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Papy Sales Now

sales signs displayed, and the ad- bock Morning Avalanche was on vertisements in local papers show the front door steps as usual and Company have had a protracted start to their places of business. the past several days by way of thur your subscription and you help you all they can. window displays and show cards will enjoy this newsy little sheet. together with newspaper advertis-

opened a big broadside price cutting event that will last until after the holidays. They have thrown open their entire stock to the public, and they did not fail The Gambill's Chain Stores families have been provided for to tell the world about it. Then have opened a new business in with good warm clothing since the In the election Tuesday the citi- brain. to help along with the fun and Spur in what was formerly the work started. Don't throw away zens of Lubbock county voted make business a little faster and City Grocery Building. This new the old clothing. Give it to the bonds to the amount of \$991,000 to get the thrill of the game, the business has been opened to ac- Welfare Association and they will for the purpose of improving and other big selling event Saturday shopping. Mr. Gambill has leas- it. and expect to keep it going until ed this building for a number of

long with some special Christmas entrances, and a new roof, with up, stating that he was meddling Spur since it leads from Dickens friends. bargains in order to give the peo- an extension of 20 feet at the rear cut the kindling for her. ple an opportunity to enjoy the making it one of the best build- in his wifes affairs by trying to Santa Claus period. They listed ings in town. a few articles and told the peo- This building has been stocked dage over his left eye the first of fine majority given this bond elecple the store was open to them— with an excellent line of Christmas the week and reported that he hit tion which was about five to one. forming a border were used on the to select what they desired while merchandise and people may secprices are right. C. E. Stone Co. ure most anything in the variety have his report. tagged their front door as Christ- store line here that may be found C. F. Martin, of Highway, was mas headquarters and acted as elsewhere. Just after the holi-attending to business affairs in the road from Idalou to Peters-nings, Mrs. A. Van Dyke and Miss Mrs. Miller and the members in will find a tricycle at Bryant Link if they wanted to show the world days the remainder of the stock our city Saturday. that they desired to have a part in the present old stand will be H. R. Winkler of Croton, was bond issue, but Idalou did not Other guests were Mesdames O. year. It is just Mrs. Miller's in making Spur the center of moved to this new building where looking after business interests in want the bonds for some reason. McClure, Cecil Fox, Elzy Watson, way of showing her appreciation

apany started their oig pre-Christmas Red Tag Sale last week and is showing in h and it is in full progress at this works. this store to have this sale each wear and this is one year they

Kellam Dry Goods Corpany just closed a big selling compaign but at this time they a still offering dry goods and

low margins of profit. goods for less and Spur merchants of excellent laying record. realize this in an appreciative During her conversation Mrs. good goods for less money.

EASTERN STAR MEETING TONIGHT

their regular meeting tonight in her husband for money since she the Masonic Temple. The Wor- always had her own bank account thy Matron ernestly requests that and expected to increase it as the members be present. The de- months pass. He husband was grees of the order will be confer- standing near when she made the red and there is some important statement and he sanctioned it business to be transacted.

Company. local store of Bryant-Link Com- she expected to supply customers pany says he is not going to wor- with the best selection of eggs ry about hard times as long as that her flock could furnish. She the bird season lasts. He was out has a beautiful flock of hens of hunting Monday with a number of fine pedigreed stock which are from Stamford.

rative more days to do that as shopping. You can't land adjoining the town of Roarfind better bargains than are be- ing Springs, has made her first ing offered by Spur merchants.

Got a Flat! Out of Gas! come from her chickens this sum-

Call 140! WASHING, GREASING

UNITED STATES TIRES SPUR SERVICE

STATION

COLD JOB BUT HE DID IT

Wednesday morning was a very

cold morning for a boy to get up before daylight and mount a bicycle to deliver papers, but Ar-That our city is now a city of thur Lee Dunn was on the job on

Last Friday B. Schwarz & Son Gambill'S New

year and this is one year and this is one year and this is one year are giving the people real baror giving the people rea

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackson, of ready to Roaring Springs, were in our city wear at astonishings low prices: the last of the week doing some Kellams usually ets in on most trading. While here Mrs. Jacklow prices. the last of the week doing some of the progress e movements in son visited the Times office and our community and they are sell- stated that she was looking for ing merchaptise at remarkably some fine barred Rock cockerels. She was invited to visit the pen Spur merchants are making a now in keeping by the Times edirecord of prices this year and let- tor where she found just what ting the people have merchandise she wanted and selected the numat remarkably low prices. Yes ber she needed. These are pediits just the time we need to buy greed birds coming from a strain

way. Core on to Spur and get Jackson remarked that she is keep ing one hundred fine Barred Rock hens in her flock this year. This hundred is being culled from five hundred of high grade pullets and hens of as fine quality as can be The Spur Chapter of the Order found anywhere. She stated of the Eastern Star will hold that she did not have to call on

with glee. Mrs. Jackson stated that she Christmas Goods at Spur Drug would have a quantity of fine eggs to sell within a few weeks, and Geo. S. Link, manager of the that from her hundred picked hens

> prize winning birds. She has purchased a plot of payment and says she expects to finish paying it out with the inmer. According to the success she had during the past year she will accomplish her aim and still have money left.

Christmas Goods at Spur Drug Company.

Mrs. T. A. Bingham of the old Espuela headquarters was doing some shopping in our city SaturWelfare Ass'n

The work of the Welfare Assoc- ty realized a profit of \$319.18 Sam Sparks, of the Spur Bakery for Precinct No. 3. Mr. Cato was sales is now evidenced by the many schedule time as usual. The Lub-bock Morning Avalanche was on is accomplishing great things. In cele-Since starting to work they have keep records has been interesting treatment. Mr. Sparks was in an mers Cooperative Gin the past bration of the event, the bank has ing the wonderful reductions in the news of the day was known issued 169 garments and several while at the same time learning automobile accident a few weeks two years and has had wide evmerchandise. C. R. Edwards & by the time business men had to pairs of shoes to needy people. to keep her flock my the methods ago and received a dangerous cut perience in the ginning business. visiting there this week. Monday The Association requests all desput out by A. & M. College has over his left eye. Tuesday about He has been a citizen in Spur com- more than four hundred roses selling campaign closing out a Arthur is a boy who stays on the titute families desiring clothing to been a very interesting task. She noon he began to suffer a pain in munity a long time and knows the were given away and each day wonderful stock of dry goods. job and people of Spur appreciate get in touch with Mrs. E. J. Cow-plans to go on with the poultry has been this loyalty. If you don't read an, phone No. 81, and let your calendar next year. She believes

> they have not turned in will please her profits next year. phone Mrs. Cowan and the Welfare association will pick them up.
> All persons who can assist in Lubbock County mending garments, please call Mrs. Cowan and arrange for the hours to work. A number of

looking after business affairs in Mud, was in our city Saturday do-

POULTRY DEMONSTRATOR

Doing Good Work Mrs. L. B. McMeans of Twin Well community, one of the ten poultry demonstrators in the coun-

through to Lubbock.

W. R. Lewis was wearing a ban- are to be complimented for the cards being used. Attractive paburg is to be improved from this Jettie Windham.

G. R. Booth, of Steel Hill, was Mrs. T. E. McArthur ,of Red ing some shopping.

REALIZES PROFIT Sam Sparks Taken

boosting business extensively for the Morning Avalanche give Ar- needs be known. They want to that through her experience and condition continued to grow worse care of the duties of the office Mr. W. B. Lee, the Active Vicebetter management and by in- and Wednesday morning he was and should he decide to make the President, says that roses will be Persons having garments that creasing her flock she can double helpless being unable to move him- race his candidacy will be worth given away each day during the-

Mr. Sparks had been out on the streets for several days and that BABY GETS ARM AND HAND them Saturday if not earlier. he was entirely out of danger. It appears that the incision in his skull healed over too soon and pus

CHRISTMAS PARTY

Famous Store tore loose with an comodate the people in Christmas make some one comfortable with hard surfacing roads in the county On Wednesday evening at eight was playing in the living room, been of great value in assisting Highways No. 7, 8, and 53 will be the C. L. Love home was again when it tripped and fell against the people. paved, the State supplementing the scene of a lovely party when the heater. The right hand and everything in the store has been years and has made almost a new A. P. Ramsey suffered a bruise with the county funds for this Mrs. Pat Watson, Miss Dorothy arm were burned badly and the building of it. New hardwood under his left eye the last of the purpose. Highway No. 53 is of Love and Miss Mildred Williams baby is suffering a great deal. Bryant-Link Company came a- floors, new show windows, new week. He just honestly 'fessed wide importance to the people of acted as hostesses to a number of

Colorful Christmas decorations The citizens of Lubbock county were noted, with poinsettio tally

Christmas shopping in West TexChristmas shopping in West TexGambill store will be located. Mr.

