



# THE TEXAS SPUR

## AND THE DICKENS ITEM



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### TEXAS VOTES FOR REPEAL & BEER AMENDT.

ALL BOND ISSUES CARRY

Texas became the 23rd consecutive State in Saturdays election to line up with the 'wet parade' for the repeal of the Prohibition Amendment and for the legalization of the sale of 3.2 beer. Approximately half million votes had been tallied at the last reports showing a 114,485 lead for repeal and advocates of beer leading by a 128,306 majority.

Dickens county along with practically all of West Texas remained in the dry column although the majorities were comparatively small. Wet counties in this section, Mid-West Texas, where the sale of beer will be legal after September 14th are Stevens, Shackelford, Archer, Baylor, Wichita, Wilbarger, Cottle, King and Stonehall.

The local Stock law election carried by the overwhelming majority of 625 to 40 votes and other amendments, home rule, the bond issue, and homestead exemption amendments, carried by substantial majorities here as well as over the state.

### Totals Given In Dickens Co. Vote

The following are totals of the complete but unofficial vote in Dickens County in Saturday's election:

- Repeal of 18th Amendment—316 for, 452 against.
- Home Rule Amendment—436 for, 175 against.
- \$2,000,000 Bond Issue—483 for, 273 against.
- Legalizing Beer—313 for, 436 against.
- Home Tax Exemption—607 for, 112 against.
- Local Stock Law—625 for, 40 against.

All boxes voted as the above totals indicate with the exception of Dickens, Afton and Wichita in which every issue carried.

### Dry Goods Men Are Busy Weighing Up Cotton Goods for Tax

In conformity with the N R A program local merchants have been busy night and day this week weighing all cotton and cotton content merchandise in their stocks. They are required to weigh this merchandise and pay a tax of something over 4 cents per pound to the federal government. It is estimated that the tax to be paid by Spur stores will be over \$5,000.00.

The general public is asked to bear with the merchants in the forced raise in prices which is part of the N R A program and also to be patient with new and perhaps inexperienced employees who have been given positions in conformity with the codes.

### West Texas Editors Will Convene in Spur

Closing a two-day meet at Sweetwater Saturday, the West Texas Press Association selected as their next meeting place Spur. Max Bentley, editor of the Abilene Morning News, was chosen as the new head for this organization.

Ray Nichols, Vernon editor, Walter D. Cline, of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, were the principal speakers on the program. A barbecue at Santa Fe made up part of the entertainment.

W. Wright, of Elton, was here

Buy your Pigs Next 2 Weeks

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### Municipal Plant Will Voluntarily Comply With NRA Program

Announcement was made this week by City Manager Larry Burrows that the Spur Municipal Utilities would voluntarily comply with the N. R. A. program in regard to working hours and wages.

The decision was made after receiving the following message from Harvey W. Draper, Executive Secretary of League of Texas Municipalities:

"A wire August 25 in response to a special inquiry to American Municipal Association (National association of state leagues of municipalities) headquarters at Washington says 'Municipal plants exempt from blanket code and special utility code.' This ruling is authentic, having been secured from N. R. A. headquarters at Washington by our special representative, and we believe all municipally owned light and power plants in Texas will be safe in operating in accord with the above information, until further notice."

At a meeting of the City Commission Saturday night, however, it was decided that regardless of above ruling that Municipalities would be exempt that the local organization would comply with the program.

On September 1, an additional man will be employed in the light and power plant thus enabling them to reduce the working hours to the number required by the code. It would not be necessary to make a change in wages however, he stated, since the present scale was considerably above the code requirements.

The City organization is to be commended on this decision to comply with the Presidents program especially in that they are exempt and are doing so voluntarily. No announcement was made as to who the new man to be employed would be.

### Big Crowds Here On Election Day

Hundreds of people thronged the streets of Spur Saturday trading and greeting friends and waiting for election returns on the various issues.

Among the many out of town visitors were M. P. Smith, of Highway, M. M. Allison, of Croton, O. C. Newberry of Dickens, Mrs. R. L. Emert of west of Dickens, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. McAteer, of the Egyptian farm north of the city, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Booth of Duck Creek, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Kidd and family of Highway, Mr. and Mrs. Elza Armstrong of Dry Lake, G. T. Andrews of Roaring Springs, W. L. Thannisch of Deer Lake, A. A. Goodwin of Prairie Chapel, Mrs. W. I. Smith of Dry Lake, W. F. Cathey of Soldier Md., Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier, Highway, L. L. Arnold of Duck Creek, J. E. Hale of Prairie Chapel, Preston Cyper of McAdoo, White Moore of the T42 ranch, Bud Beadle of Girard, Mr. and Mrs. Glover Russell of Girard, Mrs. Al Bingham of the Spur Rancho headquarters, Mrs. Bill Sauls of Colbert Ranch, B. F. Pope, Forest Martin and family of Highway, Faunt Harrell of Red Mud, R. B. Stanley of Dry Lake, W. L. Gilmore and family of McAdoo, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hindman, of north of the city three miles, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McArthur of Red Mud, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Halle of Afton, Joy C. Hoover of Wilson Draw, Mace Hunter and wife of Wilson Draw, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Braddock of Prairie Chapel, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Jordan of Steel Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Copeland of Red Hill, Claude Edwards of west of Dickens, Joe Edwards of Dickens, Henry Edwards of Croton, Commissioner Nuge Johnson of Afton, S. M. Baker of Soldier Mound, J. F. Lang of Girard, W. A. Johnson of Dry Lake, Ernest and Jim Nolan of Elton, Curley McDonald of Croton, J. B. Barton of McAdoo.

W. B. Arthur, the popular sheriff of Dickens county, was mingling with the election day crowds here Saturday.

Mrs. Mattie Sizemore of Croton, and her mother, Mrs. Davidson of Dumont, were shopping and visiting in Spur Saturday.

The merchants and business men themselves in doubt what is expected of them and just how to proceed, and most of them are sincere in their desire to cooperate. If they

### To the Consuming Public of Spur's Trade Territory

WHAT IS YOUR DUTY IN RESPECT TO THE NATIONAL RECOVERY ACT—THE SIGN OF THE BLUE EAGLE?

General Johnson, National Recovery Act Director, is simply asking that the consumer sign a little pledge card known as Consumers Statement of Cooperation on which is the following pledge: "I will cooperate by supporting and patronizing employers and workers who are members of N. R. A."

This whole thing is simply a nationally organized campaign to put the heads of 12 million families back to work, or in other words, to bring about a more equitable distribution of the coin of the realm. If these unemployed consumers get back to work they can go into the markets and buy, what they have been unable to buy for the past three years, everything that our farms produce. There are two simple facts that any school child can understand. 1. The workers of America cannot buy until they get back to work. 2. The producers or the Farmers of America cannot expect a decent price for what they raise until the workers can buy their products. The N. R. A. program is just one cog in the scheme thought out by the very best minds in America selected by President Roosevelt for the job. Neither you nor I are in position to match our knowledge of the National situation against theirs. Our Only Duty is To Cooperate To The Very Limit Of Our Ability.

The business houses in Spur have expressed a one hundred percent willingness to cooperate and are displaying the Blue Eagle. The officials of the N. R. A. program will take these Blue Eagles away from them if they fail to live up to their pledge. The lines are slowly tightening in the enforcement program. It cannot be done in a day.

