suits, which were white dresses and red

cap and jackets.

Girard is now very badly in need of a Spanish and English teacher.

Miss Samantha Beavers taught Mrs. Kennon's Room last week during Mrs. Kennon's absence on account of illness.

Miss Lorilla Stephens exstudent of Girard visited in school last Thursday. Mr. George Appalent of the Denton West Texas State Teachers College is now teaching Spanish and English in the Girard High School.

The Girard basketball team played the Spur Bulldogs at the Dickens Gym, last Friday and Spur won 23 to 5.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Dickens,
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL
ESTATE**

Whereas, by virtue of an Order of Sale and Execution issued out of the District Court of Dickens County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 27th day of November, 1928, in favor of James V. Gowans against J. D. White and Thelma White and A. V. Lester, in cause No. 1031 on the docket of said court, foreclosing a deed of trust lien on the lands hereinafter mentioned for the sum of \$1971.91, with interest at 10 percent per annum from November 27, 1928, and costs of suit, and to me directed and delivered, I did, on the 3rd day of January 1929, at 10 o'clock A. M. levy upon the following described lands and premises, situated in the County of Dickens and State of Texas, as directed by said order of sale, to-wit:

80 acres of land out of Survey No. 7, Certificate No. 328, A.B. & M., fully described by metes and bounds in said judgement, situated about 7 miles north of Dickens Texas, and known as the A. V. Lester, 80 acre tract.

And on the 5th day of February, 1929, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M. offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said J. D. White, Thelma White and A. V. Lester, and to said above described property.

Dated this 3rd day of January, 1929.

G. L. Barber,
Sheriff of Dickens County, Texas.
Jan. 10-17-24.

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Dickens, Texas
Jan. 24, 1929

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The Espuela 4-H Club girls met at 10 o'clock Wednesday, Jan 16, with Miss Osborne. The girls worked on their sewing. There were two new members. All members were present except one who was sick.

GIRARD NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson of Flomont formerly of Girard visited with friends and relatives last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harper both of whom have been sick with the flu for some time are now some better.

Mrs. Barnett was ill last week but is now some better.

Miss Goldy Jackson and Mr. Clifford Long of Girard were united in

marriage Sunday.

The bride is the beautiful young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edd Jackson and the groom is a prominent young gentleman of Girard. We wish them much happiness and success for the future.

Mrs. Barnett of the Bon Ton Cafe has been ill.

Dean Young has been on the sick list.

J. W. Waggoner Jr., has been on the sick roll.

Mrs. G. C. Dial has also been very ill but at this time is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Ramsey have moved from the Hotel and are now living in the house formerly occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Graves motored to Rule Tuesday.

A good rain fell at Girard last Tuesday which was badly needed.

Mr. Hugh Turner from Flomont is now at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner.

Mr. Clarence Phipps who has been visiting with his parents at San Antonio returned last week.

Mr. Raleigh Beaver and family motored to MaAdoo Sunday to attend the singing convention.

Mrs. R. E. Berkley from McCamey is now visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Curley.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bidleman and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Jinks Cooper and family Sunday.

Miss Katherine North from Peacock visited with Idell Cooper during the week end.

Bro. North of Peacock preached at Girard at the Baptist Church Sat-

urday evening and Sunday morning. Mrs. Mat Darden of Abilene for and Sunday evening. Bro. North preach merly of Girard visited in Girard es every second and fourth Sunday. during the week end.

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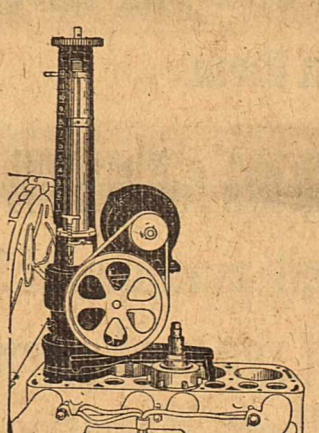
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Dickens County Times

W. D. STARCHER, Editor
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ROARING SPRINGS BANK—
ER MARRIED

F. L. Ferguson cashier of the First State Bank at Roaring Springs and Miss Maudie Gilmore were married last Sunday afternoon at 3:15 o'clock. These young people drove over to Spur and asked Rev. F. G. Rogers pastor of the First Baptist Church

to perform the ceremony. Just a few friends were present as witnesses.

Both of these young people are well known in the Roaring Springs country. The groom has been associated with the First State Bank for some time and has a host of friends who appreciate him as a business man.

DISTRICT BASKETBALL TOURNAMENTS ANNOUNCED

The District Basketball tournament will be held at Lubbock February 22 and 23 making as agreed by the interscholastic League Committee of Dickens County for our basketball tournament to be held at Dickens gymnasium, one week previous to this date or on February 15th and 16th.

The Junior Boys and Junior Girls tournament will be held on Saturday of the same date.

Coaches of both High and Rural school teams are requested to meet at the Dickens Gymnasium February 8, 8 P. M. to draw for games of the tournament.

Director of Athletics,
C. W. Guisecke, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Kimbrough of Seymour were greeting friends and doing some trading in our city Monday.

R. E. Bryant of Roaring Springs country was attending to business in our city Monday.

T. T. Grizzle, of Dry Lake was doing some trading with our merchants Monday.

C. N. Kidd one of the progressive citizens of Dry Lake was looking after business affairs here Monday.

Amos L. Jackson of Afton was attending to business matters here Tuesday.

Harvey Holley of Dickens was in our city Monday looking after business affairs.

Jeff James of Dickens was trading with our merchants Monday.

D. Hall of 24 Ranch was transacting business with our merchants Monday.

B. J. Bateman of Soldier Mound was doing some trading with our merchants Monday.

Marvin Smith of Red Mud Community was in our city Monday looking after business affairs.

Mrs. G. C. Carr of Roaring Springs was doing some shopping with our Merchants Monday.

J. C. Raso of Dumont County was trading with our merchants Monday.

O. P. Meador of Steel Hill was attending to business matters in our city Tuesday.

C. D. Copeland, east of town, was looking after business affairs here the first of the week.

Mrs. John D. Huffstedler of Highway community was doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

J. G. Cage of Pansy community was transacting business in our city Monday and while in town paid the Times Office a very pleasant visit.

Horace Cage of Pansy was transacting business in our city Monday.