Gambill store will be located. Mr.

Herbert Hoover, a young man William Manning, F. E. Ripley,
On this occasion there was plending that doll, a story book, a ukelele. I Nellie B. Albin.

Christmas Goods at Spur Drug of their lives.

WILLIAMSON, ASST. CASHIER

C. A. JONES, PRESIDENT COLLIER, ASST. CASHIER

THE SPUR NATIONAL BANK Capital and Surplus \$125,000.00

SPUR, TEXAS

DEAR FRIENDS AND CUSTOMERS:

We wish to thank you heartily for the interest that you are taking in the celebration of our twentieth anniversary and for the nice things so many of you have said with reference to our banking room, and especially your new Customers Safety Deposit Vault.

Several hundred have already visited us this week and we hope to have the pleasure of seeing everyone in this entire trade territory before we close our doors Saturday night.

We thought that 500 roses would supply the demand during the celebration, but we gave that many away yesterday and the day before. We have 250 more now and are getting an additional 250 tomorrow, so we hope to have enough to place at least one in each home. We want all of the ladies in this entire trade territory to know that they are entirely welcome to one of these nice, hardy, ever blooming rose bushes until the last of the 1,000 has been given away.

One of these nice rose bushes will be given to any of our friends and customers who would like to place one on the grave of a friend or loved one.

We are intensely interested in seeing you succeed with these roses so we asked Mr. Tanner to give us some helpful hints with reference to out the roses and caring for them. __He suggests that the roots be trimmed smoothly but not cut back very far and that the tops be cut back at least two-thirds .__ He also advises that they be placed in the ground one inch deeper than they were before and that they be kept well watered throughout winter and spring.

Awaiting the pleasure of seeing those of you whom we have not seen and with hearty good wishes to everybody for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, we are

Yours very truly,

SPUR NATIONAL BANK

MAY GET INTO POLITICS &&& J. J. Cato visited the Times of-

To Lubbock fice Tuesday and stated he is considering getting into politics and make the race for Public Weigher precinct.

BURNED

J. J. Lilly, just north of town, and years, and during that time has

CITY NATIONAL BANK EMPLOYEES ENJOY LUNCHEON THURSDAY Dear Santa Clause:

Bank enjoyed a luncheon, Mrs. P. gone before you get to me, so bonds and is located on Highway Table prizes of lovely red beads H. Miller acting as hostess. This please save for me a tricycle, a No. 53. In addition to this road were presented to Mrs. F. W. Jen- is an annual affair on the part of drawing book and little piano. You the bank look forward to it each like I want. Mac Watson, Dan H. Zachry D. E. for those who are helping to car-

of Croton Community, was doing of Croton Community, was doing Misses Arlene Scudder, Ella Mae ty of Turkey and everything that would like a jumping lack Bring showing and some trading in our city Satur- Hogan, Jane Douglas Wilson and goes with it. There was nothing and the state of Spur Company thing you thing a little girl lacking and all present enjoyed any thing you thing a little girl one of the most sumptious repasts wolld like,

Those enjoying Mrs. Millers

Hospitality were: Mrs. Nellie Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Dear Santa Claus: C. Edmonds, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hogan ing gloves, so I can learn to fite Mr. and Mrs. James B. Reed, Mr. so I can whip C. W. Barrett, as and Mrs. Foy Vernon, Mr. and I cant do it now, he's to big, a Mrs. G. W. Grimes, Mr. and Mrs. skipping rope and a little nigger

of Spur and Matador. ____000-___

ENTRE NOUS CLUB Mesdames Malcolm Brannen an Dear Santa Claus: Riley Wooten entertained with a Tallies with various names such some story books. as Tom. Dick and Harry were presented the guests at the beginning of the "42" games. Each play er, when not addressed by this assumed name won 84 points. At the conclusion of the games, the high score holders, Mrs. W. D. Wilson and Mrs. Bill Putman won prizes of small Santa Claus boxes

filled with candy. A beautifully decorated Christmas tree, aglow with many colored lights held gifts for all the

guests. The refreshment plate was most attractive with poinsettia salad, pickles and coffee. Geusts on this delightful occasion were: Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Haile, Messrs and Mesdames James B. Reed, R. E. Dick- DAY, FRIDAY and SATUR son, Bill Putman, D. Y. Twaddell Mesdames Frank Laverty, Hill DAY, DEC. 26, 27 and 28 Perry, Kate Senning, E. L. Caraway, W. D. Wilson, Al Van Dyke, Nellie Davis.

Christmas Goods at Spur Drug Company.

R. E. Fry, of Red Mud community, was in our city Saturday looking after business matters.

Miss Maggie Matthews, of Paducah, was a week end guest in SDAY, Dec. 31 for the same the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. McMeans, just southwest of town. purposes. Miss Matthews is a former teacher of the Twin Wells school and has many friends in this country. Christmas Goods at Spur Drug Company.

Mrs. R. E. Harvey, of Dickens, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

Gave Away Many Roses

This week is the Twentieth Anself. It is thought meningitis had considering by the voters of the week. 500 more roses have been ordered and people living out are requested to get theirs, Call for

This week the Bank has been decorated with sea moss and holly Ruby, the 2-year old baby of for Christmas. The Christmas formed causing pressure on the Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hindman suf- spirit prevails and the Spur Nafered a very painful burn Tues- tional is assisting in a nice way. day morning. The little one was The Spur National Bank has at its grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. been serving pur Country 20

I am five years old and live away out on the Pitchfork ranch.

Lois Fayne.

Your friend,

F. C. Gibson, and Mr. C. D. Bird to play with as I am scared to play with the other boys. Your little friend, R. M. Morgan. Spur, Texas

Dec. 14, 1929 I want you to bring me a Bicy-Christmas party on Thursday ev- cle and some nuts, fruit and candy ening at the Wooten home, honor- Bring Nannie Jeane a doll and ing the Entre Nous Club members. a set of dishes and both os us

J. E. and Nannie McCombs

W. R. Davis of Crosbyton, was in our city Monday interviewing friends and looking after business affairs. While he is a traveling salesman yet he has faith in the farming industry and owns some fine plains land. Christmas Goods at Spur Drug

Bill Dodson, of Elton, was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

I will be in Spur, THURSto collect taxes and issue licenses for automobiles for the year 1930.

I will be in McADOO, Texas, MONDAY, Dec. 30, and in AFTON, Texas TUE-

G. L. Barber

SHERIFF and TAX C LECTOR, DICKENS TEXAS.

SERVICES HELD

Charles Goodnight, 93, pio- demise. EDUCA ranchman of West Texas and Accompanied by Mrs. Goodnight

GOODL

GROCERIES

Before you make up your list of groceriess for

your Christmas dinner, drop in here and look a-

round. 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 hetter, than those mother makes-

Hostess and National.

GOODNIGHTS BODY was ill only two days after an at-ATURDAY AFTERNOON tack of Influenza. His wife was at his bedside at the time of his

ported to be the first man to to body was shipped to Clarendon stablish himself in the Panhandle Texas, where it arrived Saturday Fedied at his winter home in Tuscon morning and lay in state until

Arizona, last Friday morning. He time for the funeral services late কুইন্টেইন্ট্রেন্ট্রেইন্ট্রেন্ট্রেইন্ট্ in the Afternoon. It was viewed by thousands of citizens of the Panhandle, many of who had been pioneer neighbors of the staunch Texas builder. Funeral services were held at Goodnight, Texas, where he had resided for the past 50 years. There many of the old time settlers and ranchmen of Tex as viewed for the last time, the face of the man who held greater influence over West Texas civilization than any other man in its history.

Col. Goodnight came to West Texas when just a young man, and in that vast expanse of country he saw a future. It was full of roaming buffaloes and marauding Indians, and he realized that to ស្ត្រីស្ត្ make it the land of his dreams it would require hardships and many vision, and when the Goodnightdaring adventures. He had a Adair ranch was sold to Mr. Adair goal to reach, an accomplishment Col. Walsh took charge of the Dear Santa to gain, a country to open up asd business, later buying an interest never permitted the idea to keep nim from going forward with his

enlisted the asistance of his friend the man who proved his worth. Adair, who had money and who It was through his wifes inmade his home in England. Adair fluence that he preserved the fine Dear Santa Claus started to work to make the bus- by crossing the hereford and the

He never entertained the idea mals. The herd was built up, the 1904. His ranch has been visited nearest market and Fort Worth influential in making a naw counwas the nearest railroad point 300 miles away. Col. Goodnight appreciated that he had induced a friend to invest thousands of dollars in his project. He must not lose his friends money. He used build the ranch.