The Only Certain Way For You To Know Whether A Firm Is Cooperating Is By The fact he is still displaying the Blue Eagle. The average person is in no position to judge whether a person or firm is living up to his pledge or not. There are so many different codes and angles to the situation that The Only Fair And Just Procedure For You To Take is to patronize only those who display the Blue Eagle. There Are Certain To Be A Few Chisslers And Cheaters Displaying The Blue Eagle But You Can Rest Assured That In The Due Course Of Time They Will Have Their Blue Eagle Taken Away From Them. Then will be ample time for you to exercise your pledge. It is Dangerous business to make up your mind some firm or person is violating his pledge and spread tales that might result in some firm being seriously injured. You could be mistaken, in which case you would be subject to a damage suit. The Only Safe Thing For A Person To Do Is Watch For The Blue Eagle And Be Governed Accordingly. To listen to tales and then repeat them is very dangerous business. The thing to do is find out and the only way to find out is go to some one who knows.

The Spur Chamber of Commerce has been designated by General Johnson to handle the N. R. A. program in town where there is no trade associations. We are asking that all violations be reported by the persons observing them. Your name will not be divulged in the investigation that will result if you so desire. Please bring all charges to this office. The secretary will look into the matter very carefully. Do not bring hear say tales to us. We want only personal observations and contacts. "So and so" is more than apt to be mistaken or a liar. Lets be careful but firm. This must go over and it will go over but it must injure only those who deserve to be injured.

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### Spur Schools Will Open On Sept. 11

A LARGE ENROLLMENT IS EXPECTED

At a meeting of the board of trustees of Spur Independent School District last Friday evening the 11th of September was set as the opening date of the Spur Schools, which date had been announced unofficially by the superintendent some few weeks ago. The board transacted much business including the approval of a bus trade with the International Harvester people for a larger bus to take care of the increase enrollment of High School Tuition pupils and which are expected to ride the Spur School Buses. The Ford bus which had given good service for the past three years was traded in on the International which will have a larger seating capacity and accommodate the expected increase. The board also elected H. C. Foote to teach in the schools subject to the assignment of the superintendent. Mr. Foote will come in with his 25 or 30 High School Pupils from Highway and take care of the increased teacher need caused by this transfer of Highway Community High School pupils. Mr. Oliver Brinnel was elected to take the position vacated by Mr. McCarty. Mr. Brinnel will drive the Espuela-Dry Lake Tuition Bus and teach High School Mathematics and Commercial work. Mr. Foote has the Bachelor's Degree from Arkansas University and Mr. Brinnel has the Bachelor and Master Degree in Mathematics from Southern Methodist at Dallas. Mr. Foote has had several years of experience and Mr. Brinnel has taught one year besides his practice teaching in the University Park Schools of Dallas while in the University. Mr. Brinnel will keep the Tuition Bus at the Spur Ranch Headquarters and drive in every morning, teach during the day, and drive out with the pupils in the afternoon.

The other two buses will be driven by Mr. J. R. Laine and Glenn Latham. The superintendent contemplates stricter rules of conduct on buses and better care and more careful driving on the part of the drivers for the coming term. Steps are being taken to insure the buses against accidents etc.

The board of trustees passed on the annual budget for 1933-34 term as presented by the superintendent and it is published elsewhere in this issue. A careful study of this budget will show the reader that the district will receive more money from the state than is paid for teaching costs, that is paid out in teacher's salaries. State money can be used only in paying teachers salaries. High School Tuition received can be used in paying teaching cost and supplies, etc. A closer study will reveal the fact that the local taxes are used to pay Debt Service, that is bonded indebtedness, building operation and maintenance, etc. Local tax payers have long pined over the prospects of having the teacher's bleed them in the payment of salaries to teachers from the local taxes levied are sorely disappointed upon a close study of the facts in the case. The purpose in the publishing of this budget is to inform the public where the money comes from and where it goes. Any citizen has the right to make inquiry and investigation in the matter.

The board of trustees also recorded the fact that the Auditor in the State Department of Education had audited the recent Report made by the Depository and School District of the receipt and disbursement of school finance in the district and approved the report. Another report will be sent in by the bank for auditing after the first of September, 1933. After the return of this report

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are in this position how easy it would be for the average person not in business to pass too hasty a judgement.

The Spur Chamber of Commerce has only one object in this whole program and that is to carry out the desire of our great President for benefit of the general welfare.

D. L. Gumberry, Secretary Spur Chamber of Commerce

### Paramount Week Begins at the Palace

Starting Sunday, the Palace Theatre will begin its widely heralded celebration of Paramount Week in honor of another season of film productions from the pioneer producers of the screen. An augmented list of stars and directors suggests that Paramount's boast, as voiced by Manager Everts of the Palace Theatre, of bigger and better pictures, is no idle one. The attractions at the Palace Theatre for Paramount Week are: "Tonight is Our's" with Claudette Colbert and Fredrick March which will be shown on Sunday and Monday.

Tuesday and Wednesday that great screen favorite, Mae West will appear in "She Done Him Wrong" a picture that is guaranteed to please. "From Hell to Heaven" featuring Carol Lombard and Regis Toomey will be the main attraction for Thursday and Friday. On Friday night in connection with this picture the management announces another Race Night with complete change of Gift Boxes.

Saturday has been reserved for Hoot Gibson as "The Dude Bandit" which makes the week's line-up complete.

### Funeral of Mrs. Loyd Held at Afton Friday

Funeral services for Mrs. S. E. Loyd, who died suddenly at her home in Littlefield Thursday, were held at Afton Friday afternoon at 3:30.

Mrs. Loyd is the mother of Aubrey Loyd and Mrs. J. W. Hilton of Afton, and is one of the early day citizens of this county having made her home here for many years before moving to Littlefield a few years ago.

### General Rains Fall Here Saturday Night

A general rain fell over this entire section Saturday night of last week falling slowly and continuing most of the night. Several showers have since given the entire country plenty of rain and in many parts it is reported that farmers have received more than they need.

Present indications are that although somewhat spotted one of the best crops in history of the county will be harvested here this fall.

### Dickens High School Began Term Monday

The Dickens High School began its 1933-34 term Monday with good attendance and well chosen faculty.

The organization includes: A. C. Sharp, superintendent; Odes F. Martin, principal; Van Leer of Tulia, History; Miss Mary Estes, Spanish; Miss Ruth Dietrich, grades; Miss Cleon Newberry, grades; Miss Pauline Oliver, grades; Miss Jewel Giesiecke, grades.

### Nichols Sanitarium

Mrs. Luther Stark, of Afton is improving satisfactorily following a very severe heart attack twelve days ago.

Mrs. Bob Fox is getting along nicely following a major operation Monday of last week.

Mr. Simon Hartman, of Afton is getting along nicely and will soon be able to return home.

Haskell Bird has returned to his home in Afton following an operation a week or two ago.

Mrs. Bill Fowler was able to be moved to the L. W. Langston home Sunday.

Mrs. Raymond Licon, of McAdoo, was operated Tuesday and is getting along nicely.

Marion Hutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Hutton, of Dry Lake, underwent a tonsil operation Tuesday, performed by Dr. Blackwell.

Little Jimmie Lee Bolch, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bolch, of Girard, had a tonsil and adenoid operation Tuesday and is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hinson are in Spur for several days and Mr. Hinson will work with the local grapher, Mr. Kilgore.

### J. H. Edwards A Dickens Pioneer Died Monday Eve

J. H. Edwards, 62 years of age, a pioneer of Dickens County died at his home in Dickens following several months illness from dropsy and leakage of the heart. He had been in ill health for several months and for the past two weeks had not been able to leave his bed and death was not unexpected when it came Monday evening, August 28.

"Uncle Henry" as Mr. Edwards was familiarly known by his multitude of friends, was born in Benton County, Arkansas, September 5, 1871. He moved with his parents to Eastland County at an early age and when he was 15 years of age (1886) left home and came to Dickens County where he began work as a cowboy. In 1892 he went back to Eastland county and was married to Miss Maude Lowery, the young couple returning to this county to make their home and have been continuous residents since.

