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Record Crowd At Spur Station On Field Day Meet

Record crowd visited Spur Experimental Station annual field day of demonstrations and lectures by professionals, Friday, September 20th when two thousand visitors were registered.

R. E. Dickson, superintendent and his assistants have established reputation for the Spur Station as most and entertainment and second but by no means least of importance results of experiments made along the line of water conservation as well as others of paramount importance.

Mrs. Dickson spent a very busy, though pleasant day entertaining the lady visitors and in which she was assisted by Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Parker, manager of the Palace Theatre, who entertained them in the 2:00 o'clock matinee.

Four States were represented by more than 100 communities of Texas having representatives including twenty-five county farm agents and twenty vocational agricultural teachers.

The official representation from College Station and elsewhere included:

Dr. H. Schmidt, chief veterinarian of the A. & M. college experiment station; Fred Hale, chief of the swine division of animal husbandry; J. M. Jones, chief and J. H. Jones, assistant, of the range animal division; G. W. (Stud) Barnes, chief cattle specialist, E. R. Eudaly, dairy cattle specialist in the extension service; A. L. Ward, education director for the Texas Cottonseed Crusher association, Dallas; L. Stangel, Texas Tech animal husbandry chief now on leave as manager of the Texas Centennial livestock division; Victor Schoffeleer, agricultural editor of the Dallas News; E. A. Miller, agronomist and Dr. F. L. Thomas, entomologist of the extension service; Dr. E. Reynolds, chief of the division of agronomy.

County Agricultural Agent C. C. Robson, Assistant County Agricultural Agent Jason O. Gordon, Don Jones, superintendent of the state sub-station here, C. T. Potts, and Joe Sooter, of Lubbock.

Mrs. Collier Installs Milking Machine

Mrs. Joe Collier is keeping in line with the most progressive methods of dairying. Since Monday she and her daughter, Joyce, have been doing all the milking of her herd with a modern sanitary milking machine.

With the use of this milker it is impossible for hairs, dirt and other unclean particles to fall into the milk pail.

We have been invited out to see it and when we have gone will be able to explain more fully how it is operated and its merits.

REVIVAL AT THE CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE, SEPT. 29

Revival at the Church of the Nazarene beginning Sunday, September 29 and continuing until October 3, 1935 or longer.

Rev. P. A. Lee of Amarillo, assistant. Rev. W. C. Benefield, Pastor.

Miss Tennie Glasgow Makes The Highest Grade In Eng. Test

Abilene, Texas, Sept. 18.—Tennie Glasgow, daughter of Mrs. Lura Glasgow of Spur, made one of the highest grades in the freshman English placement tests in McMurry College this year, and as a result her record was classified in an honors course in English by Miss Julia Baker, head of the department.

More than 200 freshmen took the examination, which was a test of knowledge of grammar and other English fundamentals gained in high school. More than half that number will be required to take a review course in the fundamentals.

Mass Meeting For Farmers Is Called For Saturday 28th

A mass meeting of farmers is called for Saturday morning, September 28th at 10:30 o'clock at the Palace Theatre in Spur.

The purpose of the meeting is to form an organization and petition for restrictions on sale of present cotton crop be lifted.

Speakers on program are: W. F. Shugart, W. M. Hunter, W. J. Collier, John D. Hufstедdler, W. J. Conaway, W. W. Garner, A. C. Hindman, C. D. Copeland and W. E. Dortch.

As a courtesy of the manager, Mr. L. C. Parker an agricultural picture will be shown for the benefit of the farmers and their families as a part of the program.

34 Jobs For High School Students To Be Provided

Austin, Texas, September 25.—Lyndon B. Johnson, State Director of the National Youth Administration of Texas, Sunday evening issued a warning to county superintendents, of schools to allocate high school jobs to high school principals at once in order to prevent the possibility of their allotments being lost to them and transferred to other counties.

The National Youth Administration on September 14 mailed to 248 county superintendents of the 254 counties in Texas, allotments of the students eligible in each county to participate in the \$6 per month high school aid program.

The National Youth Administration has made preparations to give this assistance to 8,547 high school students in Texas. County superintendents of schools and principals of individual schools, working in cooperation with caseworkers of the Texas Relief Commission, make the final selection and assignments. However, if a county does not avail itself of the opportunity and place the full number of students in part-time jobs the allotment will be transferred to another county where the demand exceeds the supply.

"It is unfortunate that there are more applications than jobs available under the federal allotment of funds for Texas," Johnson said. "But we are eager to see that the allotment is used one hundred per cent. Inasmuch as it is incumbent upon the school officials to initiate the movement and to see that it is put through, the need for immediate action is urgent. School has started already in many places and will start in others in the very near future. In order that there may be no waste whenever a county fails to avail of its funds, they will be transferred and given to other counties."

"It is doubtful that a county which fails to act this week and distribute its quota of funds to high school principals will have the opportunity to do so next week."

The NYA student aid program will provide jobs for 34 high school students in Dickens County, at the rate of \$6 per month, or a total of \$204.00.

Joe Lewis Scores A Knockout On Baer

Max Baer, 210 pound former heavyweight champion of the boxing ring was unmercifully beaten and completely knocked out after two minutes and fifty seconds of the fourth round and less than twelve minutes of fighting with Joe Lewis, 199 pound Negro of Detroit.

Two hours and five minutes before going into the ring with Baer while a noisy crowd waited outside the Negro calmly went through a ceremony, that made him the husband of Marva K'Olly, Trotter, of Chicago. Then without changing expression said, "I've got a date with Max Baer" and left for the scene of the conflict.

James J. Braddock who recently licked Max Baer will meet Joe Lewis next summer.

Special Election Will Be Held Saturday 28th.

One of the most important issues facing the people of this the 30th Senatorial District at this time is the selection of a Senate to fill the place made vacant by the recent death of the incumbent, Senator Arthur P. Duggan of Littlefield.

Now it is not my intentions to tell you for whom to vote but to impress upon you the importance of voting and to the best of your knowledge, vote for the man best informed as to the needs of his district and more interested in serving his section with an honesty of purpose rather than playing politics with the furtherance of personal interests in future campaigns of paramount importance.

Saturday next, September 28th is designated by Gov. Jas. V. Allred as election day.

Inform yourself and go to the polls Saturday and vote your honest sentiment.

