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An election is to be held the 12th of July in Andrews county for the purpose of perfecting the organization of the county and also to elect officers to fill the county offices and select a county site. Both Shafter Lake and Andrews, being an equal distance from the center of the county, are making efforts to secure the favor of the voters in locating the site of government.

Mrs. Faver, of the Afton country, was a recent visitor to her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Riley, in the city.

Those farmers who are practicing the Campbell system of farming in Dickens county are doubtless finding easy at this time with respect to the rain proposition. There is no question but that any method of moisture conservation is the best and surest method of farming in this country.

Roosevelt has returned to America after an absence of several months in Africa and other countries. He maintains a prominent place in the public eye and no doubt feels his importance to the extent.

J. Cloud was a pleasant caller on one day this week and that his crop a few miles from town is doing very well but owing to need rain. He intends to buy a twenty acre block of land and go into truck farming.

Smart, who has been sick for a few days, was carried by a horse, J. T. Smart, to Rotan. It is reported he did not get the trip very well and at present he is in a dangerous condition.

about the incorporation of a municipal and sanitary department. She is old enough and tough to have a systematic government.

F. C. Gipson and grandma were in the city Wednesday with friends and relatives.

Riter, of the Riter Hardware company, came up last week from Hamlin and has been spending the week here looking after his business. He informs us that his well come up soon and become recently located here as manager of the business.

George was in one day this week from the ranch and recovers everything lovely.

Legg of the Croton Flats was in the city Wednesday with his business.

McMahon was in last week near Jayton where he is now at home. He was making a trip on Uncle Buck Hardin's but says it got so dry that he decided to postpone further work until it rained.

K. Perry returned this week on a trip to Stamford and Haswell where he spent several days with friends and relatives. He reports that they are just as dry and in that section of the country there are here.

R. F. B. Craig is building a photography gallery on the lot across the street from Barber, Tank & New. He will be ready for business at his new place at an early date.

The new hotel being erected by McMahon is now nearing completion and when finished will be the first class up to date hotel. Messrs. Jeff D. Reagan and child arrived in the city Monday and will make Spur their permanent home in the future.

Attorney E. G. Worswick was in Monday and Tuesday from the city Capitol looking for business in the city.

Dalton Johnson Buys Interest In Bailey Food Store

A transaction was made Wednesday morning of this week whereby Dalton Johnson became part owner in the Bailey Food Store which was formerly opened here Saturday morning in the former Spot Cash Grocery location. Mr. Johnson had assisted Mr. Bailey in opening the business and states that he was so pleased with the new store and the welcome accorded it that he decided to accept Mr. Bailey's offer to become financially interested in it.

In speaking of the opening days Mr. Bailey stated that in Saturday 830 hears of families in this territory had registered at the store and that it was impossible for him to estimate the number of visitors partaking of the hospitality of free sandwiches, cakes and drinks, and the number who had taken advantage of the bargains on the two days. In fact he stated he was more than pleased with the welcome the people had given him.

Spurites Turn Out For Reunion 4th

Among the many from this section to attend the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford July 3, 4, and 5 were the Swenson boys who turned out en-mass for the affair and will perhaps return this week end with a number of honors in riding, roping and other feats. They included General Superintendent and Mrs. Dock Ellis, Jim Gilmore, Jake Raines, Bob Dickson, Lee Kelly, Al Bingham, Gene Hatcher, Newton Bingham, Lee Dickson, Peewee Harris, Theodore Sedstrom, Tommy Gilmore, Bill Rucker, and Buck Sadler. Others who attended on one or more days during the occasion included: Bill Sauls and wife, J. P. Caudle and wife, R. D. Greer, L. G. Davis, Duff Green, Chas. Bird, Ned Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Elliott, and daughter, Dorothy, and sister, Miss Margaret Elliott, of England, Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Faile, Mr. and Mrs. James McCormick, and G. Brown, Misses Weldon and Winifred Bell.

Mrs. J. C. Harralson of Ft. Sumner, N. M., is here on an extended visit to her son J. B. Haralson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Costello and children and Billie D. Bell spent the 4th in Stamford taking in the rodeo attractions.

Mrs. A. Lollar and sister, Mrs. J. F. Young were shopping and visitors in Spur Thursday of last week.

Sanitarium Notes

Mrs. A. T. Martain was operated Monday and is reported doing very nicely.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ausin Rose, of McAdoo, Tuesday, July 4th; mother and babe doing fine.