Five children were born to Mr. and Mrs. Edwards, four sons and one daughter. They are Walter, John, Forest and Mrs. Barney Nichols of this county, and Luther, of Hollywood, N. M. All children and grandchildren were present at the funera with the exception of Luther and Billie Edwards, a grandson living at Paducah. Two brothers, Larry Edwards of Colorado, and Sam Edwards of Eastland, and a sister, Mrs. Ira Sladen of this county, also survive, Mrs. Sam Edwards and Mrs. Sladen being present at the funeral.

Funeral services were held at the residence in Dickens, Tuesday afternoon, conducted by Rev. Luther Billberry. Interment followed in the Dickens Cemetery.

Mr. Edwards was a real West Texas pioneer highly respected and a friend to all who knew him. He has been very active in the upbuilding and development of this section and his death will be a real loss.

### District Court Calls Recess For the Week

The District Court now in session at Dickens under District Judge Bain and Attorney A. J. Foley was recessed Tuesday by Judge Bain for a week to begin next Wednesday.

The Grand Jury adjourned Friday of last week returning five felony indictments, most of which are reported to be for burglary offenses.

### Highway Cafe Installs All-Electric Equipme't

Bob Fox, manager of the Highway Cafe on the corner of 5th and Burlington has just completed the installation of two electric stoves which makes his cafe electrically equipped throughout and one of the most modern to be found in Western Texas.

Mr. Fox extends a cordial invitation to the general public to drop in at any time and inspect the new equipment as well as to sample the meals and short orders served there.

### W. A. Bell Takes Over Management Of the Bells Cafe

W. A. (Bill) Bell has again taken over the management of Bell's Cafe and is this week back on the job at his former place of business. For the past several months Mr. Bell has been operating his Chili King Cafe but has turned the management of this place over to Willard Harkey and in the future will be located in his big cafe on the East side of Burlington.

J. T. Powell, of Afton, was a Spur visitor Monday and while here was a pleasant caller at The Texas Spur office. Mr. Powell reports a good night Sunday night but states that the few dollars in the coffee in the community and that postponing operations are being carried on.



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**A Correction**

Kindly allow a correction as to case of Johnies sickness. Eight and one half years ago he was taken with Encephalitis, a disease not known to medical science until 1917. It affects its victims in many ways. Is sometimes called sleeping sickness but with him it had the opposite effect. Often he did not sleep at all for several days. The disease affects the nerves that control the muscular action and he gradually became more and more helpless.

The very best doctors everywhere we consulted, U. S. Clinic, Washington, D. C., St. Louis, Detroit, Mich., all said there was no hope for a cure. That the paralysis would likely reach his heart and then the end. This is what we believe happened, causing him to fall backwards into the tank. Face features were composed, eyes closed, hands across his body.

All the family desire to thank the many friends for their wonderful help and sympathy. Our neighbors were wonderful. The many floral offerings were beautiful beyond words.

Respectfully,  
 W. A. CRADDOCK

**Methodist Church**

Last Sunday was another good day for the Church. Now as the Vacation time is past and a new School term is to begin we feel sure that the Church work will be much improved. Doctor Slover was with us last Sunday and spoke at the morning hour and held the Fourth Quarterly Conference in the afternoon.

The service Sunday night was well attended. The Young People's Choir is doing fine with their singing.

Let everyone be in their place next Sunday. The pastor will speak on, "The Annual Exodus" Sunday morning. Come and bring your friends.

JOE E. BOYD, Pastor

Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols and children Pike, Martha Frances and Johnnie left Sunday for a vacation and visit to the World's Fair at Chicago.

Mrs. Rawly, of Mesquite, Texas, is spending an extended visit with her sister Mrs. S. C. Fallis and family.

Mrs. Nolen and daughter Mary Jo of Bracketville, left Wednesday following a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. S. C. Fallis and family.

We'll Come Clean  
 With You!



WE OFTEN GET UP

to the point of telling you that our idea of an OPTOMIST is the man who sees in the new arrived twins an exemption from income tax, and a PESSAMIST is the fellow who takes Listerine before talking over the phone to his girl.

People who use our laundry are confirmed OPTOMISTS because they anticipate the usual excellency of our performance. If you have other pressing duties at home or socially you will welcome the gratifying relief our family finish service affords. Every detail of our service is guaranteed to satisfy—our rates are all in your favor.

**SPUR LAUNDRY**

ECONOMY & EFFICIENCY HAS  
 MADE THIS THE WIFE  
 PREFERRED

**Home Demonstration Agent Enjoys Fair**

After spending two weeks in Chicago attending the Century of Progress and seeing the sights in Chicago and the surrounding country the home agent is back on the job well pleased with the trip. We spent four and a half days in the Exposition grounds and feel that we saw all the important exhibits and displays. Of course much more time than that could be used in the hall of Science alone if one studied all the charts and pictures. With no previous knowledge of science one could gain a splendid working knowledge of all the branches of science from the display there.

As the title suggests the Exposition is displaying a progress in all lines of industry. In many instances the first and latest model were displayed side by side; for example the Packard car in the Travel and Transport building; also the first Pullman and the latest.

Having heard so much about the Texas exhibit, or lack of it, in the Court of States, I was agreeably surprised to find that our exhibit measured up fairly well with the twenty state exhibits. A great deal more time and money had been spent on some of the displays than on ours but it did give a pretty good idea of the immensity of the state and the great variety of natural resources at her command.

I believe the thing that impressed me most was the fact that so many industries were shown with miniature of the factory of men at work. It is getting down to a fine point when a tiny replica of the National Biscuit Company's bakery really bakes or a miniature sulphur mine mines sulphur as it is done in our Texas sulphur mines.

It is hard to realize that we had a "depression" when one sees the thousands of people who are at the Fair every day. One afternoon while waiting for my group we counted the people who passed on a four foot walk. In the three counts made the number averaged 100 people every two minutes. That four foot was no more crowded than the driveway and walk running parallel with it either. For one who loves the broad open spaces it was joy to return to West Texas. I talked with one dear old lady who attended the World's Fair in 1893. She said that was better than this for you did not walk yourself to death seeing everything. It seems to me it could not have been any more compact and left room for all the visitors.

We visited the Chicago stock market; attended the baccalaureate services at Chicago University; spent a half day in Marshall Field's store; visited Hull House, Market Street, and China town; took a boat trip to Milwaukee where we went through the Blatz Brewery; took a boat trip to Benton Harbor, Michigan, where we visited the Colony of the House of David. Nor would we forget to mention the Sky ride with Amos and Andy.

But we are home now ready to give 32 demonstrations in so many club meetings in September and answer uncounted questions on as many subjects and don't forget we are glad to be back.

CLARA PRATT.

**Assembly of God**

The Revival held at Red Top School house was a great success. 32 wept their way through to Salvation. 15 were filled with the Holy Ghost. 24 followed the Lord in Baptism. A young peoples band was organized with 25 charter members. N. C. Whitlock and Francis Whitlock were in charge of the meeting. The revival here held by Rev. C. E. Wilson was well attended and the messages were inspiring and helpful. The revival closed Sunday night with a large crowd and good interest.

The singers and workers returned to their homes Monday. Jewel Jones to San Angelo, Jewel Kimbell to Artisia, N. M.

Mrs. Francis Whitlock and husband are now gone to New Mexico but will return next week to make Spur their future home. They will help with the church work here at Spur and surrounding communities. On account of the rainy weather we have moved our services back to the theatre building north of the Spur National Bank.