Everything went well until the wild Comanche Indians learned of the business. They learned with in a short time that they could cap ture cattle on the Goodnight ranch much easier than they could capture the swift buffalo and thus ecure meat with much less enerry. Three times Col Goodnight saw his earnings dwindle away to fragments as a result of the Indians and once by drouth. But the great iron will of the man was not to be subdued in that manner. Three times he gathered up what was left and started in again. He remarked to his partner at one de, they may murder me and the ures are left we can start again. ecame a multi-millionaire for evry time adversities went against

In his more than seventy years of experience in the Panhandle he veilded a wonderful influence over hose who followed him there. He always had a respect for the man who had the metal and determination to make good. He had no use for the soft handed, so called "gentlemen of leisure", and should one ever appear at his ranch he was courteous to him, but usually planned a means of making him a man of stability or making it so nard for him that he would move n. He is responsible for many oung men being successful busiess men today. There are many iving within a range of forty nile of his home at Goodnight who say that "Col. Goodnight is resconsible for my success today."

It was largely through Col. Goodnights influence that the late Richard Walsh was the successful anchman that he was. Col Walh was left an orphan boy on the treets of Loudon when Mr. Adair wrote Colonel Goodnight telling about the boy stating that he believed the boy was all right. The boy came to America and lived in the Goodnight home. The first job Col. Goodnight assigned him was to dig post holes in about the hardest land on the ranch and in a rather dry period. Col. Walsh went to work. He blistered his hands but he did nit grumblehe worked and worked hard. made no difference what Col. Good night asked him to do, he set out to make the best of it. Col. Goodnight liked the boys determination and willingness and it was from this trait of character that the boy was given the opportunities that came his way. Later he became the general manager of the ranch under Goodnights super-CHRISTMAS SPECIAL-

With the Show"

CHARMING. THE MOST BEAUTIFUL PICTURE YOU HAVE EVER SEEN. LATEST DANCE STEPS

PALACE THEATRE, DEC. 25 AND 26,

great man who was the forerun- nuts and don't forget my little ner of civilization in the Panhan- sister Drothy Belle a doll buggy He selected the Spring Creek dle. His friends were numbered valley and surrounding country. by the thousands and he was al-He did not have the mean's, but ways ready to lend assistance to

buffalo. He called the new pro- get my little brother J. M. Karr duction "Cattelo" and they were exhibited at the World Fair in of failing. The ranch was stock-Chicago in 1893 and at the Loui-Scout. ed, at first with just ordinary catscrub stock drove to market for buffalo, the Cattelo and above n that day Kansas City was the all to see the man who was so

Pay your subscription now.

Dec. 9, 1929

I am a little girl 11 years old to build. He made arrangements and was a successful and wealthy I am in the Third Grade please to hedge against hardships, but business man within a few years. bring me a piano a blackbroad a Such was the attitude of the big doll and some candy fruits and Your little friend,

Veona Karr.

Spur, Texas Dec. 9, 1929

vas to furnish the means and herd of buffalo. He often remark I am a little girl 9 years old Goodnight was to manage the bus- ed that they were the land-mark of and in the Third I want you to The Goodnight-Adair ran- cattle that he found on the plains. bring me a little piana, doll bugch of nearly 1,500,000 acres was He devoted much time in trying gy a blackbord a big doll some establishe dand the young pioneer to produce a new kind of cattle candy nuts and fruits Don't foryours little friend

> Marie Karr. Renew the Times with a Girl

Farm and City Loans Made the way you like them E. J. COWAN



every available honest means to

5 MOREDAYS

And so many people you want to remember, either with cards or gifts-You can still find a complete assortment of what you want at prices you want to pay at either of our two stores.

Roller Skates Ball Bearing \$1.19 pair

Beads

A special purchase enables us to sell these in holiday boxes at a low price of

29c

Rayon Wear **And Hosiery**

make gifts that are beautiful, useful and appreciated.

Best Values in Spur

Be sure to visit our Xmas Store in the former City Grocery Building. Full display of Xmas goods.



Christmas wouldn't be Christmas without candy

-and we have it Holly Mixed, per lb. 25c Nut Fudge, per lb. 29c Chocolates, per lb. Chocolate bars, 2 for Chewing gum, 2 for Candy Novelties, each.

Footballs Real Leather Covers 98c each

Dolls

Buy while our assortme is still complete.

5c to \$5.95

Doll Furniture Just Received

Beautiful line of doll furniture in Rose, Blue, Buff enamel, priced from

35c to \$1.49

Be sure to visit our Xmas Store in the former City Grocery Building. Full display of Xmas goods.

OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

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AND . WORRY.

The modern woman banishes all

her laundry problems at one

time by just calling us. We do the

work carefully and thoroughly,

and our prices really mean eco-

nomy. Be dollars and hours a-

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Help the Home Beautiful Program

By Beautifying Your Home, Your Block, Your Street by Planting a Tree, a Flower, a Sidewalk, Curb, or Flower Bed. See me for suggestions in

HAS. WHITNER

Phone 204

EDUCATOR CONDEMNS

bad, but I do object to their ex- this country. tensive use of slang."

The speaker was Ernest Rhys English writer for 25 years editor Christian University students

Swallows False Teeth.' There are graph and the classes are held in lower the rates as set forth in so many other things that count the editorial rooms of the paper the petition filed in the District more. Great international un- after it has been put to press. Clerks office. The trustees who dertakings, and that thing on the More than 25 first Class Scouts made the contract in 1918, the peti front page!" and Rhys smiled as are registered for the course which tion states, were Pat Neff, R. H. he recalled the headline.

are copying American papers. They lyn, New York. hit the nail on the head. There is Scouts of Amrica. something lacking in them-written in such a hurry, I suppose. But English papers are not perfect," Rhys commented.

time and labor for her.

ed too when first brought into use PYTHIAN HOME SUES NEWSPAPER HEADLINES by American papers, Rhys said that the interview was becoming Fort Worth, Dec. 17.—"I don't more popular in England, but that

JOURNALISM COURSE

d. "For instance I read on tesy of the Harrisburg Telegraph. aure of a mandamus in which the cont page of a great New The school in in charge of Earl plaintiffs seek to newspaper this head: Boy Walker, City Editor of the Tele- compel the defendant company to "However, English newspapers ducted by the Boy Scouts of Brook- Bennett, John M. Scott. The plain-

G. G. Miller one of the pro-When asked about the interview Springs was attending to business which English newspapers object- affairs in our city Wednesday.

LOCAL LIGHT COMPANY

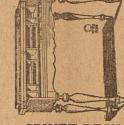
The Grand Lodge Knights of Py say that American newspapers are it was not as much in use as in thias of the State of Texas, and the trustees of the orphans home near Weatherford, have filed suit here against the Texas Public Utilities Corporation for a reduction of Everyman's Library, which he A series of Journalism courses in electricity rates for the home founded in an address to Texas designed to prepare Scouts for the and also for a refund of alleged Journalism merit badge is being overcharges made by the electric "Headlines in American news- conducted by the Boy Scouts of light company since November papers are so foolish," Rhys con- Harrisburg, Pa., through the cour- 1922. The suit also is in the na-

is modeled after one recently con- Bingham, H. E. Hackney, Geo. H. tiff states that the light company are taking over some of the Ameri | Each year the Harrisburg, Tele- originally built the line from the can style, the headlines for in- graph send to the National Boy city to the home, but that the home stance. American headlines are Scout convention, a representative and also paid for installation of misleading, though. They don't of the local Council of the Boy paid more than \$2,000 for same, motors. The petition also elleges that the rates in the 1918 contract were charged until November 1922 gressive grocerymen of Roaring when a higher rate was charged, and since that time the home has been charged \$36.00 per month too much, and the total amount sought as a refund is \$4,200. The Pythian home alleges that the other corporations and concerns are charged only 3.5 cents per kilowatt hour while the home is charg ed 6 cents. Also that the light empiany furnishes lines to other concerns, while the home uses its own line, which is claimed to be

The Pythian home and Lodge asks that the court compel the light company to grant them a rate of 10 cents for the first 20 kilowatt hours, 5 cents per kilowatt hour for the next 50 and then 3 cents per kilowatt hour for all over 70 kilowatt hours. The petition states that the home uses more than 2,000 kilowatt hours per month.—Weatherford Daily

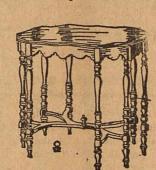
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in our city Tuesday. J. R. Craig, of Duck Creek com munity was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.