Mrs. Joe Pierce, Spur underwent an operation June 30 and is recovering rapidly.

Kirt Bingham, Jayton, received surgical attention for a fracture of the left leg Monday.

Willis Long, Jayton, underwent a tonsil operation Monday.

A picnic supper was given Thursday of last week.

Magnolia Station To Inaugurate 24 Hour Service In Spur

As will be noted by half a page advertisement appearing in this issue of the Texas Spur, The Magnolia Service Station managed by G. O. (Bottles) Mason will hereafter be open for business 24 hours a day.

"Bottles" Mason, as he is familiarly known, is an enterprising young business man who moved here recently from the neighboring city of Jayton and has built up a liberal patronage for his station. And no doubt that with the inauguration of a night and day service the public will show its appreciation in the form of additional business.

Mr. Mason extends a cordial invitation to old and new patrons to visit his place any hour night or day promising them the most courteous and complete service as well as the highest quality products.

Novis Ousley, of Abilene, is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Chapman, and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Ousley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Dunwoody and children of Anson spent Sunday in Spur. Guests of his brother, A. G. Dunwoody and family and are spending this week with her parents S. J. Ousley and wife, of near Spur.

Hindman Bros. Back From World Fair

Jack and Dial Hindman returned the past week end from a trip to Chicago and the World's Fair and not only have many interesting things to repeat about the famous exposition but also about their trip which made partially in "side door pulmans."

Perhaps we can persuade them to give us a story for the next issue.

Wellington Wins Roquet Tournay

George Stahl and J. L. Burkes, carried off the honors in the Representatives from Wellington roquet Tournament held here July 4th. The tournay was won over the competition of this city, Roby, and the redoubtable Post team.

Just A Bit Personal

Mrs. Newt Harkey, of Breckenridge, who has been in Sudan visiting her daughter, Mrs. Joe Salem and Mr. Salem spent the past week end and Monday in Spur with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hyatt.

Joe Salem, wife and young son, of Sudan, passed through Spur on Tuesday on his way to Dallas markets to purchase goods for his store at Sudan. Mrs. Salem and son, stopped in Breckenridge to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Newt Harkey.

Mrs. Jas. H. Bowman and son, Teddie, who have been spending some time in Spur visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Adams, returned to her home in Corpus Christi, last week.

L. B. McMeans of Twin Wells, was among the crowd trading in Spur first Monday.

Mrs. Roy Stovall is spending two weeks visit with relatives and friends at Amarillo and Lubbock.

Rob Davis, of Post, spent the week end in Spur visiting with relatives and friends. Mrs. Davis, who is spending the summer in Spur returned home for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clay and their daughter, Miss Cibyl, and Misses Smerud and Maude Bailey spent the 4th at Roaring Springs enjoying a picnic lunch and other attractions that place.

Mrs. G. T. Johnson who has been in Wichita Falls, last week.

Hamilton And Stinson, of Safeway Are Given Promotions

C. A. Hamilton, prominent young groceryman of this city, who has for the past two years has been employed as salesman at the local Safeway Store, was notified this week that he had been made manager for the company at this place. Mr. Hamilton's promotion to this position of trust comes as a result of his excellent service and loyalty to the company as well as his popularity with the trade and his many friends here are glad to extend him congratulations.

At the same time Mr. Hamilton was notified of his promotion to a managership, J. G. Stinson, who has operated the store here for the past several months, was offered the management of one of the big Safeway Stores in the city of Los Angeles, and which of course he was glad to accept. He stated however, that he and Mrs. Stinson liked Spur and the people here very much and had made many friends with whom they sincerely regretted to part. It is always a loss to have good citizens remove from the community but we wish to join their friends in congratulating them on their good fortune and wishing them well in their new home. Mr. and Mrs. Stinson expect to leave on the 17th of this month.

Constable McCulley Rounds Up Burlgar

Henry Edwards (colored) made a confession Wednesday of this week to the burglary of the Albert Jordan home several miles south east of Spur, which occurred some two weeks ago. Dresses and other wearing apparel as well as some smaller items of household furniture were taken from the house during the absence of members of the family.

Constable H. C. McCulley, who made the arrest was also able to recover all of the items reported missing.

Considering the recent increase of thievery and robbery of all classes and the difficulty of obtaining proof and recovery of stolen articles the public should cooperate with officers by taking every precaution against such depredations on their property.