Petition Being Passed For Business Men To Park Cars In Alleys

City Marshal, G. L. Barber is this week circulating a petition asking the co-operation of the business men of Spur to park their cars in the alleys during the fall. There by giving more parking space for people who come to Spur to do their fall trading.

Mr. Barber reports having met with a hearty co-operation on the part of those interested in making Spur the trading "Hub" of this section of West Texas.

SPUR P. T. A. PROGRAM FOR THE COMING YEAR

The Spur Parent-Teachers Association has announced as its 1935-36 theme, "Toward a Better Understanding" Through this theme the objectives to be developed are: an enriched home life, a better understood school life and an improved community life.

The following subjects will be given during the year "Health," with Mrs. Brannen as leader.

"The Liberal School Curriculum" Mr. Kelley leader.

"This Job of Being a Parent" with Mrs. E. J. Cowan leader.

"Money Management in the Home," with Mrs. Foster as leader.

On February 11 a Founders Day program will be given and Mrs. Foy Vernon will be leader for this program.

"Team Work Between Home and School Boy and Girl Conduct."

"The Home as a Cultural Spiritual Center" are other subjects to be led by Mrs. Charlie Powell, Mrs. Frank Laverty and Mrs. W. C. Gruben.

Speakers who are especially interested in the subjects named above have been asked to appear on the programs and the program committee feel that each meeting will be pleasant and profitable.

The association meets the second Tuesday in each month the next meeting to be held in the Junior high school building at 3:30 Oct. 8. Dues for the year are thirty-five cents and attractive year books with the complete programs for the year will be given members at next meeting.

Officers are: President, Mrs. W. R. Weaver; Vice President, Mrs. C. H. McCulley; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Jack Rector; Historian, Mrs. Floyd McArthur. Committee will be published next week.

The Dickens-Roaring Springs Telephone Line Being Rebuilt

The Southwestern Associated Telephone company is rebuilding the telephone line from Dickens to Roaring Springs. Manager J. R. Bruce says the new line will be fully adequate to the increased business now accruing to this line with prosperity returning to all West Texas.

Race Meet To Be Held Here Oct. 7 - 8

In another column of this paper is an advertisement of the Race Meet to be held here Monday and Tuesday, October 7-8.

This feature entertainment will be held in Spur every two weeks with other attractions added. Come and bring your friends they will enjoy this diversion.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Mrs. Luther Henderson, city, who had a major operation two weeks ago returned home Thursday. Billie Car'es, son of Prof. F. C. London of Calgary, was in for minor surgery Thursday night.

Ross Murphy of Afton, who entered hospital Friday night for X-Ray and surgery was able to return home Monday.

J. L. Holder, traveling man, was in hospital over Saturday night for medical treatment.

F. R. Middlebrook of Dickens, was in Sunday for X-Ray and clinical examination.

R. E. Johnson of Espuela, was a medical patient over Monday night. Mrs. J. S. Smith of Glenn, underwent major surgery Tuesday and is doing well.

Mrs. L. S. Wilson, city, who had goitre operation last week is doing nicely.

Mrs. E. T. Thomas, city, entered the hospital Tuesday night for observation.

Little Mac Wilson, Jr., had a very serious operation for acute appendicitis Tuesday night.

Mrs. J. W. White, city, who had major surgery two weeks ago returned home Monday.

Onita Hahn of Highway community, who underwent major surgery two weeks ago will be able to return home this week.

Smitty's Cleaners Is Installing A New Cleaning Equipment

Russell Smith, proprietor of Smitty's Cleaners, and Alva Smith, returned Monday from Dallas where they have been the past several days purchasing a complete new cleaning equipment for the plant. The new equipment will be installed the latter part of this week.

Smitty last week sold his Helpy Sely Laundry to Mr. and Mrs. Davis who have been operating a Helpy Sely laundry in Spur for year or eighteen months.

COTTON GROWERS URGED TO KEEP SALES RECORDS

Cotton producers who may wish to sell their cotton immediately and whose crop is already being harvested and ginned for sale are urged by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration to obtain and keep sales slips from buyers, so as to be sure to have adequate sale records on which the government will be able to make adjustment payments under the new loan and payment plan. The necessity forms upon which payments of the difference between the average price and 12 cents will be disbursed are being prepared. In the interim producers who desire to market their crop are advised to compile a careful record which will include a description of the cotton sold, the buyer to whom the cotton was sold, the date of sale and the names of the parties, including tenants, who have an interest in the cotton sold. It is especially important that producers should obtain from the buyer a memorandum of sale which contains the date of sale and the gross weight of the bale or bales sold.

The adjustment payments will apply to all sales of 1935 cotton, including those already made, up to actual production not in excess of the Bankhead allotment.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Lea returned Monday from East Texas, Grayson County, where they have been their daughter, Mrs. Lea's sister and friends.

Prospects Look Good In Spur Trade Territory

Spur country this week received another nice rain which assures plenty of moisture to finish all crops to be harvested this fall and affords small grain farmers a fine season for fall planting.

Spur business men in every line are optimistic over the present outlook for a good business this fall and winter and are making preparation to that end, buying the very best merchandise to be had to sell at prices consistent with good business methods.

In the Texas Spur of this issue you will find ads of these business firms, offering you quality merchandise and extends this as a personal invitation to you to visit them with a view of making your purchases.

In the dry goods line the new Famous store has a brand new stock of merchandise priced to sell and in the reach of all. The Fair Store, a new and most complete line of shoes as well as new fall styles in all lines carried in stock. Henry Alexander features mens work shoes in this weeks ad. W. S. Campbell Furniture offers comfort and convenience in a new Superflex and has a full line of quality furniture.

Schell Bros. Circus for Saturday only. B. & F. Food Store and Landers-Johnston want to feed you and in their ads you will find a number of items priced at very special bargain prices. E. D. Engleman, the Farmall House wants to sell your wagon. Spur Gin Company want to gin your cotton. Smitty's Cleaners will fix you up with a new suit or clean the old one to look like new.

Palace Theatre, Spur's Finest Entertainment will hang their new calendar about October 1st. Spur Coffee Shop, Bells Cafe, Highway Cafe and Chili King quality foods and service. Chesterfield cigarettes for you of discriminating taste. Cap rock life is still going strong and you can't go wrong by taking policies for the entire family. They don't insure against death, but they do insure against that awful mistake, financial embarrassment, which very often accompanies it.

De Luxe Beauty Parlor as the latest in electric manicuring and this week offer other specials. Spur Barber Shop and Clarence Alexander are bidding for your tonsorial patronage.