Services, night at 8 p. m. Sunday School at 10 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Evangelistic services Sunday night at 8 p. m.

A hearty welcome is extended to all who desire to see the blessings of God with us.

Without Pastor

**Personals**

Miss Era Belle Hogan is spending this week with Miss Betsy Wilson in Lubbock.

W. F. Foreman was a business visitor in Spur Tuesday.

J. L. Hutto was in Tuesday and dropped in at the Texas Spur office to have an ad put in the paper. He states that his crops are the best since 1927 and that worms are doing very little damage at present.

W. P. Allen, of Afton, was a visitor in Spur Tuesday and while here was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office. Mr. Allen states that he received a nice rain which was of much benefit to his crops.

Mrs. Roy Harkey returned home Monday from a three weeks vacation and visit to Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Townsend, Madill, Oklahoma, and a trip to the Century of Progress Worlds Fair at Chicago.

Mrs. T. A. Johnson and children are spending an extended visit with relatives in Marshall, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lee accompanied by Bobbie Lee of Plainview returned to their respective homes following a two weeks visit to relatives and friends at Sherman, Kilgore and Denton. Their daughter, Mrs. Bertie Kilgore and daughter, Katherine, came home with them for an extended visit. They report a most enjoyable visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams, of New Wark, N. J., are in Spur spending their vacation visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Williams.

Sherrod Williams and family of Paducah spent several days of last week guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George M. Williams. Other relatives visiting Mr. and Mrs. Williams last week were her brother, J. S. Boyd, of Denton, Mr. William's brother, J. M. Williams and wife of Denis, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Evans of Childress, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Stewart and Miss Virginia and Fredrick Stewart returned to their home in Vernon Saturday of last week after spending a ten days visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Posey and neice of Dallas, drove over to San Angelo, Tuesday for a few days visit with his brother and family at that place.

Miss Clara Pratt returned home Monday from a 2 weeks vacation. Whileaway Miss Pratt visited the Century of Progress Fair at Chicago and visited homefolks. Her sister, Miss Edith accompanied her home and will remain for an extended stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Copeland and children, Bill and Rene, returned to their home in Meadow, Monday following an extended visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Copeland.

Horace Woods of Antelope was in Spur Tuesday with a load of nice melons which he sold on the Spur market.

Little Billie Gene Verner has been quite ill the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Proctor returned Sunday, August 27 from Lamesa where they have been making their home the past several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Berry spent last week end with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Williamson, upon the Plains.

Misses Wilma and Lillie McArthur of Red Mud were Spur visitors Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Putman and son, 'Doga', of Vernon, are spending this week in Spur visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Putman and son, Bill, and their many friends here.

Miss Gladys Johnson is home for a few days following her completion of a course in beauty culture in Lubbock. We understand Miss Gladys expects to open a beauty shop in Littlefield at an early date.

Mr. and Mrs. Haskel Edwards and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cox of Baird were guests of their aunt Mrs. T. C. Ensey and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDonald of a few miles west of Spur were in town Wednesday, shopping and visiting.

C. D. Copeland of 6 miles east of town were in Spur shopping Tuesday. Mr. Copeland celebrated his birthday anniversary Saturday August 25th.

Misses Hazel and Wanda Watson were Spur visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Davis were in Tuesday from their home at Spur Ranch Headquarters.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Karr announce the arrival of twin girls weighing 4 1-2 and 5 pounds, Monday, August 28th.

W. C. Messer of Espuela was a business visitor in Spur Tuesday.

Miss Pearl Mathews, teacher in Forest Ave. High School, Dallas, was a recent visitor to her sisters, Mesdames W. C. Garben and T. C.

Ensey and families.

LOST—Barrel kerosene off truck between Spur and Highway School. Notify Consumers Fuel, McAdoo for reward. 1p

Dick Lewis and his mother, Mrs. Minnie Lewis are this week moving to Roaring Springs where Dick will accept a position with the G. Gabriel dry goods store. For the past several years Dick has been employed in various dry goods stores of this city and is an experienced and able salesman. We are sure he will do well in his new position.

W. E. Dorch was here Wednesday with a load of fresh vegetables and other produce from his farm just north of the city.

Lon Bass, of Dry Lake, was in Wednesday with a load of the largest melons we have seen this year and while here dropped by the Texas Spur office and let us have a couple of the biggest ones to apply on his paper. Thanks Lon.

Mr. and Mrs. Milburn Dunaway and children of Legion are visiting Mrs. M. Hargrove and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cloud this week.

Bill Cornelius is here from Magdalen on a furlough from the CCC for a visit with relatives and friends. He intends to re-enlist in the CCC and move to Hot Springs.

Mrs. Sam Edwards and two sons of Ranger and Henry Vangeen of Eastland, nephews and sister-in-law of J. H. Edwards, attended the funeral at Dickens Tuesday.

Former Judge O. C. Newberry and family of near Dickens were visitors in Spur Saturday.

L. C. Ponder was in Saturday from his excellent Duck Creek farm home just a few miles east of the city.

Harry Ellis, of the Rocking Chair Ranch, was in Spur Friday stating that they had two fine rains and that everything was looking fine.

T. L. Conoway was here Saturday from Croton.

**KALGARY**

Mr. and Mrs. Olie Scott visited in the home of Mrs. Laura Crump, Thursday.

Messers Craig Parsons and Bob Hale were shoppers in Spur Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Self and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinson, Sunday. Mr. Self's parents, who have been visiting their daughter, Mrs. C. W. Hinson, returned to their home with them.

Miss Rosa Nell Gilmore who has spent most all of the summer in this community left late Sunday afternoon for Mr. Tom Gilmore's, where she will stay while attending school at Spur.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gilmore Friday, were Mr. and Mrs. Olan Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Rob Styles and three daughters from Texahoma, Oklahoma, and Miss Rosa Nell Gilmore.

Mr. A. V. Bell and Joe Gibson were Spur visitors, Monday.

Mrs. H. R. Witt left Monday for Montague county. Her daughter, Novelle, and son, Lois and family accompanied her to Spur.

Rev. Harvey Draper held a meeting here last week.

Miss Geardeon Maze was on the sick list all of last week.

Wright Hinson Jr. and Satch Witt spent the past week end in Spur.—Reporter

**Baptist Church**

The meeting is history now but we trust that the results of it will live on in the hearts and lives of many. It was indeed a great meeting in that souls were saved, Christians revived and eighty four were added to the church. We trust that this is the beginning of a new day for the church when the people of God humble themselves. He will bless them both spiritually and materially.

Bro. Ray is a God fearing man and relies wholly on the Holy Spirit for guidance and inspiration. The church was indeed fortunate in securing him.

On August the twenty-first, Bro. Rodgers went to Gorman to hold a two weeks meeting. On the last Sunday, Rev. John Roden, pastor at Gorman filled the pulpit here at both the morning and evening services. The pastor will return for the services next Sunday. In the afternoon the ordinance of baptism will be administered to a number of candidates at the old bridge on Duck Creek.

On Wednesday night following the first Sunday in September will be held the regular monthly business meeting of the church at this time all the teachers and officers of the Sunday School and church will be elected. Come and feel that you have a part in it.

All services at the regular hours next Sunday.—Reporter

**Wichita - Croton**

School began Monday with good attendance and an interesting program.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Porter, and daughter, Helen and son, Bob, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Nichols visited with Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lawson of Afton Sunday.