Henry R. Black, Local Deputy Sheriff Died of Heart Attack Here July 4th

ASSOCIATIONAL B. T. S. TO MEET SUNDAY

The Associational B. T. S. will meet at the Espuela church on Sunday afternoon at 3:00, July 9th. The following program will be given: Song Service led by Associational Choister, T. J. Seale.

Devotional — "Lift up your eyes, and look on the fields"—W. R. King.

Business and Records. Musical reading—Malissa McKay, The Heavenly Vision—Esther Lee Mitchell.

Special Music—William Rogers and Truman Moore.

"Looking Unto Jesus for a Vision of the World's Needs"—Rev. H. T. Harris.

Every church in the association should be represented for a program of extension work is to be planned to promote training course for the summer.

Bob Worswick Slugged and Robbed Monday Night

The first hi-jacking to be reported in Spur occurred Monday night of this week when Bob Worswick and Oran Harkey were slugged and Worswick robbed of thirty dollars in currency.

According to Worswick's version of the affair, he and Harkey were passing between a seedhouse and gin on their way to town when two unknown parties assailed them, Harkey, who was behind was slugged first and Worswick hearing the blow turned in time to see Harkey fall before being struck across the side of the head. He was knocked unconscious, however, and struggled with the robbers but being a partial cripple was not able to defend himself effectively and was beaten further before they took the money and left. They failed to find two dollars in a shirt pocket, some change in a watch pocket and did not take his watch. He was injured to the extent of requiring surgical attention.

Officers are of the opinion that the hi-jacking was done by amateurs and believe they have evidence which will lead to the arrest of the guilty parties.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Braddock and Mrs. Blassingame and daughter, Irene, of the Prairie Chapel community, were shoppers and visitors here Monday, leaving in the afternoon for Stamford to attend the Cowboy Reunion.

Robert Nickels a prominent citizen of McAdoo was among the many visitors in Spur Trades Day.

J. C. Bowen, of Ft. Worth, Texas, is here this week on a visit to his sister, Mrs. Geo. M. Williams.

Found—Two keys for Master Lock. Owner please describe and pay for this ad.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ernest Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hagins and daughter returned Wednesday of the past week from a vacation trip and visit in Dallas, very pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith were visitors and shoppers here Wednesday from their home north of the city a few miles. Mr. Smith has lost a red mule which he thinks may head for Stonewall county and will appreciate any information which might help him locate her.

G. E. Richbourg of Benjamin, is here this week on a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Jack Rector and family. Mr. Richbourg stated that from reports he had heard of this section he might be just in time to help us all move out.

The entire community was shocked on the afternoon of July 4th

when it learned of the sudden death of Deputy Sheriff H. R. Black at his home in the western part of the city. Mr. Black in company with his daughter, Mrs. Bessie Pickard, and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, had gone to Roaring Springs in the morning to enjoy a picnic and outing and had returned here about the middle of the afternoon.

During the afternoon Mr. Black had complained of being very tired but since he had been up most of the night before in line of duty his condition was not thought to be serious until he became ill shortly after his return home. A physician was summoned and his condition apparently relieved but a second attack some forty-five minutes later proved fatal before a doctor could be summoned.

H. R. Black was an old timer of this section of West Texas having moved with his family to Motley county 33 years ago and made his home there and in Dickens county since that time. He served with distinction as an early day sheriff and was later engaged in the real estate business and was a prominent figure in the opening of the town of Roaring Springs. During the past eighteen months he has served this city and the county as Chief Deputy under Sheriff W. B. Arthur and in this capacity has endeared himself in the hearts of fellow officers and associates and become known to the general public as a fearless and impartial peace officer, but who nevertheless used his authority with a degree of respect to violators of the law.

Mr. Black was born in Fannin county, May 19, 1870, a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Black, and lived in that section during youth and young manhood. It was there also that he was married to Miss Nellie Lynn, who survives him, and to this union six children were born. They are Mrs. L. J. Prejen, Houston; Coleman Black, Moran; Mrs. O. E. Hause, Houston; Mrs. J. A. Cunningham, Miami, Fla.; Ralph Black, Crane; and Mrs. Bess Pickard of this city.

Funeral arrangements have not been definitely arranged pending the arrival of Mesdames Prejen and Hause, who were in Chicago at the time of their father's death. It has been announced, however that services will be held at Matador.

Mrs. J. E. Meadows, a sister, of Matador, and daughters, Lolaville and Mildred; and Mr. and Mrs. Arch Black, a brother also of Matador; and Bob Black, a brother of Moran, Texas, are here to be with the bereaved widow. We join the many friends in extending sympathy to the family and relatives.