J. N. Lawson of Afton was attending to business matters in our city Tuesday.

C. Gollihar of McAdaa was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

W. A. (Andy) Walker of Pansy was in town Monday and while here he paid the Times Office a visit. He had us send the Times to his old friend, P. H. Leatherwood at Plainview. Mr. Walker stated that he lost one of his eyes during the fall which has caused him to be unable to work most of the fall.

Judge Newberry our efficient County Judge was looking after business for the County here Monday.

M. K. Lawson, one of Afton's hustling merchants was greeting friends in our city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Wester are in Dallas this week where Mr. Webster is buying a large stock of furniture for Bryant-Link Company.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kinney, of Ranger spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Shugart, of Shugart's Studio, and are contemplating locating in our city.

W. E. Putnam of the Mission service station is in Pyote this week looking after business interests.

Wilburn Perry, John L. King and L. R. Barrett are in Dallas this week attending the convention of the hardware men.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Taylor, accompanied by Mrs. W. P. Bowen and Mrs. J. R. Moses of Falls, were in our city Monday Mr. Taylor went on to Stamford where he is attending a meeting of the managers of Bryant-Link Company.

George S. Link, local manager for Bryant-Link Company is in Stamford this week attending a meeting of the managers of his company.

Mrs. C. E. Robertson of McAdoo, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday and while here made the Times Office a pleasant call.

B. F. Simmons, of Afton, was transacting business in our city Tuesday.

LOST—One light colored, medium size Jersey Cow, six years old, fresh and heavy milker. \$25.00 reward for information leading to arrest and conviction of thief—S. H. Twaddell. 2

J. E. Stowe of Fort Worth representative of the National Cash Register Company was interviewing our business men Wednesday.

Mrs. B. C. Cairnes, of Claiborne was doing some shopping in our city Tuesday.

Emmett Ragsdale of Elton was attending to business matters here Tuesday.

H. A. Turner, representative of the Texas Oil Company was talking up Texico products in our city Wednesday.

Fred Lehow of Leuders was attending to business matters in our city Wednesday and visiting his old friend L. D. McWaters who is in the sanitarium.



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Rex Bell in

"THE GIRL-SHY COWBOY"

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Monday and Tuesday

January 28th and 29th

"FURY OF THE WILD"

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DICKENS COUNTY TIMES

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Of
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And
The
Widow
Zander
Friday
Evening
At The
High
School
Auditorium




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As you proceed at your work around town,
But why do it just because you can?
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In the long run you'll find it pay,
To keep your suit in press every day.

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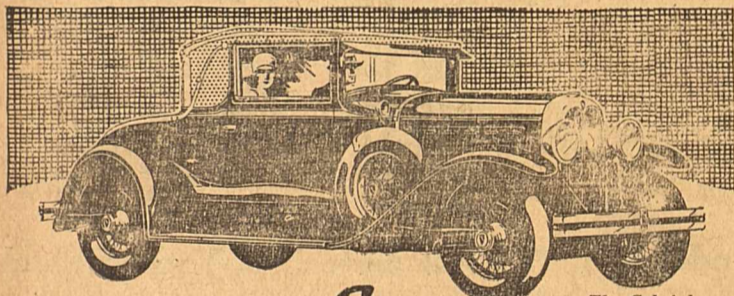
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Spur, Texas

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The new cars will make their formal debut at a special advance showing in the salesroom of the Foley Motor Company at Spur, this week. Spur motorists will thus have an opportunity to see the new car at an early date.

The President is offered in two series with wheelbases which have been increased to 125 and 135 inches. Both series have the same 115 horsepower motor. The Commander Six Chassis has a wheelbase of 120 inches and a motor developing 75 horsepower. The new Commander enjoys the brilliant qualities that have made Commander performance a standard of comparison for the past two years.

A complete range of beautiful new body styles is offered on the new President and Commander. Bodies are longer, lower and roomier. They are fitted with non-shatterable safety windshields with double blade windshield cleaners and with adjustable front seats for the driver. Double drop frame construction has a marked effect in lowering the height of the bodies and has given the cars an even lower center of gravity for increased safety and roadability.

Many features which make for increased comfort are evident in the body design. There is more leg room in both front and rear compartments. Rear seats are wider affording ample room for three persons as a result of an increase in the width of the rear tread.

Every provision has been made for driving comfort. In addition to the adjustable seats there are adjustable brake and clutch pedals adjustable steering column and a new treadle type accelerator. Foot pedals are fitted with rubber pads. The safety glass windshield can be opened to full ventilating position by means of a conveniently placed crank.

The new on-shatterable safety glass is made of two sheets of ground and polished glass laminated to clear, transparent Pyralin binder. Even the severe impact of a hammer blow will not cause the glass to shatter. The new bodies are as notable for their graceful lines and smart colors as for their roominess and comfort. A new treatment of moulding and body panels emphasises their low hung appearance. The windshield pillars are gracefully curved from cowl to the trim polo cap visor. The broad body belt set off by raised mouldings extends from cowl to rear quarter, where it narrows to continue around the back panel. Deep window reveals are bordered by a moulding which adds new beauty to the smart color contrasts.

Wide crown fenders hang low over the wheels, flanking the bright chromium plated radiator and headlamps. The radiator is topped by a winged cap symbolic of Studebaker's championship speed, and the same winged motif is carried out in the design of head and cowl lights. Scratch proof and nontarnishable chromium plate is used to full advantage on lamps, cowl beading, bumpers and the big hub caps.

Many of the models have six wire wheels with two spares carried in front fender wells.

Details of the interior treatment of the President and Commander bodies reveal a new degree of luxurious comfort and beauty. The wide form fitting seats are deeply cushioned on pillow type springs. Rear seats are flaked by heavily upholstered arm rests. The Broughams are also fitted with folding arm rests in the center of the rear seat. Upholstery fabrics are rich mohair, broadcloth or Bedford cord, with genuine leather in the open cars.

The complete appointments include eight day clock, smoking set and vanity case in the President 135-inch sedans and limousines.

Folding ash receivers are recessed into the doors of the five passenger sedans, victorias and broughams. Cigarette lighters are regular equipment on many models.

Onyx knobs are provided for horn button and gear shift lever. Spark and throttle levers and thumb switch for the twin-beam headlights are mounted in the center of the thin grip, flat type steering wheel. The wheel is the steel core safety type which will not break or shatter under most severe stresses, and conforms to the type prescribed by the safety code of the American Automobile Association.