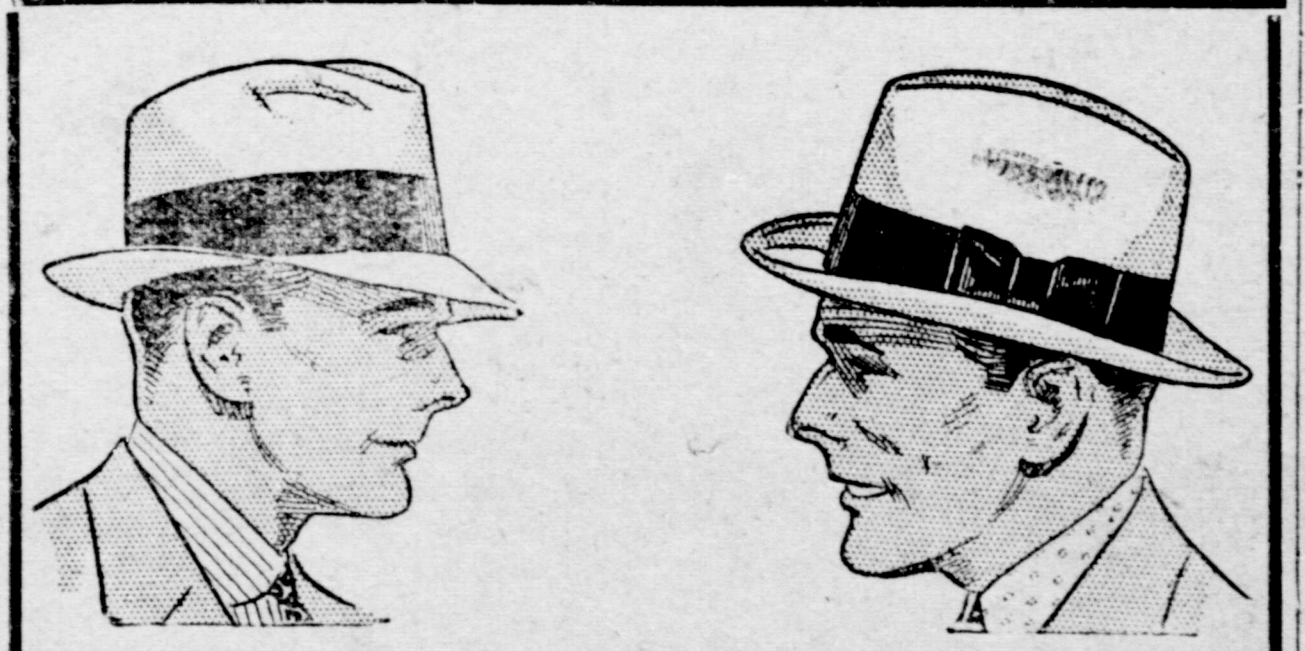
Mrs. W. P. Allen returned home from the Sanitarium Friday, also Mrs. H. B. Wynkoop returned home Saturday. Both are doing fine so far.

Miss Robbie Wyatt and Mr. Clay Edwards were quite married last week. We wish for them much happiness and good luck.

Miss Apis Rogers spent Sunday with Miss Nita Faye Owens.

Earl Hash of Wichita Falls, is making an extended visit with his cousin, Thurman Lewis.

Mrs. Floyd Bradley returned home



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Monday from near Sudan where she has been visiting some of her relatives. Her sister, Alma Morris returned home with her.

Mrs. Jess Price has been very sick. We hope she will be better soon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Shaw of Pitchfork Ranch spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Chesney spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Lewis.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Allen and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wynkoop.

Houston Littlefield of Pitchfork Ranch spent Sunday with Tom Porte.

Peyton Legg returned home from Tech last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Davie Hale and Eddie Hale spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hale.

Mrs. J. A. Legg and Peyton went to Blanchard, Oklahoma, Thursday to take Mrs. Featherston home. They returned Friday.—Reporter.

\* Mesdames O. Blasingame and daughter, Ross Murphy and Leon Robertson, of Prairie Chapel, were shopping and visiting in Spur Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harman King and Miss Emma Lou Johnson, of Afton, returned home last week from Sulphur Springs and Dallas where they had spent eight weeks visiting relatives and friends.

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## 23 YEARS AGO

W. C. Gruben and his brother from Royston left Spur recently for an extended trip over the Plains country prospecting and looking at the country with a possible view of investing some of their surplus funds in lands. Whether or not it is a paying proposition to invest in land, there is no question but that it is one of the safest investments to be had. Land will not burn up nor disappear within a night and each year the demand becomes greater for agricultural lands and in view of this fact the incentive is to invest and monopolize the supply for the future increase in price.

Cephus Hogan came over Tuesday from Dickens and will be with us permanently in the future as assistant cashier for the First State Bank. We are very glad to have Cephus with us.

S. W. Rather, of the Red Mud country brought in a load of watermelons Monday from his place. He left a big striped melon at the Texas Spur office which we enjoyed very much. Mr. Rather not only has watermelons but has some of the finest peaches to be seen anywhere. His peaches are of the Elberta variety and are as large as any fruit grown in the recognized fruit belts of the eastern part of the state. The sandy lands of Dickens county can not be excelled for fruit growing and this fact is evidenced by the overloaded orchards this year.

P. Hinson comes in almost every day from his place in the Red Mud country, and he always brings a load of some kind of farm produce from his farm. He has some fine peaches and water melons which he is hauling in now to the Spur market. Mr. Hinson is one of the most successful farmers of the county.

W. A. Johnson, of three miles northwest of town, was a pleasant caller at the office Monday and says the crops on his Dockum Stock Farm are in fine shape and growing nicely at this time. While here he had the paper sent to S. L. Emery, Earlsboro, Oklahoma.

J. A. Murchinson of the Draper country, had business in the city Monday and Tuesday. He reports the crops in his section of the country in fine shape, but says that the recent rains did not extend much further east than his place.

Mr. Senning, Cliff Lovelace, W. S. Taylor, E. C. Edmonds, J. M. Bennett, W. A. Hamilton, Ed Springer and B. F. Huntsman went over to Dickens Saturday night to attend a meeting of the Masonic order held that night.

Alva Smith and family are here from Hale Center visiting friends. Mr. Smith formerly lived here some two or three years ago.

W. A. Copeland and Sam McKay are gone to Crosbyton with two big loads of fruit and melons.

Elder M. M. Young left Monday for Duck Creek to begin a meeting there.

Dr. Hale, of Dickens, is building another four room residence in the northwest part of Spur.

T. E. Rucker, of near Dickens, was in the city the first of the week on business and while here had the Texas Spur sent to M. O. Rucker, Hico, Texas, for which he has our thanks. Mr. Rucker reports his crops in fine shape and the farmers in general in that sec-

tion expect to make bumper crops.

Rev. Elberry, of near Dickens, was in Spur the first of this week with a load of peaches from his place.

Mrs. Sam Smith, of near Tap was in the city Friday. Mrs. Smith makes two trips to town each week with milk and butter for her regular customers.

Tom McArthur was in town Thursday from the Red Mud country and while here was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office.

J. P. Higgins was in Tuesday from his Cat Fish ranch and reports everything in fine shape.

Sheriff Cole was over this week from the county capitol on official business.

Mr. Greer was in the city Friday from his place in the Red Mud country.

Mrs. C. M. Buchanan, of near Dickens, was in the city this week with a load of peaches and watermelons which she sold to townpeople. Mrs. Buchanan says that the peach and watermelon crops on their place is fine this year.

## WHITE RIVER

Mrs. J. R. Cozby and son, Razzie, of east of Spur were visiting in the J. T. Cozby home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Rogers were trading in Spur Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Martin and children were visiting in the Forest Martin home of Highway Monday.

A. L. Walker was transacting business in Spur Wednesday.

Henry Slack of the Swenson Ranch was visiting in the R. M. Slack home one day the past week.