Presbyterian

Sunday Morning at 10 o'clock—

Sunday School. Sunday Morning at 11 o'clock—

Morning Worship.

The morning worship hour will be devoted to the subject, "In Partnership with God." The text is found in Malachi 3:10.

Sunday evening at 8:30 o'clock—

Evening Worship. The evening study will be based on the story of Samson and the subject is, "The Tragedy of a Wasted Life."

On Wednesday Evening, July 12, at 8:30 o'clock, we will discuss another of Dr. Lloyd C Douglas' novels "The Magnificent Obsession." Visitors are cordially invited to be present at these services.

Jas. B. Reed spent last week end in McKinney visiting relatives, returning Tuesday.

KALGARY

Sunday.
Clarence Coffman spent Saturday night with Henry Rogers.
Miss Francis Houens of Soldier Mound, spent Saturday night with Rubye Mae Smith.

Mrs. Bob Wade and family were shopping in Spur Saturday.
Mrs. Dan McMahon attended the Reunion at Stamford Tuesday.

Mrs. Ernest Hairgrove and her daughters, Ollie and Opal visited Mr. and Mrs. Allie Hairgrove, of Espuela, Sunday.

Bernice Smith spent Saturday night with Cleo Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bostick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elza Armstrong and children were shopping in Spur on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hahn.

Mr. and Mrs. Curt Smith and children of Spur spent Sunday with Mrs. W. I. Smith and family.

Thursday night of last week Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith gave a party celebrating their 20th wedding anniversary.

After several games of dominoes were played, refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. M. U. Smith and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Smith and little daughter Barbara Jo, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Davis and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper and children, Mr. and Mrs. Ola Miller and daughter, Bettye Jo, Mr. and Mrs. B. Rogers and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McMahon and son, Lynn and Dorothy Smith.

—Reporter.

PARKER AVENUE TENNIS CLUB

The Parker Avenue Tennis Club met at Mrs. David Wilson's, Thursday, June 29, at 7:30 o'clock. The refreshments were fried chicken, sandwiches and soda pop. After refreshments tennis and forty-two were played.

Those present were Messrs and Mesdames W. R. Terry, Bill Kyle, Eynam Brittain, Brown Smith, F. O. Brittain, David Wilson; Mrs. Hingslings, Misses Oweta Towls, Syble Hazel, Leona Sparks, Edith Ince Sadie Gabriel, Ora Hingsling, Melba Jo Hazel; Messrs Lynn Knouce, eedie Dick Lewis, D. C. Towles.

Mr. and Mrs. Haze Powell and family spent one night last week with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reid of White River.

Rosa Nell and Leona Gilmore spent last week with Novelle Witt. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Gilmore, from Duck Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. Olan Brooks, Sunday. Rosa Nell and Leona returned to their home with them.

Royce Williams died last Thursday morning. The funeral services were held at Red Top Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Maze spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Witt entertained the young folks of this community last Wednesday night with a party.

Mr. and Mrs. Haze Powell gave a fruit supper, Friday night.

Novelle Witt, Ernest Maze, Leona Gilmore, Satch Witt, Rosa Nell Gilmore and Wright Hinson enjoyed a party at Higgins' Friday nite.

Messrs Arlois Coward and Campdan Lawson from Crosbyton, enjoyed a party at H. R. Witt's on Wednesday night.

Willie Maude Scott spent the past week in Spur.

Dee Oliver Witt spent last week with his sister Mrs. Dock Love.

Rev. Guy Self preached here last Sunday and Sunday night.

Dorothea Opal Witt spent last week with Mrs. Glee Sweeney.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Morris visited Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Witt Sunday.

Virgil Murry spent Sunday with Dee Oliver Witt.

Grandmother Crump spent Friday night with Mrs. Olan Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. Haze Powell and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Crump visited Mr. and Mrs. Gib Rape.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Scott visited Mrs. Henry Lynch Sr., Sunday.

Wanda Gilmore was honored with a birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilmore Wednesday.

Mrs. Lausa Crump spent Sunday night and Monday with Mrs. H. R. Witt.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Oxford visited his mother near Whitt, Flat last week.

MR. AND MRS. ALLEN DEATON ENTERTAINED THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF DICKENS

On Thursday night of last week Mr. and Mrs. Allen Deaton of Dickens entertained a number of young people with a party in their home.

