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THREE TIMELY THOUGHTS
FOR FARM FOLKS

Nearly everybody worth his salt has some sort of ambition or ideal in life. There is some goal toward which he or she is rather definitely striving, and every year should register some progress toward the attainment of that goal. This paper also has an ideal.

That ideal, as we have often expressed it, is simply to help make the South, this Dixie Land in which we live—

- A Land of Plenty
 - A Land of Beauty,
 - A Land of Rural Comradeship.
- And just now it seems appropriate to call attention to one or two matters relating to each of these three aims.

I
First of all let's consider some things we may do to help make the South "A Land of Plenty"—a plenty in which all of us may share.

There are just two ways in which this plenty may be achieved—by producing and by saving. And there can be no effective saving unless there is careful planning ahead of the time money is received or debts are to be paid.

Nearly all of our government institutions and our great business organizations have now adopted what is known as the "budget system". That is to say, at certain periods in each year, the directors in each business carefully put down what amounts they will probably receive from different sources during the coming year. Then they list the amounts they will have to spend—the absolute necessary expenses. Together with all payments due on notes, mortgages, accounts due, taxes, insurance, etc. Then they figure out what will be left for improvements progress, enlargement of the plant etc., and for dividends or reserve. In some cases these budgets are revised every six months or every four months.

What we now wish to suggest is that at this season of the year in every farm family the board of directors—the father, mother, and the children who are old enough to have a sense of responsibility—ought to have a conference and as far as possible make out a "budget for the coming six months or twelve months. Let us see what amounts must be paid out for supplies bought during the year, for fertilizers, for payments on notes and mortgages, for taxes for clothing and food—and then see (1) what is going to be left for other purposes or (2) how much will probably have to be borrowed, preferably from some bank.

Many farm families every fall spend their little surplus money for something they could do without and find later there is no cash for absolute necessities. Many live out their whole lives under the depressing, disheartening, manhood destroying curse of the crop mortgage, time prices, credit system, when by resolutely cutting expenditures to the bone for one or two seasons they could get on a cash

basis. But no matter whether we depend on the banks or supply store for credit, we ought to find out just what we absolutely must spend during the next six months.

II
And now a thought about making "Dixie a Land of Beauty." And this time (for once) we are not going to suggest anything to sow or plant or transplant. We are going to respectfully suggest that every farm family in all Dixie ought to look around them this season of the year and thank God for making the earth as glorious as he has done. If we learn to appreciate the beauty with which the Almighty clothes the woods and fields at this season, perhaps we shall then be glad to do what we can to utilize the flowers, vines, shrubs and trees He gives us for beautifying our homes—(there now—we are almost suggesting "sowing, planting, and transplanting," aren't we? Well, let's pause and just reflect on the beauty already around us. And in this connection we picked up a clipping from an English paper the other day that may help us to see more of the beauty right here in America:—

"When the autumn is drifting slowly to a close, and November lies just around the corner, the mellow, fragmentary England of the past, that had seemed to be only vaguely existent, flushes and glows with life—still and sleepy life, very old, very peaceful, very unconcerned about the flood of up start activity that swirls and thunders and shrieks everywhere with so noticeable lack of dignity, so feverishly and uneasily.

"Empires may crumble; one-half of humanity may turn and render the other half; man the individual comes and goes, as desparately striving to reach himself about the going a-sever he did; but ancient England dreams on, only rousing herself each autumn from

her dreaming. There are crumbling castles and manor houses, moated in pleasantly spacious parks; and churches in dim venerable acres."

The South of course, has not the ancient homes of rural England—but we have many an old home, gracious with the memories of long ago to add human interest to the sheer glory of autumn pageantry. May none of be too blind to what remains of it this year!

III
Lasts but not least we bring a thought about making Dixie "A Land of Rural Comradeship." We are never going to do this until the farm women are interested equally with the men in farm organization. In any future cooperative marketing associations that are organized we should like to see the plan tried of having every contract signed jointly by the man and the woman, with men and women also given equal privileges in all local, county, and state meetings. If the farmer and the farm woman in any family are both convinced that it is necessary for farmers to stick together with the self-sacrificing loyalty in which many members of labor unions work to establish their economic freedom, then that family will do the two things every loyal friend of cooperative marketing should try to do—(1) support the organization with deliveries; and (2) work to keep the organization ever true to its principles and ideals. There should also be in every community some farm organization in which men and women meet together to discuss the problems of the farm and home—and work together for their solution. Furthermore there may well be groups of eight, ten or twelve especially congenial farmers who will meet together at their respective farms once a month to study the best farm

methods of production and business each farmer in alphabetical rotation providing dinner for the others—and since farmers have done this successfully, why should not farm women also?

In this article we are only hitting the high spots, as it were. But to all of us who really wish to help make not merely Dixie at large but each of our home neighborhoods "A Land of Plenty, a land of beauty and a Land of Rural Comradeship," many other ways will suggest themselves for translating this vision into a reality.—Progressive Farmer.

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Dear Old Santa Clause:
We wanted to write to you because we love you and want you to bring us a few things. my little brother wants a violin, a airplane and a few other little thing. my little sister and I wants a doll a peice and few other things. so good by Santa. Oline, Goldie Lee and David Jr. Smiley

Girard, Texas
Dec. 5, 1929
Dear Santa Claus:
Please bring me a big store full of things and a doll. I love you,
Werdna Lee Beaver.

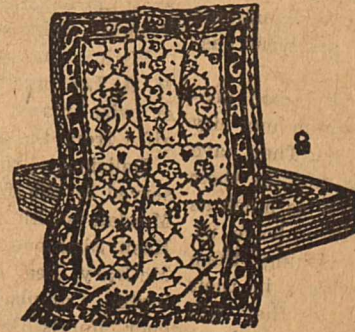
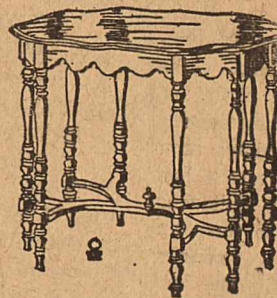
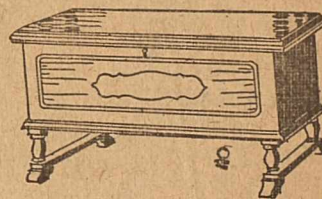
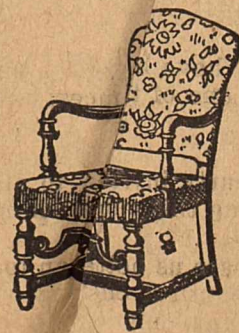
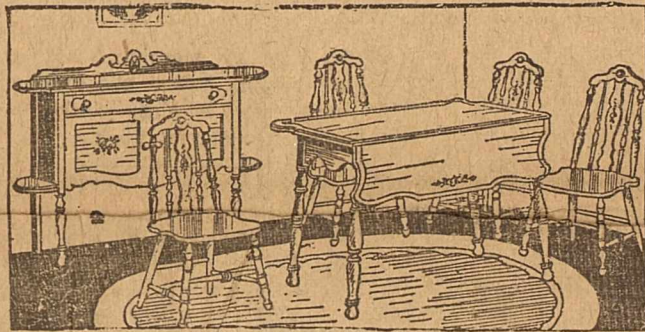
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For Mother, too, and Dad
A doll for Sister, maybe,
An engine for the lad,
And yet, this glad December
As up and down you roam
The finest gift, remember,
Is something for th' home.

Though something for a
minute
Some heart a moment
cheers,
The gift with Christmas in it
Is something for the years
The little gifts are pleasant,
The gifts as light as foam
But, for the great big present,
Buy something for the
home!

There isn't any other
That hearts will hold as
fast,
That pleases Dad, Mother,
Like something that will
last.
A chair, a table near it,
A lamp to light the gloom
To bring the Christmas spirit
Buy something for the
home.

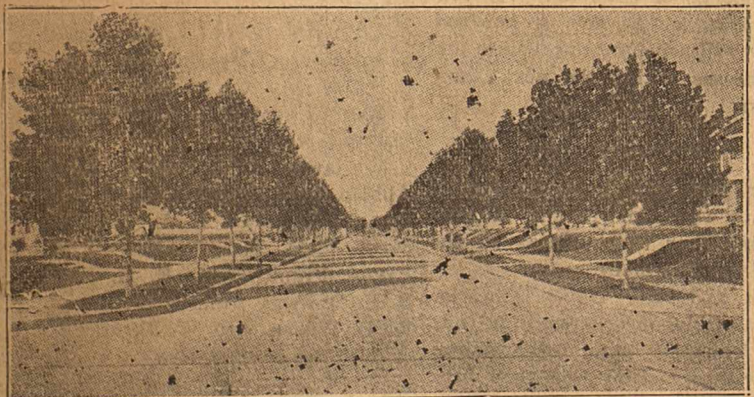
—Douglas Malloch

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CHAS. WHITNER

Phone 204

CHRISTMAS BARGAINS

Here are some useful and inviting bargains worth consideration; get them during the days of Wednesday, Thursday and Friday the 11th to 13th inclusive. They can be had also on Saturday, but we prefer that day for our country customer who is compelled to trade mostly on Saturdays.

LADIES SILK DRESSES PRICED
\$4.95 \$6.95 \$9.95 and \$10.95

LADIES COATS PRICED
\$55.00 for \$33.95 \$39.75 for \$29.50 \$29.75 for \$22.50 \$16.50 for \$10.95

LADIES HATS OF THE FINER GRADE FELTS; MATHILDE
\$10.95 for \$6.45

OTHER MAKES
\$6.95 for \$4.95 \$4.95 for \$3.95 \$3.95 for \$1.98

CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

BLANKETS	\$1.59
CANNON TOWELS	39c
SILK GOWNS	\$1.19
SILK TEDS	93c
SILK STEPINS	93c
IMPORTED BOXED HANDKERCHIEFS	98c
SILK BED SPREADS	\$3.95
BEADS	97c
KID GLOVES	\$2.93

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Beautiful line of shirts, hose, ties, gloves, suit cases, bags, boots, bootees or other needs

LOVE DRY GOODS COMPANY

PROGRAM OF THE 5TH SUNDAY MEETING TO BE HELD WITH THE FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH

December 26, 27, 28 and 29, 1929

Thursday Night
6:45 Song Service Conducted by M. Batman.

7:00 Devotional by Mr. L. G. Crabtree.

7:15 Sermon by L. S. Bilberry on the Virgin Birth of Christ.

Friday Morning
9:30 Devotional by Mrs. J. A. Legg.