Few cars in the history of the industry have caught and held the admiration of the motorists more completely than the President Eight. Introduced just a year ago, it outsold every other eight cylinder car in the world in six months after its first appearance. Its sensational run of 30,000 miles in 26,325 consecutive minutes last summer followed by its 24-hour run in November when two stock roadsters averaged more than 85 miles per hour in a dusk to dusk run, gave Studebaker a clean sweep of official American stock car perfor-

mance records as well as five world records and eight international records.

The New President reveals that Studebaker engineers are not content to rest on their laurels. Notable improvements have been made through out motor and chassis. Horsepower has been increased and performance further improved by means of new duplex carburation and down draft manifold. The new system in effect provides two carburetors and manifold each feeding four cylinders. The carburetor is fitted with an improved type acceleration well which gives the motor instant responsiveness.

One of the outstanding improvements is the development of a new type choke used on both the President and Commander motors. It prevents overchoking and dilution of crankcase oil. In operation the choke lever can be pulled all the way out for the full choking effect sometimes needed for starting in cold weather. As soon as the motor starts however a valve automatically opens to prevent the admission of more raw gasoline to the cylinders. Excessive use of the choke is thus eliminated even though the lever remains in "full out" position, while at the same time the motor is given all the choking effect it may need for quick smooth operation.

Frame and chassis of the President Eight have been strengthened to compensate for the motor's increased power and speed. Larger brakes are fitted with an improved type of control for simplicity and permanence of adjustment. Houdaille double acting hydraulic shock absorbers front and rear and patented ball bearing spring shackles insure a new degree of riding comfort and roadability. Spring covers are fitted to prevent rust, maintain lubrication and insure full spring flexibility. The ease of cam and lever steering action has been improved by lapping and chrome plating the steering knuckle pins.

Bore and stroke of the President motor remain 3 1-4 by 4 3-8 inches. Piston displacement is 336 cubic inches.

Bore and stroke of the Commander Six Motor are 3 3-8 by 4 3-8 inches

giving piston displacement of 248 cubic inches.

Commander chassis design closely follows that of its running mate the President. Longer Springs, lower center of gravity, and improved chassis balance have brought about greater riding ease and better roadability. In the words of H. S. Vance, Studebaker vice-president in charge of engineering and production, "The new Commanders are 'well mannered' cars in every sense of the word—quick, responsive, surefooted on the road notably easy to handle and embodying all the fine performance that has become a recognized feature of this famous car."

Lonnie Arnold of Duck Creek was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Mrs. Renelle Brannen is reported very ill of influenza at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Adams.

Mrs. Clarence Ellis is assisting in the big store of C. R. Edwards & Company on Saturdays and Mondays. R. Hedges of Dry Lake, was attending to business in our city Saturday.

Mrs. J. A. Jackson and daughter of Afton were doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

J. H. Balch of Steel Hill, was doing some trading with our merchant Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. George of Highway community was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

Ford Dealers for Ford Service — Godfrey & Smart.

SPECIAL PRICES ON ALL SIZE

PICTURES

ALSO WE WANT YOUR

KODAK WORK

Nobody Makes 'Em Like Shugarts

SHUGARTS STUDIO

"Up Stairs Over Piggly Wiggly"



The SHIRT
WITH THE
7-Button Front



POOL'S
COLORTEST
SHIRTS

True to
Their Colors

If we thought for a minute that most of the people in this community considered price above everything else, we would be advertising cheap merchandise at prices that would delight the most astute of price sharpshooters. Of course the question of quality would necessarily be thrown to the four winds.

But we believe otherwise. We are certain that most of the people realize that cheap merchandise is the most expensive. We feel that while they are naturally interested in the price they are more concerned about getting the most for their money.

And because we are sure that we are giving our customers the most for their money, it is a pleasure to advertise and sell.

Stetson Hats

Pool's Shirts

E. & W. Shirts

American Gentleman Shoes

Busby Gloves

Hart Schaffner & Marx Suits and

Overcoats

Bradley Sweaters

Just Received Complete Stock of Stetson Hats. In the

Wanted Shades and Shapes For Spring.

BRYANT-LINK CO.

GENT'S FURNISHINGS DEP'T.

THE COST OF MERCHANDISE

does not depend altogether on the merchants buying power the cost of selling, (Overhead) also enters in.
WE KEEP OUR PRICES DOWN
 by keeping our expenses down.

KELLAM'S

THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Is individually owned and controlled. Every piece of merchandise that is offered for sale is personally selected by those who sell it and for this particular trade territory.

End of the Month Specials

THESE PRICES IN EFFECT UNTIL SATURDAY FEBRUARY 2ND



**ATTRACTIVE NEW...
SPRING DRESSES**

Just received and placed on Sale at this extremely low figure, a wonderful assortment of the newest dresses in good flat crepes, Georgettes, and the new Jersey Ensembles, a wonderful array of new Spring Colors and in sizes from 14 to 42
Choice \$6.95

MENS WINTER UNIONS

Mens winter weight ribbed union suits bleached white all sizes
choice 95^C

Mens Two Piece Underwear

Good weight ribbed shirts and drawers in all sizes per garment
65^C

HEAVY FLEECE UNIONS

Extra heavy flat fleeced unionsuits for men in most all sizes to close out
\$1.19

MENS FLANNEL SHIRTS

A good warm flannel shirt dark serviceable patterns values to \$1.75
choice \$1.19

BOYS COWBOY PANTS

made of heavy white back denim reinforced with rivets sizes to 11
choice \$1.00

MENS OVERALLS

A genuine 240 weight triple stitched 2 buttons on the side 2 seam leg all sizes
98^C

BLUE WORK SHIRTS

A full cut blue Chambray work shirt triple stitched 2 pockets, sizes 14 1/2 to 17 choice
69^C

SHIRT SALE



DRESS SHIRTS
 One special lot of mens and boys dress shirts in good desirable patterns and most every size, choice **89^C**
FINE DRESS SHIRTS
 in other groups greatly reduced
\$1.19 \$1.25 \$1.48

Boys Heavy Duck Coats

Blanket Lined heavy duck coats, corduroy Collars, just the thing for work or school wear
choice \$2.89

MENS DUCK COATS

Made if heavy duck, blanket lined, slicker interlined water proof sizes 40 to 46 choice
\$3.39

