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Tea Honors Senior Homemaking Students

The Artaban Chapter honored the Senior Homemaking students, Monday afternoon, May 19 from 3 to 4:30 o'clock with a tea in the Homemaking department.

Guests were greeted by Ivon Osman and Jane Karr who presented them to the following seniors: Mary Swenson, Vivian Reynolds, Vera Reynolds, Martin Turbyfill, Geraldine Stanley, Mafoi Carlisle and Lorene Beadle. Also in the receiving line were Frances Holloway, LaNell Brashear and Bobbie Morrow who are officers of the Artaban Chapter. Jean Karr and Coquease Thomason presided at the registry.

The tea table was laid with a beautiful lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of red roses, the club flower, flanked on either side with burning white tapers.

Punch was ladeled by Doris Gibson and Carolyn Henshaw. Cookies and salted nuts were served. Clever plate favors were white caps signifying the senior. Approximately 100 guests called throughout the afternoon.

Rooms Are Needed For Sponsors During Jubilee

There seems to be a scarcity of rooms in Spur for our visiting Sponsors who are to attend the Spur Cowboy Jubilee, June 5, 6, and 7.

To those of you who have spare rooms available and will rent them to our visiting sponsors, it is asked that you call or contact W. R. Weaver at the West Texas Utility office.

Letters are being received each week from Sponsors who are to attend the Jubilee here and it is urgent that rooms are made available for this purpose.

Rotarians Discuss Youth Program At Meeting Today

L. D. Ratliff led a discussion of the youth problem in Spur, at the regular weekly luncheon of the Spur Rotary club held at Spur Inn at noon today. The discussion was concerning the various programs that are being carried on in other cities to furnish adequate recreation and entertainment facilities for young people.

Cecil Godfrey was chairman of the program and Mr. Ratliff had charge of the discussion.

Dickens School Commencement Exercises To Be Held Friday Evening, May 23

Baccalaureate services for the Dickens High school senior class was held at the high school auditorium last Sunday evening with Rev. Raymond Van Zandt pastor of the Spur Methodist church delivering the sermon.

Commencement exercises for the Dickens school will be conducted Friday evening, May 23 at eight-thirty o'clock at the school auditorium.

The program will be as follows:

Processional—Mrs. John L. Koonsman
Invocation—Aubrey McAuley
Salutatory—Edith Whatley
"Minuet in G"—Barbara Ann Speer
Valedictory—Billie Glenn Cumbie
"To Our Alma Mater"—Senior Girls
Address—A. C. Sharp, County Judge
Awarding of Diplomas—Jack D. Wester, Sponsor

JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL TO GIVE CLOSING PROGRAM THURSDAY NITE

The graduating class of Junior High school will hold their Commencement exercises tonight, May 22 at eight-thirty o'clock in the high school gymnasium, with the Spur schools ending their years work, Friday, May 23.

Program for Junior High School follows:

Processional—Ann Hull
Invocation—Rev. Raymond Van Zandt
Salutatory—Margaret Wood
Special Awards—Bruce C. Browning



First row—left to right—Billie Hammonds, J. W. Wilson, Leta Faye Ward, Pateman Middlebrooks, Jean Williams, Vice-President, Bill Swarthen, Martin Turbyfill, Gene McCombs.
Second Row—Edith Anderson, Marlene Rogers, William Gollihar, Salutatorian, Vivian Reynolds, Margaret Hensley, Howard Wilson, Sue Beth Legg, Vera Reynolds.
Third Row—Robert Cherry, Marjorie Billberry, Mafoi Carlisle, Valedictorian, Junior Fry, Nada Jo Fry, Sue Davenport, Marie Brashear, Elmo Beadle.
Fourth Row—Jonnie Deaver, Elizabeth Westfall, Roy McMahon, Dorothy Horton, Mary Ann Liles, Secretary, Donald Spivey, Jodie Ted Jones, Verna Bea Cantrell.
Fifth Row—Susie Sullivan, Geraldine Stanley, Bill Dyess, Bobbie Mae Young, Ann McKinney, Morris Denson, Treasurer, Maude Brown, Charlene Witt.
Sixth Row—Joan London, Wayne McCarty, Joyce Williams, Lane Bachman, Lorene Beadle, Dot Hines, Mary Swenson.
Not pictured are Haden Moore, Edward Johnson, Deane Wright, Bewie Watson, Billy Calvert, James Sharp, and Christine Witt.
—Photos by B & H Studio.

'BEACON HILL BILLY' PRESENTED BY JUNIOR CLASS

The high school gym underwent a great change on the night of May 9th. The stage became the drawing room of the Beacon Hill Beanes, pardon me, Winthrop-

Beanes. Mrs. Winthrop-Beane, the Boston snob who was trying to marry her son to an oil heiress was very well played by Cre Rector. Her handsome son, Norris, who didn't admire her obsession for name and money was expertly portrayed by Dennis Bingham. Elsa, her beautiful but snobbish daughter, showed sure signs of following in her mother's footsteps. Bobbie Stanley's outstanding skill in acting came to light during her first appearance on the stage. The oil heiress from Arizona, Billy Hill, who comes to visit the Winthrop Beanes had everyone mixed up between laughs being herself and the Kentucky Hillwilliam, as Mrs. Beane calls hill billys. Virginia McNeill did a splendid job in her part. Ju Ron, playing very well the part of a Greenwich Village artist, Allen Kelly, came to meet the fabulous Beane family before he and Elso made their final plans. Incidentally, he is very glad he made the visit. He met Billy Hill, need I say more? The real Winnie Mae Hanks came over the mountain to visit in this elaborate home. She just could not understand why she couldn't take off her shoes. This bouncing personality was played by the very efficient Donnie Scott. Grace Bailey played the part of Aunt Lucky to perfection. Aunt Lucky was the skeleton in the Beane closet, especially with her corn cob pipe! Galen Hays did a roaring job playing Kentucky Twist. He certainly floored Mrs. Beane when he came in with a bang—to say nothing of what happened when he removed his beard! The straight backed butler was very pompously played by Carl Gragon. What some people wouldn't give to have a butler who would perform his duties as well as did Struthers. The maid who was fired by mistake was very well played by Winona Wilson. Tessie jumped at (Continued on Back Page)

Benediction—Lee Mimms
The Alma Mater
Recessional
Graduation program for the Dickens Grammar school will be held at the school auditorium Thursday evening, May 22 at eight-thirty o'clock.
Mrs. John L. Koonsman will play the processional and the invocation will be given by county Judge A. C. Sharp. Emma Lee Whatley will give the salutatory address and Barbara Ann Speer will deliver the valedictory address.
Robert Williams, County School superintendent of Dickens county will address the class. Jack Wester, superintendent of the Dickens school will award the certificates, and the benediction will be given by Aubrey McAuley.