10:00 Explain Mark 9:2-6 and what does these characters represent—Speaker J. V. Bilberry.

11:00 Sermon by Wayne Grizzle on the Text Matthew 12:45 "Then goeth he and taketh with himself seven other spirits more wicked than himself and they entered in and dwelt there."

12:00 Dinner

Friday Afternoon
1:15 Devotional by L. S. Lambert.

1:30 Why did God have respect unto Abel and his offering and not have respect unto Cain and his offering—Rev. F. G. Rogers of Spur.

2:30 Why was Sampson different from other men and where was the secret of his strength—Rev. W. B. Bennett.

Friday Night
6:45 Devotional by F. C. Coker.

7:00 Question Box in care of Pastor. Each question must give chapter and verse under question.

7:45 Sermon by A. P. Stokes on Ephesians 2:8 "By grace are ye saved; through faith not of works it is the gift of God."

Saturday Morning
9:30 Devotional by Mr. J. P. Legg.

10:00 A History of the Book of Ruth—Rev. F. G. Rogers. Alternate J. V. Bilberry.

11:00 Sermon by Rev. J. C. Scott on the Holy Spirit and Its office work.

12:00 Dinner.

Saturday Afternoon
1:15 Devotional by Robert Reynolds.

1:30 B. Y. P. U. Work, Rev. B. J. Howell in charge to select speaker for the hour.

2:30 W. M. U. Work. Mrs. Cap Ellison to select speaker for the hour.

3:00 Miscellaneous Business.

Saturday Night
6:45 Devotional by Mrs. Bob Littlefield.

7:00 What are the needs of the Dickens County Association by Rev. Olive Riley of Calvary Church
7:45 Sermon by Victor Crabtree Text James 4:14 "For what is your life?"

Sunday Morning
10:00 Sunday School.
11:00 Sermon by A. P. Stokes on the origin of the New Testament Church and its continuity to the end.

F. F. T. ACTIVITIES

The F. F. T.'s of Spur High School had a picnic last Friday night at Dickens Springs. Sandwiches and coffee were served to the members and their guests. A speech by Herman McArthur, a pigging contest between Lewis Davis and John Stewart and a tuning fork melody by Mr. Bethel were highlights in the program.

This organization was not founded for entertainment alone. They also have a constructive program outlined for the promotion of better agricultural methods.

1. To put over an excellent project program.
2. To help finance a stock judging team to Texas A. & M.
3. To put on a Father and Son banquet.
3. To help improve livestock in Dickens County.

The boys have already started their livestock improvement pro-

gram. Last week Mr. W. B. Lee offered 8 pure bred Poland China pigs for sale. Before the next day they were all spoken for. The pigs are from the best stock and the boys plan to keep them until they farrow one litter at least.

Six of the members have already spoken their intentions of entering the Mistletoe Morning Glory Dairy Scholarship contest. This offers to the winner a \$200.00 a year scholarship for a period of 4 years provided the student enters a 4 year dairy course at Texas A. & M.

The father and son banquet is looked forward to by every member of the class. They plan for a large attendance and a short snappy and entertaining program.

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NOTICE

The Womans Auxilliary of the Episcopal church in Stamford are to have a Christmas Bazar on the east side of the public square The Bazaar will open with tea on December 16th and continue thru the 24th. A variety of Christmas presents, oriental and other appropriate gifts will be on sale. Lunches, tea and coffee will be served. On December 18th they will have a Mexican dinner and on December 21st a Chinese dinner.

ner.

Visitors from Spur and other towns will be welcomed on any and all days of the Bazar.

T. V. Shockley of Soldier Mound was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

I. J. Hurley of Dickens, was seeing friends in our city Saturday. Jeff Smith, of Dry Lake, was doing some trading in our city the first of the week.

Seales Ernest of Espuela, was attending to business affairs here Saturday.

T. D. Hale of Afton, was in our city Saturday, greeting friends and trading.

Mrs. Ola Smith of Dry Lake, was among those in our city Saturday.

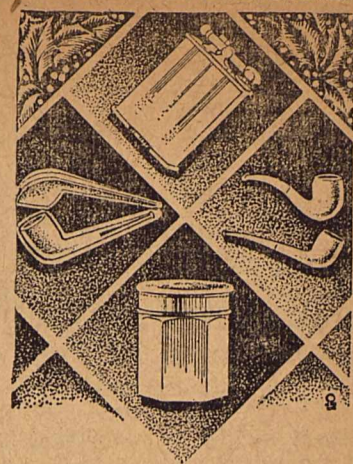
W. F. Neaves, of Soldier Mound was in our city Saturday greeting his many friends.

W. T. Harris, of Dry Lake, was in our city Saturday attending to business affairs.

G. F. Harris, one of the progressive McAdoo farmers was looking after business affairs in our city Saturday.

Folks, if you want to secure bargains in merchandise do your trading in Spur. Read the Times ads and you will see what the merchants are offering.

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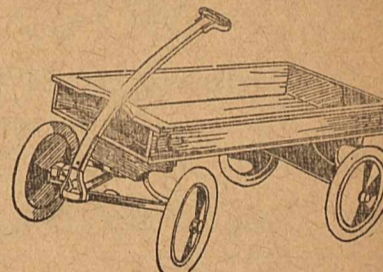
Gifts that win Appreciation

GIFTS—Selected by us to help you in choosing your gifts. At this store you will find gifts suited for every gift problem you may have.—The forethought we used in selecting gift items to answer your gift needs makes the choosing of your Christmas remembrances a delightful and entertaining pastime.

Balloon Wheel Scooters

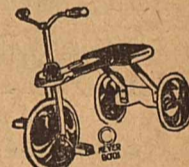
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- WESTINGHOUSE CARAFE SET
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- BRILLIANT DIAMOND OPTIC WARE

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W. D. STARCHER, Editor
MRS. W. D. STARCHER, Business Manager

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WHAT WE WOULD LIKE TO SEE IN SPUR
A Five Year Program

1. City Auditorium.
2. Paved Streets.
3. Closer Co-operation of Farmer and Merchants
4. Establishment of a Cotton Mill.
5. Establishment of a Cannery.
6. Paved Highways Leading Out
7. A Cotton Oil Mill
8. Farmers in the Chamber of Commerce.
9. Vocational Work in Our Schools Extended.

MR. STARCHER WILL PLEASE NOTICE THIS

As the citizenship of Ralls feel that you had been erroneously informed and was laboring under a false impression when you wrote your article last week headed: "Jackrabbits Scared to Play Bull Dogs," said article appearing on the front page of your Dickens County Times. And feeling further that the citizenship of Spur would not endorse such an article and that their attitude will be called to your attention so that proper corrections can be made by you, the Ralls Banner is saying nothing other than calling your attention to the fact that we "noticed" it.

We feel that Spur folks are just as good citizens as those of any town. We further believe that you have one of the best football teams in the conference this year. Ralls is anxious that friendly relations exist between the two cities and we are willing to meet your folks more than half way, if necessary to maintain that sort of friendly feeling. We hope you will investigate the facts about this thing and properly inform your readers.—Ralls Banner.

WE SAW THE NOTICE, THANK YOU BROTHER EDITOR

We deeply appreciate the fine and courteous manner in which our brother editor of the Ralls Banner called our attention to the fact that he "noticed" our article about the Jackrabbits not playing the Spur Bulldogs. He seems to think, and implies that all of Ralls citizenship thinks, that we wrote that article under erroneous information. We wish to state that we were not at the meeting of the committee and received our information from one, whom we think is reliable, that was present at the committee meeting.

The brother editor seems to think that the citizenship of Spur would not endorse the article in which we held up for what is right and fair to the Spur Bulldogs. Well, we were not at all indignant when we wrote the article, but at the same time we were

not considerate to the extent of going out and asking our citizens how much they endorsed it. However we believe, that had the proposition been put to a vote of our citizenship, that, with the friendliest feelings toward our sister city, Ralls, the decision would have fallen ninety eight percent in our favor.

The article referred to was just a matter of fact that a town newspaper was holding up for the rights of its town football team. It was not intended to create any animosity in any respect. It was just a matter of one good friend telling another friend in plain English that he was not a good sport. It was not expected that people would get wrought up about it to the extent of wanting to create a riot or even taking exceptions. Spur Bulldogs were ruled out of the conference finals and that ended it. Lamesa won over the Jackrabbits, and were accorded the District Championship. And we were just as anxious to see them win over Hereford as our own district champions as we were to see the Bulldogs play Ralls..

We believe that if the decision of the Jackrabbits playing Spur had been left up to the members of the team that the game would have been played according to schedule. We believe further than that—the people of Ralls would have said "Play the game." But after that, we believe that the Jackrabbits coach felt that he was better at playing politics than he was at playing football, and preferred the political route rather than playing Spur. We are not mad at Ralls, the Bulldogs are not mad at the Jackrabbits, our town has a warm welcome for our sister town. We deem it is not worthwhile for the business men at Ralls to get offended at children's play—we believe they are broader than that. Next year, when the schedule is made probably the committee will see that it is fully executed and then select the winner by established rules.

There were a lot of things that happened in that committee meeting that we did not say anything about. To illustrate; it was reported that Coach Lovren told in

the committee meeting that Ralls did not have to play the Bulldogs, all they had to do was "out-smart" them, and when the Bulldog coach rose to his feet the Jackrabbit coach made a bee-line for the door and down the street at a speed that was questionable to the traffic cops. We felt it was no time for people to get mad, make cute remarks, or to run; it was time to decide what was right for all the football boys of the Second district. It was a time when feeling should have receded and the best interest of our boys come to the front. And it is still time for all of us to keep our tempers mild, our football boys calm and our towns on friendly terms. Thank you, Brother Editor and when you come to our city we want to take you to one of our fine drug stores and buy you the best grape juice (that's all we can afford) that our efficient dispensers can make for you. Lets forget and build for the future.

McADOO NEWS

Friday night, November 6, the Afton Baptist Church presented a play, "Piggly Wiggly" or "Help Yourself" at the McAdoo school auditorium. The play was well attended and was enjoyed by all. The proceeds went to the Afton Baptist church.

We are glad to report that Mrs. Leonard Dennis is improving and was able to return home from the Lubbock sanitarium Saturday.

Mr. John Formby, who is attending Wayland college at Plainview was visiting his parents in McAdoo recently.

Mr. Alvin Brantley has recently sold fifty thousand bundles of higeria to the Matador ranch. He has delivered the feed this week. The higeria is of first class feed and brought a good price of six cents a bundle.