Clemmons Insurance sponsoring an Essay Contest. Gilbert Bros. will dye for you—your shoes. Johnson Truck Line wants to do your hauling. The race meet is sure to furnish plenty of thrills. The Professional and Business Directory offers practically any service needed.

If the farmers of Dickens County, as they begin to harvest their feed and pick their cotton, find that they can use additional help the local relief office will be glad to co-operate with them in whatever way it can in supplying this needed labor.

Dickens County was within its boundaries better than two hundred families on the relief rolls, who are eager to find employment. These families containing some eight hundred cotton pickers, and also we are in contact with several marginal or border line cases, who have as yet not had to ask for relief and just think a job will save them this embarrassment.

This office urges that the farmers use its facilities in selecting this labor, as we deal only with Dickens County people and feel that every right thinking citizen will agree that our local people should have this work.

By this means of co-operation many worthy people will find employment. Farmers who need help will please communicate with us and we can supply your demand without delay.—F. H. BEAVERS, Clerk.

Miss Ben Gilly, arrived in Spur Wednesday and will be here several days coaching a play sponsored by the 1931 Study Club.

Schell Bros. Circus To Be Here Saturday 28

Schell Brothers big four ring circus as advertised will be in Spur Saturday, September 28th. Giving two performances 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon and 8:00 in the evening. They advertise the performance of beautiful horses, the largest performing elephant, acrobatic and trapeze performers and every thing that goes with a circus even to the funny clowns who will do their best to keep you laughing. Bring the kiddies and see the big elephant.

Spur Hardware Bldg. Is Being Remodeled

L. H. Perry is this week making improvements to his building formerly occupied by the Spur Hardware Company, by putting in petitions from the sidewalk to the rear of the white brick section, and other wise modernizing and making it more convenient.

The Patton Springs School Shows A Large Enrollment

At the end of the first two weeks of the 1935-36 term, the Patton Springs school had an enrollment of the initial enrollment last year of 359, which is slightly in excess for the same time.

The faculty as finally completed for the current year and as now constituted is composed of the following:

O. C. Southall, Superintendent, holds the B. A. degree from Simmons University and the M. A. from Texas Tech, teaches Civics and Economics.

C. W. Giesecke, Jr., High School Principal graduate of John Tarleton, Junior A. & M., and holds a B. S. degree from North Texas Teachers College, teaches history and mathematician high school, coaches football.

E. M. Richardson, holds the B. S. degree from East Texas Teachers College, teaches history and mathematics in high school, coaches basketball.

Geo. B. West, holds the B. S. degree from Colorado Agricultural College, teaches Vocational Agriculture, in high school, coaches football.

F. M. McCarty has 3 1-2 years of college work at North Texas Teachers College with a major in Business Administration, teaches subjects in high school, coaches basketball.

Miss Grace Cade, has the B. A. degree from Texas Tech, with more than half the work necessary for the M. A. completed, teaches English in the high school.

Miss Lillie Mae Gentry, holds the B. S. degree from Texas Tech, teaches Home Economics in high school.

Robert Howell, Elementary Principal, holds the B. S. degree from North Texas Teachers college, teaches 7th grade.

Mrs. Garlin Murphy, holds the B. A. degree from College of Industrial Arts, Denton, and teaches Spanish in high school, also Sixth grade.

Miss Margaret Elliott, has more than two years from West Texas Teachers College, and a year of work at the University of Bristol, teaches Fifth grade and history in 6th and 7th grade.

Mrs. Ruth Barton, has 3 1-2 years college work at West Texas Teachers College, teaches Fourth grade. Miss Louise Brock has 3 3-4 years college work at North Texas Teachers College, teaches Third grade.

Miss Ethel Hulsey, holds the B. A. degree from Texas Tech, teaches Second grade.

Miss Dallas Mitchell, holds the B. A. degree from West Texas Teachers College, teaches High school.

Miss Sally Rattan, has 3 years of college work at North Texas Teachers College Low First grade.

Wears Mark of Master Craftsman



DAVID TENNANT, 19-year-old London, Ont., youth recently elected international president of the Guild Alumni, receives the badge of office from Raymond S. Doerr, 23, of Battle Creek, Mich., retiring head of the organization, which is composed of the 45 scholarship winners in the model coach-building competitions conducted by the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild since 1930. Induction of the new officers took place at the fifth convention of the General Motors-sponsored educational foundation, held in the City of Quebec.

The Texas Spur Red Cross Stresses Safety in Home

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Miss Willie Stafford, who has been holding a position in a bank in Los Angeles, California, the past several years, is here spending a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Stafford, of Afton and other relatives and friends here. She was visiting her sister, Mrs. Elzie Watson in Spur Monday.

Mrs. A. Lollar and mother, Mrs. M. C. Ellis returned last week from Fairy, Hamilton County, where they had been visiting, Guy Ellis and family and other relatives and friends. Enroute to Spur they visited several days with relatives at Anson, Texas.

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statistics to indicate what type of home accident hazard is most prevalent."

The local Red Cross states that the Committee in charge of this special program will be chaired by D. L. Granberry. Other members of the Committee are as follows:

Mrs. Madge Twaddell, County Superintendent; O. C. Thomas, Superintendent Spur Schools.

This home safety campaign, it is understood, will also include farm safety and safety while at work on the farm. Because of the inaccessibility of farms and the difficulty of securing accident statistics pertaining to them, little safety pioneering has been done in this direction.

"Preventing unnecessary death and alleviating human misery," Mr. Granberry Chapter Chairman pointed out, "is a chartered obligation of the Red Cross service which has been in effect for some 25 years and is annually responsible for saving many lives."

"The accident prevention campaign" he said, "will be carried out on a nation-wide scale and each of the nearly 13,000 Red Cross Chapters and Branches will play a part."

Home accidents kill more than 80 people each day, injure some 500 every hour.