Song—"Oh Youth Courageous"—Class
American Legion Awards—Guy Karr
"Eed Of A Perfect Day," by Bond—Myra Alice Ratliff, Lucy Nell Boothe
Valedictory—Annette Lee
Song—"The Parting Song"—Class
Address—Rev. C. N. Gilbert
Presentation of Diplomas—Bruce C. Browning
Benediction—Schuyler Boothe

SPUR HIGH SCHOOL TO GIVE CLOSING PROGRAM FRIDAY NIGHT

Fifty-four students, members of the 1947 Senior Class of Spur High School will receive diplomas at the Commencement Exercises, Friday evening, May 23 at eight-thirty o'clock in the high school gymnasium.

This year's class includes 21 boys and 33 girls. The class colors are blue and gold and the class motto is "Ever Onward." Sponsors for the senior class are Mrs. A. Z. Hays and Mrs. Walter Labay.

Members of the 1947 senior



G. H. NELSON
class are: Edith Anderson, Lorene Beadle, Imajean Bilberry, Margie Brashear, Maudie Brown, Verna Bea Cantrell, Mafoi Carlisle, Sue Davenport, Jonnie Deaver, Nada Jo Fry, Billie Hammond, Margaret Hensley, Dorothy Hines, Dorothy Horton, Jackie Ted Jones, Sue Beth Legg, Mary Ann Liles, Joan London, Ann McKinney, Vera Reynolds, Vivian Reynolds, Marlene Rogers, Geraldine Stanley, Mary Swenson, Susie Sullivan, Martin Turbyfill, Jean Williams, Joyce Williams, Leta Faye Ward, Charlene Witt, Christine Witt. Eli-

New Tennis Courts Are Completed

Spur High School has a new tennis court located just west of the high school building.

This court was completed the latter part of April as a result of a great deal of effort on the part of Mr. Cook, who worked hard to get enough money together to build it. The court cost \$900. Donating to this fund were the classes of 1944, '46, '47 and Junior High in 1946, each with \$100. The Tri-County Lumber Company donated some material and sold the other material to the school at cost. The remainder of the money came from a circulating fund of the high school.

The court still lacks the backstops. It is hoped that these may be supplied and that another court may be built some time in the near future.

MAFOI CARLISLE IS VALEDICTORIAN WILLIAM GOLLIHAR SALUTATORIAN

Captured V-2 Rocket To Be Exhibited Here Today

The Army Recruiting Service will present, Thursday, May 22, a captured V-2 Rocket Exhibit. This exhibit will be in front of the United States Post Office in Spur from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with M-Sgt. Larry Boothe and Sgt. George Bollen in charge of the van. The public is invited to view this exhibit.

M-Sgt. Boothe is a former Spur boy and is the son of Homer Boothe of Spur.

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Spur Defeats Dickens 4-3 Here Sunday

In the best baseball game of the season, played here last Sunday, the Spur nine defeated the Dickens team by a score of 4-3, the deciding score coming in the 12-inning. Both teams held their opponents to a close game. The tie stood at 3-3 until twelve innings ad been played to break the deadlock.

Next Sunday Spur will journey to Midway for a game; Jayton will play at Dickens; Roaring Springs will play at Turkey and Afton will play at Croton.

In last Sunday's games throughout the league, scores were as follows: Spur 4, Dickens 3; Turkey 10, Croton 5; Jayton 24, Midway 14; Roaring Springs and Afton was called.

League standing is as follows:

	P	W	L	%
Turkey	2	2	0	1.000
Spur	2	2	0	1.000
Roaring Springs	2	2	0	1.000
Dickens	3	2	1	.667
Jayton	2	1	1	.500
Croton	2	0	2	.0
Midway	2	0	2	.0

PATTON SPRINGS EX-SENIORS TO MEET, JUNE 4

The Organized Ex-Seniors of Patton Springs High School will hold a meeting at the Patton Springs School, Wednesday June 4 for the purpose of disposing of funds in treasury. All ex-seniors of the Patton Springs school are urged to attend. The meeting will be called at 8:30 p.m. according to Dean McInroe, president of the organization.

EIGHTH GRADE GRADUATION EXERCISES

Graduation exercises will be held Thursday night, May 22 for the Eighth grade of the Girard school. Exercises will be in the school auditorium at 8:30 o'clock.

The class roll consists of Melrose Hollingshead, Wayne Ripple, Jack Carr, Finis Butler, L. J. Williams, Don France, Ted Gallagher, C. V. Hagar, Yvonne Hagar, Charles Hunnicutt, Edward Brooks, Russell MacWright, J. W. Cheyne, Pauline McKenney, Connie Lee Dickerson and Bobby Vinson.

The program follows:
Processional—Winnie Smith
Invocation—Millard Smith
Salutatory—Yvonne Hagar
My Task—(Musical Number)—Mary & Tressie
Chop Sticks—Connie & Pauline
Class Prophecy—Charles Hunnicutt
Song—Glee Club
Class Will—Pauline McKenney
Valedictory—Finis Butler
Address—H. R. Howell
Presentation of Diplomas—G. W. Kenemer
Recessional—Winnie Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Haile are announcing the arrival of Fred C. Haile, Jr., at the Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene at 12:01 a.m., May 12. The little fellow arrived on his paternal grandfather's, Mr. C. C. Haile, birthday. They expect to be at home on their farm north of Spur in a short while. Both Mrs. Haile and Fred Jr. are doing nicely. At birth the young man weighed eight pounds and three ounces.

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Others Receive Honors For Outstanding Work

Grades have been averaged recently to determine the five top-ranking students of the graduating class of Spur High this year. Mafoi Carlisle, the valedictorian, had an average of 94.83 for the past four years. William Gollihar, with 93.41 is salutatorian. Charlene Witt, whose average was 92.32 ranked third, Wayne McCarty was fourth with 91.94 and Howard Wilson, fifth, with 89.94, Mac Brannen, who had chosen to remain in high school another year, would have also been at the top of the class. Mac's average was 94.58.

J. J. Ensey Honored On 72nd Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Ensey had a surprise visit Sunday from all their children with the exception of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ensey of Tulsa, Oklahoma.

The occasion being the 72nd birthday of Mr. Ensey. A most enjoyable day was spent in visiting.