The Afton boys basket ball team played the McAdoo team Friday afternoon. The McAdoo boys were defeated, the score being 16-2. Afton wan because their boys were faster and larger. The McAdoo boys and girls teams will go to Afton this Friday afternoon to

defeat Afton.

We are sorry to report that Miss Ruby Dozier has been ill for the past week and has missed several days of school.

Mr. E. C. Robertson, who lives north of McAdoo made a good crop of cotton this year, which is nearly always the case on the plains. He has been driving a new Nash recently.

We have certainly been having some fine weather and everybody has been enjoying it. Practically all the cotton is gathered, now, an dif the weather continues to be fine all the cotton will be out by the end of the week.

Several of the farmers are buying tractors now to get their plowing done early. The McAdoo Mercantile Company has sold eight Farmalls. The have received 3 carloads of farmalls this week. The eight tractors that were sold last week went to the following farmers: Mr. Jim Derr, Mr. J. T. Hodges, Mr. O. B. Wood, Mr. A. C. Rose, Mr. Tom Harvey, Mr. T. D. Hall, Mr. Tom Varnell and Mr. J. T. Young.

Several of the young people of McAdoo attended church at Pansy Sunday night.

Miss Osborne met with the club girls and club women at McAdoo Wednesday afternoon. The girls made different kinds of candy and the women were interested in how to make cheese.

Y. W. A. PROGRAM

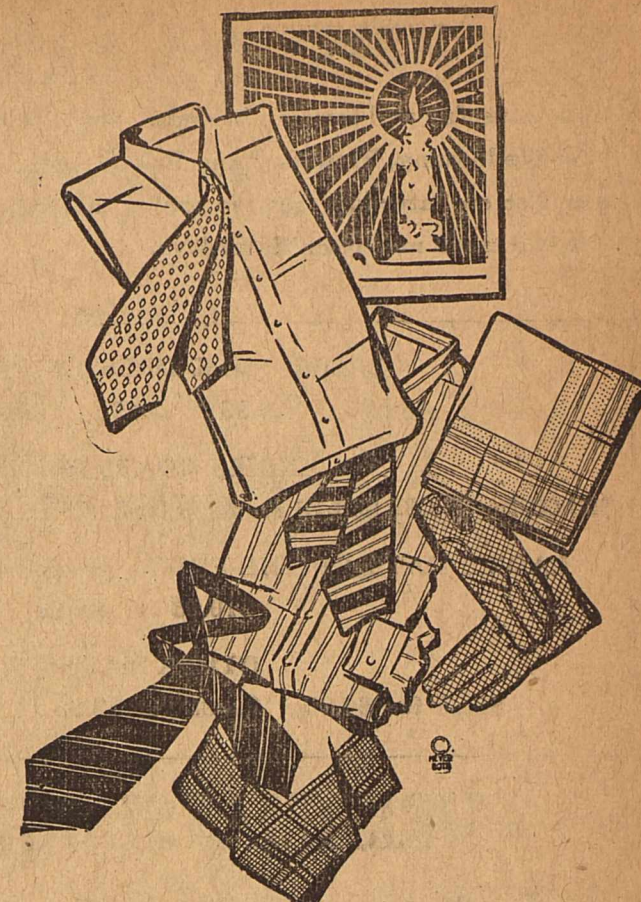
The Y. W. A. of the Baptist Church will give a Christmas program at the church auditorium next Monday evening at 7:30.

Each organization of the W. M. S. will have a part on the program. The play "When Will Christmas Come?" will be presented by the Y. W. A. Girls at this time.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to our friends and neighbors for their kind assistance and sympathy during the illness and death of our dear nephew and cousin, Joseph Leon Archer.

Mrs. Walter Powell and children.



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good kitchen cabinet at the Red Tag Price **\$18.95**

Give your home a new living room. Buy the lovely Dimit
Suit with Buffet. The very latest in color designs (Nub
brown) nothing newer. Regular price
\$85.00 The Red Tag Price **\$63.50**

HARDWARE IMPLEMENT AND HARNESS DEPARTMENT

Stoves

of pure Iron Stone China plates at
Red Tag Price of **75^c**

Farmalls

Yes we have them. You have seen them work and we
want you to buy one. Ask us all about them.

Banish the cold chilling winds of winter
with our circulating heater. Red Tag Price **\$31.75**

Don't stint your table on dishes when you can buy a set

Everybody will not buy a Farmall so we have put the
Red Tag with Red Hot prices on our Harness.

A good team bridle Red Tag Price **\$1.75**

A good duck Collar Red Tag Price **\$1.75**

NOTHING WILL BE CHARGED DURING THIS RED TAG SALE

The tag tells the tale

Spur Hardware & Furniture Co.

SPUR'S OLDEST STORE

The tag tells the tale

B. SCHWARZ & SON

SPUR, TEXAS

Store Wide Christmas Sale!

Means Tremendous Savings To You
To The Thousands of Thrifty Christmas Shoppers

A store full to the roof with new choice Christmas merchandise. Prices reduced to a lower level than ever before attempted to save the shopper many many dollars on the Christmas Shopping bill.

GENUINE
Palmolive Soap
5 bars
25c limit

36 Inch Outing
All Patterns also solid Colors.
10c yd.

Genuine Kotex
29c box

Yard Wide Brown
Domestic
5c yd.

A full 36 inch unbleached domestic good weight, Our regular 21c and 15c values

17x34 TURKISH TOWELS
Fancy Border only

10c each

BOYS UNIONALLS

Boys extra heavy Hickory stripe Unionalls, winter weight, size 2 to 16, Value \$1.00 to \$1.49, Special PER GARMENT

79c

MEN'S WORK PANTS

In Hong Kong and Poudre Blue. Value \$1.45 to \$1.65 Garment

89c

All sizes up to 48 Waist measure

SALE STARTS
FRIDAY MORNING
9 A. M.

December 13

Your Lucky Day

CLOSES TUESDAY NIGHT
DECEMBER 24th
Christmas Eve

KRINKLE BED SPREADS

All Colors only

79c

A Good Gift Item

32 Inch GINGHAM

5c yd.

Plaids, Checks, new patterns, suitable for dresses or Quilt Lining

RAYON BED SPREADS

80x105 full bed size and bolster. \$2.75 value only A good gift item

\$1.95

Greater in scope and magnitude than any event we have ever known. One of the most important Sales of the season takes place at B. SCHWARZ & SON, Friday, December 13th.

This Store Pledges President Hoover's "CARRY ON" Prosperity Plan and we pledge ourselves not to reduce Wages.

To further reduce the price of merchandise.

We believe with those who contend that stability of wages is necessary to the general prosperity of our country.

We are among those who contend that the greatest number of people is served best when merchandise is sold at the lowest practical Prices.

Since the stock market slump, we are trying to reduce our merchandise and from now on we shall offer merchandise at new low levels, in conformity with the spirit of Hoover's conferences. These reduced prices are plainly in evidence throughout our big store.

We agree with those who maintain that there is nothing wrong with the economic conditions of America. That the wealth of the country is still in this country. We propose to carry on as usual.

We especially want our old customers, those who have been with us since we started business in Spur more than 4 years ago, to participate in the special values we are offering. At the same time, new customers are equally welcome. We hope to demonstrate our merchandising supremacy in this territory.



A Sensational Clearance Of 324 Dresses

VERITABLE GIFT PRICES

DRESSES **6.95** DRESSES **9.95**
Values to \$11.95 Values to \$16.95

DRESSES **14.75**
Values to \$37.50

ENNA-JETTICK Arch Support SHOES

You need no longer be told you have an expensive foot

Sizes 4 to 9. A to EE Width. \$6.00 Value. Sale

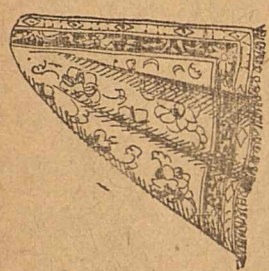
\$4.80



A Close-out of 85

Frocks

On Rack
Reduced from
\$9.75 and \$12.50
\$3.95



Jacquard Woven Bath Towels

39c

They are combination striped—white with all-around borders, white with jacquard woven rayon borders and solid colors, all echoing pastel shades of Rose, blue, gold, or green; 22x44; regularly 49c. Special at 39c each.

SMART PAJAMAS

New styles . . . New color harmonies . . . tuck-in effects . . . over blouse effects . . . swagger and yet very practical . . . fine gauge rayons . . . crepe de chine and crepe back satins are among the featured materials . . . also cottons.

\$1.59 to \$7.95

Quilted Robes and Negligees

An especially attractive group of Quilted Robes . . . beautifully made from material of exceptional quality . . . and in desirable shades . . . priced very special

20% Off

Now When You Need Them Most . . . Quilted Robes



20% Off

\$7.95

OTHERS AT \$10.95

You can be comfortable and cozy as you please and be smart at the same time in one of these gay robes. They're perfect for hopping out of bed on winter mornings or for Sunday lounging. Made of satin and rayon crepe in bright colors. Lined and warmly innerlined.

NEGLIGEEES in crepe de chine . . . satin . . . Chenille Bettina . . . flowered corduroy . . . finer quilted robes, also many numbers trimmed with ostrich fancies and Marabou . . . gorgeous in color and superbly finished . . . affording wonderful gifts at unusually low prices . . . ranging from

\$5.95 to \$19.95

FLANNELETTE Gowns and Pajamas

Special

79c

Made from good material, warm and Well made

OTHER GROUPS PRICED
\$1.37 and \$1.87

Blanket Robes

Colorful and nicely made from blanket robing of excellent quality . . . in a series of attractive styles which men like to wear . . . warm and comfortable without being too bundlesome and bulky . . . All with silk cord . . . pockets and finished handsomely.

\$2.98 to \$4.98
All reduced 20%

Beacon Blanket Robe Sets

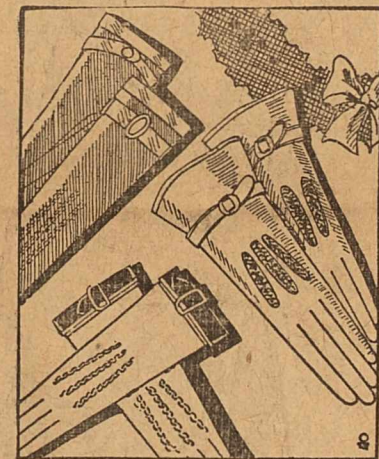
Consisting of Blanket Robe and slippers to match . . . Beacon Robes have wide popularity . . . they are known for the smartness of appearance . . . the skillful manner in which they are styled and finished . . . A number of good colors to choose from

\$6.98

Handsome Silk and Rayon Robes

In this offering you find some of the most attractive Rayon Robes of jacquard material . . . finished with Skinner satin lapels and trimming . . . distinguished in appearance . . . comfortable for winter evenings and mornings . . . and at prices which afford the utmost in value.