Do you still think that your home is safe? Better check again and make sure. The following is a partial list of accident-causing hazards:

1. Chairs, barrels and boxes substituted for stepladders.
2. Poorly lighted stairways and stairways not protected by adequate guardrails.
3. Toys and other articles left on stairs and floors.
4. Small rugs on slippery floors which are not provided with a non-skid backing.
5. Bathtubs which are not equipped with accessible hand holds and rubber suction mats.
6. Low windows, trap doors, chutes and areaways which are not protected with guardrails.
7. Matches carelessly left where children can reach them.
8. Pots and pans left on stove with their handles projecting outward.
9. The use of gasoline or inflammable cleaning fluids for dry cleaning at home.
10. The continued use of frayed electrical appliance cords where the insulation has been worn off.
11. Fireplaces left unscanned.
12. Electric wire which either runs under rugs or touches nails or other metal objects.
13. Joints, flues and chimneys which are never inspected and never cleaned.
14. Smoking in bed.
15. Using sun or health lamps with tortoise shell combs or glasses where they may be affected by the heat.
16. Cheap electric heating pads which are improperly insulated.
17. Rubbish or any rags and newspapers allowed to accumulate.
18. The practice of depositing furnace ashes in boxes or wooden barrels or baskets.
19. Running the automobile in the garage without bothering to be sure the door is wedged open.
20. Touching electrical fixtures with wet hands.

21. Failure to fasten pillows and bed clothes to the mattress in children's cribs to prevent suffocating.
22. Leaving a small child in the bathtub while out of the room.
23. Leaving knives or other sharp instruments in children's reach.
24. Allowing a child to run with sharp things in his hands and mouth.
25. The hoarding of old and useless medicines purchased for a particular illness.
26. Failure to label poison bottles plainly and failure to keep medicine cabinets which are within reach of children locked.
27. Failure to keep washing powders, lye and ammonia, etc., where they cannot be possibly reached by children.
28. Failure to unload firearms which are kept in the house.

No, the Home is not safe but must be made so, and the Red Cross in meeting its chartered obligation to prevent suffering and death, will continue to combat carelessness and negligence in the home on the part of both parents and children. It is up to the Red Cross but it is also up to you. If your interest has not been stimulated sufficiently for you to act, then in so far as you are concerned the Red Cross has failed.

GIRLS ARE DRYING OKRA

"We have dried our two yards of okra," reported Ila Mae and Leona Hodgins, members of the Dumont Jr. 4-H club. "In drying the okra we washed small tender pods and blanched it for three minutes in boiling soda water using one half teaspoon soda to one gallon water. We cut the pods into one-fourth inch slices and threaded it on a string and hung it in the sun to dry", says Leona.

To dry two yards of okra is part of the food preservation goal for the club girls this year.

After the okra is thoroughly dry it may be stored in buckets or cans that may be closed and properly labeled.

Mr. and Mrs. Burgess Brown visited relatives and friends in Abilene last week end.

IT'S TRUE!

By Wiley Padan



Virginia Bruce

WAS BORN IN MINNEAPOLIS, SEPT. 23. SHE STARTED HER CAREER IN ZIEGFELD'S AND OTHER MUSICAL SHOWS. SHE IS AN EARNEST COLLECTOR OF FIRST EDITIONS, AND HAS A WIDE RANGE OF KNOWLEDGE OF VALUES OF BOOKS!



LOUISE HENRY

WAS TAUGHT DRAMATICS BY CHAMBERLAIN BROWN. SHE STUDIED IN PRIVATE SCHOOLS IN AMERICA AND ALSO IN PARIS!

"IT'S TRUE! that even though Spencer Tracy was studying medicine, he was so successful on the Ripon college debating team, that he decided to go on the stage!" says artist Wiley Padan. "Tracy has a new hobby—he already owns a dozen polo ponies, but now he is intent upon acquiring a racing stable of fast horses."

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Alexander and family, formerly of the Soldier Mound community left Saturday for East Texas, Trinity County, where they will make their home in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Martin, of 12 miles southwest of Spur left Thursday for Woodson, where they expect to remain for several weeks or until they have gathered their pecan crop.

Messrs. M. A. Lea, E. J. Cowan and C. W. Dortch left Tuesday for Lake Kemp, where they will spend a few days angling for the finny tribe.

Mrs. Fannie Sullivan and David Sue Sullivan, little daughter of Spencer Sullivan, arrived in Spur, Sunday to visit her children, Spencer, Bernice, and Mrs. Elmer Shugart and Mr. Shugart and family.

SCHELL BROS. CIRCUS

— FOUR RING —

SPUR, TEXAS SATURDAY SEPT. 28th.

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— Circus Tents Located East of Cowan Street—



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(30th Senatorial District)

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Where are we going? Search me!

Working without a plan is like sailing without a compass.

SEPTEMBER

24—The Cuban civil war ended by an armistice, 1906.

25—Balboa discovers the great Pacific ocean, 1513

26—U. S. troops start the Meuse-Argonne drive, 1918.

27—First "Gibson Girl" illustration appears, 1895.

28—James river rises 28 feet in two days, 1870.

29—Blarney Castle in Ireland is completed, 1449.

30—"David Harum," best-seller, is published, 1899.

GIRLS TO GROW CARROTS AND BEETS IN FALL GARDENS

A check on the carrots and beets canned by the Dumont Junior 4-H club girls in their meeting Wednesday morning revealed the fact that all of them need to grow carrots and beets in their fall garden to complete their canning goal. Two girls have dried their two yards ofokra.

Members present were: Katherine Forrest, Ma Mae, Leona Hodgkin, Eloise Jones, Theatus Rogers, Geneva and Bahma Nelle Smith, Edna Earl Thomas and Vendell Leasley, a visitor.—Eloise Jones, Reporter.

Miss Lois Goodwin, bookkeeper of the East Afton Gin, was here Saturday visiting her father, J. A. Goodwin, of the Spur Gin, and hopping with Spur merchants.

Mrs. A. J. Richey, of Abilene, spent the week end in Spur with her daughter, Mrs. F. O. Brittan and Mrs. Brittan.

MRS. ANDREWS 1925 BRIDGE CLUB HOSTESS WEDNESDAY

"Read write, think and talk Texas Centennial."

Mrs. W. T. Andrews "goes one better," Wednesday last week when she entertained the 1925 Bridge Club and a number of other invited friends with a "Centennial Party."

Tallies, score pads, prizes and a most delicious salad refreshment plate emphasized Texas Centennial. Even the plate favors, beautiful stickers with glaring head line scream Centennial.

Four games of Contract bridge were played. High score prize six flags, four of which floated over Texas during the reign of their respective sovereign: Flag of the Republic and Our Lone Star emblem.

Mrs. F. W. Jennings made high cut, the prize, bridge cards with a Centennial picture back.

Guest prize, a beautiful hand crocheted, white Lone Star on a deep blue doiley.