Those present for the birthday celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne. Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ensey and sons, Ronnie, Rickie, and Robert, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ensey and sons, Wayne and Allan Ray all of Spur. Mr. and Mrs. Mack Nelms and Ronnie Nelms, a great grandson of Caddo, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Ledbetter and daughter, Alanamae and Mr. and Mrs. Woody Swarengin and son, Douglas of Odessa.

NEW ARRIVALS—

Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Page of Girard are announcing the arrival of a son, Ralph Neal, born at the Nichols General Hospital, Sunday morning, May 11 at 2:50 o'clock. The young man weighed nine pounds and four ounces at birth. Both mother and baby are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles A. Baker of McAadoo are announcing the arrival of a daughter, Carolyn Ann, born Saturday, May 10 at 10:20 a.m. The young lady weighed eight pounds.

Sarah Jane Purser arrived Sunday, May 4 to make her home with Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Purser. The young lady weighed five and one-half pounds.

Mowing pastures now will control weeds and keep grass from becoming too tough for cattle to eat.

GLOWING TRIBUTE TO MEMORY OF JEROME KERN IN MGM FILM



Robert Walker as Jerome Kern in "Till The Clouds Roll By," poses with Van Heflin and Dorothy Patrick, two of the many stars in MGM's musical

A glowing tribute to the memory of the late Jerome Kern is offered on the Palace screen in "Till the Clouds Roll By," M-G-M's star-studded Technicolor musical drama based on incidents in the famed composer's life and career.

Built around Kern's touching friendship with his musical arranger, James Hessler, and the latter's stage-struck daughter Sally, the story traces the composer's arrival in New York full of hope and ambition, follows his rise to fame both here and abroad, accents the romantic meeting in England with the girl he eventually married, and ends on a dramatic note when Sally, embittered by a quarrel over her career, proves her talent as a singer and is reconciled to Kern whom she has always regarded as a foster-parent.

The role of Kern is brought to life with sympathy and warmth by Robert Walker in one of his finest portrayals to date. Van Heflin is splendid as the loyal and encouraging Hessler, and Lucille Bremer gives verve and spirit to the part of Sally. The girl with whom the composer falls in love after he "borrows" her piano, is delightfully played by Dorothy Patrick.

Punctuating the narrative are song-and-dance filled sequences from some of Kern's greatest successes and it is in these that the picture's dazzling array of headliners are given an opportunity to offer a feast of talent.

There are so many high spots in the musical interludes that it is difficult to pick and choose but among the memorable moments are Judy Garland, in the role of the great musical comedy star, Marilyn Miller, singing "Who," "Sunny" and "Look for the Silver Lining; June Allyson and Ray McDonald singing and dancing in the rain to "Till the

Clouds Roll By"; Lucille Bremer and the popular Van Johnson dancing to the provocative "I Won't Dance," and Miss Bremer's version of "Land Where the Good Songs Go"; still another dancing team, composed of Cyd Charisse and Gower Champion, doing "Smoke Gets in Your Eyes"; Kathryn Grayson singing "Long Ago and Far Away," and joining Tony Martin for the wonderful song, "Make Believe," and Dinah Shore's rendition of "They Didn't Believe Me" and "The Last Time I Saw Paris."

Among the songs in the spectacular "Show Boat" sequence are "Ol' Man River," sung by Kaleb Peterson, and later by Frank Sinatra; "Life on the Wicked Stage," sung by Virginia O'Brien, and "Can't Help Lovin' That Man," sung by Lena Horne. Then there is the spectacular finale in which a chorus of 150 voices joins Miss Grayson, Miss Bremer, Sinatra, Virginia O'Brien, Lena Horne and Tony Martin in other Kern hits.

"Till the Clouds Roll By" can be summed up as a sumptuous parade of some of the greatest and most beloved songs America has ever known, backgrounded by the drama of the man who wrote them, and rendered by the finest talent Hollywood has to offer. From its director, Richard Whorf, and producer, Arthur Freed, down to the picture's smallest bit player, everyone who had a hand in its making deserves a bow.

C. R. WALTHALL ABSENT FROM SAFEWAY STORE BECAUSE OF ILLNESS

C. R. Walthall, manager of the Safeway Store in Spur has been confined to his home since last Friday because of illness. His condition at this time is reported to be somewhat improved.

Johnnie Koonsman of Dickens was in Spur last week attending to business and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Forbis of the Afton community were in Spur Friday morning attending to business here.

MUSIC STUDENTS

Mrs. J. E. Berry announces that in addition to regular piano and violin lessons for the summer term, a music class for students who will begin school next year and a violin class, using the group method.

Mrs. Berry's work is endorsed by the State Department of Education Applied Music and is affiliated with the National Guild of Music Teachers.

Best Wishes



IT'S TIME TO BE HAPPY! Behind you are the long, hard days of study, the worrisome tests, the anxiety over report cards. Ahead of you are the fruits of your industry and perseverance.

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Spur Security Bank

EXCHANGE CLUB SENDS BOX TO DISASTER AREA

Mrs. C. V. Allen was a most gracious hostess to the Exchange Club when they met in her home Wednesday afternoon, May 14. The entertainment rooms were both lovely and fragrant with spring blossoms from her own gardens.

to leave soon to make her home in Sweetwater was honored by the club members with a handkerchief shower. During a business session the members voted to call a special meeting, Tuesday, May 20 for the purpose of finishing a quilt the club is making and to pack a box to be sent to Higgins, Texas for disaster relief. The Exchange club chose a needy family through the postmaster at Higgins and are outfitting the family and

sending household articles needed. A delicious salad plate was served to the following: Gertie Moore, Bertha Carlisle, Margaret Smith, Era Green, Francis Lofland, Vesta Jones, Janie Casn, Aletha Fox, Mary Lou Wright, Dessie Mae Carlisle, Nellie Carlisle, Ruby Perry and the hostess.

ZONA HINSON TO RECEIVE DEGREE FROM SUL ROSS

ALPINE, Texas, May 21.—Fifty-seven Rossonians will receive degrees at Sul Ross State College this year, according to Dr. T. R. Etheridge, Dean of the College.

Senior week will include a class trip to Balmorhea State Park, May 19; the Senior Assembly, May 23, directed by Miss Anne Gibson, chairman of the assembly program; the annual president-faculty reception in Lawrence Hall, Saturday evening, May 24.