MENS KAHKI PANTS

made of regular O. D. Kahki and Hong Kong, most all sizes, as long as they last the pair
\$1.00

DERRICK WORK SHIRTS

The famous oil field special work shirt in Blue or grey triple stitched coat style two pockets, extra full cut all sizes
89^C

Mens Sheep Lined Coats

full weight and length sheep lined coats for men. Heavy storm collars at sizes \$7.50 values
\$5.98

BOYS LEATHER COATS

A good heavy black leather coat for the boys sizes up to 18 values up to \$10.00 choice
\$6.98

BOYS DRESS PANTS

Made of good materials desirable patterns, suitable for year round wear, sizes 6 to 14 choice
per pair \$2.45

NEW SPRING PRINTS

pretty patterns, full yard wide, fast colors special
19^C

PRINTED LINENE

A new Spring Cloth, full yd. wide, fast colors, attractive patterns, choice
39^C

GILBRAE PRINTS

Beautiful new Spring patterns and colors, soft and sheer absolutely fast colors special the yard
50^C

32 In. Red Seal Gingham

The New Spring Patterns including the new checks, large and small fast colors special
25^C

YARD WIDE OUTING

In light and dark colors, good weight as long as the quantity lasts special
12 1/2^C

COTTON CHECKS

For quilt linings, soft round thread, fast colors good weight special
8^C

TAPED UNIONS

Childrens Bleached taped Union Suits ankle length, long sleeve, size 2 to 12
69^C

LADIES UNIONS

Made low neck elbow sleeve knee length, light weight bleached white, all sizes, Choice
95^C

CHILDRENS COVERALLS

Made of genuine old fashioned hickory cloth bar tacked, sizes 2 to 8 years
88^C

COVERT COVERALLS

extra heavy covert cloth fast colors dark brown stripe, made for warmth and wear size to 8 special
\$1.25

BOYS SHIRTS

made of good blue chambray in sizes 6 to 12 years soft finish
48^C

BOYS DRESS SHIRTS

Made in good patterns of fast colored percale sizes 6 to 14 choice
89^C

CHIFFON SILK HOSE

Pure silk from top to toe, chiffon weight all the new and wanted shades per pair
\$1.00

LADIES RIBBED HOSE

Cotton and Rayon ribbed hose in nude and champagne size 8 1/2 to 10
45^C

CHILDRENS HOSE

Childrens Derby Ribbed hose in black and nude in all sizes just the thing for school wear
21^C

A complete line of Vannett Silk Hose in all the new novelties

\$1.50 to \$2.50

BATH TOWELS

A fine double thread 22x44 bleached turkish bath towel, colored Borders Special
25^C

Part Wool Blankets

Fine part wool blankets 66x80 pretty plaids also solid single wool blankets \$5.00 value, choice
\$3.95

BABY BLANKETS

Big assortment of baby blankets in pretty paid size 30x40 choice
25^C

BOYS TWO PANTS SUITS

CLOSEOUT PRICES

A special lot of Boys Suits made of good woollens and pretty patterns, values to \$10.50. Sizes 6 to 12 years, all with coat, vest and two pair pants, suitable for year round wear
choice \$6.98



DON PLAYBOY SUITS

The famous little suits for boys 2 to 7 years old. Made in all wool and wool pants and broadcloth blouses, values to \$4.00
choice \$2.39

LADIES HAT BOXES

A nice black hat box for ladies choice of two sizes special
\$1.95

CURTAIN MATERIAL

One special lot of Curtain Material ruffled and also plain values to 35c choice
19^C

ALL WOOL SWEATERS

Heavy all wool shaker knit sweaters in Jockey red sizes 30 to 34 choice
\$3.39

BOYS UNIONS

Heavy flat fleece unions for boys to close out
75^C

JERSEY GLOVES

for men or boys, made of dark brown jersey, fleece lined special
21^C

LEATHER GLOVES

A good leather horsehide glove in gauntlet or cuff style choice
98^C

SALE

LADIES FINE FOOTWEAR

We have assembled here a special lot of Ladies Fine footwear in a number of styles of Pumps, Straps, Oxfords, in medium low and spike heels so deeply have we cut the price you'll buy several pairs, every size, every style, every leather and ever color.

\$3.39
\$3.95
\$4.45

KELLAM DRY GOODS CO.

DOWN BY THE POSTOFFICE
 SPUR, TEXAS

**DAIRYING AT BROOKHAVEN
MISSISSIPPI SAVED FARMERS**

By M. B. Oates, Agricultural Agent
Fort Worth and Denver City Ry., Co.

The writer conducted an auto dairy tour to Mississippi and Tennessee last summer. The chief object of this trip was to investigate the financial returns from dairying. We wanted to know whether or not dairying was really paying. We knew the Mississippi farmers had always been cotton growers and we know that within the last few years many of them had taken up dairying and we wanted to know how they liked this new undertaking wanted to know if they were making money, wanted to know what effect, if any, dairying around a cotton marketing town would have on the business in that town. So we made it a point to see folks, rather cows. We talked with milk plant managers bankers, business men and County Agents asking about how dairying was paying. We had five prearranged conferences with bankers and business men which proved very valuable informative and encouraging.

We made eight stops to investigate dairy development. Five of these stops were made in Mississippi, the first one being in Brookhaven. This town in Lincoln County is an old cotton country, in Southwestern Mississippi. The town has some five thousand population.

The Brookhaven Creamery at this place does a million dollar business a year. The creamery makes butter, dried skim milk and dried butter milk. This plant has 1500 patrons. The Brookhaven Creamery was the first creamery in Mississippi. It was started in 1908. It began as a cooperative and was so run for five years. Later, (1917) the creamery was bought by W. H. Becker and Sons who still own and operate it. Mr. Becker said the first year they owned it they had 120 patrons and did \$22,000 worth of business. He says that forty percent of the farmers in Lincoln County sell cream. They milk an average of seven cows and average one gallon per day from all cows the year around. But he added that those who have been milking for five years or more have improved their herds and their methods so that they are getting an average of two gallons per cow per day. Mr. Becker stated that a creamery could operate for about twenty percent. He said that for the past five years their patrons received 81.2 cents out of each dollar's gross sales. In addition to the \$1,000,000 annual business done by this creamery Brook have ships out a railroad tank car load of milk to New Orleans each morning.