Guests other than named above, were: Mesdames M. C. Golding, Julia Mae Hickman, C. L. Love, Oran McClure, Hill Perry, V. V. Parr, E. M. Wilson, M. H. Brannen, Weldon Grimes and Essie Cathey.

Following the tea hour, annual election of officers and other business was transacted.

Mrs. W. T. Andrews was elected president; Mrs. Oran McClure, vice president; Miss Julia Mae Hickman re-elected secretary-treasurer; Mrs. M. L. Jones, reporter.

Resignations of Mesdames R. E. Dickson and Roy L. Harkey were accepted with regrets.

What Vocation Shall My Boy Choose?

By C. E. Johnston, Director, Schools of Business Training, International Correspondence Schools.

We live in a changing world. Opportunities for success in the future will differ from those in the past. A young man's wise choice of his life work may do much to determine success or failure. How shall he choose?

The Skilled Accountant

ACCOUNTING and bookkeeping are so often confused that at the start it is best to define the difference between the two. Book-keeping is the keeping of records. Accounting is far more than this.

The skilled accountant is a business analyst. His function is the proper placing of costs, the locating of profits and the discovery of the unseen leaks that sap the life of a business and destroy profits. His analysis shows which operations of a business are conducted at a profit and which are really resulting in a loss. His reports are to the business what charts and observations are to the navigating officers of an ocean liner.

The growing complexity of business organization, the increasing demands of stockholders and others for a complete and accurate picture of the profit and loss results of operations, are all tending to increase the already great importance of the skilled accountant. The success of every phase of the National Recovery Program demands accurate accounting information. There seems to be no reasonable doubt that the demand for skilled accountants will be even greater in the future than it has been in the past.

The doorway to accounting is a wide one, since clerical work of almost any kind having to do with the financial side of a business will provide a certain amount of basic knowledge and experience. The principles and methods of accounting itself are intricate and demand specialized knowledge which can only be acquired by hard study, but the opportunity for such study during spare time is always open to the young man who is really earnest in his ambition to succeed.

Miss Martha Temp'e, recently county relief office head at Crosbyton has been transferred to Dickens county as case worker in charge with office headquarters here Spur. Miss Temp'e arrived Saturday.

R. W. Carpenter, of Prairie Hill, arrived in Spur last week to spend the winter here having contracted to teach the Spring Creek school this term, and which will begin at an early date.

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of service

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FRIDAY AFTERNOON AND BLUE BONNET 42 CLUBS ENTERTAINED SEPT. 20

The W. C. Gruben home was the scene of a group of animated "42" enthusiast Friday afternoon when Mrs. Gruben and Mrs. Jerry Ensey entertained the membership of both the Friday Afternoon and Blue Bonnet 42 Clubs and a number of other invited guests from 3 to 5:30 o'clock.

The hostess was assisted in serving refreshments to her guests.

Mesdames Bob Alexander, W. T. Andrews, L. R. Barrett, Luther Powell, W. R. Weaver, Lawis Lee, W. R. Lewis, C. L. Love, J. C. Payne Bynum Brittan, L. H. Perry L. D. Ratliff, Ray Sanders, R. A. Taylor, S. H. Twaddell, F. W. Jennings, Miss Jennie Shields; Mesdames W. S. Campbell, G. L. Barber, C. H. McCulley, B. F. Hale, E. L. Caraway, Miller of Matador, H. P. Gibson, E. S. Lee, John King, J. P. Carson, Mace Hunter, T. C. Ensey, Henry Grubben J. W. Carlisle, J. E. Berry, Lester Ericson, Geo. M. Williams, H. O. Albin, A. G. Dunwoody, A. M. Walker, Barney

Johnson, L. R. Burrow, Monk Rucker, Daniels and E. C. McGee.

Miss Florence Craddock, former principal of Peaceful Hill School and recently appointed Assistant Rural Home Supervisor of McLennan County, began her duties as Rural Home Supervisor of Navarro County on September 15th. Miss Craddock has charge of 187 families in that county under the Rural Resettlement Administration. Her headquarters are at Corsicana.

Misses Jane'la Fort and Clytee Collier, Draughts Business College students, Lubbock, spent the week end here with home folks. Mr. and Mrs. R. Fort accompanied them to Lubbock Sunday afternoon.

Will Watson was in town Monday, from his farm home eight miles east of town, bringing in a bale of cotton.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Harris and family were here Saturday, from their home at McAdoo, transacting business affairs and shopping with the business firms of the city.

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GRAPE FRUIT, nice size, doz. . . 47c

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STEAK, choice fore quarter, lb. . . 15c

BEEF ROAST, ribs or brisket, lb. . 12 1/2c

BROOKFIELD PATTIES, lb. box . . 35c

LIVER, fresh calf, lb. 10c

BRICK CHILI, 100% pure meat . . . 18c

CAT FISH, Channel, lb 28c

OYSTERS, Baltimore Select, pint . . 45c

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W. H. (Bill) EVANS

"If other parts of the State get a hog, West Texas should at least get a ham—especially when we produce the animal!"

Mrs. J. P. Strickland, of Olton, Lamb County, arrived Sunday to spend a visit here in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Fort and family.

STORING DRY FOODS IN THE PANTRY

"Dry foods, as peas and beans, may be stored in buckets and cans, after being treated with high-life to prevent weevils. The containers should be properly labeled before storing on the pantry shelves," said Miss Pratt, home demonstration agent, in the Prairie Chapel home demonstration club meeting with Mrs. R. C. Alexander, farm food supply demonstrator, Friday afternoon. "Peas and beans, shelled or in the pod, may be treated for 48 hours in air tight containers with a pint of high-life to destroy all weevil, using a pint of high-life, carbon disulfide, to each 1,000 feet of space. For small amounts a bottle of the chemicle with a groove cut in the cork inserted in a bucket of lard or lard can of shelled beans or peas and kept closed tightly for the required time will serve nicely in the average home," continued Miss Pratt.

"Potatoes, pumpkins, cushaws, and other vegetables may be stored in ventilated fruit or vegetable crates in the cellar."

The next meeting of the club will be September 13 in an all-day meeting when the members will make recipe files.

Those present were: Mrs. Paul Braddock, Mrs. Johnnie Hale, Mrs. C. W. Van Cleve, Mrs. R. C. Alexander, Mrs. Leslie Peak and Miss Hattie May Peak and Mrs. Joe Thornton, visitors.—Club Reporter.