SPINET DESK

Mahogany or Walnut finish, with sliding writing top and convenient partitions.

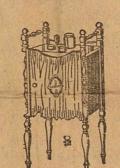


Genuine Walnut top, octagonal shape. Beautifully shaped base \$35 value.



LAMPS

Junior or Bridge, wrought metal base, with stretched silk shades to match.



SMOKER

With metal lined humidor and complete smoling equipment. Finished walnut. Strongly made.



Living room chair, covered in durable cloth of striking pat-

tern. Full spring con-



Good size, four drawers, strongly made, nicely finished in Walnut or Mahogany Regular \$18 value._



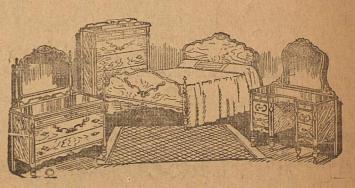
What could give greater pleasure to all the family than a new living room suite? Here is a truly remarkable value. Covered in fine Jacquard velour, with stylish serpentine frame.

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The Gift Subreme!

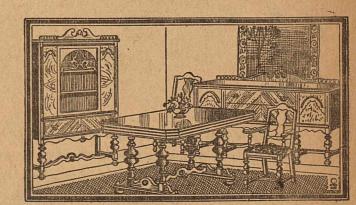
You will find that everyone, without exception, needs some

article of furniture, and would be delighted to receive it as a



BED, DRESSER AND CHEST

Genuine Walnut facings with artistically carved decorations make this suite one of the most desirable to be found. Bed, 48 inch dresser and Chest.



8 Pc. DINING ROOM SUITE

The simple grace of this suite will prevent its going out of style for many years to come. 45x60 inch table, 5 side chairs, armchair and Buffet, combination Walnut.



Decorative wood framework over glass doors. Walnut finish. Many oth-



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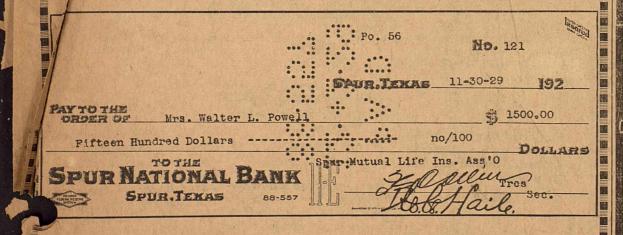
SPUR MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE **ASSOCIATION**

XMAS IS COMING

Let us supplie that real good Fruit cake as good

if not better than what mother bakes and save

This is an exact reproduction of the check given to Mrs. Walter L. Powell-less than two hours after the death of her husband, Walter L. Powell +Promptness such as this has made the Spur Mutual Life one of the leading Mutual Insurance **Associations of Texas.**



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J. G. Vandiver of Afton, was in cur city Saurday buying merchandise at bargain prices.

Mrs. J. N. Lawson of Afton, was in our city Saturday buying merchandise at bargain prices.

Mrs. Joe Hudspeth, of Peacock, vas in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

Mrs. Elder Nance, and son John of Asperment were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

WE WISH YOU **AN ENJOYABLE CHRISTMAS**



And we know of one way by which you can add to your enjoyment during the yuletide. Supply your cars with Magnolia products and you need not fear the results. Magnolia oils are made especially for the various makes of cars and we have a special brand for the Fords.

We thank the people for their liberal patronage given Magnolia Products, and we are grateful for the large list of regular customers in our line. We trust you will continue with Magnolia Products and get better service out of your cars. Wishing you, one and all, a very Merry Christmas we beg to remain,

Yours for Service.

MAGNOLIA PETROLEUM CO.

EDGAR C. McGEE, Agent

REMOVAL NOTICE

We will move about the first of the year into the building now occupied by the Love Dry Goods Company at 411 Burlington Ave. After the removal we will be better able to serve you in every way and ask that you call and see us whether you desire any work or not.

Merry Christmas and A Happy New Year

SIMPSON BARBER AND REAUTY SHOP

natters in our city Monday .

Mrs. J. H. McDaniels and Mrs. in Quanah visiting friends. homes at Crowell Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Gipson and Mrs. Leo Petty of Gutherie, were guests of bock the last of the week visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Davis Sunday. friends.

Mrs. M. G. Tanner of Centerville, Miss., is in our city at this ley Slaton were in Lubbock the time visiting her son, E. L. Tan- last of the week visiting friends. her of West Harris Street.

gressive citizens of McAdoo, was business affairs. our city Monday.

J. G. Cage, of McAdoo, was at- city Monday. tending to business affairs in our J. P. Sharp of Highway com-

Company.

George Van Ness, of the Spur Saturday morning for Cincinnati city Monday. where they will spend a few days

visiting relatives and friends. W. A. Kimmell, west of town,

Spring wat attending to business manager for the West Texas Utilities Company spent the week end

Pete Bell, who had been visiting Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Golding of their daughter and sister, Mrs. E. B. Schwarz and Son were in Lub-A. Dann, here returned the their bock Tuesday attending to business matters.

Mrs. J. E. Morris was in Lub-

Mrs. John L. King and Miss Gil-Edwin Morris was in Lubbock Andy Walker, one of the pro- the last of the week looking after

attending to business affairs in A. C. Gentry, of Elton, was attending to business affairs in our

munity, was in our city Monday Christmas Goods at Spur Drug looking after business affairs.

Mrs. T. Z. Cagle, who had been L. E. Bass, one of the hustling in oru city the past few days Plains farmers, was looking after visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. D. bsiness matters in our city Mon- Starcher, returned to her home in Abilene Saturday

Bob Hahn of Dry ake, was at-Mutual, and Alton Foreman left tending to business matters in our

Christmas Goods at Spur Drug Company.

Mrs. T. S. Lambert and daughwas in Tuesday morning looking ter, Miss Eola, of Wichita community, were in our city Tuesday doing some shopping.

ABILENE Morning News and the Dickens County Times both one year for \$5.00. Just a few days more for this offer. This Of-

Otis Hill, of Red Hill communiv. was looking after business affairs here Monday.

WANT ADS

FOR RENT-A good modern oom house close in. See Mrs. P. H. Miller at City Nat'l Bank. un

FOR SALE-A good 5 room house and lot. See or write to Frank Laverty, Spur, Texas.

FOR SALE or trade 60 acres of well improved land, 1 mile from town. House and lot part pay, balance terms. Write J. E. Sanders, 1233 Palm Street, Abilene,

tern Hotel, 25 rooms, furnished, clear of debt, will sell on good terms or trade for good farm land also have furnished apartment for rent see-J. H. Dobbins or phone 11-28 tn

WANTED-to plow your garden, haul away trash, and fix your yards. Good work, prompt service-J. M. Reese, North Par-

COCKERELS FOR SALE-A few choice Barred Rock Cockerels from the W. D. Holterman line of prize winning aristocrats. We are disposing of these birds cheap in order to let people of Spur country have them for their flocks and get the best. -W. D. Starcher Spur, Texas.

FOR SALE—Bundle hegira. Priced right. Nice and bright. See G. F. Smith 6 miles South of 12-5 2tp

FOUND-A practically new rub ber boot. Owner may have it by calling at Times office and paying for this ad.

WANTED-Land to bed up, reasonable price, some terms. See J. L. Bowman.

FOR SALE-20,000 bundles of Hegira located ten miles east of Crosbyton. 2c per bundle in the field. See T. C. Ensey at Bryant A GOOD SAFE PLACE TO TRADE

The Store Of Little Profit

IT'S CHRISTMAS TIME

Our Christmas Sale Closes Christmas Eve.

The big Christmas Sale is still going strong and under the most auspicious circumstances Ideal weather for a sale Ideal bargains what more could we ask We take space today. . . . merely to tell you that the sale continues until Christmas Eve.

No specific offerings are mentioned here For after the mammouth 4 page circular published in this paper last week anything we could do today would be tame in comparison.

But whether you have this circular to guide you or not come to this sale All sale merchandise is on display and can easily be found because identified by sale price signs.

After all the merchandise itself is its own best advertisement . . . and a visit to the store will be in the nature of an illustrated announcement. Each "picture" being the actual article.

In a sale so general as this, it is possible to find everything one wants and at substantial savings.

Wont you please do your Christmas shopping here while it is possible to save many Dollars on your Christmas Gifts.

is still going over good and we expect the biggest run from now until the Sale closes, December 24th.