The cause of all this dairy business around Brookhaven was the boll-weevil. We were told that the "Ford Farmers" at first considered it a disgrace to milk cows and the business men did not consider the dairy business

of much importance, however this county had been a strong cotton county and the boll weevil had starved them out so they had to start something new. We are told that women were the first to milk cows because they wanted spending money and nice clothes. Later their husbands became interested and began milking as a part of their regular farm business. The number is steadily increasing and very few have given up dairying which proves they have found farm dairying to be a profitable sideline. Mississippi farmers not only find that dairying pays directly but find that they are getting indirect profits. Mr. S. C. Causey, of Brookhaven has built up his soil since he began dairying to a point where he used to get 25 bushels of corn or half a bale of cotton per acre, he now gets 40 bushels of corn or a bale of cotton. He has also doubled the production of his cows. Mr. Causey has a modern brick bungalow, Delco lights and running water. Before he went into the dairy business he was a cotton tenant.

In getting the dairy business started the banks and the creamery cooperated with farmers in the purchase of cows the banks bought one cow for each cow owned, taking a mortgage on all cows and the creamery endorsed the notes of the farmers to buy these cows. Notes were payable in two years, payments being made every two weeks. The creamery sent the bank half of each cream check to apply on the cow notes. At our conference with the bankers and business men at a luncheon tendered us at Brookhaven they told us that the loss on these cow notes was practically nil. The loss would not amount to more than two loans. We were told at this conference that eighty percent of the dairy farmers owned their farms while only fifty percent of the non-dairymen owned their farms.

Merchants and Bankers were all enthusiastic about the improved effect on business. They told us that before dairying started Brookhaven did a half million dollar credit business but now it is nearly all cash and they are doing as much business as ever. Store accounts have been reduced eighty percent. One drygoods merchant told us he used to have \$315,000 on his books but now he has only \$72,000 most of which is old accounts. Bank deposits have grown from \$500,000 to \$2,500,00. The bankers told us that their note cases were clearer than ever before.

These business men told us that it took a whole lot of work to get their cotton farmers started in the dairy business but that they have all profited from it. We found all of them cooperating to the fullest extent and further developing and carrying on the dairy business.

The farmers of Mississippi have done just what our Texas farmers are beginning to do, changing from cotton to cotton and cows. and when our farmers make this change they will profit by it and the business men will find business conditions improved.

**CODE OF SPORTSMANSHIP
FOR BASKETBALL ADOPTED
BY THE DICKENS
PUBLIC SCHOOL**

In attempt to formulate a definite policy or code of sportsmanship for basketball in Dickens County, the Dickens Public School has adopted a code which has for its purpose certain objectives which will add to the spirit of the game and to the enjoyment and benefit of all inter class contests. It is hoped that the other schools may see fit to adopt the same and thereby instill in the school youth what is meant by the true school spirit and true sportsmanship.

The following code is the one which has been adopted and is being carried out in this years interclass games.

1. I shall consider my athletic opponent as my guest.
2. I will always cheer the opposing

- team when it appears on the floor.
3. I will clap for an opponent who makes a good play.
4. I will remain quiet while opponents are making free throws.
5. I will cheer an opponent who is injured in the game.
6. I will never deride any official.
7. I will be courteous to all visitors.
8. I will remain until the game is over.

9. I will play hard and fair until the last whistle blows.
10. I will remember that the reputation of the school depends upon the conduct during the game and after it.
11. I will give the opponents a yell after the game.

12. I will give the opposing rooters fair opportunity for their yells.

13. I believe that good sportsmanship means the application of the Golden Rule.

14. I will endeavor to make this county known for its good sportsmanship.

It is hoped that the teachers of Dickens County will make their students familiar with this code and do all in their power to make this year our most successful year in creating a friendly spirit among the boys and girls of our schools and in teaching the value of good sportsmanship in relation to good citizenship.

N. C. Ribble,
Principal of Dickens Public School.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY ZONE

NUMBER 1 MEETS AT JAYTON

Zone Number One met in Jayton,

Jan. 17, Mrs. English, Zone Leader presiding. Devotional led by Bro. Armstrong of Jayton. Prayer by Bro. Hester of McAdoo, Song 280.

Scripture Lesson eighth chapter of Luke.

Welcome Address—Mrs. Jay of Jayton. Response by Mrs. Vaughn of Spur. Talks on duties of presidents, Mrs. Payne of Spur.

Social Service by Mrs. McCrary of Spur. Dismissed for lunch.

Afternoon services opened singing no. 251. Devotional by Bro. Vaughn of Spur. Solo By Mrs. English of

Jayton. Talk on publicity, by Mrs. Sutton of McAdoo. Talk on duties of Sup't of Supplies, Miss Fite of Spur. Duties of Corresponding Secy., by Mrs. Nettles of McAdoo. Piano Solo by Miss Alexander of Jayton. Discussion on Mission Study by Mrs. Armstrong of Jayton. Home Missions now facing new situations, Mrs. Parminster of Spur. Jayton was awarded the banner for the largest per cent attendance at zone meeting. A vote of thanks was expressed for the lovely lunch served. The next zone meeting will be with the Spur Auxiliary.

HATCHERY READY

We have our new incubator intalled and our Hatchery will be open for business next Monday, Jan., 27. We will do custom hatching and also conduct the baby chick business. Everything modern.

See us for prices. Also we want you to visit us and see our big new incubator.

**CROCKETT & TAYLOR
HATCHERY**

Just West of The Fire Station

A GOOD SAFE PLACE TO TRADE
B. SCHWARZ & SON
SPUR, TEXAS
The Store Of Little Profit

**OUR
4th Anniversary Sale**

It Was A Wonderful Reception And We Appreciate it
Beyond Words

The wonderful response to our 4th Anniversary Sale was the greatest tribute any store could wish for. Never have we witnessed such enthusiasm such intense interest! On several occasions we were not able to wait upon the crowds.

It was a splendid testimonial of the Public's faith in a store that for four years has striven to build up confidence by a constructive policy of good merchandising.

We appreciate the confidence beyond expression and it inspires us to pledge ourselves to even greater efforts to give to the people in this trade territory the

FINEST FASHIONS—GREATEST VALUES

**COURTEOUS SERVICE—AND A SMILE
FROM THE BOTTOM OF OUR HEART WE
THANK YOU!**

Monday, January 27, is the Last Day of Our 4th Anniversary Sale

After that Date All Merchandise Will Revert Back To Its Original Price.