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MRS. H. P. HARGIS HONORED WITH SHOWER WEDNESDAY

As a courtesy to Mrs. H. P. Hargis a recent bride, Mesdames J. W. Carlisle, F. F. Vernon, and Miss Mildred Lewis co-hostess, Wednesday afternoon, entertaining with a miscellaneous shower, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carlisle of six miles south-west of town.

Miss Iris Maurine Smith gave a reading, Mildred Lewis gave the toast to the bride; Mrs. W. R. Weaver gave a toast to the mothers and Miss Mayfai Carlisle gave a reading

"A Love Story."

These present and sending gifts were: Mesdames H. N. Patton, H. L. Underwood, Rex Carlisle, Brink Carlisle, Formie Morris, Henry Har- rs, W. S. Carlisle, W. S. Carlisle, Jr., Ralph Carlisle, Avelle Carlisle, J. I. Mecom, J. T. Lewis, Herman Earnest, Poet Hagins, Andrew Blair W. M. Hunter, A. M. Walker, W. R. Weaver, M. B. Smith, B. T. Moore, Barney Johnson, S. Smith, O. R. Booth, V. L. Patterson, Jno. A. Moore, Claude Weaver, G. W. Justice, Coy McMahan, Carl Patton, Joe Pierce, Perry Pryor, D. J. Dyess, Katie Conaſter and son, Dalton Johnson, Willis King, Briley, Lee Randall, Alton Chapman, Vernon Gregory, Walter Driggers, E. J. Cowan, Kerney, Monk Rucker, Jack Rector, Dillard Williams Nora Lee Stack, George Sloan, Roy Stovall, Ala Sullivan of Ft. Worth, Texas, D. D. Dillingham, Jewel Riley of Ft. Worth, Texas; Misses Bettie Joe and Wannell Waters., Agness Sullivan of Ft. Worth, Rita and Ne'l Mecom Mayfai Carlisle, Mildred Lewis, Lela Lee Erth, Mary Pearl Hagins, Dorothy Garner, Sue Watson, Bernice Justice; and Mr. W.

S. Carlisle, Frank and Jimmie Ver- non.

Misses Tommie Brittain, student in McMurray College and Murl Rich ey, high school student of Abilene, who spent the week end here in the F. O. Brittain home, returned Sunday afternoon accompanied by Mrs. Brittain.

Mrs. Annie Stevenson and baby, Flora June, of Plainview, are spending a two weeks visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bragg and family at their farm home in the Duck Creek community, ten miles east of Spur.

Mrs. Beatrix Watson and son, R. L. of Matador, spent Sunday in Spur guest of friends.

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A Rack for Hangers Has a Practical Place in the Modern Clothes Closets

THE clothes closet is coming into its own in home modernization programs, with brightly papered walls, painted shelves, and shoe and hat nooks in harmony. One feature of the wardrobe filing system, however, has remained behind with all its original ugliness and impracticability. The old clothes hanger bar under the shelf stays with us, a temptation to untidiness. Bright party frocks and the master's linen suits are placed between topcoats and golf jackets and their freshness crushed from them as their hangers are pushed in first one direction and then the other.

Simple to make and pleasant to the eye after installation is this clothes closet hanger rack and automatic separator. It is made of a piece of 3/16 inch pressed wood five inches wide and as long as the shelf. Holes a half inch in diameter, drilled at regular intervals about a half inch from the bottom edge of the board, take the place of the old bar, and keep the garments a sufficient distance apart to prevent their being crushed or soiled by other garments.

The hanger holes are best placed about 5 or 6 inches apart if sufficient space is available. The rack also can be spaced for special garments. A group 2 or 3 inches apart at one end of the rack being reserved for trousers or skirts, and wider spacing being set apart for heavy coats and garment bags. It is also suggested that a larger hole be drilled near one end. Garments to be sent to the cleaner can be placed in this division of the rack as they are discarded. They will act as a constant reminder to call the cleaner to pick them up.

The rack is very easy to make. Obtain from your building supply



dealer a section of pressed wood 3/16 inch thick, from which the five inch strip can be sawed. It comes in large strips and most dealers usually have "shorts" in stock. At the same time obtain 2 pieces of quarter round moulding with which to brace the rack against the shelf. After sawing out the pressed wood section with an ordinary saw, nail it in hanging position to the bottom of the shelf, placing one piece of the quarter round on each side and nailing them into position as braces.

Pressed wood has many uses in tidying up your closet. It can be used for shelves, or hat or shoe nooks. It is made by exploding chips of strong wood under pressure then compressing the resulting fibres under tremendous pressure into a thin, hard board. It is grainless and equally strong in all directions and has a smooth, pleasing texture. Its color is a rich brown, and can be used in its natural state, or painted to fit into the closet decoration program. Pressed wood may be worked like natural wood but will not split, chip, or crack under normal conditions.

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WILL PERFORM HERE SATURDAY



Above are some of the actors, of the Schell Bros. Circus, who will perform at the big tent here Saturday, September 28th.

C. P. Ensey, W. F. Godfrey and Thurmond Moore, of the Ford Motor company left Monday for several days business trip to Dallas.

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CLUB MAKES RECIPE FILES

Exchanging recipes and receiving instructions for making recipes files filled the afternoon for the McAdoo home demonstration club members in the meeting Tuesday afternoon when they met with their farm food supply demonstrator, Mrs. Price Brownlow, who helped them with their files.

Six new members were enrolled as follows: Mrs. Lawrence Fox, Mrs. Johnn Wooley, Mrs. Leonard Cox, Mrs. Dewey French and Mrs. Jim Earley.

Three Visitors, Mrs. Emmett Pifer, Mrs. Hunsucker and Miss Orse Burrows were present. Members present were Mesdames

W. Vanderford, C. A. Allen, T. L. Dozier, J. T. Parker, R. Y. Allen, Jim Eldredge, J. Graham, R. Perry, W. I. Moore, D. E. Allen, O. S. Harvey, Willie Eldredge, A. J. Allen, Lloyd Hickman, G. W. Allen, J. W. Jones; Misses Hazel Moore and Alaine Allen.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Leonard Cox, Tuesday, Sept. 24. It will be an all day meeting when the members will work on their files. Miss Pratt will have charge of the afternoon program on storing the food supply.—Reporter.