This RED TAG SALE has been an annual event with us for twenty years, and the people all over the great Spur Country have learned to look brward to this Red Tag Sale as a time to make their close of the year purch ses, and also their Christmas purchases.

Be comfortable in a double cane seat chair Red tag prices

A splendid high backed solid oak rocker with solid back post. Red Tag prices on these

\$3.75

Wonderful bargain in Oak Rocker ,spring cushion seat; arms bolted on. Red Tag price

\$4.45

Give your home a new liv ing room by buying a 3 piece living room suite at \$85.00. The Red Tag Red Tag price of

\$34.45

A beautiful living room suite with tapestry upholstering, a love suite in any home. The regular price \$125.00, Red Tag

Give your home a new kitchen by buying a good kitchen cabinet at the Red Tag Price of

Dimit suite with Buffet. Hot prices on our harne The very latest in color designs (nut brown) noth ing newer. Regular price

STOVES Banish the cold winds of winter wil our circulating heater. Red Tag Price

Don't stint your tablon dishes when you can by a set Iron Stone Cha plates at Red Tag p.

FARMALLS Yes we have them. Yo have seen them work and we want you to buy one Ask us all about them. Everybody will not buy a Give your home a new liv- Farmall so we have put ing room. Buy the lovely the Red tag with the Re

A good team bridle Red Tag Price \$1.75

A good duck collar Red Tag price

\$1.75

Spur Hardware & Furniture Co.

SPUR'S OLDEST STORE



To Everybody

Friends, we take this means of letting you know of our appreciation for your kindness in giving us your patronage throughout the ginning season ... We realize that your crops have been cut short, and this necessarily gives all the gins a short run this year. None of us have made any money, but money is only a means of exchange by which we get by. Any other medium of value will count as much.

There are greater things in life. These are trying times when real friends will stand out. We appreciate these friends more than intrinsic values.

Then, there is the privilege we have had of serving you. We claim the right to assist you in any manner to make your life a success. Serving humanity is our great purpose in life-we gin cotton to pay the expenses. This next year we want to help you in many ways-help you to greater ideals and greater prosperity. We solicit this opportunity and take pleasure in telling you that we expect to keep our gin service at the top in quality.

We appreciate you as friends. Let's co-operate to make each others lives happy and to bring each other greater prosperity. Yours for

GINNERS AND COTTON BUYERS

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Sherrod were rod is our Highway Superintenvisiting friends in Asperment on dent. Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Sher



Sensible, practical, useful—that's what gifts for the automobile are. But you must exercise care in choosing them. __ If you select from our exclusive but uniformly exxcellent Christmas stock, you'll get high grade merchandise, be it screw driver of top. And the prices are right.

PENNSYLVANIA TIRES

INNER TUBES SPOTLIGHTS LAP ROBES

BUMPERS MUD CHAINS RADIATOR EMBLEMS

MISSION SERVICE STA.

You AUTO Visit Us

LIMES DICKENS COUNTY 22c PER BOX

Each Card a 25c and 30c value IGIN A BOX

CHRISTMAS CARDS

Boxed Assorted

BEST BOOK OF THE YEAR

When you stop to think about it, doesn't your BANK BOOK tell much of the story of your life? You, who can read between its lines and analyze its figures know the labor and sacrifice represented by each dollar deposited. Every entry is the happy ending of a thrilling chapter. Make your book growit is recording your history and telling the story of your success. If you have no bank book, bring in a deposit now and get one. Wishing you a Merry Christmas

THE CITY NATIONAL BANK

SPUR, TEXAS

THEATRE ENTERTAIN-MENT AT

SPUR, TEXAS

TODAY THURSDAY Is the last day to see Marion Davies

"Marianne"

Talking, Singing.

FRIDAY and SATURDAY December 20 and 21 Barnum Was Right

with Glenn Tyron and Merna Kennedy. A UNIVERSAL TALKING PICTURE. With the first series "COLLEG-IANS" talking. Also talking comedy and Serial.

MONDAY and TUESDAY December 23 and 24 "So This is College"

with Elliot Nugent, Sally Starr and Ukelele Ike. The College Musical Comedy riot. Singing, dancing and comedy better than "College

WEDNESDAY & THUR. December 25 and 26 THE FIRST 100 per cent NATURAL COLOR, TALK-ING SINGING, DANCING

'On With the Show'

with Betty Compson, Arthur Lake, Sally O'Neill and Fairbanks Twins. The MOST BEAUTIFUL PICTURE EVER MADE. 12 REELS OF ENTERTAINMENT AND COLOR. GIRL. GIRLS, and GIRLS. DANCING. SONG HITS YOU WILL LIKE. A WARNER BRO'S TALKING VITAPHONE PICTURE. With Talking Comedy.

COMING December 30th and 31st Broadway"

UNIVERSAL TALKING SPECIAL"

Joe Gaines, the efficient manager of the Farmers Cooperative Gin at Dickens was attending ousiness affairs here Monday. J. L. Taylor, south of town, was greeting friends in our city Mon-

M. B. Thannisch, of Wichita emmunity was attending to busness matters in our city Saturday. G. L. Starcher, of Post, was a guest of his brother W. D. Starcher, here Friday.

W. E. Johnson of 24-Ranch was greeting friends and trading here Saturday.

Mrs. W. D. Starcher, Mr. and Mrs. Jeptha Craig were Lubbock risitors Friday.

A. L. Davidson was among the participants in the bargains offer ed here Saturday. G. T. O'Guinn, of Dry Lake, was

in the first of the week doing ome trading. C. C. Smithey was in our city

Saturday enjoying the many bargains offered by our merchants. W. M. Stephens of Dickens, was transacting business in our city Monday.

N. V. Cypert one of the good McAdoo farmers was attending to business in our city Monday.

Mrs. T. N. Green, of Dickens, was in our city Monday doing some shopping.

Mrs. W. A. Kimmell, west of town, was doing some shopping in our city Monday.

Lon Garrett of Girard, was among those in our city Monday doing some trading.

C. N. Kennon, superintendent of schools at Girard, was transacting business in our city Monday. S. H. Nalley, of Soldier Mound was looking after business matters in our city Tuesday.

Give the Girl Scouts your subscription to the Times. A Girl Scout will be glad to accept your subscription to the

Dickens County Times. STAR-TELEGRAM and the Dickens County Times both for one year for \$7.45. Offer good un-

til December 31st. This office. Ted Kellar, of Afton, was greetng friends and trading in our ity Saturday.

Mrs. Gordon Freeman was visitng friends in Swenson during the

Christmas Goods at Spur Drug

WEDNESDAY

Wednesday afternoon at her home F. E. Ripley, Homer Schrimsher, any one. honoring as her guests the 1925 Margaret Newman, William Man-Bridge Club and other friends.

motif repeated on the tally cards. ing and Miss Nell Albin. At the conclusion of the games Mrs. E. L. Tanner and Mrs. Mac Watson received hig score favors, with Mrs. Charlie Powell winning high cut prize.

ning, E. A. Russell, Willis King Christmas decorations and col- Bill McAlpine, David Burns, R. ors were used about the rooms Forbis, R. E. Dickson, Sol Davis where tables were placed for Oran McClure, Shirley Robbins, bridge. Sprigs of holly graced the Sanders, Hill Perry, Frank Lavertable score sheets with the same ty, F. W. Jennings, M. C. Gold-

> TO HOLD SALE DEC. 21 RED TOP CLUB WOMEN

The Red Top Club Womens Sale will be held in the old Kellam The guest list included, other Building east of the Post Office than those winning the prizes, Saturday December 21. Come.

The Famous

Closing Out

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We have many nice values, also

can save you on your Christmas

presents. Don't fail to see our

many bargains before you buy.

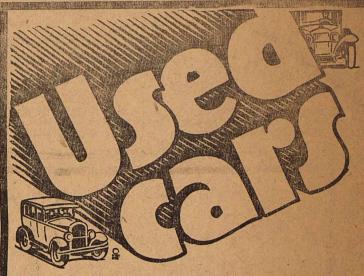
We have put down all merchandise

Attend our closing Out Sale at the

way below cost.

Haile, Tom Dickey, Horace Gip- ing in the bargains in our city Sat- our city Monday son, Weldon Grimes, James O. urday. He enjoys buying goods Mrs. C. L. Love entertained on Smith, H. O. Everts, Cecil Fox, at right prices just as much as busines affairs.

fine feed for sale



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 Crevrolet Cabriolet.