\$5.98 to \$18.98
20% off



Sale of Fine French Kid French Suede Doeskin Gloves

VERY SPECIALLY PRICED
\$1.95 to \$2.95
All Gloves 20% off

Extraordinary values! Gloves taken from our higher priced lines . . . Many of them originally were marked twice and more than twice this low sale price making this a remarkable gift event! Soft French Kids with novelty turnback or flared cuffs; well fitting French Suede Gloves in all styles, and the classic Doeskin pullons. In smart winter tones—including the very chic black—and in all sizes.



59 Fur trimmed

COATS

Reduced

1-3

Off original Prices

Dress Coats with luxurious fur trimmings of skunk, beaver, wolf, fox. Materials are broadcloth and mixtures. Black and fashionable colors.

TOWELS

Are Underpriced, Too!

A good size face towel, with red, blue and gold borders Regular 15c value

10c

A Good Sa

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We ask you for your patronage on the basis of value far than you would ordinarily expect. Our cost and our extremely small margin of profit is rarely waited for it and expected it, now let the price we offered bargains so sensational.

And everything has been reduced to make this a good warm store so don't mind the weather.



TALKINK MAMA

Doll

As big as a real baby. Special For this sale

89c

Cotton Bats

Regular \$1.00 79x90 roll pure white cotton Bat as 79c.

79c

Fine Rayon Bloomers

ALL REDUCED 20%
Rayon so fine in weave that it looks like glove silk. Soft and pliable.
\$1.25 value

89c

Flannelette Gowns

No more shivery nights in these warm gowns. Downy soft flannelette, full cut, for comfort and attractively made too. Sizes 16 17

69c up to \$1.95

Best Grade Permanent Linen Finished Sheetting

9-4 and 10-4 Bleached or brown 45c to 55c value only

34c yd.

Special Curtain

Marquisette

10c a yard

A good durable quality, 36 inches wide and shown in cream and natural colors only. Worth 22½c

29c Cretonne

36 inches wide. Splendid quality. Floral designs. per yard

19c

A Great Co

Richly Fur

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COATS

Coats of Exquisite Quality and undoubted value

IRRESISTABLY PRICED AT FIVE POPULAR FIGURES

Dress Coats, Sport Coats, Coats for all Occasions

GROUP 1
\$79.50 Values

\$52.95

GROUP 2
\$69.50 Values

\$45.95

GROUP 3
\$49.50 Values

\$33.95

GROUP 4
\$32.75 Values

\$21.75

GROUP 5
\$29.75 Values

\$19.95

The Newest Fur Trimmings!
The Latest Fabrics!
Every New Style and Color!
Each Coat as Perfect as Human Skill Can Make It!

RAINCOATS

In Bright Attractive Colors. Just arrived in time

\$4.45 \$5.45 \$6.45

Best Place To Trade

Marz & Son

WICHITA, KANSAS

Little Profit

Romper Elastic

1-4" Wide

White

12 yds 20c

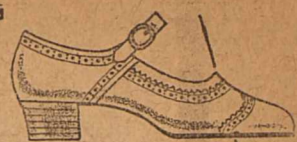
FOOTWEAR

FOR WOMEN Just Received

\$3.95 and \$4.45 values

\$6.00 Value

\$2.95 \$4.80



If giving you just a little more for your Shopping Dollars, well planned buying, our low operating costs, responsible for our underselling policy. You have us do the talking. Never in our business career have

as Christmas Sale long to be remembered.

COME

Black or Brown Kids, Satins, Patents, All Heels. See the very newest Styles in Our Show Windows

Exquisitely Styled. Newest Models arriving Daily

Smart Ties, Pretty Pumps Straps Sizes 3 to 8

GIFT SLIPPERS FOR EVERYONE

69c to \$2.98

For men, women and children—all types, all kinds—in leather, satin, rayon and felt

All Reduced 20%

Felt bedroom slipper **39** Quilted Satin Pompon slipper, **\$1.19**
in rose blue and black in blue black, red

EARLY SHOPPERS

Hundreds of extraordinary values are offered the early Christmas shoppers. Let us cooperate to make your Christmas shopping more pleasant and satisfying this year. Select your gifts carefully and take advantage of better values. Plan to fill your Christmas list now. Visit this store and make your Christmas funds go further.

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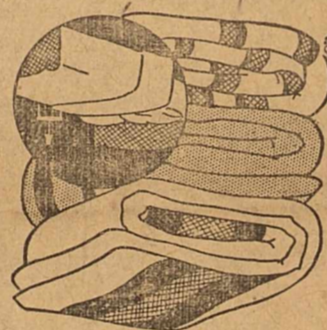


1-3 off regular price

Sizes 14 to 50

A small deposit reserves your selection in our storage department

Blankets



400 REG. \$5 PART WOOL DOUBLE BLANKETS

Manufacturers favored us with this marvelous value. Weight 4 3-4 pounds. Sateen bound edge. Gorgeous colored block designs. Size 66x80 per pair

\$2.98

EXTRA SPECIAL! Part Wool Blankets

Part wool, soft, fleecy finish in plain tan color. Heavy and warm enough for cold winter nights. Size 66x80 inches. Both ends finished. 4.45 value

\$2.95

Cotton Double Blanket

Full size for double beds. Medium weight, fleecy cotton in white, tan, or grey with colored borders. Size 66x76 inches doubled.

99c pair

Extra Heavy Cotton Blankets

Warm, soft finished ones of cotton, in blue, rose, orchid, green or peach. Shell stitched ends. 66x80 inches doubled. \$3.45 value.

\$2.45

EXTRA SPECIAL! Part Wool Blankets

Part wool, in block plaids of beautiful colors. Large size for double beds. 66 inches wide, 80 inches long doubled. A blanket we sell thousands of every year. \$4.45 Value

\$2.95

Regular \$2.95 and \$3.95

HATS

300 of Them

Felts, Velvets, Soliel, Velours.



These hats are smart, new, authentic styles. Every favored color for winter COME EARLY

Heavy Turkish Towel. Double thread with fancy borders; 59c values.

39^c

1 \$



Nationally Known ALLEN-A CHIFFON

HOSIERY

Allen-A Hosiery is guaranteed without reservation. By that is meant if Allen-A Stockings do not give you the service you think you are entitled to, we give you another pair; if you don't want another pair we refund your money. We suggest Allen-A Hosiery as gifts.

PRICED IN THREE GROUPS

\$1.00 Value \$1.50 Value \$2.00 Value
79^c \$1.19 \$1.59

No woman has too many pairs of Hosiery, for each ensemble necessitates a different stocking. The color range of Allen-A Hosiery is all embracing and the privilege of exchange at Christmas time is permitted

COLORS
Gunmetal Light Gunmetal Sable French Nude
Crystal Beige Almora Suede Gray Sun Bronze
Marron Glace

SALE OF LINGERIE 20% OFF

Fine, heavy Crepe de Chine, Exquisitely finished in trimmed or Tailored styles in lovely pastel shades.



An offering which transcends any value we have announced in our underwear department this season. . . . In the Lingerie group are Bloomers. . . . Slips. . . . Teddies. . . . Dance Sets. . . . Pajamas. . . . Step-ins all the desirable garments and in the group of gowns there are some of the most adorable things you have had presented for your selection.

Need An Inexpensive Coat?

50 Ladies Coats, odds and ends, some furred, others furless, Dress and Sport Coats, a truly remarkable group. Values \$9.95 up to \$25.00 These Coats displayed on Racks.

\$5

SMART WEATHER-PROOF RAINCOATS OUTSTANDING VALUES

Sizes for Juniors Misses Women Also extra sizes are included here.

\$5.95 Value \$4.75 All other Raincoats 20% reduction

MEN!

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

LOOK!

O'Coats

1-2 Price



Special Value, All Wool Materials, Good Fitting Models. An Exceptional Value for this Christmas Sale

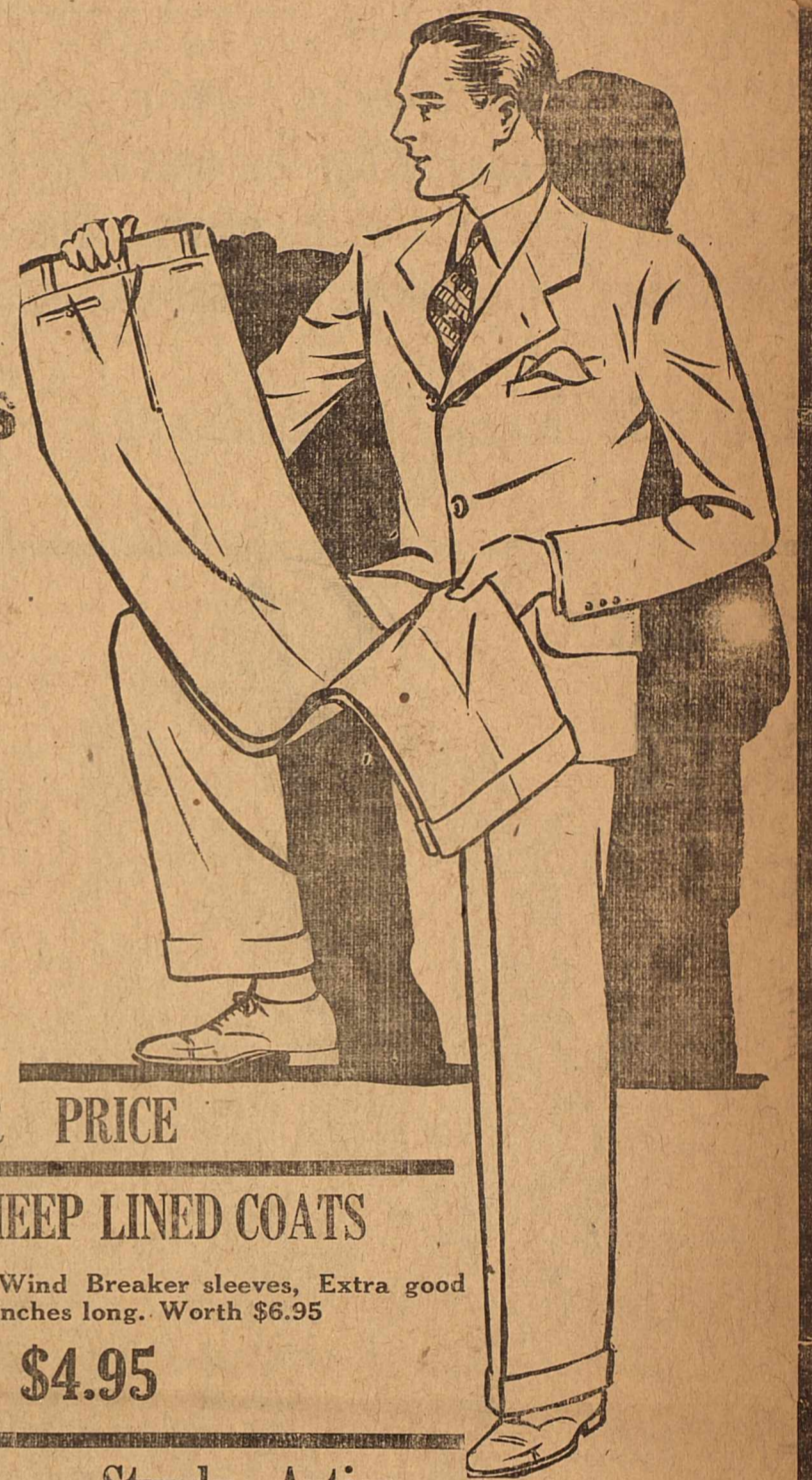
\$15.00 Value
\$7.50
 \$20.00 Value
\$10
 \$25.00 Value
\$12.50