Bargain Price, thirty days, Semi-Weekly Farm News in combination with The Texas Spur.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Sunday School at 9:45 A. M.
 Preaching at 11:00 A. M.
 Young Peoples Meeting at 7:00 P. M.
 Preaching Services at 7:30 P. M.
 Regular Prayer Meeting: Thursday at 7:30 P. M.
 Cottage Prayer Meetings:
 Tuesday, Sept. 24th at 2:30 at the home Robert Wright.
 Wednesday, Sept. 25th at 3:30 at the home of G. L. Gibson, on North Parker and 5th St.
 Thursday, Sept. 26th at 2:30 at the home of W. B. McNeerlin, 309 Miller Ave.
 Friday, Sept. 27th at 2:30 at the home of Van Tanner, 305 West 5th St.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services.
 Rev. Mrs. P. A. Lee of Amarillo will assist in these services.
 Rev. W. C. Benefield, Pastor.

Sailor Douglas Ewell Brittan writes his father, F. O. Brittan from the Republic of Haiti that on October first they will sail for England where they are scheduled to stay for at least two years. Douglas is the eldest son, of F. O. Brittan and is now serving his eighth year in the United States Navy.

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In order to supply their pantries with all the foods required in their budgets to make well-balanced pantries several farm food supply demonstrators are exchanging surplus garden or farm produce for foods rich in disease-preventing vitamin and minerals.

Mrs. Sam Bachman, demonstrator for the Wichita home demonstration club is exchanging watermelons for canned tomatoes and salmon to provide vitamin C and iodine for her family.

A surplus of tomatoes in her garden is being used to supply canned corn and salmon for Mrs. Frank Forbis pantry. Mrs. Forbis is demonstrator for the Chandler home demonstration club.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rochet and sons, were visitors to Lubbock Monday afternoon, attending to business affairs in connection with his Plymouth De Soto Automobile agency.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bingham and Mrs. E. C. Edmonds were visitors to Lubbock Monday to attend the Panhandle South Plains Fair holding forth this week.

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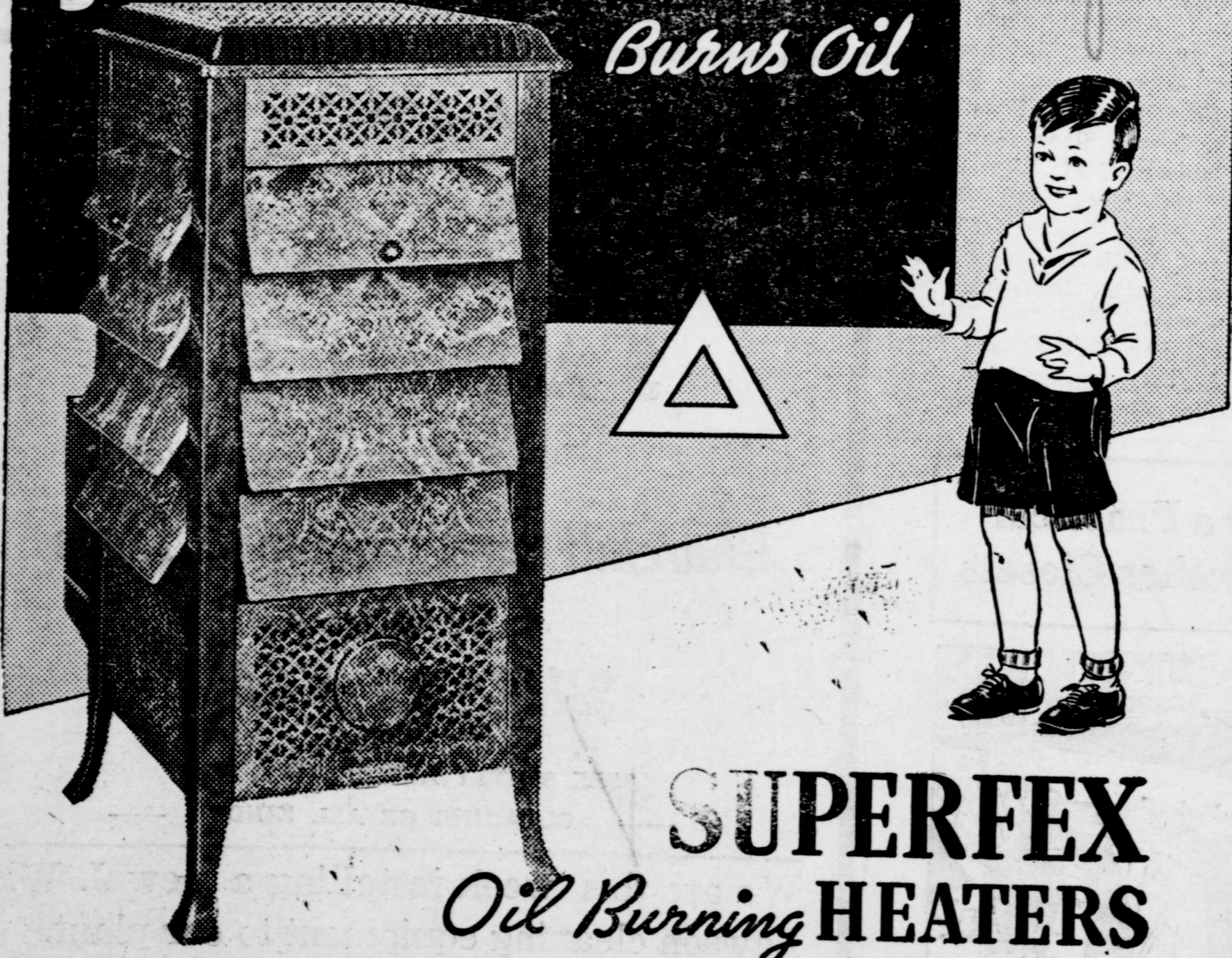
Three sample medals are on display. One at McAdoo, one at Afton, and one in Spur. The medal for Spur School is on display in the window of this agency. These students don't have to be expert theme writer, all that is required is a little first hand in vesigaion and a straight forward statement of what they find.

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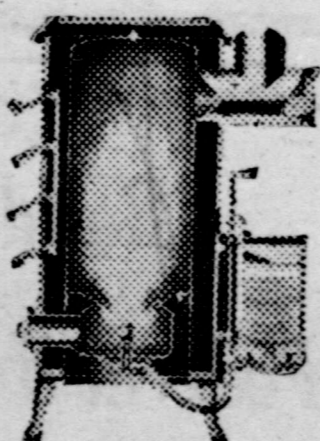
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W. S. CAMPBELL FURNITURE

Wallis Craddock, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Craddock, entered the University of Texas Medical school at Galveston this week. He is a member of Alpha Mu Pi Omega Fraternity. Wallis formerly attended N. T. S. T. C. at Denton and the University of Texas.