Melvin Rankin of Red Mud was visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Rankin, one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cozby and daughters were shopping in Spur Saturday.

H. C. Peterson and R. M. Slack were attending to business in Crosbyton Monday.

Ed Martin was in the Kalgary community Monday.

Alf Gilmore was trading in Spur Saturday.

Quite a number of the people of this community attended the meeting at Kalgary the past week.

Mrs. J. J. Rogers and son, No-ville were attending business and visiting in Floydada the past Monday.

Robert and Ross Cannon were trading in Spur Saturday.

Lynn Rankin was transacting business in Spur Wednesday.

Bob Smith and Orlie Hope were visiting in the J. T. Cozby home Monday night.

The community was saddened Wednesday to learn of the death of Johnnie Craddock, of Peaceful Hill community.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Peterson were visiting in Spur the past Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Rankin and Mrs. Ida Rucker and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rankin of Red Mud Sunday.

Vivian Rankin was shopping in Spur Saturday.

Another good rain fell over the community Thursday night which was a great help to the late feed stuff.

J. T. Cozby was attending to busi-

ness in Crosbyton Monday.

W. J. Roger was transacting business in Crosbyton the past Monday.—Reporter.

## DRY LAKE

The Dry Lake B. Y. P. U. re-organized Sunday night. The following officers were elected: President, Doty Smith; Secretary, Ollie Hairgrove; Director, Mrs. Ellis Draper; Group Captain No. 1, Eula Smith; Group No. 2, Mrs. Ola Miller. We invite everyone to attend and to help build the union up.

Mr. Lee Peninger of Breckenridge was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Peninger last week.

Norwetta Smith spent Saturday night with Dorice Hutto.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Stanley and son Bertie were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Misses Ozelle and Lucille Rogers, Mrs. Neva Lane and Mrs. Paul Taylor of Eastland were the guests of Mr. Dan McMahan the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hindman and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hindman are visiting relatives in Van Zandt county.

Dorice Hutto spent Sunday with Norwetta Smith.

Messrs Herman and Wayne Bostick, who have been working the past few weeks near Plainview returned home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Barley and family of San Antonio were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Calvert the past Sunday.

Betty Jo Miller took Sunday dinner with Mary Helen Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Penniger, Miss Estelle Ponder and Mr. Lee Peninger visited the Carlsbad Caverns the past week.

Several people from this community attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Roaring Springs, Thursday.

Mr. Ray Gene Bostick is visiting in Stamford at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Harris and family were Spur visitors Saturday.

Mrs. W. A. Smith is spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. W. P. T.—Reporter.

Miss Peggie Elliott was in Spur Wednesday shopping and making preparations to return to Oklaunion Texas where she will teach in the schools again this year.

W. F. Shugart and sons Emery and Dick were greeting friends and transacting business here Monday.

Boney Scott, of Kalgary, is spending a few days in the city with his family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins returned Saturday from a 3 months visit to their son, Henry Elkins and wife in New York City and also attended the World's Fair at Chicago. They report visiting also with John A. Davis.

## Highway News

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Tree and little son of near Jayton, were visiting in the home of Mr. Tree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree, during the past week.

Grandpa and Grandma Vernon, visited with Bro. Harvey Draper and family the past week.

Little Jack Wynn who has made his home with his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hufstelder, the past five years, returned to his mother's home in California. Jack has many friends here and will be missed very much.

Bro. Harvey Draper of our community preached at Kalgary Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. Ted Mondy visited his parents at Seminole, Sunday.

Lavada Hahn returned to her home last Tuesday from Swenson, where she had been visiting relatives.

Bro. Young is holding a meeting at Highway this week, and invites all to come to services.

Hubert Blackman returned to his home Saturday after visiting with his brother in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Eastep visited Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Eastep of West End Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore of Spur attended the Christian services at Highway Monday night.

Walter Foreman of Espuela was in our community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ballard visited Mr. and Mrs. Terrel Sanlin Sunday. A large crowd attended Sunday School Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Hufstelder and Bro. Young took dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier Sunday.

Veto Miller took dinner with G. W. Moore Sunday.

Alma Nell Smith and T. C. Sanlin, visited Glen and Robert Hahn Sunday.

Lee Russell of Girard visited Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris Friday.—Reporter.

## Espuela News

Our Revival meeting ended Sunday morning. Everyone enjoyed the wonderful message Bro. Draper brought. He returned to his home in Quitaque, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. W. C. Messer spent Saturday with Mrs. S. T. Battles.

Mr. and Mrs. Seals Earnest spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jeff James.

Ruby Nell Morgan spent Saturday night with Daisy and Inez Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Ball spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dutton.

Clytee Collier of Spur spent the past week end with Wilma Morgan. James Warren of Brownfield is visiting his uncle, R. C. Warren and family.

Walter Messer spent Sunday with Loyd and Floyd Ball.

Ollie Day was here Wednesday from his farm home just north of the city. Mr. Day states that his crop is in excellent shape and that barring calamities he expects to gather over 35 bales of cotton from 50 acres.

Coach and Mrs. Thad Murley returned Monday from their summer vacation. They report an enjoyable vacation and the coach states that he is ready to go to work on the local lads and develop a good team here this season.

Gus Martin, a prominent citizen of the Afton community was among the election day crowds here Saturday.

T. O. Blasingame of Prairie Chapel was among the crowds in Spur Saturday.

C. M. Jackson, of Croton, was a Spur visitor Saturday.

Sebe Lambert, of the Lambert Store at Croton, was transacting business in Spur Wednesday.

W. R. Stafford, a large scale farmer of the Afton community was greeting friends and transacting business in Spur Friday.

Byron and Burnett Haney, merchants of Afton, were business visitors in Spur Friday of last week.

Albert Power was in Wednesday from his farm home just north of the city.

B. M. Blackman of the Highway community was mingling with the crowds and greeting friends in Spur Saturday.

J. W. Bragg, of Duck Creek, was in Spur Saturday and while here was a very pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office handing us a half a dollar to apply on his subscription. Mr. Bragg also complimented us on the paper for which he has our thanks.

Mrs. E. L. Caraway and son, Bill, Mrs. Cash Wileman and Mrs. W. S. Campbell returned the past weekend from Chicago where they attended the world's Fair. They made the trip by rail.

Joe Duffield, who has been in Kansas City the past several months is here on a visit relatives and friends.

Chester Edwards, of Morton, was a business visitor in Spur Wednesday.

Cephus Hogan, Federal Land Bank appraiser for the Panhandle, with headquarters at Matador, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bolch and children, of Girard, are spending a few days in Spur the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Acie Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McGee and daughter, Sammie, Mrs. Kelsey and Miss Gladys Fox returned Tuesday from a ten day trip to the Century of Progress at Chicago. They made the trip through in their car and report a most wonderful trip.

Mrs. W. H. Putman and son Lowell, of Vernon were in Spur Tuesday and Wednesday of this week visiting W. E. Putman and family.

Aubrey Havens of Kalgary was a business visitor in Spur Wednesday.

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SUSANNAH WESLEY SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS MET TUES.

The Susannah Wesley Sunday School Class met at the home of Mrs. J. C. Payne at 3 p. m. Tuesday, August 29, with Mesdames Koon, Smart, Abernathy, Keen T. C. Ensey, J. J. Ensey, and J. E. Morris as joint hostesses. Sewing and chatter were in order for some time. We then revealed our "Pollyannas" and drew a new name for the next quarter.