Our Advice Is: "Don't Miss It." This Record Breaking Sale!

Naturally in the course of store events some are more important than others some are so extraordinary that we feel we must use some unusual method of telling people about them we are so enthusiastic ourselves that we feel like going out and hailing every person we meet just to tell them about it that is just how we feel about this particular sale at hand! This is without question our Greatest Sale.



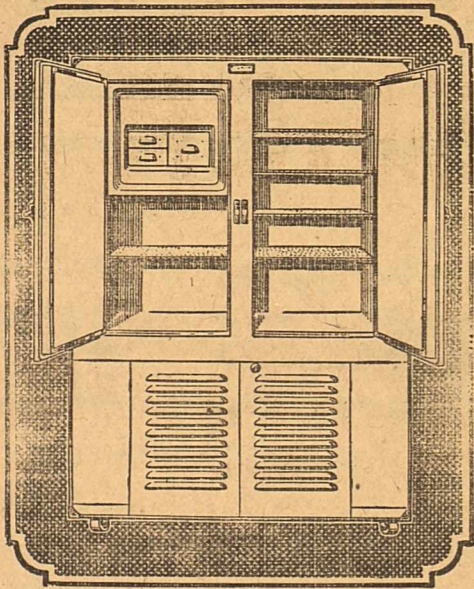
FRIGIDAIRE

MEANS—
HEALTHFUL FOODS!

MODERN science has shown that foods must be kept constantly at the same even temperature to prevent the accumulation of bacteria.

Day in and day out your Frigidaire maintains the same healthful temperature, assuring you of perfect preservation of your foods.

Innumerable tasty frozen desserts and salads are made through the use of the Frigidaire, and its abundance of power supplies plenty of pure, clean ice for table use.



Phone or write for photographs and descriptive literature

**West Texas Utilities
Company**

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

We desire to say to the people that our business is exceeding what we expected it to do. This is caused by the loyal support you are giving us. It is through your patronage only that we are able to enjoy a good business. In return we are hoping to give you the very best of service. If you will consider everything you will find the laundry is the cheapest way to get your family washing done, and we know you want the very best for the price.

We are installing some more new machinery in order to give you better service. Soon you will see a great difference in your laundry work.

Thanking you for your support and hoping you will tell your friends about us, we are for better service.

THE SPUR LAUNDRY COMPANY

SPUR HARDWARE AND FURNITURE COMPANY

Is offering special prices on furniture and rugs for Friday, Saturday and Monday, 25, 26 and 28. Don't miss this wonderful opportunity to supply your wants in these lines. REMEMBER THE DATES!

SPUR HARDWARE & FURNITURE COMPANY

SPUR'S OLDEST STORE

WHAT'S DOING IN WEST TEXAS

Baird is building a new brick structure on Market Street between Fourth and Fifth to house the West Texas Utilities Company. The Utilities Company will use it as an up-town sales-room and office. It will be furnished with the very latest office equipment.

Plans are to start the preliminary survey for the new city lake for Hamlin within the next few days. The new lake will be north of Hamlin on the T-Diamond Ranch and will supply water for a town of from 15,000 to 22,500 people.

A volunteer fire department is being organized in Junction and as a result the fire insurance rate will be reduced fifteen percent within the year. Thirty five men compose the department and drill twice a month. The city is planning to buy one thousand additional feet of hose.

Construction work is progressing on the new tile and brick home of the Texas Furniture Company at Olney. The foundation walls have been completed of the hundred foot front extension to the back.

Bleachers intended to seat approximately 350 people have been set up at the Sul Ross College Gymnasium. They run the entire length of the West side of the building and are five tiers in height. They are portable and can be used at the gymnasium at the tennis courts, etc.

Snyder is soon to have a modern commercial airport. The 200 acre plot was recently purchased for \$50,000.00. It joins the northern city limits and will have a camp, station, water, gas

electricity and sewage disposal filling station and other conveniences

West Texas Today, official magazine of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be in the mails this week. The January issue carries more

pecan stories but is not a pecan special as last month. Development in different West Texas towns and reports from secretaries of Chambers of Commerce served by the regional organization are given space.

S. R. Bowman made a business trip to Dallas the last of the week.

S. C. Thomas of Duck Creek was attending to business matters in our city Monday.

S. H. Twaddell, President, and W.

S. Patrick secretary of the Northwest Texas Fair Association attended the meeting of the board of directors of the Texas Fair Association in Dallas Friday and Saturday. Mr. Twaddell stated he received one or two new

ideas about how to conduct a fair.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kellett and kiddies, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Darden visited friends at Lockney Sunday.



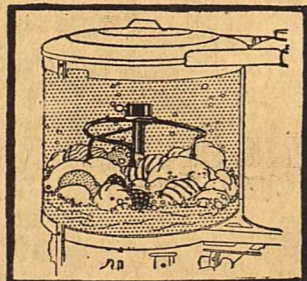
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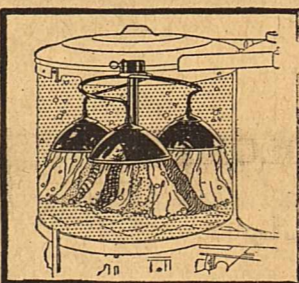
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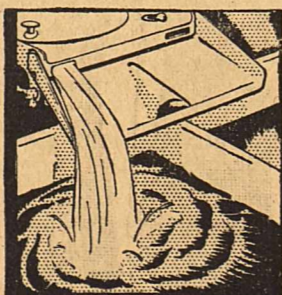
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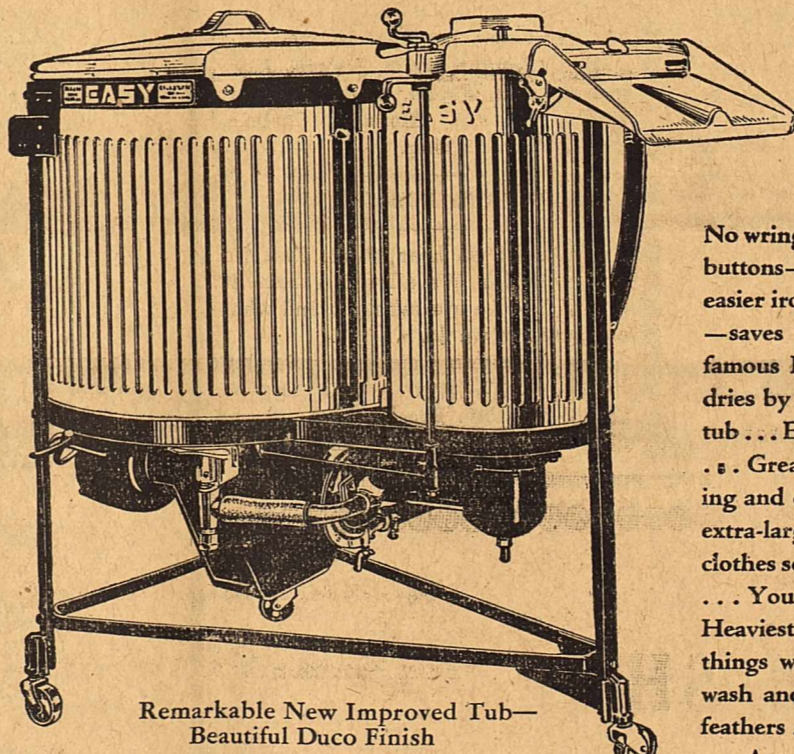
Sixty times a minute the Easy's three famous Vacuum Cups move up and down. Here you see the cups flushing soap and water through the fabric by air pressure