Dr. D. M. Wiggins, President of the College of Mines, El Paso, will deliver the Commencement address on Monday morning, May 26, 10 a. m., and Rev. Austin H. Dillon, pastor of the First Methodist Church, Alpine, will give the Baccalaureate on May 25 at 8 p. m., stated President R. M. Hawkins, who will preside at both occasions. The College Choir will sing on each program. It will be directed by Dr. Glenn I. Davis, head of the Department of Music and sponsor of the Senior Class.

Miss Zona Hinson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hinson of Spur and graduate of Spur High school with the class of '43 will receive a BBA degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Reeves of Cross Plains, Texas visited in the home of Mrs. Reeves' parents Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Henry of the Duncan Flat Community. They arrived here Wednesday and returned to Cross Plains Thursday. Mrs. Reeves was formerly a nurse here with the Nichols General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rose and family of the Duncan Flat community.

DICKENS

By Mrs. Rex Robinson

Miss Katherine Newman of Eliasville, Texas has arrived in Dickens to be guest during the summer months of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lea.

Mrs. Lynne Green is in El Paso where she is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ola Ledford.

The many friends of Judge Alton Chapman will be sorry to learn of his illness and being confined to a hospital.

Earl Murchison, John Edwards, Dillard Jackson, and Claude Atchison recently returned from a fishing trip to Possum Kingdom Lake. They reported their luck as poor.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Allen visited in Dickens Friday, and while here Mr. Allen secured his commercial drivers license.

Mr. and Mrs. Rob Simmons were shopping in Lubbock Thursday.

Mrs. R. L. Robinson has returned to her home in Floydada after visiting for the past few weeks in the home of her son, Rex and Mrs. Robinson.

Billie Overstreet, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Overstreet spent the past week-end in Dickens with his parents. Billy is attending McMurry College in Abilene.

Misses Donnie Lou Gipson, Gene Ousley, and Chichi Meador were home over the week-end visiting with their parents. They are students at Abilene Christian College at Abilene.

Miss Jan Fellmy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Fellmy has been chosen as sponsor to represent Dickens at the Spur Cowboy Jubilee in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Robinson made a business trip to Lovington and Hobbs, New Mexico last week.

READ THE WANT-ADS

U. S. Attorney General To Address Tech Students

LUBBOCK—Special invitations have been extended some 1500 persons to attend the 21st annual Commencement exercises at Texas Technological College June 2. Hon. Tom Clark, attorney general of the United States, will deliver the commencement address and will receive an honorary degree from the college.

Among those being issued invitations from the college are government officials, leading educators in Texas and surrounding states, and other special guests. The Santa Fe Railway company has announced that it will postpone departure of its regular 9:15 p. m. southbound train until 10 p. m. to accommodate those who attend the event.

Attorney General Clark will be honored at a barbecue on the campus. He will be introduced at commencement by Dr. W. M. Whyburn, college president, and will be presented the honorary degree by Mark McGee, vice-chairman of the board of directors.

The college will present almost 400 bachelor degrees and 14 masters degrees this year.

LUBBOCK, May, 20.—Dr. W. M. Whyburn, president of Texas Technological College, has been named honorary vice-president of the Texas State Fair Association.

South Plains Counties Rank High In Farm Machinery

LUBBOCK—Five South Plains counties rank among the first ten in Texas having the greatest investment in farm implements and machinery, according to the United States Census of Agriculture for 1945. Three of these counties are also among the first ten in agricultural income.

Lubbock county leads the state in both categories. According to the 1945 agricultural census, the value of all farm products sold or used by farm households in the county was \$15,469,693. The same source shows the value of implements and machinery in the county to be \$4,000,996.

Lamb county ranked fifth in the state in agricultural income with \$11,976,556. Lynn was seventh with \$11,799,252. South Plains counties among the first ten in the value of implements and machinery include, in addition to Lubbock: Lamb, second, \$3,540,462; Hale, fourth, \$3,407,893; Lynn, ninth, \$3,085,175; and Floyd tenth, \$3,007,549.

Mrs. F. R. Harrington returned last week from Vernon where she had been to visit a sister who had been ill. Mrs. Harrington had been away about two weeks, and reported that her sister is much improved.

Sylvia Bell Henson spent the week-end with Thelma Lue, Smiley in the Glen Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gosdin of Odessa, Texas spent mothers day with Mrs. Gosdin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Henry in the Duncan Flat community.

British Ambassador To Visit Texas Tech College

LUBBOCK—Lord Inverchapel, British ambassador to the United States, has indicated in a telegram to Dr. W. M. Whyburn, president of Texas Technological College, that he will make an effort to visit the college when he tours Texas next October.

Dr. Whyburn invited the ambassador to Tech upon hearing of his proposed trip to Texas. His invitation has been reiterated by Sen. Tom Connally, Sen. W. Lee O'Daniel and Cong. George Mahon.

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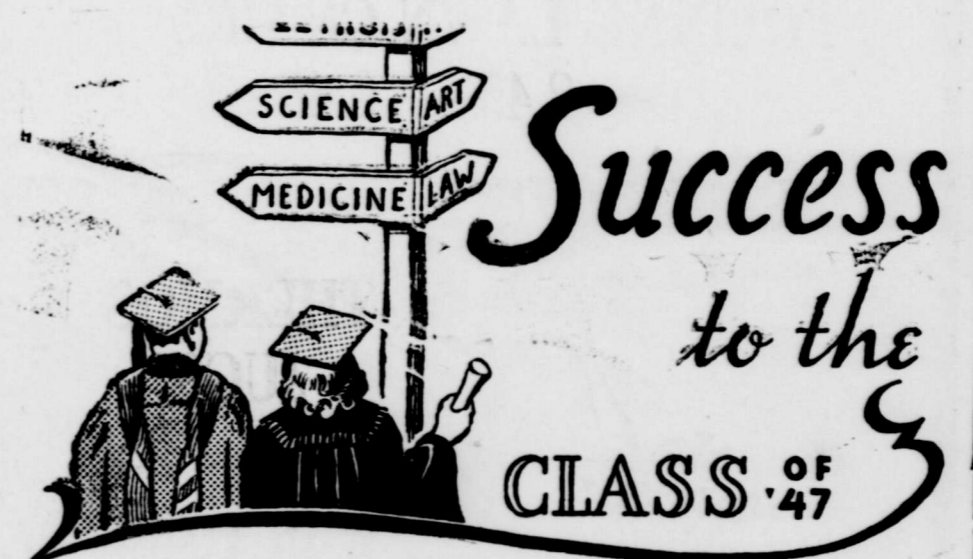
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Best wishes and congratulations to every member of the Class of '47. And now, after graduation, what is your next move? Some of you will continue with your studies; others will seek employment; some will stay at home.