Quite an interesting "what have you, you don't need that some one else wants" sale was held. Money for class expenses was made in this way. A salad plate was passed to Mesdames Brown, McClung, White-ner, Johnson, McKeever, McGaughey, Gilbert, Foster, Fite, Gilmore, Boyd, Jones, Grissom, Brown, Hargrove, Ince, Kilgore, Lane, Laine, Watson, Lea, Foote, Barber, Snyder, Cooper, Hayes, Carson, McCulley, Twaddell, Misses Etta Fite, Edith Foote, Elizabeth Keen, and the hostesses.—Reporter.

MRS. C. B. JONES HONOR GUEST AT PARTY TUESDAY

A very prettily appointed party was given by the 1925 Bridge Club membership at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews, Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock, in honor of Mrs. C. B. Jones who is moving to Fort Worth.

Bowls of Autumn flowers made lovely decorations for the reception room.

Several games of auction bridge was enjoyed. Mrs. Fred Jennings made high score and received a lovely prize.

Mrs. Jones was presented a piece of Sterling Silver on which was engraved 1925 Bridge Club, as a souvenir from the club. We regret to lose Mrs. Jones as a permanent fixture in Spur but will expect her back to be with us often.

Mrs. Andrews was assisted by Mesdames P. A. Watson and Nellie Davis in serving a bounteous refreshment plate to those present, and enjoying the occasion. Mesdames Frank Laverty, Hill Perry, Jas. B. Reed, F. W. Jennings, C. L. Love, Elzie Watson, Oran McClure, R. E. Dickson, M. C. Golding, Nellie Davis, Pat Watson, W. T. Andrews, and honor guest, Mrs. C. B. Jones.

SPUR BOYS HAVE WATER-MELON FEAST AT ROARING SPRINGS FRI. NITE

Last Friday the Senior Department (Ready Class) went to Roaring Springs. There were 20 boys present. Watermelon was served on the lawn. Everyone had a good time on this "Stag" party. This class is growing all the time and we wish, if you are of age, you would join. Mr. John A. Moore is teacher.

Those present and enjoying the occasion were Richard Lewis, Pres., William Rodgers, Vice-Pres., William Starcher, Sec., Lenoy Hazel, Wilburn Cruse, Lloyd Green, Lynn Mayfield, Ferrell Albin, Marion Christol, Junior Russell, Norris Russell, Bernard Golding, Reuben Draper, Jack Jones, Alfred Payne, Luther Garner, Wallace Conoway, and several others. Boxing on the Lawn was the main sport.—Rep.

SPUR GIRLS ENJOY CAMPING TRIP AT ROARING SPRINGS

Misses Era Belle Hogan, Betsy Wilson, Julia Mae Albin, Wanda Watson, Patti King and Hazel Watson returned Saturday from a camping trip at Roaring Springs. They report that they had more to eat than was good for six swimming champions, but that may be boasting their own cooking. However they have sore muscles, blistered skins, and mosquito bites enough to prove that the outing was a huge success.

MESDAMES ROY AND SHERROD WILLIAMS HONOR GUESTS AT PARTY

Mrs. Geo M. Williams was hostess at a lovely party Friday afternoon from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock at her home in West Spur, given in honor of her daughters, Mesdames Roy Williams, of Newark, N. J., and Sherrod Williams of Paducah, Texas. The reception rooms were very pretty with decorations of gorgeous hued Autumn flowers and in this setting the pleasant hours were spent in conversation.

Mesdames Nellie Davis and W. T. Andrews assisted the hostess in serving a very delicious refreshment plate consisting of cut cake, hot coffee and salted almonds. Those calling during the afternoon were Mesdames W. J. Elliott, Kate Senning, F. W. Jennings, E. J. Cowan, P. C. Nichols, Nellie Davis, W. T. Andrews, W. F. Godfrey, Oran McClure, Hill Perry, M. C. Golding, W. C. Gruben, L. R. Barrett, F. G. Rodgers, Ned Hogan, Ray Sanders, Doc Ellis, W. D. Starcher, A. C. Hull, Lawis Lee, Cal Martin, E. L. Smith, J. E. Berry, D. H. Zachry, Roy Stovall, Jas. B. Reed, V. C. Smart, C. L. Love, T. H. Blackwell, J. P. Carson, M. L. Jones, R. C. Forbis, Pauline Clemmons, Hub Swan, M. H. Brannen, Webber Williams, D. L. Granberry, Mary Putman, Brumfield of Royston, Carrol Cobb of Brownwood, and Miss Virginia Forbis.

MRS. M. C. BRILEY IS HOSTESS TO P. M. W. CLUB

Mrs. M. C. Briley was a delightful hostess to the P. M. W. Club at her home Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Forty-two was the entertaining feature for the afternoon and at the close of the games a lovely refreshment plate was served to the following guests: Mesdames D. J. Dyess, A. G. Dunwody, Lester Ericson, John A. Moore, Joe Butler, G. A. Sloan, Pat Patterson, Bud Rennels, Sam Fox, Mack Tidwell, and Miss Jewel Ursy.

NATALEE BAILEY IS HOSTESS

Little Miss Natalee Bailey was a charming hostess to her club membership and a few other invited guests Wednesday morning at 9:30 o'clock when she entertained at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Acie Bailey on east 5th street.

Various games were played and the winners were rewarded with toy mice and rats.

A delicious salad refreshment plate was served and dainty dolls were given as favors. The guest list follows: Little Misses Belva Swan, Peggy Jane Hogan, Opal Jean Laverty, Ruby and Emily Jane Cowan, Wynell McClure and Jimmie Lee and Billie Bolch, of Girard.

Waggoner - Verner

Mr. Tom Verner, of this city, and Miss Zada Belle Waggoner, of Girard, drove over to Jayton Saturday and were united in marriage by Rev. Baughman at the Methodist parsonage. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Jake Twaddell of Spur, Miss Frances Hunter of Clairemont, and Miss Pearl Edwards, of Girard.

Mr. Verner is a son of Mrs. T. M. Verner and has lived in this community all his life. He is a very popular young man and holds a responsible position with Henry Alexander and Company.

Mrs. Verner is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Waggoner, one of the most prominent and highly respected families of the Girard community.

The Texas Spur joins their many friends in extending them congratulations and best wishes. They will make their home in Spur.

Rawlings - Powell

Mr. Johnnie Powell and Miss Lorena Rawlings, a popular young couple both of whom are graduates of Spur High School, drove over to Clovis Sunday, August 20th and were quietly married.

Mr. Powell is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Powell and Mrs. Powell is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Rawlings, both prominent and highly respected families.

The newly weds will make their home in Hamlin where Mr. Powell is employed in the Safeway Store. Their many friends here extend them congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life.

Hahn - Riddle

Last Sunday morning Mr. Homer Hahn and Mrs. Naomi Riddle were married at the Methodist parsonage in Spur. Rev. Joe E. Boyd read the ceremony. These young people are from the Highway community. The many friends wish these young people success in their married life.

20th CENTURY CLUB MEET TUE.

The 20th Century Club will meet next Tuesday, September 5th with Mrs. Jim Foster, at 3:30 o'clock.—Reporter.

Mrs. Willis Smith, an early day citizen of this section was here from her home on Red Mud Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forbis and Miss Virginia, of Afton, were visitors in Spur Saturday.

School Starts Monday

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port the Superintendent plans (by the permission and sanction of the board) to publish in the papers these Audits and reports made over the past four years to indicate what has been done by school authorities toward meeting the emergencies created by the depression. The figures show a startling drop in receipts and expenditures, especially a curtailment of expenditures to meet the decreasing receipts.

The board of trustees elected Mr. McVee to be janitor in the Junior High School. Mr. Mecum will have the Senior High School and Mr. Joe Draper will have the Ward School.