Many interesting games were played and a number of musical stunts were performed.

Refreshments of cake and lemonade were served to thirty-eight. Everyone reported a nice time.

ALATHEAN CLASS

The Alathean Class of the Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Chas. Powell Thursday night June 29 for a social and business meeting.

Several games were played on the lawn, and refreshments were Sandwiches, potato chips, pickles, cake and punch.

Everyone enjoyed the party.

Those present were Mesdames Weldon Grimes, Frank Watson, W. T. Andrews, Walter Gruben, Ralph Sherrill, W. W. Fox, Jephtha Craig, Jerry Ensey, E. W. George, Loren Harkey, Willis King, A. M. Walker, Albert Bingham, J. E. Whitener, Chas Powell and Miss Thelma Bilberry, and Miss Grimes of Dallas.—Reporter.

JOI DE VOI CLUB

Mrs. J. T. Wylie was a charming hostess to her Joi De Voi Club membership and other guests invited Thursday of last week at her home on North Burlington, naming her sister, Mrs. W. T. Evans, of Sherman, honor guest. Contract bridge was played in which Mrs. Chas. Powell won the club prize and Miss Margaret Zachery won guest prize.

The hostess served a most delicious refreshment plate to the following guests: Mesdames M. H. Bannen, A. C. Hull, Jack Rector, Jim Sample, Cash Wileman, Hill Perry, R. E. Dickson, F. W. Jennings, Elzy Watson, Pat Watson, D. L. Granberry, Chas. Powell, M. L. Jones, C. B. Jones, Guy Karr, W. T. Andrews, Bullock Tillotson, Deck Barnes, of Abilene, and Misses Mary Elizabeth Hogan, Ermal Lisenby, Nig Lisenby, Julia Mae Hickman, Miss Margaret Zachery of Jefferson, and honor guest, Mrs. W. T. Evans.

Alton Lawson, of Afton, was a business visitor in Spur Friday.

Espuela News

Eloise McCombs of Twin Wells spent the past week end with Pauline Foreman.

Inez Ball spent Sunday with Hazel McMahan.

Opal Karr and Daisy Ball were dinner guests of Adren and Wilma Morgan, Sunday.

Nadine Foreman spent Saturday night with Eldyse Karr.

Walter Messer spent Saturday night with Billie Bob Saxon.

Faye McMahan spent Sunday with Rowena Saxon.

Mesdames Al Bingham, Newton Bingham and Miss Bill Messer were Spur visitors Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Bingham and Al Bingham left Sunday for Stamford to attend the Cowboy Reunion the 3rd, 4th, and 5th. Mrs. Bingham is sponsor for Spur.

Leacle Howell of Lubbock is here visiting friends and relatives.

A group of young folks enjoyed an outing at the ranch tank Saturday night.

Nadine Foreman spent Sunday with Ruby Nell Morgan.

Eula E. McMahan and Elaine Neaves spent Sunday with Marie Ball.

Calvin Gentry of Redlands Calif. was here the past week end. He visited W. C. Messer and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Jones and Harold and Clifton Jones of near Dickens visited Mrs. Jones parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Messer and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Edgar and daughter Pauline visited their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Crafton and children Sunday.

Jess Warren has gone to College.

Station where he plans to enter A and M.

Fred Desille visited Lewis McMahan Sunday.

1925 BRIDGE CLUB

The monthly 19.5 bridge club and luncheon at the Spur Inn was held Wednesday of last week. Mrs. Roy E. Dickson made high score and received the prize. Other club members and guests present were;

Mesdames Hill Perry, C. L. Love, W. T. Andrews, F. W. Jennings, U. V. Parr, C. B. Jones, Della Eaton, Nellie Davis, Oran McClure, Sarah McDonald of Stamford, Tracy Gorham, Wright and Withers, of Mississippi, and Misses Julia Mae Hickman and Dorothy Love of Borger.

Mrs. Dave Wilson was hostess to the P. M. W. Club Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Forty-two was the entertaining feature of the evening.

The hostess served a delicious refreshment to the following guests; Mesdames Oldah Harrington, Bud Rennels, A. G. Dunwoody, Monk Rucker, Lee Snodgrass, Bill Hart, Ernest George, W. R. Terry, Johnson, J. A. Koon, John A. Moore, Pynum Brittain S. A. Sifford Moore Smith, Foy Vernon, D. J. Dyess, Goad, Jno Mims, Perry Pryor, Foy Vernon and Miss Leona Sparks.