SUITS

The Swing of the Styles

Properly peaked lapels, tapering hips, infinitely skillful tailoring. The greatest combination of style craftsmanship and value.

We are prepared to fit any size man in slims, stouts, stubs and regulars. We overstocked in this department and are making very drastic reductions. Sizes 32 to 52.



18.50 Values **\$12.95**
 24.50 Values **\$16.95**

ALL MENS SUITS NOT LISTED 1-3 OFF REGULAR PRICE

WOOL SHAKER-KNIT SWEATERS

Big warm, fine quality sweater with comfortable shawl collar. It is knitted of the finest quality yarns. You may select from a number of solid colors and combinations. \$4.65 value

\$3.29

MEN'S SHEEP LINED COATS

Mandel Fur collar, Wind Breaker sleeves, Extra good value Mole Skin, 40 inches long. Worth \$6.95

\$4.95

MEN'S LUMBERJACKS

OF ALL WOOL MACKINAW CLOTH

These are just the thing for outdoor wear. They're well-made and have elastic knitted bottoms and two pockets. Choose from fancy patterns. \$4.45 and \$5.45 values

\$1.98



SUEDE JACKETS

OF FINE SOFT PLIABLE LEATHER



Just the thing for outdoor men and very popular for sports. Made of real suede leather with worsted knit cuffs, collar and bottom. They're lined with suede cloth too. An outstanding value at this low price. In grey and Reindeer. \$10.95 value

\$7.95



A MAN WILL ALWAYS WELCOME TIES FOR CHRISTMAS

Big, generously cut ties that are durable and long wearing. Made of high quality, selected materials with flowing ends—in sparklin colors and designs.

39c to \$1.49

20% REDUCTION on ENTIRE STOCK 'KERCHIEFS

BOX 'KERCHIEFS

PACKED 3 TO A BOX

65c VALUES

49c

\$1.29 VALUES FOR

97c

\$2.50 VALUES FOR

\$1.88

NOVELTY 'KERCHIEFS

25c Values for 19c 49c Values for 37c 75c Values for 57c
 29c Values for 22c 65c Values for 49c

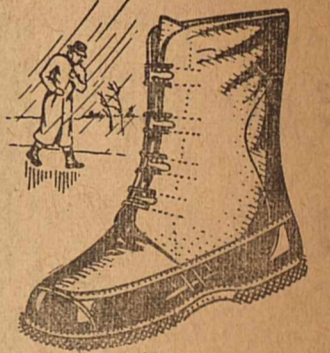


Sturdy Artics

That defy the cold and damp

\$1.95 Value
\$1.49

The man who wants a pair of heavy duty artics will do well to look over our selection. Thick outsoles with bumper edges and Cashmerette uppers. Fleece lined.



DRESS BOOTS

BLACK AND TAN, PLAIN AND MOCCASIN TOE \$8.50 to \$9.75 Value

\$6.75

BOYS' OVERALLS

Boys' blue Demin Overalls, well made and a bargain at only—

79c

WORK SHIRT
 Full size all colors. Buy
79c

BUTTON LEG TROUSERS
 All shades a good buy
\$2.29

MENS SHOES
 High and low. Shoes of all welts. Save
\$3.88

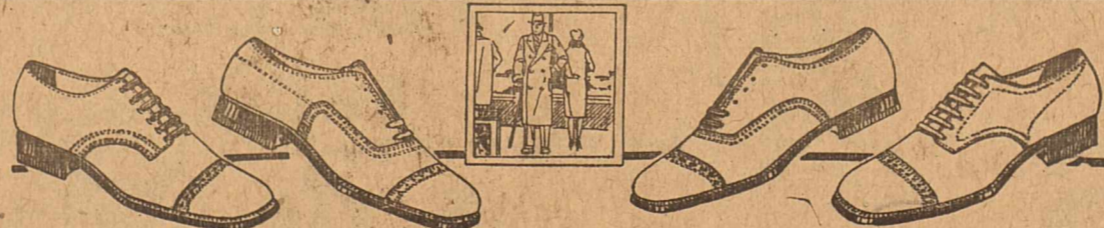
MEN'S WORK PANTS
 Heavy, Durable, Dependable.
\$1.49

SWEATERS
 Coat Style. Good for Office Wear.
\$1.49

MEN'S UNIONS
 Heavy ribbed. Good Grade. Buy Now. \$1.00 and \$1.20 Values
89c

SHEEPLINED COATS
 Water proof. An extra value
\$4.95

WORK SOX
 Good Heavy Grade. Buy Here and save.
8c



MEN'S REGULAR \$6.50 SHOES

Very high quality calfskin oxfords or high tops—styled on the popular new last like illustration. Black or tan. Flexible all-leather soles. Reduced during sale to

\$4.80

CHILDREN'S BUTTON WAIST UNION SUITS
 Long and short sleeves, long and knee lengths
59c 69c 79c

MENS SILK-LINED HATS
 Value Supreme Pearl, Oak, Silver, Amber, Mole, Beacon, Brush, Slate.
\$2.85

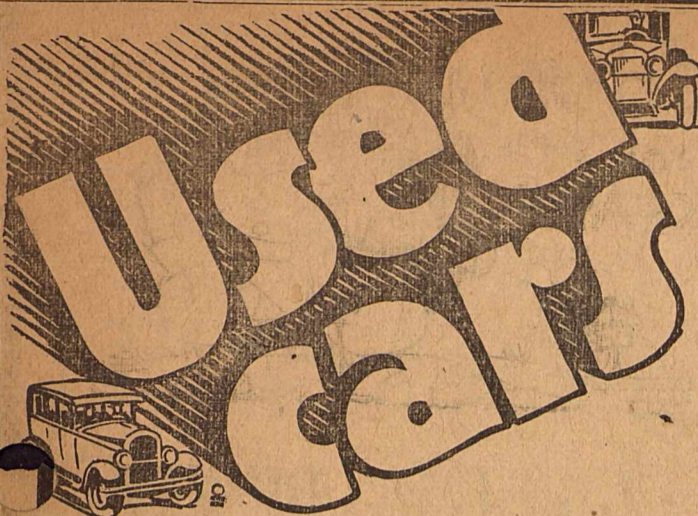
BOYS UNION SUITS
 Boys extra heavy, fleeced Union Suits. All sizes up to 16 years. Special
59c

BOYS BEST GRADE BLEACHED UNION SUITS
 All Sizes to 16 years
79c and 59c

FANCY SOCKS FOR MEN
 First Quality Socks in all the very new and desirable colors and patterns. . . . Men take greater pride than ever before in their socks and there is no more sure to be appreciated gift ample stocks assure fitting selections.

MEN'S LEATHER COATS.
 Here are some real values in Men's Genuine Horsehide Coats of black. Finely made for outdoor workers, hunters and sports affairs. inches. Value 10.95, su in all sizes. Length 30 per special at only
\$5.95

FEATURE VALUE HATS
 The biggest Hat value of the season. Smart styles and new colors. \$5.00 value.
\$3.95



We have just what you want in the used car line. If you want some real bargains look over ours first and you will be pleased.

- 1927 Chevrolet Coach.
- 1927 Chevrolet Cabriolet.
- 1927 Chevrolet touring.
- 1928 Chevrolet Coach.
- 1929 Chevrolet Coach
- 1929 Whippet Coupe.
- 1928 Erskine Coach.
- 1929 Chevrolet Truck.

Come in for we have what you want.

Caraway Chev. Co.
Spur, Texas

Girard News

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kennon visited with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kellet last Sunday afternoon.

Brother Dickenson preached Sunday and Sunday night at the Baptist church here.

Mrs. O. P. Vincent spent last Thursday with Mrs. Edwards.

Many farmers of Girard have taken advantage of the cold weather and have butchered their hogs.

Mr. and Mrs. Beedle and family moved last week to their home one mile east of Girard.

Mr. Jack Hargrove of Spur was visiting with Harwells of Girard last Sunday.

Mr. Wise was visiting in Girard last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent and family moved to Bonds Chapel last week.

Miss Lois Bailey and Mr. Lena Simpson of Girard married Friday afternoon of last week. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bailey. The groom is the son of Mrs. Simpson. After the marriage ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Simpson left for Brownfield to be gone a few days to visit with friends. Their many friends join in wishing them unbound happiness and joy throughout life.

Mrs. D. P. Graves visited in school last Tuesday.

The Seniors presented their play again at Girard last Friday night.

Mrs. Billy Vencil and Mrs. D. P. Graves visited with Mrs. Raymond Turner last Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Inez Vincent spent last Tuesday night with Miss Zada Belle Laird.

Mrs. Elmer James spent last Monday with her mother, Mrs. Barton of Jayton.

Mr. Earl Mayfield is back in Girard working in the Mayfield store.

Mr. Lloyd Womack and friend were visiting in Girard last Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Dial spent last Saturday and Sunday visiting with friends in Jayton.

Miss Gracie Westfall gave all the senior girls a slumber party last Thursday night. Those pres-

ent were Misses Elsie Clark, Lois and Grace Langford, Edith Harwell, Irene Boland, Ione Beaver, Zaida Belle Waggoner, and Bonnie Spradling.