1927 Chevrolet touring.

1928 Chevrolet Coach. 1929 Chevrolet Coach

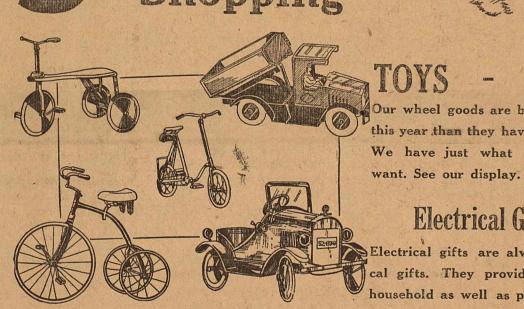
1929 Whippet Coupe.

1928 Erskine Coach. 1929 Chevrolet Truck.

Come in for we have what you want.

Garaway Chev. Co. Spur, Texas

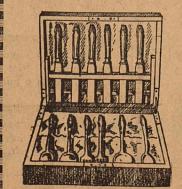
More Days To Do Your Shopping



Our wheel goods are by far better this year than they have ever been. We have just what the kiddies

Electrical Gifts

Electrical gifts are always practical gifts. They provide items of household as well as personal use that lend themselves readily to gift), giving. Our stock holds many worthy gift ideas for your list.



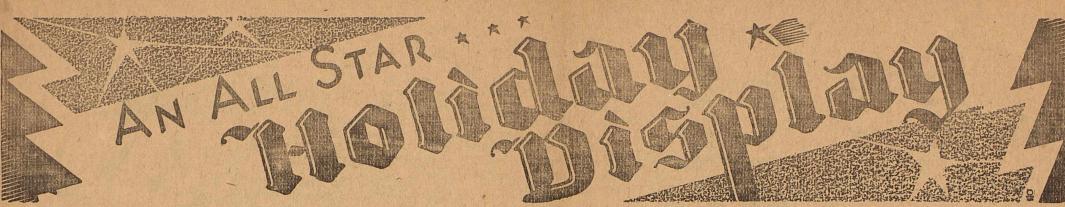
TABLEWARE IN GIFT ASSORTMENTS

The housewife always welcomes a gift of table silverware. No matter if she has many pieces, she can always find a place for more. Our gift assortment provides an ample choice from which to select the pieces to match those she

Riter Hardware Go.



Univ Days Xmas



Xmas

SILK UNDERWEAR

For Gift Giving



BLOOMERS Nothing pleases Milady more than Silk bloomers. We have on sale a beautiful line in all the seasons new est styles and colors, select them

69c 89c \$1.00 \$1.25

BEAUTIFUL SILK GOWNS What would make a more appreciative gift than one of these beautiful silk gowns, most every color

STEPIN AND BRASSIERE SETS Made from best quality Rayon in an assortment of colors and sizes,

all to match.

CHILDRENS SILK COMBINATIONS

The little girls also like silk undies, we have them in most all sizes, a beautiful yet attractive garment, buy them at

WOOL CHALLIE

Full width in a wide

range of pretty printed

patterns and colors

\$1.15

SLIP CLOTH

Full yard wide in all

the desirable colors,

FINE DRAPERIES

For Christmas, 48 and

54 inches. Wide Range

of patterns, values to

\$2.00 special the yard

BLOCKED LINEN

Beautiful for drapes

and upholstering. Sev-

eral attractive designs

43C

GIFT TOWELS

Fine large heavy bath

towels in fancy designs

values to 75c, special

LADIES SILK SCARFS

Made from the finest

silks in beautiful color-

ings and designs. Val-

TABLE DAMASK

What would make a

more appreciated gift

for the Lady of the

ues to \$3.45

each

and colors. The yard

\$1.50 values

Christmas sale

SILK PAJAMAS

The desire of every Ladies heart these very attractive silk pajamas in beautiful colorings

Phristmas, it's the season when the hearts of all of us are filled to overflowing with the spirit that is best expressed in the warm handclasp of friend to friend—a spirit that sees naught but good—a spirit of gratitude and appreciation—a spirit of giving without thought of receiving, the joy of Giving-that most priceless of all pleasures—comes to those who give themselves with their gifts and to give yourself, you must get into the Christmas atmosphere.

trust this beautiful custom of Giving at Christmas time will never wane with the American people, but,

This is a year of all years when you should give practical, useful Gifts.

KELLAM DRY GOODS COMPANY

THE STORE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

Ladies House Shoe 79c

Steps Out!

Mens Slippers \$1.50

CHRISTMAS SALE OF LADIES AND MISSES FINE FOOTWEAR

Our entire stock of Ladies footwear on Sale for the holiday shoppers at greatly reduced

LADIES DR. AUSTIN SLIPPERS

Choice of any of these wonderful arch supuort shoes in oxfords, pumps and straps. Val-



SLOANS ARCH SUPPORT SHOES

In high grade kid leathers, in black and beige ,pumps and straps. Values to \$6.00 choice

LADIES HOUSE SHOES A complete assortment of colors and styles.

89c to \$2.25

MEN'S PACKARD OXFORDS Choice of our entire stock of the famous \$8.00 oxfords, in black or tan

MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS A special assortment of Men's oxfords in black or tan for

ARRIVED JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS 2 special assortments of these very fine new garments, made from the finest silks and the very newest styles in sizes from 14 to 44

Special Christmas Prices

Cherrie Belle Wash Frocks

This famous guaranteed fast color wash frock in the latest styles, dark and light shades, sizes 13 to 50, Choice

ADIES COATS 1-3 OFF

The Finest-Silk Hosiery

The famous Vannett and Holeproof line in all the seasons newest and best shades, full fashioned, pure silk, service and chiffeon weight.

\$1.00 \$1.50 and \$1.95

CHRISTMAS HANDKERCHIEFS Hundreds and Hundreds of beautiful Christmas handkerchiefs all on display for your choosing. 15c 25c 35c 50c

LARGE SILK AND GEORGETTE HANKIES The seasons latest fad in a georgeous array of colors 50c 85c \$1.75

MEN'S FURNISHINNGS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

Mens Holiday Shirts

No where will you find such a complete assortment of fine shirts in all the new colorings and patterns. A complete range

MEN' SCHRISTMAS TIES Beautiful assortment of Christmas ties in the newest cut

48c and \$1.00

MEN'S WHITE BROADCLOTH SHIRTS Made of pure Victory Broadcloth. Collar attached styles. Sizes from 14 to 17

MEN'S AND BOYS FLANELLETTE PAJAMAS What would make a nicer, a more appreciated or useful gift than these warm pajamas. ____ \$1.50 and \$1.65

Buy the boy a suit for Christmas. We have some unusual values in the newest styles. 2 pairs of pants. sizes

TAPED UNIONS A real good bleached white taped union suit for children in sizes 2 to 12 choice

BOYS UNIONS Boys extra heavy flat fleeced union suits in sizes 6 to 14

LACE PANELS Give the home a Xmas gift. New lace panels for gift giving 59c and \$1.19

BABY BLANKETS A good size warm baby blanket in several designs and colors. 75e values, special

CORSELETTES New Warner corselettes especially designed for the new silhouette

dresses \$1.95 to \$5.00

DOLL BLANKETS What would please the Girlies more than one of these for her doll.

10c

FLANNEL NIGHT

A good full cut flannel night shirt for men, all

MEN'S XMAS SOCKS 19c, 25c, 35c MENS DRESS GLOVES

\$1.25 to \$2.50 MEN'S HATS

\$3.39 and \$4.48

BUTTON LEG TROU-SERS FOR MEN AND BOYS



home



BANKERS AND FARM AGENTS HOLD MEETING

A joint meting of bankers, and county agricultural agents and home demonstration agents was held in Lubbock last Tuesday for the purpose of discussing and setting up a program of co-operation in agricultural and farm work

LUMBER

Kinds of Building Material Window Glass, Car Glass, Plate Glass

LET US FIGURE WITH YOU

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FEDERAL FARM LOANS

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INTEREST PAYABLE ANNUALLY OR SEMI-ANNUALLY LOANS CANBE RETIR ED AT ANY TIME, OR AUTOMATICALLY PAYS ITSELF OUT IN 35 YEARS.

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SPUR REALTY and LIVE STOCK CO. If you want to Buy, Trade or Sell, anything, anywhere,

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Office at Nichols Sanitarium SPUR, TEXAS

Contractors and Builders Phones: Office 32; Res. 72 Estimates furnished and work guaranteed

DR. T. H. BLACKWELL Specialist Eye, Ear, Nose and

Throat Res. 25

JOHN HAZLEWOOD

ALL KINDS OF HAULING WE DO YOUR MOVING "Prompt Service our Motto"

J. T. Billberry's Transfer Res. 279M. *

DR. M. T. BRANNEN over Spur Natl. Bank SPUR, TEXAS

J. H. GRACE, M. D. eneral Practice Medicine Minor Surgery and Obstetrics e at the Spur Drug Store Res. 171 *

NDERS & SANDERS Attorney's-at-Law Practice in all Courts Offe in Spur Nat'l Bank Bldg.

the encouragement of balanced beautification. farm programs and this was one object of the meeting.