A seven and half pound baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Ensey, Monday morning, September 23rd at 3:30 o'clock. Mrs. Ensey and little lady are getting along nicely and hopes are entertained for the recovery of Donald.

City Federation Met Tuesday, Sept. 24th.

The City Federation of Women's Clubs met at 10 o'clock, Tuesday morning, Sept. 24, at the Methodist Church to hear our State President, Mrs. Volney Taylor and our 7th District President, Mrs. W. P. Avriett with Mrs. Ray Taylor, City Federation President presiding.

The guests were welcomed then the Senior Choral Club sang "The Rosary," and "Just A Weerrin' For You." Mrs. Avriett was then introduced by Mrs. Ray Taylor. She spoke on club affairs, mentioning especially the Phoebe K. Warner memorial.

Mrs. Volney Taylor was then introduced. She spoke on Washington, our capitol and international relations. She stressed the fact that the one who agitated war was not the one who did the fighting.

She says it is up to te women in a large measure to prevent war. The City Federation President Mrs. Ray Taylor and president of the five Federated Clubs of Spur entertained Tuesday noon with a luncheon at the Spur Inn, honoring Mrs. Volney Taylor, State President and Mrs. W. P. Avriett 7th District President.

The table was made beautiful with a center piece of red roses. The place cards were most attractive, being in the shape of a "spur" with the name of a Spur Club on each rowel. Favors were photographs of our beloved Chas. A. Jones Memorial Stadium.

Those present were: Mmes. Volney Taylor, W. P. Avriett, Ray Taylor, A. M. Walker, 1st vice president Nellie Davis, 2nd vice president; R. C. Crockett, 20th Century Club; Foy Vernon, 1933 Club; W. T. Andrews, 1917 Club; Weldon Grimes, 1931 Club and Miss Margaret May Weaver, Daughters of the 1933 Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Proctor are the proud parents of a son and heir, born Sunday morning at 11:30 o'clock. He tipped the scales at 8 pounds. Robert Lee, a name made famous in the South, is being considered as suitable for the young man.

PROGRAM FOR FIFTH SUNDAY MEETING

The fifth Sunday meeting will meet with the Dickens Baptist Church, September 28 and 29th.

The program is as follows: Beginning Saturday morning at 9:45:

Devotional—Rev. Thomas Cobb. 10 to 10:30 A. M.—The place of the Ho'y Spirit in soul winning—Rev. J. V. Bilberry.

10:30 to 11:00—What will bring man in proper relationship with God? Grace alone or Grace and works.—Rev. W. B. Bennett.

11:00 to 12:00—Sermon by Rev. M. F. Ewton.

12:00—Dinner at the church.

1:30 to 1:45—Devotional led by Rev. L. S. Bilberry.

1:45 to 2:15—Message by our District Missionary—Rev. R. E. Bost.

2:15 to 2:45—The ladies work—Mrs. Cap Ellison, Crosbyton.

2:45 to 3:15—A message from Mat. 24:13—Rev. Wayne Grizzle.

Saturday Night

7:45 to 8:00—Devotional—Rev. Clarence Edwards.

8:00—Sermon—Rev. R. C. Tennison, Crosbyton.

Sunday Morning

9:45 to 10:45—Sunday school.

10:45 to 11:00—Devotional—Rev. Lee.

11:00—Special song, arranged by Rev. Hardcastle.

11:10—Sermon, origin of the church.—Rev. A. P. Stokes.

The church and pastor extend a hearty welcome to all.

LOWELL CATO ENTERTAINED WITH PARTY ON HIS BIRTHDAY

Mrs. H. G. Cato entertained with a party on Saturday, September 21, honoring her son, Lowell, on his sixth birthday.

Those attending were:

Jackie and Creola Rector, Mary Louise Freeman, Patricia Ann and Helen Virginia Mars, Mac Wilson, Jr., Iris Maurine Smith, Robert Ardis, Betty Ruth and Patsy Lewis, Martha Jean Clay, Betty Jo and Billie Jean Smith, Dean Priest, Jimmie Koon, Ned Blackwell, Bobby Twaddell, Doris Wylie, Betty Ray and Bobby Jane Fox, Laurie Robert Burrow, Jr., Joe Bailey Whitner, Ju Don and Ju Ron Riekles, Gay Christenden, Mary Harvey, Pansy Turpin, Chloe and Peggy Slaton.

GIRLS TO ENTER BALL JAR CONTEST

The Dumont 4-H club girls will have their Ball Jar Contest at their first meeting in October, the members decided in their meeting Wednesday afternoon. The entries in this contest consist of a quart of canned fruit and a quart of canned vegetable. The contest is open to any club girl or woman. The Ball Brothers jar company are furnishing the prizes.

Members present were: Alma Thomas, Ruby Norris, Estelle Park, and two visitors, Pearl Scott and Ellen Carpenter.—Alma Thomas reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rochet and sons, Sonnie Boy and Bubbie had as guests Sunday, her sister, Mrs. Huggens and son and daughter, Bud and Helen Robinson and Miss Bernice Davies, of Lubbock. Misses Robison and Davies are talented musicians and it was our pleasure to be invited over to meet them and incidently enjoyed their renditions of several musical numbers.

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"What do you think of the intelligence of Elephants Capt. Kolar?" is one of first questions I am asked, and here's my answer:

The Elephant is first in animal brains, first in their schooling, and leading the class all the way in intelligence. When my father, who trained elephants with many of the European circuses, started me on my career as an elephant tender, his advice to me was: "Learn the ways of the elephant," and teach them what you want to with kindness and patience.

And today I remember advice that has given me the pleasure of training the smartest Baby Elephant in the world, which is Baby Bolo, outstanding member of Schell Bros. 2 Herds of Gigantic pachderms. Bolo, still a baby as far as years are reckoned, has learned to walk a wire play musical instruments, read, write, add abstract, multiply and in fact, knows as much as a child of 12 to 14 years of age. Teaching him required six hours daily of constant attention for he, like all young sters, cared more for play than for schooling and in training this wonderful prodigy of the jungle, requiring four solid years, aggregating well over 6000 hours, I feel that I am well repaid, because Bolo has learned and today all honors that can be recorded an elephant are his. That is, he knows it all.

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