Mrs. Jewel Turner gave a surprise shower for Mrs. Lena Simpson last Saturday evening. She received many nice and useful gifts for the new bride. Refreshments were served to Medames, Lenia Simpson, Billy Vencil, Carl Williams, Jinks Cooper, Douglas Graves, B. J. Kellett, Wage Wright, Marvin Carlile, Sol Ingram, T. A. Bailey, Check Jay, L. A. Simpson, Raymond Turner, Clifford Haines, Glen Huls, Alph Parks and Misses Samantha Beavers and Idell Cooper.

Miss Lena Snodgrass and her friends of Spur were visiting in Girard last Sunday.

Bro. North of the First Baptist Church of Jayton preached at Girard last Sunday night.

Mr. Edd Williams of Lubbock was visiting with relatives and friends in Girard Sunday.

Mr. J. B. Johns and friends of Clairmont were visiting in Girard Sunday.

Mr. Hobart Lewis of Jayton is now working in the Bank at Girard.

Miss Grace Westfall and Mr. Joe Bailey were married last Sunday. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tobie Westfall and also an ex-student of Girard. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey of near Spur. Their many friends wish them the greatest of happiness and success thru their married life.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Turner moved to their home east of Girard last week.

Misses Zaida Bell Waggoner and Mira Mae visited with Miss Idell Cooper last week end.

Mr. Clint Edwards baby who died last Thursday was buried at Girard last Friday afternoon. Mr. Edwards has recently lost his wife and his other baby, the twin to the one who was just buried is not expected to live.

SHERIFF AND POLICE BAG ROBBERS

Shakopee, Minn. Dec. 9—Acting

on a "tip" a posse ambushed in village shops shot down three bandits as they sought to escape after robbing the First National Bank of \$1,500 here today after a gunfight in main street in which nearly 100 shots were fired.

One of the bandits, his body wounded with machine gun and pistol bullets, was identified as William "Bud" McInerny of St. Paul. He is not expected to live. The others, Frank Morris of Chicago and George Larkin of St. Paul are expected to recover.

While McInerny and Larkin were raiding the banks safe, Morris sat in a car outside. He stepped out of the car. Then Charles D. Brown, veteran special agent for the Minnesota Bankers' Association, who had received the tip, opened fire with a shoulder machine gun and Morris dropped, wounded in both legs.

His companions rushed to the streets prepared to speed away and Browns staccato fire was joined by pistol fire from John Ring, Chief of police, Sheriff Weckman and several deputies. They had remained hidden in the establishments across the street from the bank.

F. F. Sonnemaker was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

Prof. Millard Smith, of the Dry Lake school, was in our city Saturday doing some trading.

G. C. Byrd of Dickens was attending to business affairs in our city Monday.

G. B. Morris, a hustling Duck Creek farmer and former business man of Spur was in our city Saturday attending to business affairs.

Mrs. W. F. Pierce was in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

N. B. Carroll of McAdoo, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Mrs. G. C. Pierce, of Soldier Mound, was in our city Monday doing some shopping.

Tol Merriman, one of the pioneer citizens of our county now living in Twin Wells community was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

B. L. Pickens, west of town, was

on our streets Saturday greeting old friends.

R. L. Edgar, of Highway community was looking after business affairs in our city Saturday.

Cecil Judd, of Duncan Flat was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.

Mrs. W. E. Ballard of Dry Lake community, was in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

Odell Myers, of Aspermont, was in our city Sunday visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Myers of C. R. Edwards & Co.

W. F. Foreman, of Foreman Chapel, County Commissioner for Precinct No. 3 was in our city Saturday attending to business matters.

Mrs. Addie Spraberry, of Kalgary, was doing some shopping with our merchants Saturday.

J. B. Brantner, of Red Top was transacting business in our city Saturday.

C. E. Robinson of McAdoo was among those in our city Saturday taking advantage of the bargains in merchandise.



GIFTS THAT WILL PLEASE

Perfumes and cosmetics in dainty gift sets, bottles of cut or fancy glass—ideal for gift giving, and always certain to please those who receive them on Christmas morning. Take the time to inspect our stocks when shopping for gifts. Also all kinds of novelties.

CITY DRUG STORE
THE CHRISTMAS STORE

Happy thoughts of Christmas flit about in our minds. Thoughts of others over shadow selfish ones. We want to express our feelings in gifts. What shall they be? Make them useful. None of us are rich and our friends will appreciate things they can really use.

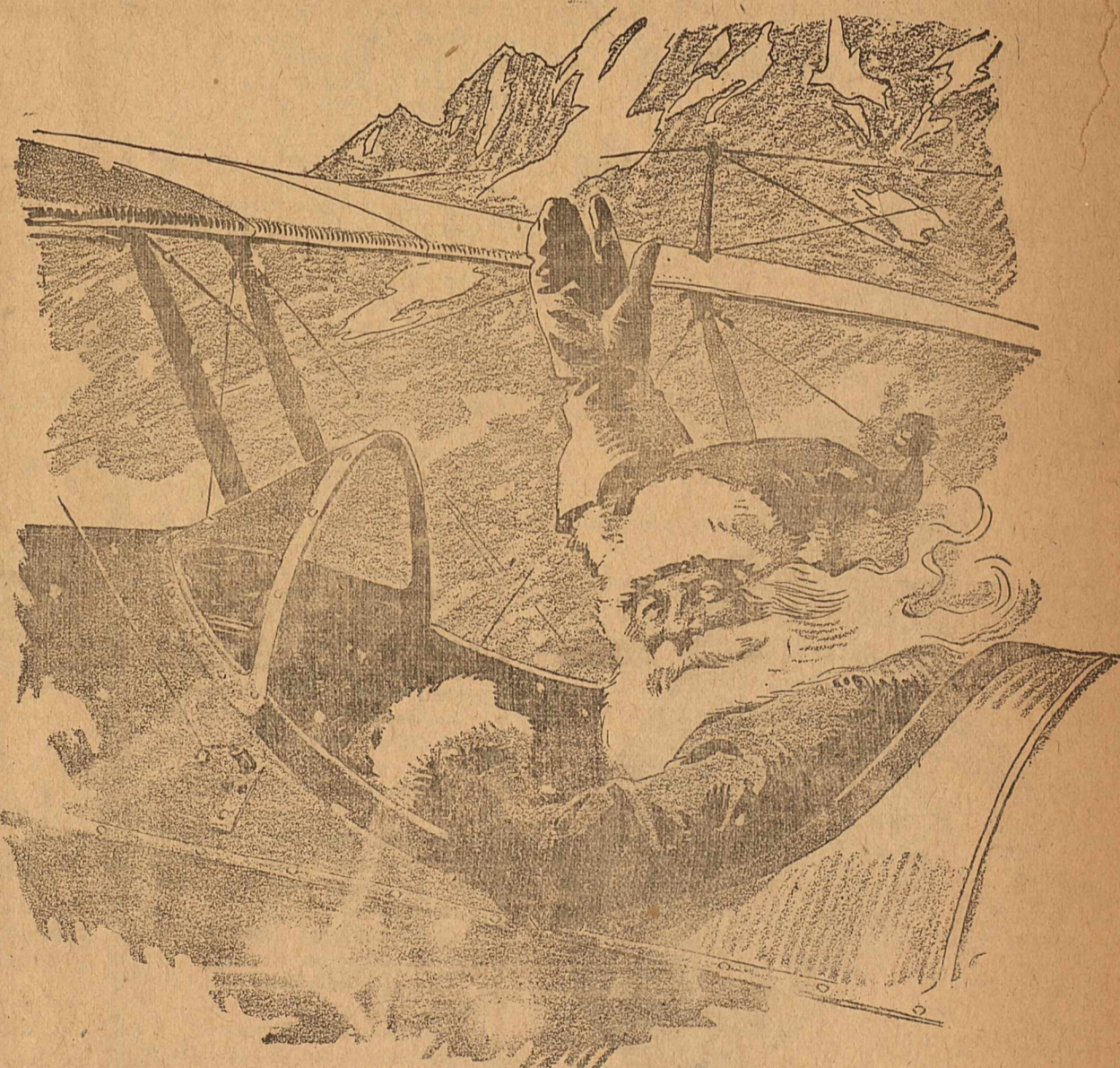
How about buying Dad a new suit? He needs one. He has sacrificed for you. Hart Schaffner & Marx are the best cheaper suits if you want them.

Furniture is something every home needs. How about making mother happy by getting her something she has wanted all these years. Our furniture store invites you. Here you can select just the thing needed.

Radio the greatest discovery of the age... A Majestic will bring the talent of the world into your home. Make your home attractive so that the children will stay home these winter nights where they should be. Let all the family join in buying a real radio, a Majestic or Kolster. Bryant Link Company is headquarters for Radios. They are the pioneers in Spur of the Radio business

Thousands of useful items can be found in this big store, so don't waste your money buying something that pleases the eye only. Make our store your Christmas shopping and loafing place. Old Santa will be here we are most sure; so we expect the children.

We want you to feel at home here and will appreciate your business. We are part of this community... We built the first brick building in Spur, thereby proving our confidence in this country. We believe in this country and in its people and have enjoyed a good business for these twenty years. Just now things are not just as we would have them but brighter days are coming.



COME ON WITH THE CROWDS AND BRING THE CHILDREN

Bryant-Link Co.

P. T. B. Robinson, of Highway was among those trading in our city Saturday.
Lewis Daniels, of Twin Wells, was greeting friends in our city Saturday.
N. Kidd, of Dry Lake was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.

E. B. Buckner, of McAdoo was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.
Mrs. T. D. Darnell, of Deer Lake was in our city Saturday doing some shopping.
Mrs. J. M. Howze, of Highway community was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

NEWS ITEM OF INTEREST TO ALL

The fourth reduction in long distance telephone rates in a little more than three years will be made January 1, according to word received here today by J. C. Pinson district manager of the South western Bell Telephone Company. The cut will mean a saving of approximately five million dollars to telephone users in the United States.

It will apply principally to day "Station-to-Station" rates to points 60 to 300 miles distant. "Station to Station" rates are those which apply to distant numbers rather than to a particular person. In most instances these will be reduced ten cents, although in a few cases the decrease will amount to five cents.

Rates on "person-to-person" calls (calls for a specific person) and evening and night "station-to-station" calls will remain largely as they are at present, although some minor reductions will be made.

Report charges, made on person to person calls when the called telephone is reached, but the person wanted is not reached will also be reduced in amounts ranging from five to forty cents on calls to points from 140 to 2,200 miles distant.