To all of you—whatever your decision in this important matter—we wish the very best of luck. May you all have a future of progress and achievement in your chosen fields of endeavor.

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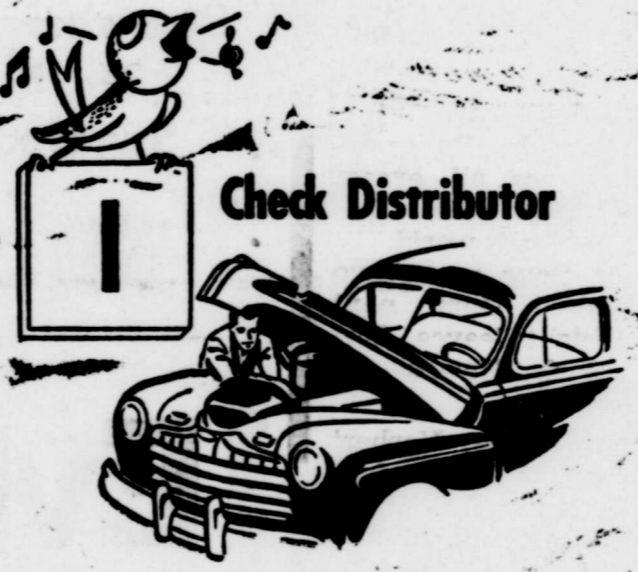
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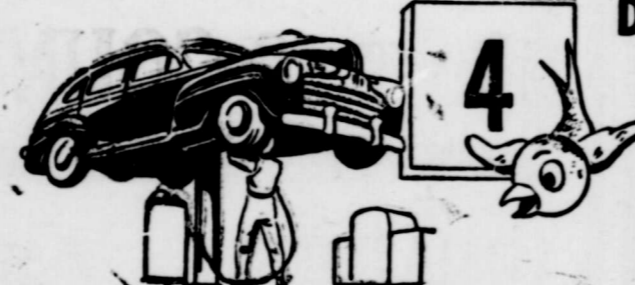
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GYPSY LEGENDS

On this the 16th day of the fifth month of the year 1947 AD the Superior Band of Gypsies bequeath to the Nomad Band of Gypsies the following valuable assets:

Donald Cage, the cowboy of the Superior Band of Gypsies, leaves to Joe Ray Boykin his cowpunching abilities.

To Kenneth Hairgrove, the dainty eater of the Nomad Band, Jackie Ted Jones leaves her delicate appetite and good disposition.

Morris Denson bequeathes to Basil Williams his knack for getting along with the teachers.

Joyce Williams, who is so interested in Lubbock, but not for shopping reasons, bequeathes to

Creola Rector her quite, orderly conduct in the hall.

To J. D. Williams, with all the heartaches, hairpulling, and burning of mid-night oil, Howard Wilson leaves his seat in Plane Geometry.

Maude Brown, the champion bubble-blower of the Superior Band, wills to Anita Reid her gum chewing ability. Anita to live up to Maude's ability you will have to practice hard.

To the quiet one of the Nomad Gypsy Band, Dollinell Putman, Edith Anderson bequeathes her rowdy ways.

So that there will be a blonde bombshell in the class of '48, Sue Davenport leaves her fame-winning hair to Valene Perry.

To Joe Max Barclay, the sheik of the Nomad Band who might need a girl friend, Jerry King bequeathes his Ki-ring.

Haden Moore bequeathes to Bobby Wright the job of taking care of the tennis court. Remember, Bobby, it must be scrubbed after each rain.

Hoping this will help in that never-ending debate between father and daughter, Verna Bea Cantrell leaves her ability to get the family car to Ann Hull.

To help her vanity along just a little, Elizabeth Westfall wills those Chemistry class whistles to Donnie Scott.

So that the class will of next year can at least be read, Bate-man Middlebrooks bequeathes his penmanship to A. B. Stuckey, Jr.

Billy J. Calvert wills that cool attitude with the girls to Dennis Bingham.

To add to the cowboy air of the class of '48, Mary Swenson leaves her boots, saddle, and horse to Virginia McNeill.

Ju Ron Rickles can't seem to get along very well by himself, so to him Graden Bass bequeathes his many girl friends.

Bill Dyess wills his undying ability to win friends and influence people to Galen Hays.

So that the Nomad Clan will have as good a pianist as the class of '47, has had, Susie Sullivan, leaves her piano playing talent to Ernestine Berry. You may someday be another Susie Sullivan, if you try hard, Straw.

Having heard that the tall girl is the more graceful, Martin Turbfill wills part of her height (having so much to spare) to Juanell DeGraffenreid and Gwen Driggers.

To make the Rickels twins identical, Vera and Vivi Reynolds bequeath their ability to look "so" much alike to Ju Ron and Ju Don Rickels.

To dainty Darold Roberson, Max Brannen leaves all excess height and weight to help Darold on in the football world.

In order that Spur may have a winning football team next year, Deane Wright leaves Carl Gragson to Coach Hawks to take his place.

Lane Bachman leaves Herbert Young to do all the meandering through the halls of S. H. S. We hope Herbert doesn't get too lonesome.

Ann McKinney leaves her job of entertaining the English IV class to Bobbie Stanley.

Christine Witt wills all of her flirting ways to Doris Blakely. Do you think Doris needs any encouragement?

Gene McCombs leaves to Billy Massey his ability to try to out-

argue Mrs. Labay in Bookkeeping.

Robert Cherry wills to Pike Robinson his power to relax and take a nap during classes.

To Johnnie Beth Childress, Elmo Beadle wishes to leave his knowledge of parliamentary procedure. Johnnie Beth would make a good parliamentarian.

The Bookkeeping class, this year, has had plenty of trouble keeping red pencil to the 1948 Bookkeeping class.

Dewie Watson wants to leave his five years of running Mr. Hays nutty to Homer Wilson. Keep up the bad work, old kid.

To the new manager of the Bulldogs, William Gollihar gladly leaves less work and soot since the hot water heater does not have to be fired up with coal.

Dot Hines and Margie Brashear will to Grace Bailey and Nove Jean Pierce their attraction for boys outside of Spur High.

Joan London leaves for Jean Copeland all of the Material she collected for extemporaneous speaking. Luck to you next year, Jean.

Mary Ann Liles is unable to decide just who she wants to leave Tommy Conway in the care of so until she decided, she is making Mrs. Johnston his guardian.

Charlene Witt couldn't think of taking all the freckles away from Spur High School so she is leaving her's with Mary Ann Hightower.