The faculty line-up for the coming term are as follows: Sr. High School. R. B. Neilson, B. S., Prin. Sr. High School; C. B. Middleton, B. S., Voc. Agriculture; David Sisto, B. A., M. A., Spanish; Pauline Buster, B. A., English; Sarah McNeill, B. A., English; Illa Lassiter, B. A., History; Julia Maxwell, B. A., History; Mrs. A. E. Chapman, B. A., Home Economics; Oliver Brinnel, B. A., M. A., Mathematics; Thad Murley, B. S., Science-Coach; Sam Z. Hall, B. S., M. A., Superintendent. Junior High School. F. F. Vernon, Principal; Mrs. A. O. White, Reading; Mrs. L. B. Tillotson, Writing-Spelling, etc.; Mrs. O. L. Kelley, Geography; Mr. H. C. Foote, History. One teacher in High School will do part time.

Ward School. O. L. Kelley, Principal; Mrs. Zachry, Mrs. Collier, Miss Ella Mae Hogan, Miss Annie Mae Lassiter, Miss Mary Elizabeth Hogan, Miss Jane Douglas Wilson, Miss Alice Wright, Miss Charlsie Hayes, Colored School. H. T. Haynes, Prin; Theresa Goldstien, Assistant.

The board levied the tax rate for the Spur Schools for 1933-34 at \$1.00, 70c maintenance and 30c bond.

Brittain Forbis, of Afton, was a guest in the McCure home Saturday night and Sunday.

Dr. J. T. Wylie returned Saturday from Dallas where he has been with Mrs. Wylie who was operated there recently. He reports her doing nicely at this time.

W. H. Harkey, of Odessa, who has been here the past several days on a visit to his brother Tom Harkey and other relatives and friends, left Monday for his home. Mr. Harkey stated that the Odessa sevtion was suffering from a severe drouth. He was accompanied by Carl Harkey who is returning to a position in Roswell, N. M., and Miss Anita Harkey, who will visit a sister, Mrs. Garnett Reeves, in Lubbock.

Johnnie Koonsman, of Croton, was a Spur visitor Friday of last week.

Mrs. Dick Sampson, of Clairemont was a shopper and visitor in Spur Friday.

Commissioner Ed Fuqua, of Antelope, was greeting friends and transacting business here Friday.

Tom A. Upshaw, a prominent banker of Stamford, was a visitor in Spur Saturday.

Ollie Hindman was here Monday from his farm home north of the city.

W. A. Kimmell, of Dry Lake, was among the Spur visitors Monday.

Luther Stark and father, of Prairie Chapel were here Monday to be with Mrs. Stark who is an inmate in Nichols Sanitarium.

Master James Bumpus, of Italy, Texas is here on an extended visit to his brothers Whit and Wilky Bumpus and will probably attend school here the coming term.

J. F. Young, of Afton, was transacting business here Monday. He reports some worm damage to cotton in his community.

Mrs. M. K. Lawson and daughter of Afton were Spur shoppers Monday.

Ted Goodwin of the Goodwin Gin at Prairie Chapel was here Monday.

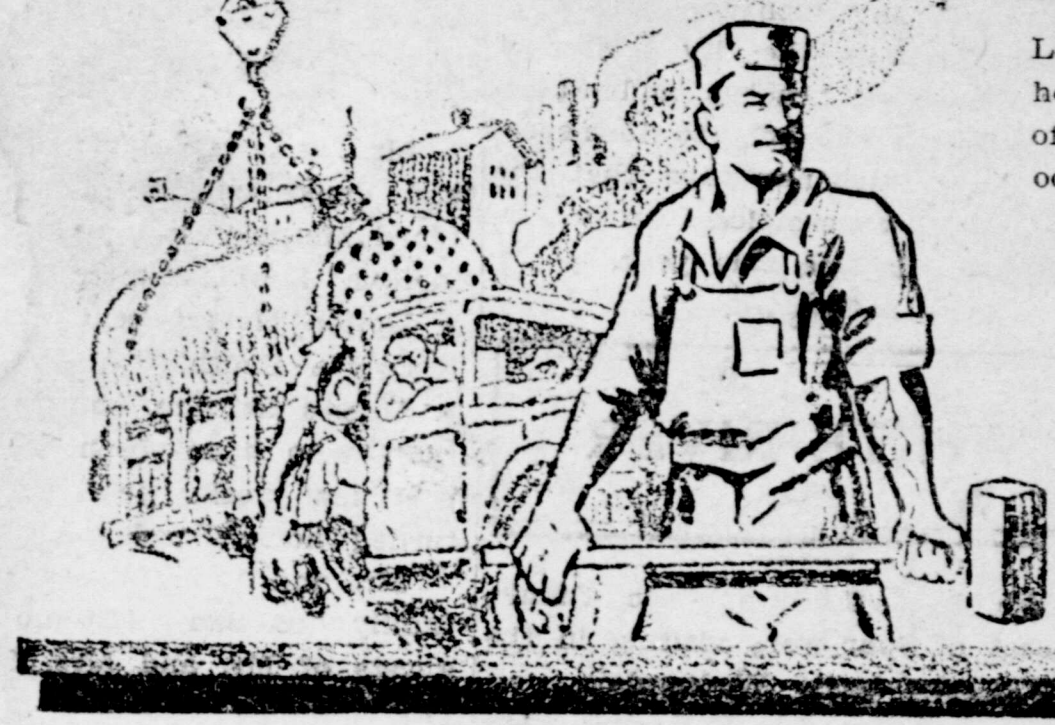
Bob Dixon, of the Spur Rancho, was among the many visitors in the city Monday.

R. S. Mobley of Prairie Chapel, was transacting business and greeting friends in Spur Monday.

Sam Newberry, a prominent Afton citizen was greeting friends in Spur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Garner and family of east of the city a few miles were shoppers and visitors in Spur Monday.

**LABOR DAY!**



Labor Day is the last of the "Picnic" holidays... and below is a number of foods especially priced for this occasion.



- POTTED MEAT Maximum, 9 cans 29c
- PICKLES, Sour, quart 17c
- MUSTARD, per quart 13c
- MAYONNAISE, El Food, 1/2 Pint 17c
- PIMENTOS, 3 1/2 oz., 2 for 13c

These prices are effective Friday and Saturday, September 1 - 2 in Spur, Texas

**MEATS**

- CHEESE Pure Cream Lb. 16c
- BOLOGNA Large size Lb. 12c
- BACON Sugar Cured Lb. 15c
- DRY SALT JOWLS Lb. 7c

- Crackers, Brown's Saltines 2 pound box 24c
- Ginger Snaps, 1 1/2 lbs. 19c
- TEA, Airway, 1-4 lb. 12 1/2c
- Pork & Beans, Campbell's 4 cans for 19c
- Milk, large Maximum, each 5c
- TOMATOES, No. 2, 3 for 23c

**FRESH FRUITS AND VEGETABLES**

- LETTUCE Large Head 5 1/2c
- CABBAGE COLO. FRESH Lb. 5c
- CORN On the Cobb Fresh Home Grown 1c
- ONIONS White Globe 4 lbs. 19c
- SPUDS No. 1 Red 10 lb. 25c

PURE CANE SUGAR 25 lbs. \$1.17 With \$1 purchase SALT 25 lb Sack 25c 50 lb. block, plain 39c

- MATCHES, per carton 22c
- COMPOUND, Swift's Jewel, 8 lb. carton 65c
- COFFEE, Airway, 3 lbs. 55c
- SALMON, 3 cans for 33c
- BAKING POWDER Clabber Girl, 2 lbs. 19c
- OATS, Crystal Wedding 17c
- ENGLISH PEAS, No. 2, 3 tins 29c
- RICE, Whole Grain, 4 lbs 19c

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