"The present reduction brings the total annual saving to telephone users through these various rate decreases by the Bell system is nearly fifteen million dollars," Mr. Pinson said. The first of the four reductions which have accomplished this saving was made October 1, 1926. Rates were reduced three million dollars yearly then.

"A further reduction of a million and a half dollars went into effect December 1, 1927. Then on February 1, 1929, a five million dollar cut was made.

"These reductions, as well as the present one have been made voluntarily by the Telephone Co. They are the result of increased long distance usage which has permitted the development of a steadily growing system of fast, storm proof long distance cable, increased overhead facilities and faster methods of handling calls. As an example, we are now building in the Southwest a fifty million dollar system of underground cables which will link all principal cities.

Texas telephone users will be saved a total of approximately \$32,000 by the decrease," Mr. Pinson estimated.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS AND 4-H CLUBS HOLD ANNUAL ACHIEVEMENT DAY PROGRAM

Saturday, December 14th is Annual Achievement Day for all the Home Demonstration and 4-H Clubs in the County. The Women's Home Demonstration Council has charge of the program. The program will start at 10 o'clock at the Methodist church. Each Club is expected to show something of their accomplishments of the year. There will be on display articles made by Club members. Each woman will bring a useful gift and numbers will be drawn as exchange of gifts. At noon basket lunch will be served. All the girls having their Home Improvement articles will be given a trip to the Matinee. Mr. Remington has given Miss Osbourne special rates. All club members are expected to be here and visitors are cordially invited.

RED TOP CLUB NEWS

The Red Top Club met December 6th at the church. Officers for the coming year were elected as follows:

Club Leader and reporter—Mrs. Howell.
Vice president Mrs. C. A. McClain.
President—Mrs. Rhodes.
Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. Harrell.

Council member—Mrs. Hinson. The lesson was about Christmas. Mrs. McClain told of the "Origin of Giving".

The club decided to have a Bazaar on Saturday before Christmas. Watch for the place later. They will have fancy work, jellies, preserves and many other things you might use for Christmas. Don't forget to drop in and see what we have to sell.

J. L. Karr, of Espuela, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

W. S. Smiley, one of the progressive Duncan Flat Farmers was looking after business affairs in our city Saturday.

SERVES AS AN ALARM CLOCK

When the newsboy for the Lubbock Morning Avalanche yells "paper", Webber Williams, Roy Stovall, ye editor and others of the Highway addition come out of the hay to read about what has happened while we were asleep. We get the news in the Avalanche direct from the press and it is a great pleasure to read the news each morning while our high bosses prepare breakfast in a rush to get us off to work in order to get the paper. All of us except Ed Tanner, the County Agent. That farmer is up and gone long before the rest of us get our throats collected enough to read the paper.

Within three hours after the Avalanche goes off the press it is being read by Spur people at the breakfast table, and we don't have to wait until day light to have breakfast. Arthur Dunn is the local distributor for the Avalanche and if you want it, he will take your subscription and send it in and you will be reading the latest news first. You are out of style strictly now unless you are reading the morning paper in Spur.

SAYS HE WILL NOT STARVE

C. C. Haile, who for many years has been a citizen of Spur but who recently moved to his ranch near Afton, was in town the last of the week greeting friends. Mr. Haile stated that he had been busy

killing hogs and putting up meat for the next year. He made a quantity of good sausage—we say it was good because we can speak with authority, we tried it out and found it to be excellent.

Mr. Haile says he is not expecting to get very hungry yet as he has plenty of meat, fruit, milk and butter, chickens, eggs, etc., on the ranch. Just a few days ago he traded a fine porker to the city Grocery for enough flour to supply him until along in the summer and he feels rather secure for some months yet.

In speaking of farm life Mr. Haile stated that most farmers could make provision for plenty to get along with. He says the great trouble is that farmers get too anxious to make money when they should plan to make a living. If the living is made on the farm the money side will take care of itself.

Mrs. M. C. Briley was among those in our city Monday taking in the bargains offered by our merchants.

C. O. Parker of Elton, was attending to business interests here Monday.

Mann Clark, of Dickens, was doing some trading in our city Monday.

Mrs. T. F. Martin was among those ladies in our city Saturday taking advantage of the fine bargain rates offered by our merchants.

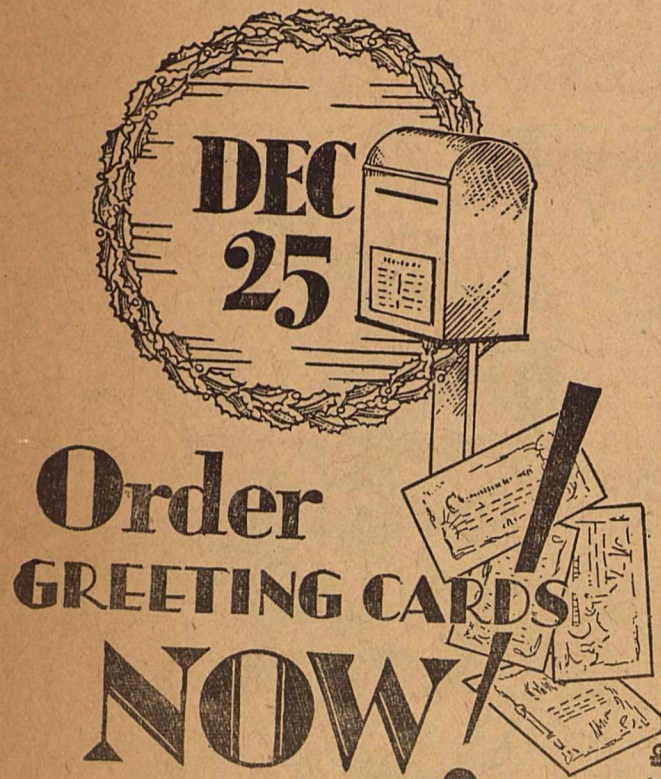


CHRISTMAS DINNER GROCERIES

Before you make up your list of groceries for your Christmas dinner, drop in here and look around. You will find a score of suggestions that will provide a most delightful and enjoyable meal.

Fruits of all kinds and our candies have arrived. You will find them all fresh... Try our cakes, as good if not better, than those mother makes—Hostess and National.

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Order GREETING CARDS NOW!

As personal as your own cheery smile, these ready-made or made to order Christmas Cards are YOUR individual messenger of good will. Don't forget them

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Do your Christmas shopping at C. R. EDWARDS
Our house is full of lovely gifts and you can remember the entire family at our big Quiting Business Sale.

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Come to our Big Quiting Business Sale



Gambill's GIFTS FOR ALL AT Prices That Please

To accommodate the public during the holiday season we are opening a Christmas Store in the old City Grocery Building. You will find the same quality of merchandise, the same fair prices, and the same courteous service in both stores.—Come in—if only to look around.

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Story books, picture books painting books, for children of all ages.

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Hosiery for Men

A useful gift. New styles men of mens hose, fancy patterns.

3 pair \$1.00

TEA SETS

Fancy Teapot and Six Cups
\$1.29 set

FOUR RECORDS BROKEN WITH CHRYSLER CARS

Four Chrysler cars have lowered existing records for three trans-continental runs and a dirt speed way mark, according to word received by J. W. Frazer, general sales manager of the Chrysler Corporation.

A Chrysler Imperial recently

broke the record between Sidney and Perth, Australia. Two weeks later on the same continent, another Chrysler set a new record for the 576 mile run from Melbourne to Sidney. The record from Johannesburg to Nairobi, S. Africa, fell to a third Chrysler while the same type of car set a new mak for stock cars over the 100-mile Ak-Sar-Ben dirt track at Omaha, Nebraska.

On leaving a steamer that took him from Europe to Australia Dr. Garnet Manning, a Sydney specialist, found he was urgently needed in Sydney. Accompanied by his wife and a third passenger in his Imperial sedan, Dr. Manning took the open road straight from

the ship. In three days, 23 hours and 27 minutes they arrived in Sydney, 24 hours ahead of the fastest train, and 11 hours and 16 minutes faster than the previous record. The run of 2,577 miles was made over tortuous roads and trackless waste.

A cablegram to the Chrysler Corporation officials told the story of the Melbourne-Sydney record being broken:

"Beith, dealer at Albury, driving Chrysler '72' broke all previous Melbourne-Sydney records today by twelve minutes. Total mileage 576. Average speed 56.47 per hour."

A 3,000 mile race against time and distance between Johannesburg and Nairobi over little more than a trail ended with Frank Kingsley and his wife lowering the best former time of nine days by more than 48 hours. Driving a heavily loaded Chrysler "75" roadster the Kingsleys set out from Johannesburg to capture the laurels that belonged formerly to a Chrysler "72" sedan. In less than 7 days they had arrived at Nairobi—two days ahead of the previous record. Not even a tire was changed.

Sixteen drivers in strictly stock cars entered the race on the Ak-Sar-Ben track at Omaha, Nebraska. Only seven finished, and four were Chryslers. First place was taken by a Chrysler "75" roadster that had been driven more than 23,000 miles. In qualifying, L. A. Hughes, the driver set a new

record for the track, circling the oval in 53.8 seconds. In the race he covered one lap in 53.2 seconds believed to be an all time record for American dirt tracks. The time for the 100 miles was one hour, 38 minutes and 31 seconds—an average of 62.2 miles per hour, which included one stop for refueling. Hughes traveled 81 miles an hour on the straightaway on several occasions. Second place fell to a Chrysler "72" roadster with 37,000 miles on its speedometer, and the other Chryslers finished fifth and sixth respectively.

WHEN AND HOW

Advertising isn't meant to be seasonable from the standpoint of paying only this or that season. Timely advertising the year 'round builds a sustaining confidence that is not shaken, builds a trade that does not falter. There may not be a direct rush, or there may be such an event. There will, however be a constant and steady trade built up by advertising that cannot be built through any other method.

But advertising will not continue to sell goods of inferior quality. It will not improve business in a musty store where goods are displayed unattractively.

It will not hold trade at a store where the clerks are not polite and considerate.

It will not hold customers where service is not reasonably prompt.

Merchandising has undergone a great change in recent years. The public today is educated to service and quality. They are hackneyed terms, but the business man who ignores them presently will learn his mistake.

"Service" means promptness and politeness.

"Quality means goods that are worth every penny of the price—and often more.

Competition is keen, but the man who keeps his eyes open to new ideas, and puts these ideas into practice—which includes judicious advertising—is bound to get his share of the business.— Browns Valley, Minnesota, Valley News.