Bill Swaringen and J. W. Wilson leave all their girl friends to the bachelors of the Nomad

Band.

Imajean Bberry wills her blue and gold suit to Bobbie Walsworth. Bobbie will look cute in No. 14.

Dorothy Horton leaves her loud and boisterous ways to the four quiet Juniors: Creola, Virginia, Ann, and MaeToi.

Nada Jo Fry and Marlene Rogers will their ability to get along together to Doris Blakely and Jean Copeland.

Ann has been griping so much about her lack of weight that Sue Beth Lagg takes pity on her, and bequeathes all excess plumpness to Ann Hull.

The flirt of the Superior Band, Mafai Carlisle, very willingly and with a great deal of pleasure wills Ernest Roberts to Donna Gene.

Last, but not least, we the freshmen class of 1948 our hon-

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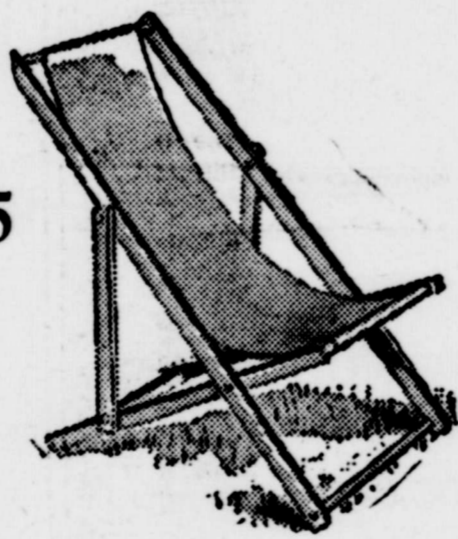
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FOR SALE—Trailer house, 8x16", Carpenter-built, good condition. See Ernest Gibson, at Ford Tractor Co. (29-3tx)

ROWEL— (Continued from Page 5) Mrs. Labay, and the baby, how many were there? Toby Collett: Two and one to

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When I go to sleep, I never count sheep,
I count all the charms about Linda.
And Lately it seems, in all of my dreams,
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But what good does it do me,
For Linda doesn't know I exist.
Can't help feeling gloomy,
Think of all the lovin' I've missed.

We pass on the street, my heart skips a beat,
I say to myself "Hello, Linda"
But miracles still happen,
And when my lucky star begins to shine,
With one lucky break, I'll make Linda mine.

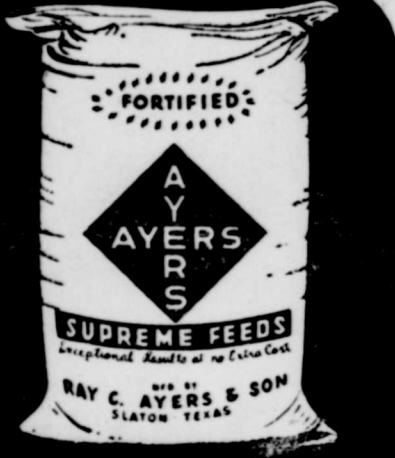
Mrs. Labay: If there were Mr. Jones, Mrs. Jones, and the baby, how many were there?
Toby Collett: Two and one to

(More Rowel News on Page 1, Sec. 1 and Page 1, Sec. 2).

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Duck Creek Soil Conservation District News Notes

RILEY WOOTEN, Chm. OSCAR MCGINTY, Sec.
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O. M. McGinty, supervisor for the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District, and Jay Austin,

1946 outstanding conservation farmer in the district, attended a meeting in Plainview last Friday of district supervisors and outstanding conservation farmers from soil conservation districts in Region I of Texas, comprising the high plains and part of the rolling plains, during which awards were made in the Fort Worth Press award program of "Save the Soil and Save Texas" for outstanding conservation work done.

In representing the Duck Creek District, McGinty received twenty certificates of award to be presented to co-operators for having completed their work during 1946.

J. B. Barton, co-operator of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District who lives in the North McAdoo conservation group, was busy last week draining the water from his terrace system. "I would not be draining the water from my fields if I did not have it in wheat," Barton remarked, "but since the rust has hit the wheat, I think it would be better to let some of it get away."

"Water conservation really pays," Barton continued. "Do you see that area where the wheat backed up behind a terrace last year. I believe 90 per cent of the cultivated land on the plains will be terraced and contour farmed in a few years."

Ted Goodwin believes he has found one possible answer to the problem of trying to farm shiner sand. Since 1938, Goodwin has tried to farm approximately 40 acres of this sand in row crops. "Some years I would not make operating expenses. I think I have paid a total of about



CLASS OF 1947

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to every member of this go-getting Class...

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Joe Jeffers



Smiling bravely though dread polio has confined her to an iron lung, pretty Carol Sandin, of Arlington, Va., again this year will make her rounds of Gallinger Hospital, Washington, D. C., selling Veterans of Foreign Wars Buddy Poppies to fellow patients. Last year, before she was stricken with infantile paralysis, Carol sold 500. She has fixed her 1947 goal at 300.

\$45.00 rent since '38" Goodwin said.

Last fall about 25 acres of Balboa rye was drilled in this deep sand at a cost of \$1.50 per acre for the land preparation and seed. Twenty-eight head of livestock grazed on it for one month and then all but six were removed. This six head grazed for an additional two weeks and were removed. "I know now that I did not turn in on the rye early enough and did not graze it long enough after I did start," Goodwin said. "I will have to grow two or three more rye crops to get back what I have in it trying to row crop it." at this time the rye has reached a height of 5 feet and will make an estimated yield of 9 bushels per acre.

SUMMER PLAY-BAGS



For summer play wear this pretty miss chooses a bare-back, jacket and dress made from three and a half 100-pound sacks dyed golden brown. The feed sacks are jauntily transformed into a garment which will be an eye-catcher on the beach or the tennis courts.

AFTON

By Billie Galloway

The Patton Springs Junior Class spent last week-end at Christoval, Texas. The group left Friday morning and returned Sunday night. Miss Camilla Holsager as the class sponsor and Milton Stetson, driver of the bus, accompanied by Mrs. Stetson accompanied the class on their trip. Class Mothers are Mrs. Davie Hale and Mrs. Jim Offield.

The Junior class has worked hard this year to earn enough money for this trip, and by the leadership of their sponsor they have reached their goal.