Expressing the sentiment which prevailed during the meeting the following resolution was unanimously adopted by the bankers

monstrations, now, by men, wo-

We will Buy Your HOGS SPUR GRAIN & COAL CO. W. M. Hazel, Prop. Phone 51

LODGES

Stated Meeting of SPUR LODGE GN No. 1023 A. F. & A. M. Thursday night on or before each full moon. Visitors Jack Rector, W. M.

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 wel-

Mrs. Lula Hail, N. G. Mrs. Minnie Rogers, Sec.

53 Stated Conclave of Spur Commandery No. 76 K. T. Second Tuesday in each month. Visiting

> Jimmie Sample, E. C. T. C. Ensey, Rec.

SPUR CHAPTER No. 340 R. A. M. Monday night on or after each full moon. Visitors

W. D. Wilson, H. P. W. R. King, Sec.

SPUR LODGE No. 771 I. O. O. P. Meets every Monday night. Visitors welcome. Jerry Ensey, N. G. C. F. Applegate, Sec.

vote more time and money toward ing, home improvement and home further.

"We will cooperate on this plan." meeting with the bankers Tuesmen, boys and girls, which call for Throughout the meeting these var improvement which were duly dis-

W. B. Lee, active vice president of the Spur National Bank, presided at the joint luncheon held at the Hotel Lubbock Tuesday noon. There were 125 persons present at the luncheon. L. C. El lis, Vice-President of the Lubbock National bank welcomed the visit ing bankers, and R. J. Murray, a Lubbock real estate representative welcomed the visiting extension

Bob Underwood, vice president of the First National Bank of Plainview, responded for the bank for the extension workers.

Underwood remarked that the logan for 1930 in Hale County

late-Lax

For constipation, rheumatism, acute an chronic, indigestion, stimulates biliary secretion.

Its guaranteed to

Will Be Scarce This Fall You Can't Afford To Let Any Of It Waste

Repairs are much cheaper than feed

Prepare Now To take care of the feed you make-or buy.

Let us figure a new barn for you, or the repairs on your present barn. We carry a complete line of material of truck beds, trailers, etc.

LBR. CO.

SPUR FARM LANDS **AGAIN** OFFERED FOR SALE

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

Terms one-fifth cash. Balance on

Clifford B. Jones, Manager

throughout West Texas. There improvement crops. Such work is: "A daily pay check on the ry, Dr. and Mrs. B. F. Hale, Meswere twenty four counties repre- leads to object lessons in the pro- farm." Bankers as individuals dames R. E. Dickson, Sol Davis, sented at the meeting. It has fitable development of poultry, are taking their part of the res- Kate Senning, Margaret Newman, come to the attention of the bank- hogs and other food products. This ponsibility for the prosperity of R. C. Forbis, S. H. Grace, Misses ers in Texas that they should de- means 4-H pantries, better market this agricultural section, he stated Julia Mae Hickman, Arlene Scud-

"This is the greatest collection Dewey Granberry. The agricultural agents and of bankers and extension workers home demonstration againts had ever got to gether." And he sound guests enjoyed this charming hosspent Monday in a meeting dis- ed a note of optimism for the co- pitality: Messrs and Mesdames G. cussing problems pertaining to the operation between bankers and ex L. Barber, W. S. Campbell, E. L. work in each department. In the tension workers, explaining that Caraway, Ned Hogan, E. S. Lee, agricultural extension work in the Geo. S. Link, M. E. Manning, Roy day, these agents were keenly al- United States started in the State Stovall, Chas. Whitener, Leland "We believe in definite dairy de- ert to the various needs through- of Texas. He predicted that this Campbell, Faust Collier, Horace out the districts represented. new cooperation of bankers and Gipson, Lawis Lee, M. A. Lea, these workers would undoubtedly Gene Taylor Mesdames Janie King the utilization of surplus feed and lous needs were presented to the take the lead over other states in and T. H. Blackwell. the growing of grazing and soil bankers together with plans of this gathering, which is the first of its kind known ever to be held in this country.

"The key bankers in each coun- in our city Saturday. ty of this district," said Chairman Lee, "are to aid in furthering extension wark and other agricultural problems."

Sterling C. Evans, supervisor of county agents in the 24 counties comprising district two urged that demonstrations be made in every county. "If these demonstration's work," he said, "we need not worry about its spread. With the terracing demonstrations made in this district throughout the past few years we can now look forward to ers and O. B. Martin, director of the day when terracing will be Texas Agricultural extension work done in these counties." He asked for aid in putting over various demonstrations over.

E. L. Tanner, Dickens county gent, told of the dairying campaign carried on there since 1916 by cooperation of the extension vorkers, the bankers and chamber f commerce of Spur. During the irst nine years there were 453 dairy cows imported into the couny. Following this the bull circle olan was put over. Four years of this saw 1,500 of the progeny of these bulls raised. Then next year witnessed the establishment of a creamery. An alfalfa campaign fol lowed, 300 small demonstrations being obtained on this. Poultry development followed which led to the establishment of a hatchery The idea of less cotton and more feed was carried out and last was the purchase of 75 head of registered Jersey dairy cattle.

F. S. Reynolds, Stonewall couny agent, explained the workings of poultry demonstrations there. D. A. Adam, Lamb county agent spoke on dairy demonstration n his county and the result of cow testing by mail. His talk touched on the importance of forage crops in the dairy program.

. Chairman Lee remarked that the county agent and home demonstration agent of Dickens county ad been worth \$1,000,000 each to farmers of that county.

W. L. Stangel, head of the animal husbandry department of the cause of the short growing season for feed crops in this section.

Marketing work for dairy products in Hale county was spoken of by Bob Underwood,

"The greatest resources we have is our boys and girls," said Miss Myrtle Murray, supervisor of home demonstration clubs in this district "With no homes there would be no reason for 'any 'agricultural

Several talks were made on the 4-H pantry program, garden programs, etc. In the district there nade this year with 150 anticipa-

man Lee stated that when the anker helps one farmer to finance a dairy cow demonstration r other work, he is helping the vhole community. "In all the years since 1916 we have not lost a single cent in this sort of aid n Dickens County."

MESDAMES WEBBER WIL-LIAMS AND DEWEY GRANBERRY HOSTESSES

nue was the scene of two lovely parties, when Mrs. Williams and her sister Mrs. Dewey Granberry entertained a number of friends with 42

The home was made especially peautiful with Christmas decornolly emphasized the holiday idea.

Unusually delicious refreshments on Thursday evening: Messrs and Golding, Roy Harkey, Frank Laverty, Hill Perry, Bill Putman, D. Y. Twaddell, C. L. Love, William Manning, Shirley Robbins, V. A. Hardin, Bill McAlpine, E. J. Las- 📳 siter, Dr. and Mrs. Dan H. Zach-

der, Ella Mae Hogan, Mabel Scud

On Friday evening the following

E. W. Yeakley, of Twin Wells, was greeting friends and trading

GOAT ROPING Spur Next Saturday,

Monday & Tuesday

The Fair Grounds Starting 3:00 Each Day \$2.00 Entrance Fee

Three Prizes 1st, 2nd, 3rd Cut 60, 30 and 20 per cent

Adm. 25c for Men Ladies and children free

All ropers invited to enter the contests. Be here early and bring your horses.

> Jim Norris Of Swenson, Texas

"THE OLD RELIABLE"

Clemmons Insurance Agency

Spur National Bank Building
SPUR, TEXAS PHONE 84 Loans

Brazelton Lumber Company

A FULL LINE OF WALL PAPER A GOOD YARD INA **GOOD TOWN**

A CERTAIN SMOOTH CREAMY QUALITY

There is a certain smooth, creamy quality about our ice cream that you find in no other brand. And that is why this delectable refrehment is acclaimed as the wholesome food for the entire

> Dont forget to bring all your cream to us for we pay top prices.

THE SPUR CREAMERY

Home of "Espuela Brand" Butter

ARE YOU ON THE RIGHT SIDE OF THE LEDGER

How is your credit rating with the Retail Merchants Association

Our books will be revised the first of the year.

If you are on the wrong side of the ledger it would be wise for you to be getting on the right side.