SCOUTING FOR CRIPPLED BOYS

The only Boy Scout troop of its kind in the state of Michigan and one of a few similar troops in the nation is sponsored at Farmington Michigan, by the Convalescent home of the Michigan Children's Hospital. Eighteen crippled boys make up the troop. All are under 16 years of age and each is seriously crippled. They live at the home where they came for treatment from seven widely separated cities and villages.

This unique troop is Troop No. 46 in the Oakland Area Council, under the jurisdiction of Scout Executive Herbert N. Watson, of Pontiac Michigan. The members of the troop came from Detroit, Midland, Sibley, Manistree, Hamtramck, Monroe and Alexandria. In the five months the troop has been in existence six of the Boy Scouts have overcome their handicaps sufficiently to advance to the rank of Second Class Scouts.

The favorite Scouting activities of this troop are first aid work and signaling.

"We ought to be good," one of the Scouts explained with a grin, "we see enough of it."

They are expert in signaling too. That is also easily explained. Sitting on their cots and in chairs, it is great fun for them to talk down the hall or corridor by means of Scout signals.

The spirit of the Scouts in this troop is exemplified by a query made by one of the scouts. He had read that rowing a boat 14 miles would replace the 14 mile hike requirement for the First Class rank. Eyes twinkling and face eager in every feature, he turned to the Scout Executive on a recent visit and wanted to know, "How about doing 14 miles around the home in a wheel-chair?" the Scout Executive believes he has the material for one of the outstanding Scout troops in the United States.

ITALIANS COMMEMORATE ST. NICHOLAS FRIDAY INSTEAD OF WAITING UNTIL CHRISTMAS

For reasons unknown, instead of waiting until Christmas Day to Celebrate the memory of St. Nicholas, the Adriatic city of Bari, Italy set apart last Friday as the day to remember that patron saint. All business houses were closed and a grand procession made to the Church where his remains are

supposed to rest.

St. Nicholas apparently never lived in this city at all. His bones were brought over seas from Asia Minor where he had been Bishop of Myra in 1097; and so great was his fame that the Norman Duke, Roger, then ruling over Apulia caused them to be enshrined in the magnificent church that bears his name. This is considered one of the best examples of Norman architecture in Italy.

HURLEY PROMOTED TO HEAD OF WAR DEPARTMENT

President Hoover filled the vacancy in his cabinet caused by the death of the late James C. Goode, Secretary of War by appointing Patrick J. Hurley, first assistant under Mr. Goode. Mr. Hurley is from the State of Oklahoma, is a lawyer of renown, an ex-soldier, a good executive and has been serving as head of the War Department since the death of the Secretary.

In making this appointment President Hoover did so feeling that he was selecting a real man for the place, and in addition, he secured the man who has the unqualified endorsement of the leading people of the nation. In making this appointment he placed another Southern man in his cabinet, thereby, showing his gratitude for the fine support given him one year ago from the Southern States.

It has been thought by business men all over the country that Hurley would receive the appointment. It has been known that the President desired to give the South a cabinet member, and he has profound confidence and high regard for the ability of the official as has been shown since his appointment as Assistant Secretary of War.

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

ROTARY CLUB OF SPUR
Meets every Thursday at 12 o'clock at Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome
Fred W. Jennings, President
DODGE STARCHER, Sec

SPUR REBEKAH LODGE No. 178
Meets each Friday night. Members be present. Visitors welcome.
Mrs. Lula Hail, N. G.
Mrs. Minnie Rogers, Sec.

Stated Conclave of Spur Commandery No. 76 K. T. Second Tuesday in each month. Visiting Sir Knights welcome.
Jimmie Sample, E. C.
T. C. Ensey, Rec.

Stated Meeting Of SPUR CHAPTER No. 340 R. A. M. Monday night on or after each full moon. Visitors welcome.
W. D. Wilson, H. P.
W. R. King, Sec.

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The Lubbock Morning Avalanche gives you all the news while it's still news! It is printed at 3:00 A. M. and delivered to your door about 3 1-2 hours later—before 7:00 A. M. The predated down state papers in order to reach your box by noon the next day after they're printed, must close out all news 7 hours before the Morning Avalanche goes to press. And on account of the great distance they don't even reach your box until 6 hours after you've read all the news in the Morning Avalanche at your breakfast table. Any news that "breaks" between 8:30 P. M. and 3:00 A. M. is read in the Morning Avalanche 30 hours before you can possibly read it in the pre-dated down state papers.
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MRS. R. C. FORBIS HOSTESS TO DELPHIAN CLUB

The Delphian Club met at the home of Mrs. R. C. Forbis, Dec. 2nd at 1:30 P. M. Those present were Mesdames: E. L. Tanner, W. T. Andrews, Sol Davis, M. L. Jones, Geo. M. Williams, M. H. Brannen, J. E. Berry and Hostess.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Oran McClure, Dec 16 at 3:30 P. M. Mrs. W. F. Jennings leader for the following program:

- Subject—Beethoven.
- 1. Out line Beethovens life. Show what influences would tend to make his music gloomy.—Mrs. McClure.
- 2. Compare the effects of Beethovens life upon his art with the influence Mozarts experiences had on his music.—Mrs. L. H. Perry.
- 3. (a) Beethoven as a composer. (b) The Variation. (c) Sonatas (d) Symphonies.—Mrs. R. R. Wooten.
- 4. (a) Fidelis. (b) Technique of Beethoven. (c) Beethovens Relation to Art.—Mrs. R. E. Dickson.
- 5. Musical Selections.—Mrs. W. T. Andrews. Show what characteristics of Beethovens style are exemplified by these selections.

LUBBOCK COUPLE GUESTS OF HONOR AT DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kellam, of Carroll Avenue, gave a dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Leverton of Lubbock on their twenty seventh wedding anniversary. Decorations imbuing the Christmas spirit were used. A big turkey with all the accessories made up the repast.

The evening was spent in talking and enumerating of past events. Everybody present seemed to remember all that happened at their wedding ceremonies and were eager to tell about them.

The party consisted of Mr. and Mrs. Leverton as honor guests, Mrs. Nellie Davis, Mrs. R. E. Dickson, Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Starcher and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kellam.

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MRS. F. W. JENNINGS HOSTESS AT NOVEL PARTY

On Thursday afternoon Mrs. F. W. Jennings entertained in her usual charming and gracious manner, honoring the 1925 Bridge Club and a large number of friends.

Tables for bridge were arranged about the attractive apartment, made more lovely with flowers in shades of red, pink and yellow.

Tallies for the games, as well as the table score pads, bore artistic silhouette designs. Prizes for the game winners were framed silhouettes on beautiful tinted backgrounds. High scores were held by Mrs. Dan H. Zachry and Mrs. M. C. Golding. Mrs. Al Van Dyke won low score prize.

A delicious cheese salad, with wafers, fruit cake and coffee were served to the following:

- Mesdames, Sol Davis, M. C. Golding, Frank Laverty, Hill Perry, Roy Harkey, James B. Reed, W. D. Wilson, Oran McClure, Riley Wooten, C. L. Love, V. A. Hardin, Shirley Robbins, E. C. Edmonds, Tom Dickey, Kate Senning, Joe Kellam, Dan H. Zachry, David Burns, Gene Taylor, Cecil Fox, James O. Smith, H. O. Everts, Homer Schrimsher, William Manning Wallace of Jayton, Bill McAlpine, Al Van Dyke, Charlie Powell, C. E. Jones, Jack Rector, Roy Stovall, W. D. Starcher, Margaret Newman, R. C. Forbis, Misses Nell Albin and Hickman.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. Shirley Robbins was a delightful hostess to members of the Friday afternoon club at her home last Friday.

Decorations suggestive of the approaching Christmas season were used. Holly wreaths, were hung in the windows, giving quite a festive atmosphere.

Guests for the afternoon were Mesdames W. T. Andrews, L. R. Barrett, J. P. Carson, R. C. Forbis, W. F. Godfrey, Geo. S. Link, V. A. Hardin, C. L. Love, William Manning, James B. Reed, Roy Stovall and Tom Dickey.

Thurman Moore, west of town, was in Monday looking after business matters.



SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

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Mince Meat 2 for	25c
Dates, Camel's	18c
Coffee, Maxwell House, 3 lb.	\$1.33
Lux Washing Powder, small	12c
Syrup, Country Maid, Pure Cane, 1 gallon	79c
Sausage, Vienna, 3 for	25c
Potted Meat, 6 for	25c
Pork & Beans, No. 2; 3 for	29c
Spinach, Wapco No. 3	18c
Cheese, Full cream	32c
Walnuts, No. 1 Diamond	29c
Grape Juice, Pint	25c
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McAdoo, Texas Dec. 9, 1929

Dear Santy,
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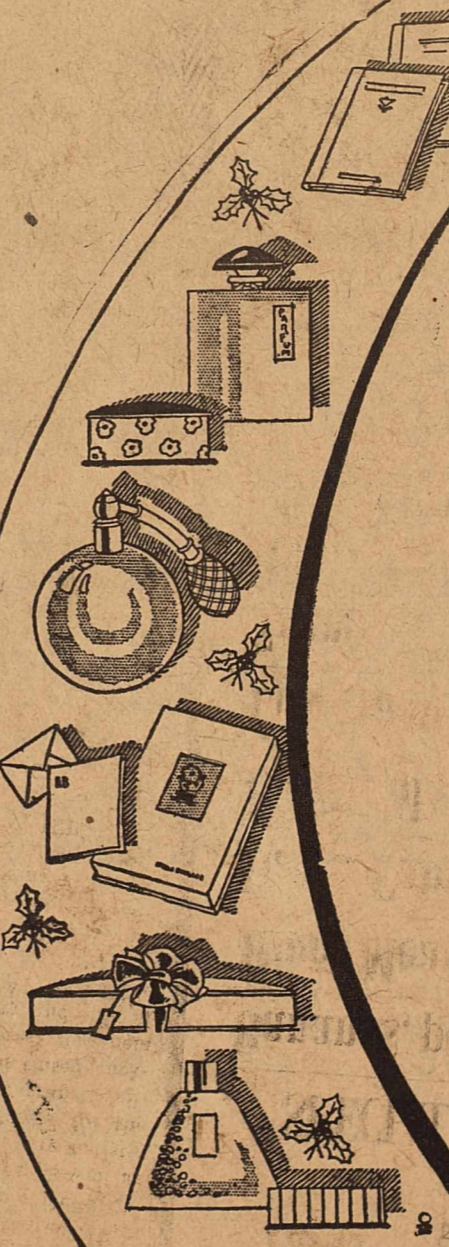


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