Mrs. Floyd Parks returned last Tuesday week from Logansport, Louisiana where she visited her father, R. C. Galloway. She also visited a brother Jim Galloway. Mrs. Galloway and Linda in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Drue Byrd and Druline and Miss Billie Galloway were shopping in Matador and Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. Maude Lindsey and Bobbie, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Lindsey of Roaring Springs, and Mrs. Floyd Parks spent the past week-end at a lake near Paducah, fishing. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

The Afton and Roaring Springs Methodist churches held their quarterly conferences at the Afton church Sunday. Dinner was served and a business session was held after the noon hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennett of Elton were Sunday afternoon visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Braddock.

Mrs. Tommie Judd spent Friday and Saturday as guests of Mrs. Minnie Holsager in the absence of her daughter who was spending a few days at Christoval with the Junior class of Patton Springs school.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forbis are new subscribers to the Texas Spur.

GRUBENS TO RETURN FROM ILLINOIS THIS WEEK

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gruben and daughter, Emma Pearl and Mrs. Matthew Gruben and son are expected home this week from Illinois where they have been visiting for the past ten days or two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Gruben and daughter Emma Pearl, are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gruben and family of Lombard, Illinois and Mrs. Matthew Gruben and son are guests in the home of Mrs. Gruben's parents at Westchester.

Coy Dopson of the Dry Lake community was a business visitor in Spur Monday morning.

MRS. HOBERT LEWIS AND FAMILY LEAVE FOR NEW HOME AT ANTON

Mrs. Hobert Lewis and family left Wednesday for Anton, Texas to join Mr. Lewis at their new there. Mr. Lewis who was formerly with the Spur Security Bank here is connected with the Anton bank now and left here in March to make his home there.

Mrs. Lewis and children remaining here until the end of school in order that the children might finish the term here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis have sold their farm home here to Mr. and Mrs. Lester Garner.

MR. AND MRS. ODIS CASH RETURN FROM SEYMOUR

Mr. and Mrs. Odis Cash returned Sunday night from Seymour where they had been to attend the funeral Saturday for Mr. Cash's sister, Mrs. J. V. Wall. Mrs. Wall who had been ill for the past three weeks, leaves a husband and four children.

Mr. Cash is one of a family of thirteen children of which Mrs. Wall was the youngest, and all living with the exception of Mrs. Wall.

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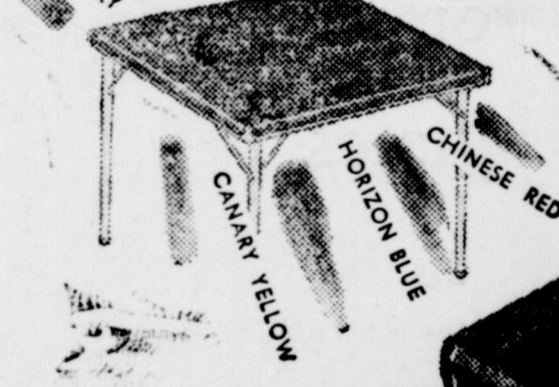
May every member of the Class of 1947 make his or her voice heard in the world.

And always remember this: You have some good friends here, always anxious to serve you and still more anxious to please.

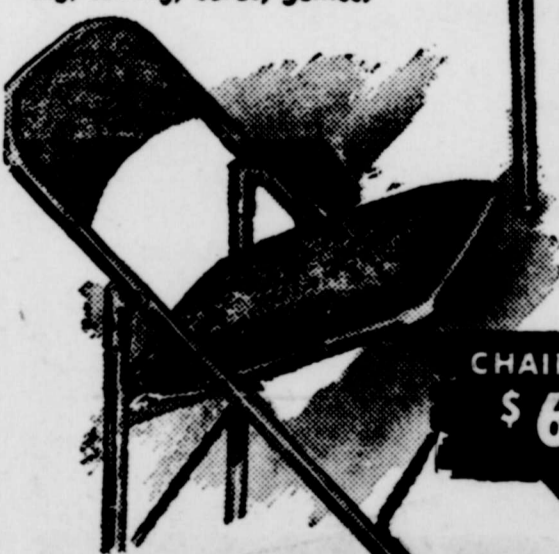
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Evans-Walthall Wedding Read In Dickens May 12

Betty Mae Evans became the bride of Eugene Walthall in Dickens at 8 p. M., May 12. The ceremony was performed in the presence of members of the immediate families of the bride and groom. Mrs. Walthall is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Evans and Mr. Walthall is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Walthall.

The bride was lovely in a salmon pink crepe dress with white and black accessories.

The bride and groom both attended the local schools. Mr. Walthall is employed at the Texas Spur office.

Fred Harrison of Dickens was in Spur Thursday last week to attend the funeral services for T. S. Lambert.

Map Hunt for Oldest Chevrolet Truck



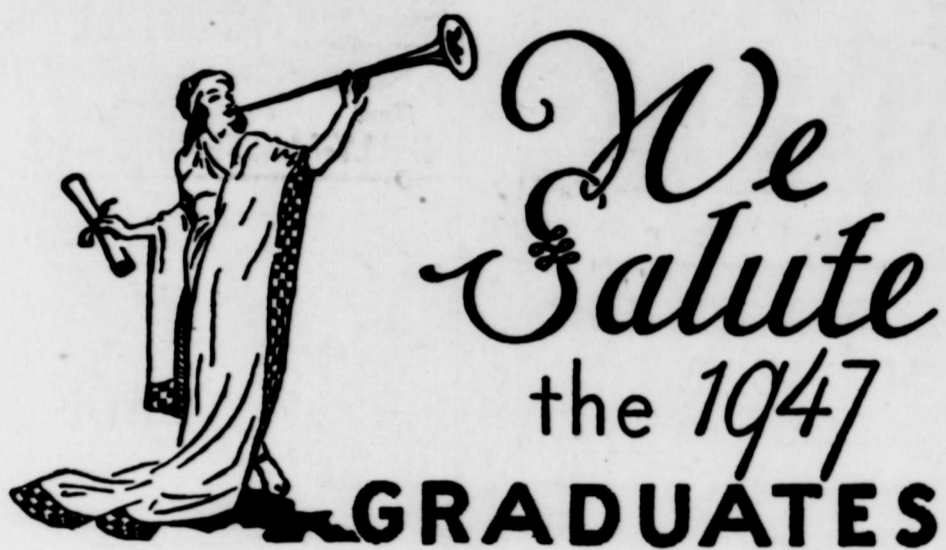
A search by the Chevrolet Motor Division and Chevrolet dealers to locate the oldest Chevrolet truck still in active service in the United States started May 10 and concludes June 15, with the owner of the oldest vehicle receiving a new truck from the Advance-Design line of trucks which Chevrolet will soon put on the market. Photo shows J. W. Burke (right), manager, commercial and truck department, and T. C. Mallon, assistant manager, examining posters used by Chevrolet dealers in the search. Trucks must be driven to Chevrolet dealerships for official registration.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Haney of Afton were in Spur last Thursday, shopping and visiting with friends.