Here you see the Easy's three Vacuum Cups gently drawing the soap and water back through the fabric by means of suction. This washing action is world-famous for its efficiency and gentleness



Here's how the Easy empties the water for you, electrically, without your using a bucket to lift or carry a single drop.



Remarkable New Improved Tub—Beautiful Duco Finish

Inner tub of solid copper—outer tub of dem-proof steel, finished in glistening white Duco—easy to keep clean. A flip of the cloth removes all traces of use. Besides, the double wall acts as a heat insulator and helps to keep the water hot.

All These Amazing Features in the New Easy

No wringer—can't catch fingers... No broken buttons—less sewing... No deep wrinkles—easier ironing... No pails of water to empty—saves your back... Washes by the world-famous Easy Vacuum Cup system... Damp-dries by means of marvelous new-type drying tub... Empties water by ingenious new system... Great speed—cuts the job in half by washing and drying at the same time... Capacity extra-large and adjustable... Drying-tub leaves clothes so evenly damp that hems will not drip... You still hang pieces in sun and air... Heaviest dirty pieces washed clean—finest dainty things washed safely... You can now even wash and dry pillows—without removing the feathers... Special gas heater keeps water hot... Automatic starting and stopping switch—prevents blowing fuses... No oiling worry—automatically done... No old-fashioned belts to slip, stretch or break... Runs as smoothly and quietly as a fine motor car... Lasts for years and years.

FREE DEMONSTRATION

You are entitled to a Free Demonstration of this marvelous machine—in your own home. Call us today to take advantage of this unusual offer.

LODGES



SPUR LODGE
No. 771 I. O. O. F.
Meets every Monday night. Visitors welcome.
A. C. BURGESSON, N. G.
H. P. BERRY, Sec.



SPUR COUNCIL
No. 277
Royal and Select Masters Meeting when called,
A. L. McCLELLAND, T. I. M.
J. RECTOR, Recorder



Stated Meeting of
SPUR CHAPTER
No. 340 R. A. M.
Monday night on or after each full moon. Visitors welcome.
M. E. TREE, H. P.
J. RECTOR, Sec.



Stated Conclave of Spur
Commandery No. 76 K. T.
Second Tuesday in each month. Visiting Sir Knights welcome.
T. C. ENSEY, Com.
J. RECTOR, Recorder

SPUR REBEKAH LODGE
No. 178

Meets each Friday night. Members be present. Visitors welcome.
MRS. A. C. BURGESSON, N. G.
MRS. T. A. ROGERS, Sec.



ROTARY CLUB
OF SPUR

Meets every Thursday at 12 o'clock at Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome.
GEORGE LINK, Pres.
DODGE STARCHER, Sec.



Stated Meeting of
SPUR LODGE
No. 1023 A. F. & A. M.
Thursday night on or before each full moon. Visitors welcome.

C. J. CROUCH, W. M.
W. R. KING, Secy.

BASKETBALL

LUBBOCK vs. SPUR

DICKENS GYM

7:30 P. M.

MONDAY, JAN., 28TH

BABY DIES TUESDAY

Ruth Sanders, two-year old baby of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Sanders died at their home in south part of town early Tuesday morning. Cause of death not known. Funeral services were conducted at the home by Rev. W. B. Vaughn, pastor of the First Methodist Church and interment was made in the Spur Cemetery, Webber Williams acting as funeral director. Mr. and Mrs. Sanders are strangers in the community, having moved here from Canton, Texas, late in November. It is reported that there are two more of the family who are very ill at this time and they need assistance.

P. M. W. CLUB

Mrs. G. H. Stack was a charming hostess on Thursday afternoon when she entertained the members of her club.

Progressive '42 was the diversion for the afternoon and four tables were in play.

At the conclusion of the games, lovely refreshments of salad, tea, crackers, fruit cake, potato chips, were served to Mmes., Cecil Addy, Bill Brown, Herbert Swan, Eric Ousley, Finis McGlathery, Perry Pryor, Lester Ericson, Raleigh Harkey, Ire Joplin, F. B. Crockett, Lee Gilbert, Dyess, Mack Tidwell, Barrow, Loyd Wolf, Tom Teague Foy Vernon and S. B. Scott, Jr.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

Little Billie Addy entertained a number of his little friends on Monday afternoon celebrating his third birthday.

The children were entertained with games. Mrs. E. C. McGee and Mrs. Finis McGlathery assisted Mrs. Addy in entertaining and serving the children.

Refreshments were sandwiches and cake and soda pop.

Those remembering Billie on this occasion and enjoying the party were Dorothy Myrl Williams, Opal McGlathery, Annie Grace Williams, Sammie McGee, Vera Elizabeth Williams, Gordon Dale Mott, and James Zachry.

BELLE BENNETT MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Belle Bennett Missionary Society met with Mrs. D. Y. Twaddell on Monday afternoon. The Lesson was taught by Mrs. A. O. White and was taken from the study book, "Women and the Kingdom." Those taking part in the discussion were Mesdames Barrow, Stack, Joplin, and Rector.

This Society will have charge of the Church service next Sunday evening, at which time there will be public installation of all officers elected for the new year.