Thursday night Mr. and Mrs. Wilson had the Tennis Club membership as their guests, entertaining with a picnic on the lawn and 42. About 30 guests were in attendance on this enjoyable occasion.

Miss Dorothy Garner left Sunday for Jacksboro and Graham to spend the summer.

Harvey Giddings, Misses Nig and Dot Lisenby accompanied her home the Misses Lisenby remained for a visit.

THOSE PICNIC LUNCHESES—

Picnic Time is here. And you would be surprised how much more convenient and economical it is to let us fix up the lunch for your outing. We can fill any order—promptly.

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Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fox, Props.

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Duke filled his regular Sunday and Sunday preached two very good
Mrs. C. N. Kidd took
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WHITE RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed and daughter, Auddie Vee, left Thursday for East Texas where they will make their home.

J. T. Cozby and daughter, Velma, were attending business in Spur Tuesday.

Mrs. Willie Rogers visited Mrs. H. C. Peterson Thursday evening.

Mrs. T. G. Rankin and daughter, Mrs. Rucker, were trading in Spur Saturday evening.

The entire community was saddened Tuesday when it learned of the death of Royce Williams of Cat Fish. Royce had lived most of his life in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rogers were trading in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alf Gilmore of McDonald moved in to the community Thursday.

Ross Cannon who has been working for Brags returned home Wednesday.

Leland Rankin was greeting friends in Spur Saturday.

Orie Smith of McDonald was visiting in the community Saturday night.

Forrest Martain of Highway was in the community Tuesday.

Mrs. Bud Childress and little son were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Veto Austin and son, Billie Joe, returned to their home near Stamford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Reed entertained with a farewell party Tuesday night. All present reported a nice time.

Henry Slack of Kalgary was visiting his wife and little son one night this week.

Velma and Ophelia Cozby and Ross Cannon attended a party at Mr. and Mrs. Haze Powell's of Kalgary, Friday night.

Neville Slack attended the party at Haze Powell's of Kalgary, Friday night.

Robert Cannon was in Spur Saturday.—Reporter.

Young Man, Here is Your Opportunity

The South's most staple money crop, King Cotton, seems to be coming back into its own after about three years of depressed prices caused by overproduction. The price of cotton has gained about one hundred per cent in the past four months. Many predict that we will receive from ten to twelve cents per pound for our 1933 crop. The market quotation as this is written is nine and seven-eighths cents per pound.

If the above predictions are true, which is based on the market activities of the past few months, then it would seem to us that the young man who has the desire to engage in the vocation of cotton classing and grading should seize quickly the opportunity to qualify for one of the many places which are bound to be open this fall for cotton classers.

Ours is the oldest Cotton Classing School in the Southwest. We have successfully trained more young men for this profession than any other school outside of the A. & M. Colleges. (It is too late now to get a course in Cotton Classing

Wichita - Croton

Brother Harris filled his regular appointment at Croton Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Peyton Legg, Mrs. J. A. Legg, Mrs. Mary Dunn, Mrs. Sam Koonsman and Miss Oleta Bailey left Thursday for Chicago where they will spend a few days attending the World's Fair.

Brother Victor Crabtree filled his regular appointment at Dumont this week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hale and Floyd Hale spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Chesney.

There was a party at Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradley's Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Butler visited Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wynkoop Sunday.

Several of the Croton people attended singing at Prairie Chapel Sunday afternoon.

The young people of Wichita, enjoyed a party at Lee Taylor's Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bradley visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mayo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Butler spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Guyear.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rogers took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Mayo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. White spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Butler.

Mrs. C. Y. Allen, Clara Mae and DeWitt Allen visited Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Allen Sunday.

Mr. Clarence Littlefield, of Pitchfork spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Porter and family.

V. V. Parr, manager of the Pitchfork Ranch, made a business trip to Amarillo the past week.

Mrs. Joe Stotts, Misses Uda Mae Whitener, Nell and Julia Mae Albin left Friday for Oklahoma City where they will spend several days visiting with relatives and friends. Mrs. H. O. Albin and son Ferrell will return home with them.

J. L. Wileman, of Stamford, was transacting business and visiting his son, Mr. and Mrs. Cash Wilemon. Mrs. Cash Wileman and son Cash Jr., returned to Stamford with him for a short visit.

at the A. & M. for this coming crop.)