PAY UP SPUR RETAIL MERCHANTS' **ASSOCIATION**

MERNA KENNEDY

Merna Kennedy again lives up "Barnum was Right" is the fouro her record of "always a leading th picture in which she has aplady" in "Barnum Was Right," a peared and the fourth in which

IN HEROINE ROLE ace Theatre, Friday and Satur-

Universal dialogue farce comedy she has played the leading femin in which she is co-starred with ine role.



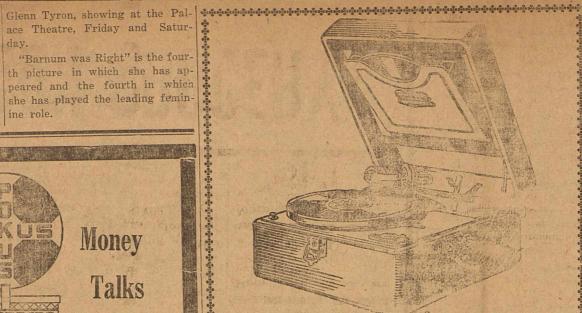


Money Talks

SPECIALS FOR SATURDAY

Oranges, full of juice, per doz. 18c Grane fruit, Tox sweet seedless 4c Rananas. Golden fruit 22c Cranberry Sauce, Dromedary 19c Vanilla Extract, 2 oz. 23c Olives, Queen, qt. jar 43c Sugar 25 lb. bag \$1.54 Previer Salad Dressing, 8 oz. 23c Sop. Van Camp, 3 for 29c Mitches, per box 3c Reaut Butter, 5 lb. pail ... 78c Ram, good quality 39c dee, No. 1 Peaberry, 4 lbs \$1.00 gs, fresh yard, per doz. .. 50c

WE WANT YOUR TRADE



To enjoy the best music you should come in and hear the new Brunswick Portable. Costs only

Brunswick has the best phonographs and records in the world. Give "her" one for Christmas. You will make the whole family happy.

I will have a Brunswick service department ready to service the Brunswick products within the next 30 to 60 days.

SPUR GINS CLOSE FOR HOLIDAYS

All gins in Spur will close down after the run Saturday evening and will remain closed for the holidays all of next week. Ginning will be resumed on Monday, December 30, to finish the season. We wish everybody a Merry Christmas, and thank you for your patronage.

Farmers' Co-op. Gin Williamson Bros. Citizens Gin

Swift Gin. Baker Gin Price Bros.

Christmas Goods at Spur Drug

GOOD OLD COLLEGE DAYS RELIVED IN PICTURE

Snake dances around a blazing pile of old boxes, gates, furniture

'frosh," a romance along the wil-

game are some of the interesting chases treated by Sam Wood in

his new all talking, singing and dancing collegiate production, "So

this is College." The Metro-

Goldwyn-Mayer comedy drama is

Monday and Tuesday.

istic atmosphere.

comedian.

being shown at the Palace Theatre

The college picture was filmed

on the campus of the University of Southern California, the first

university to be used as a locale

for films. Thousands of students offered their services in the pic-

ture as extras to give it a real-

The cast contains three players

who are making their screen de-

but. Elliot Nugent, late of "Poor

Nut" fame; Robert Montgomery, Broadway Juevnile and Sally Starr

cast are Phyllis Crane, Cliff Ed-

wards, better known as "Ukelele

Ike" and Max Davidson, Hal Roach

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank each and every

one, who gave me their subscrip-

tion for the Ladies Home Journal,

Country Gentleman and The Satur

day Evening Post, for through

your help I was awarded a certi-

ficate of Distinction by the Voca-

tional department of the Curtis

ublishing Company and a Yale

J. Vernon Powell of Highway

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. McLaughlin of McAdoo was greeing friends

was attending to business matters

and trading in our city Monday. Mrs. D .D. Dunn of Croton com-

munity was in our city Monday

Christmas Goods at Spur Drug

Seales Ernest, of Espuela, was

ransacting business in our city

Alvarine Spraberry.

Flashlight for a premium.

in our city Monday.

doing some shopping.

Company.

new Wood "find". Others in the

Wilson Mince Meat at only

per pkg.

Spagetti and Macaroni at only

per. pkg.

Hot relish, 16 oz. jar

19c

Peanut Butter 2 lb. oz. jar only

5 lb. jar preserves only 58c

Sweet Pickles 13 oz. jar close out price 14C

All kinds of fruits and nutss reduced prices.

FRIDAY DEC. 20, 1929 At Gibson Grocery

Store

Folks, this sale is no camouflage. Crop failure here has made conditions such that we will not be able to continue in business another year hence, we have decided to close out our stock of good fancy and staple groceries and we are going to do so at prices so astonishingly low that you will wonder how we do it. Come early and avoid the rush. Sale on everything in the house. We must close out by the first of the year. Make out your list and meet

the folks at

4 lb. 8 oz. bucket of DIXIE JELLY only 38c

Flour, extra high patent 48 lb. sack

Every sack guaranteed

No. 21/2 Hominy per can

Country Maid syrup per gallon

84c Dixie Best syrup, gallon

88c Old Plantation syrup,

per gallon

Honey with Comb, per

Morning Joy Coffee a 21/2 lb. can only

BIN GRAGERY

CHURCH OF CHRIST __

Sunday School-10:00 A. M. Services-11 A. M. Young Peoples Meeting in all Divisions-6 P. M.

Ladies Bible Class-Monday afternoon 3:30.

Prayer meeting-Wednesday

The Young people in the Senior Division will render a little Christ mas program at their regular meeting hour Sunday Evening, and we invite all who can to attend all these services. Your presence helps if you do not care to take part in the programs. Especially do we urge the young people to

PROGRAM 1. Songs-by Class.

2. Prayer-O. C. Thomas. 3. Why we celebrate Christmas Sterman Lee.

4. Christmas in other nations-5. Is Christmas a religious cele-

bration-Mrs. Stubberfield. 6. Duet-Grady Johnston and Dessie Cross.

7. Benediction-O. L. Kelly.

BELLE BENNETT

MISSIONARY SOCIETY On Monday afternoon the Belle Bennett Missionary society met at the church in a social meeting. With Mrs. Gordon Barrow leading the devotional. Mrs. Parminter read the Scripture lesson and gave a short talk on the "First Christmas." Mrs. Stack gave a report on the District Harvest Day program held at Haskell last week.

Following the business of the Christmas tree held gifts for all present from the "Polly-Annas" and a most enjoyable time was

Each guest had brought a covered dish and combined made delicious refreshments. Guests present were Mesdames Harvey Stack Mac Tidwell, Leonard Joplin, Dan H. Zachry, Murray Lea, Gordon

Barrow, Parminter, Hooper, Dyess is E. Lee, D. L. Twaddell, Briley, James O. Smith; Mac Brown, Law- Jack Rector and Mimms.

If you are a sufferer of COLDS come to Room No. 9 SPUR NATIONAL BANK BLDG, and let me remove the cause of it and you will GET WELL. No charge for analysis.

Chiropractic Masseur

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Lady Attendant





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SPUR TAILORS We never sacrifice Quality to

make Price

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Very few days remain in which to make your selections for Christmas Gifts. May we have your earliest attention to the many useful things we have for your consideration. Prices are very cheap on any of the items following.



Initial handkerchiefs, plain white and many other kinds for men. Newest effects in ladies handke chiefs in boxed and single (Made in Switzerland) of the finest materials.

Newest effects in underthings for ladies priced from

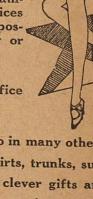
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Silk Hosiery in all the new shades also in Rayon, priced from

46c to \$1.49

Robes for the Kiddies \$1.50. Many items in useful wear for babies and children

In connection to useful Christmas items, remember that we are moving this stock to the building now occupied by "Gambills" on or around January 1, 1930. We are making prices to clear the shelves and save moving as much stock as possible. See us on Ladies coats, hats, underwear, hosiery or any other item.



Mens clothing with a great sacrifice in price for good clothes.

Mens new ,nifty felt hats \$3.15 also in many other ranges Work pants, work shirts, dress shirts, trunks, suit cases, bags and many other useful and clever gifts are here. We are giving some final knockout prices in footwear.

Mens Shirts 93c to \$2.65 Pajamas for men \$2.15 to \$8.95

We want to thank you for the many considerations ex tended us in the past many years in Spur. We are now entering on our 21st year in Spur and have many loyal customers who have given us their liberal patronage from the first day, and we want to say to you that we certainly appreciate the fact of your confidence, and trust for you and yours many happy days and prosperous years to come.

SPUR, TEXAS