Plans are being made now for the Belle Bennett Society to sponsor a Silver Tea to be given in the basement of the church on Valentine Day, Thursday, February 14, to which the public will be invited.

Those present Monday afternoon aside from the ones on the program were Mmes., Bynum Britton, Mimms, Evans, Leonard Joplin, W. E. Flint, Jimmie Smith, E. L. Tanner, Faust Collier, D. H. Zachry, and D. Y. Twaddell.

The Society will meet with Mrs. Jimmie Smith next Monday afternoon at 3:30.

1925 BRIDGE CLUB

The 1925 Bridge Club met with Mrs. Nellie Davis on Friday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock. The living room, where the tables of bridge were in play was attractive for the occasion.

The scores were totalled after five games and Mrs. D. H. Zachry held high, receiving a pretty hand painted oil cloth card table cover. Mrs. E. L. Tanner being low was given a dainty table crumber and tray.

Mrs. Davis was assisted by Mrs. Joe Kellam in serving a lovely salad plate with hot tea, to the following Mmes: W. D. Wilson, Oran McClure E. L. Tanner, Hill Perry, R. C. Forbis Shirley Robbins, Riley Wooten, F. W. Jennings, C. L. Love, D. H. Zachry Joe Kellam and hostess.

MOONLIGHT PICNIC

On Friday evening of last week members of the Senior Class of Spur High School and several of the teachers enjoyed a picnic at Dickens Springs.

On the way the crowd stopped at Dickens for the Basket Ball game in which the Spur teams participated. Fun and merriment held sway until time for departure and a feast fit for a king was served.

Those enjoying this most pleasant occasion were Misses: Maude Morgan, Lena Belle Scudder, Arlene Scudder, Baker, Ava Howell, Redah Maples, Marie Oliver, Lotella Sparks Virgie Boswell, Louise Rogers, Pauline Oliver, Edith Ince, Francis Manning, Mary Elizabeth Hogan, Mabel King, Eunice Vermillion, Louise Collier, Johnnie Marsh, Georgia Hargrove, Jaunita Reed, Messers., O. C. Thomas, Kenneth Hemphill, B. P. Woody, Ray Carr, Marion Jordan, Leroy Mimms, Hubert Karr, Jack Hindman, Henry Albin, L. D. Foreman, Harold Carr, Justice McMahan, Garland Manselle, Guy Carr.

Ford Dealers for Ford Service — Godfrey & Smart.

THE MISSIONARY SOCIETY

The Missionary Society met Jan. 21 at 3 P. M. at M. E. Church. Song—What A Friend We have In Jesus.

Prayer—Mrs. Snider. Then a short business session was held, then Mrs. Manning taught our study lesson on studies in prophecy. The following ladies were present: Mrs. Vaughn, Lain, Payne, Hargroves, Itnz, Joplin, Link, Barber, Barrett, Carson, Hogan, Carlisle, Snider, and Manning.

GIRARD BREEZES

Flu is all we hear about. Just flu and more flu. We all either have it or feel like we are taking it and what on earth can we do.

Just thirteen attended Sunday School and Church at the Baptist Church Sunday. Bro. Sifford, Methodist Preacher from Jayton preached

a fine sermon on hidden talents. He said we all have one or more talents given to us by our Heavenly Father, and ever since ye scribe has been wondering if somehow God didn't kinda overlook one of us once in a while, as so far we haven't been able to discover any talent hidden or otherwise in ourselves. Unless maybe its writing to the Dickens County Times and we are thinking up excuses for not doing the things we should do.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Morrison spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Otha Vincent.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Boling are the proud parents of a new son born at the Nichols Sanitarium Wednesday night.

Miss Idell Cooper who has been real sick with the flu is able to be about again.

The death angel has come to Girard again, this time calling the six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cates. We extend our sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Everyone is well pleased with the new English and Spanish teacher, Mr. Appleton. The boys all say he is a regular fellow and the girls say he isnt at all hard to look at.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer James spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives at Centerville.

Miss Inez Vincent visited Miss Alta Turner Sunday.

Mrs. Elmer James was hostess at a delightful little affair Thursday afternoon in the honor of Mrs. M. A. Darden of Abilene. After two hours

spent in friendly chatter, dainty refreshments were served to the Mmes: B. J. Kelta, D. Graves, Cliff Haines, Bill Vencil, Otho Vincent, C. A. Morrison, C. Dickerson, M. A. Darden, and Grandma Blackwell.

The J. L. Jones store here is going out of business we understand that the heirs are all of age and the estate is being settled up at once. We think we should get up a petition to B. Schwarz o put in a store here now. Everyone at Girard would gladly sign it we know Beavers and Stephens have their new Hokus Pokus sign out thand their store all fixed up with fancy and staple groceries and are doing a good business.

Mr. Carlisle is able to be back in the ban again after an attack of flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bailey have returned from mPaducah where they were called to the bedside of Mrs. Bailey's aged parents, both of whom died. We extend our sympathy to the one left behind.

Mr. Arthur Dyer took his father to Fort Worth for medical treatment this week.

TWIN WELLS CLUB NEWS

Mrs. L. B. Mc Means was hostess to the Twin Wells Ladies Home Demonstration Club on Jan. 10, 1929.

The Subject was; the living room: Miss Osborne gave a demonstration on basket making. She also gave instructions on arranging furniture and hanging curtains. Our next meeting will be Jan. 24 1929 at the home of

Mrs. J. H. Hooper. The subject for discussion will be Art in the Home. We will have a demonstration on making picture frames. We would like to have every member answer to the roll call at our next meeting. We are now starting a new year's work so lets do our best to make our club better. One of the very best things we should strive to put an end to is the habit we have of saying "I am afraid we can't. Now until we set a guard on our lips we have no idea how frequent that declaration is made use of and fear is faith's worst enemy. Never falter but remember life is not a foolish jest. We are in the game to win it.

Do our best and leave the rest. Meet us at the Club Jan. 24. Club Reporter.

Ford Dealers for Ford Service — Godfrey & Smart.

A. S. Wolley of the Nickels Gin at McAdoo was transacting business in our city Saturday. Mr. Wolley stated that conditions at McAdoo were very good and he felt that the farmers were preparing for a big years business.

J. B. Harrolson, north of town was in Tuesday morning looking after business affairs.

W. E. Cammack and two daughters Misses Lora and Pearl of Matador were doing some trading in our city Tuesday.

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