We will, for the next sixty days, offer an intensive course in grading, sampling, classing and stapling at the very low price of sixty-eight dollars. We furnish all necessary samples and other laboratory material. It will require about four weeks of intensive work to complete the course. We are taking reservations in the order made. If you are interested in taking up this work, please communicate with us at once. If you cannot enter school immediately, send us ten dollars for your reservation and we will hold a place for you.

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JUST A BIT PERSONAL

Miss Pearl Mathews of Dallas and Mrs. Iyy of Stamford are visiting in the Gruben's and Ensey's homes this week.

Marjorie and Laura Alta Ward are visiting Mrs. Elma Ward in Lubbock this week.

Miss Sadie Gabriel spent the week end in Rotan the guest of the Maloufs.

Ramza Gabriel of Roaring Springs was visiting in Spur Monday.

Tracy, Gorham who has a position in Crosbyton was a Spur visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Boren of McAdoo were shoppers in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harrelson were shopping and visiting in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Costello attended the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford the 4th.

S. W. Rathers of the Red Mud community was a Spur visitor Monday.

W. S. Campbell and family attended the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford the 4th.

G. Brown of 1 mile north of the city was in Monday transacting business and greeting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Taylor of the Croton community were shopping in the city Monday.

L. G. Crabtree was among the crowd here Monday.

Mrs. Tayloe of Paris Tenn. is visiting her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Jones in Dickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fox and daughter, Cecilia, and Charlie and James Fox returned Wednesday of last week from Waco where they had been for a two weeks visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Elliot, Miss Margaret and Dorothy Elliott attended the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford the 3, 4, and 5.

Misses Weldon and Winnifred Bell and Master Billie D. Bell attended the Cowboy Reunion at Stamford the 4th.

Miss Dorothy Love left Friday of last week to her position in Borger, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Love and family. She will stop in Lubbock for a short visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bodey Stafford and son Roger were visitors in Spur Friday. Mrs. Stafford remaining for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. D. N. Loe and other relatives and friends.

Henry Albin and Mr. Jennings of Oklahoma City are in Spur for a visit with relatives and friends.

Hamp Collett and daughter, Mrs. Edna Jones were Stamford visitors Tuesday July 4th.

Pleg Curd of the Afton community, was greeting friends in Spur Friday.

R. D. Greer was painfully injured Monday of this week when he was bitten by a house cat. The cat hung on so tenaciously that it had to be chocked and the jaws pried apart before he could be released.

Mrs. Noblit returned to her home in Fort Worth after a visit here with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Laverty and family. Mrs. Laverty and children, James Franklin and Opal Gene accompanied them home and will spend a several days visit in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hagins, of Gilpin, were among the shoppers and visitors in Spur Trades Day.

Walter Driggers, a prominent citizen of the Duck Creek community, was among the many Spur visitors Saturday.

Mrs. W. F. Shugart, Miss Margaret Shugart and Mrs. Roy Arrington were visitors and shoppers in Spur Wednesday.

Ned Bowers who is now located at Midland was here the past week end on a visit to friends, going on to Stamford where he attended the Cowboy Reunion.

Mrs. J. F. Young and granddaughter, Miss Eleanor Young are here for a visit to Mrs. Young's sister, Mrs. A. Lollar and family.

Mrs. Lula Allen, a sister of Mrs. A. Lollar, and Mrs. Sylvester, a niece, who had been here on an extended visit left Tuesday of last week for their home in Quanah. Mrs. Ellis accompanied her daughter and will spend some time visiting with them at Quanah.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Golding and children returned Thursday of last week from a several days visit to relatives and vacation trip to Houston, Galveston, Corpus Christi and other points in South Texas. Bernard Golding who is a sophomore at the State University at Austin, returned with them to spend the vacation months at home. They report a most enjoyable trip.

Mrs. J. O. Sarkey and two small daughters left Tuesday of this week for Rockwood where they will visit with relatives and friends.

A. J. Garner who has been here on a visit to his brother, H. T. Garner, and nephew W. W. Garner and families returned last week to his home in Jacksonboro. Miss Dorothy Garner accompanied her uncle and will spend the summer there with relatives.

Miss Mildred Terry, of Gladewater, is visiting her parents, Mr. and F. L. Terry and family, in Dickens.

Miss Tiny Stokes is here from Oklahoma spending an extended visit with her aunt, Mrs. W. C. Pressley.

Mack Wilson, manager of the W. T. U. and A. H. Leslie, of Stamford, left Friday for a few days fishing trip in Old Mexico. Mrs. Wilson and son, Mack Jr., who have been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. McHaffey, in San Antonio will return home with them.

Mrs. Faust Collier returned home Sunday after a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Millholland and family. She reports the country destitute of any kind of crops and the weather most exceedingly hot.

Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Zachry and young son, James are spending the summer in East Texas.

Mr. Zachry and sister, Miss Margaret returned to their home in Jefferson last week following several days visit in Spur with their sister, Mrs. Jimmie Sample who went home with them for an extended visit.

Mrs. Bullock Tillotson is in Carbon for a visit with an aunt and friends.

Sheriff Arthur was a business visitor in Spur Saturday.

Tommie McArthur was visiting in the cornellius home Sunday and was a participant in an interesting forty-two game. He and Raymond Cornellius defeating Mrs. Compton and Miss Lela Cornellius. The boys are reported to be rather proud of their signs and the way they worked.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McArthur and S. W. Rathers of the Red Mud section were greeting friends and shopping in Spur Monday.

Mrs. Bob Westerman and daughters, Nadine, and Mrs. Clarence Watters, returned the past week end from Brown and Callahan counties where they spent a two weeks visit with relatives and friends.

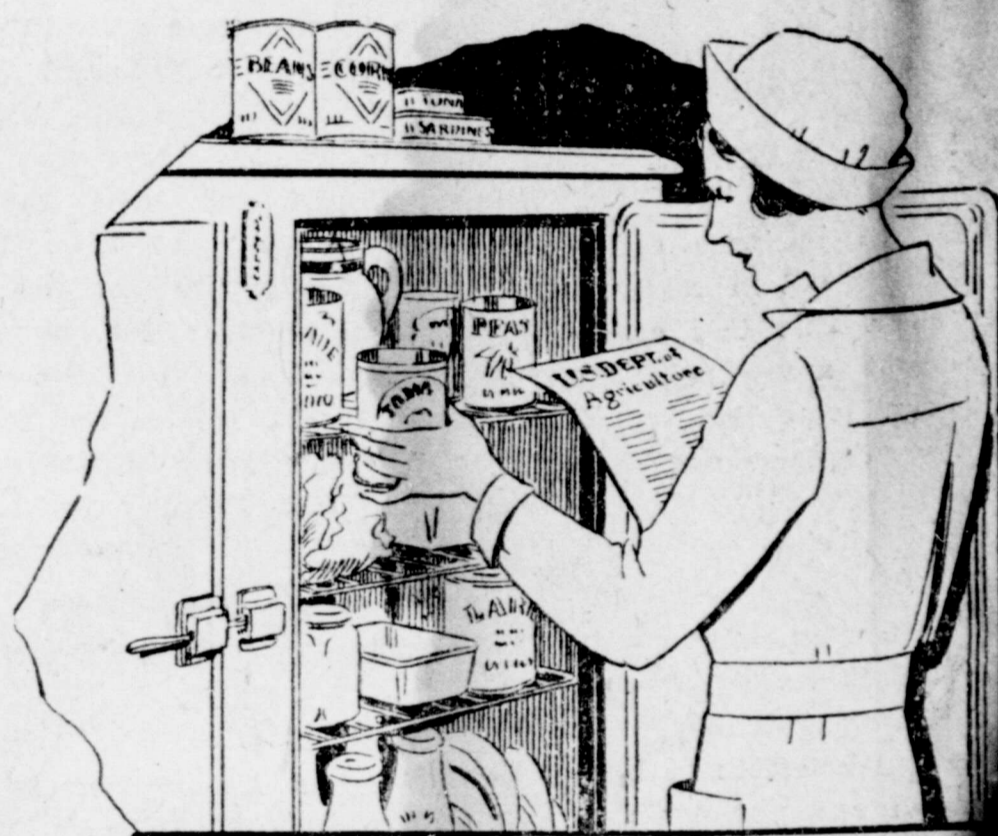
Mrs. McCombs and daughter, Miss Eloise, of Twin Wells were in Spur Monday shopping and visiting.

James Fox left Wednesday of this week for a visit to his home in

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Authority Speaks

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Mr. and Mrs. Poley Williams of Twin Wells, were first Monday shoppers and visitors in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bennett, prominent citizens of Elton, were shopping with the merchants and visiting with other trades day visitors in Spur Monday.

Pat Patterson left Saturday for Gunter for a two weeks vacation and visit with relatives and to accompany Mrs. Patterson and children home following an extended visit to homefolks and friends.

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