Mrs. M. P. Duncan was carried to Lubbock last week where she entered the clinic for observation.

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- 1946 White Truck, by J.L. Garner from Garner Appliance Co., Post, Texas.
- 1947 Jeep by Tallye Windham, from E. W. Milsap Sales & Service, Lubbock
- 1947 Fordor Chevrolet by Clifford W. Dozier from Spur Motor Co.
- 1946 Two-door Plymouth sedan, by A. J. Richey from C. H. Lodal Co., Crosbyton.
- 1947 Fordor Chrysler by Carl Proctor from Rickels Motor Co., Spur
- 1947 Chevrolet coupe by Dempsey Sims, Jr., from Spur Motor Co.
- 1947 Dodge 1-2-ton pickup by W. S. Carlisle from Ford Miller, Waco, Texas
- 1947 Chevrolet coupe by W. M. Foster from Lackey Motor Co., Fort Worth.
- 1947 Chevrolet coupe by G. F. Harris from W. M. Foster
- 1947 Fordor Kaiser sedan by Mrs. Lewis E. Walker from Tri-County Motor Co., Spur.
- 1947 Fordor Plymouth by F. F.

Henry from Rickels Motor Co., Spur

- 1947 Dodge Pick-up by Rose and Lay from Dickerson Motor Co., Lubbock
- 1946 Ford Truck by Virgil Wilson from Abernathy Motor Co., Abernathy, Texas
- 1947 Fordor Plymouth by Bynum Britton from Rickels Motor Co.
- 1947 Fordor Chrysler by Thos. P. Johnson from Rickels Motor Co.
- 1947 Fordor Chrysler by W. M. Hazel from Rickels Motor Co., Spur
- 1946 Chevrolet Sedan by Ernest McNutt from Thos. P. Johnson, Spur
- 1947 Tudor Ford by H. E. Taylor from Godfrey & Smart, Spur.
- 1947 Ford Pick-up by E. F. Shugart from Godfrey & Smart, Spur
- 1947 Fordor Plymouth by E. W. Harris, from Jones Motor Co., Spur
- 1947 International Pick-up by Campbell Furniture Co. from Spur Implement Co.

Lewis Mason of Jayton was a visitor in Spur Monday morning.



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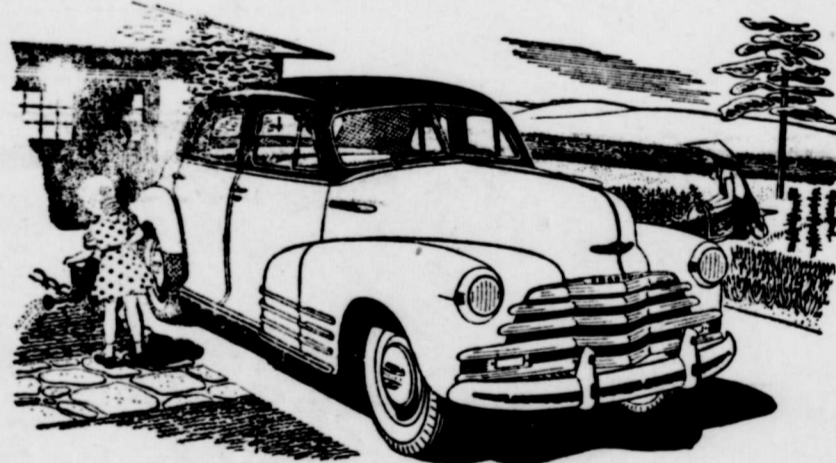


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The Commencement Exercises are as follows.

Proclamation—"Largo" Chopin — Ernestine Berry

Invocation—Raymond Van Zandt
Pastor of First Methodist Church, Spur, Texas

Salutatory Address—William Gollihar

Class Song—"Auf Wiedersehen"—Senior Class

Valedictory Address—Mafai Carlisle

Song—"Neapolitan Nights" by Zamecnik—High School Chorus

Address—Hon. G. H. Nelson Lubbock, Texas

Presentation of Awards—A. Z. Hays, Jr. High School Principal

Song—"Goin' Home" by Dvorak—High School Chorus

Presentation of Class—C. F. Cook Superintendent of Schools

Presentation of Diplomas—Cecil Godfrey, President of Spur High School Board

Announcements

Recessional—"Alma Mater"—Ernestine Berry

Benediction—Rev. C. N. Gilbert Pastor of First Baptist Church, Spur, Texas

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(Continued from Page 1) the chance to be free of her job at the Beane household. Billy Massey showed his talent in playing the part of Jock, the chauffeur. Jock certainly had a mind of his own and certainly let Mrs. Winthrop-Beane know it.

Those of you that saw the play were very impressed and will admit it's one of the best put on in Spur.

The Junior class had a good crowd but still more would have been out if the weather had permitted. \$138.00 was taken in. The class was well satisfied and can hardly wait for its Senior play.

A GLIMPSE OF SPUR HIGH NEXT YEAR

What will Spur High be like next year? To begin with it is rumored that Clyde Blair will be the football hero. Wonder what kind of cheer leader uniforms Virginia, Bobbie, Jamie Nell, and Carolyn will have? And Grace and Doris will have new girls to work with next year on the basketball team. Doesn't it all seem strange—but it happens every year.

What about the Fish girls that always slay the upperclassmen? Who will occupy center stage next year? Speaking of pictures, can you picture the sophomores as the cast of the Junior play?

And the Rowel will fall under the management of Virginia McNeill who will inherit the editor's job.

What will bookkeeping and B. A. be without Mrs. Labay and agriculture with Mr. Labay? Mr. Pullis won't be here either.

And look who will be seniors. It's almost unbelievable.

Think I'll cavendrop some day next year and see if the old place is really so much different.

The track team winners this year were David McAteer—discus, Bobby Wright—200 low hurdles, Jerry King—440 yard dash, Bobby Wright won second in shotput, Morris Denson entered the mile dash, David Me-

Ateer and A. B. Stucky high-jumped and Tommy Alldredge entered the 100 yard and 220 yard dashes but they didn't win.

In Junior Track Clyde Blair won both the 100 yard and the 50 yard dashes and Neal Chastain placed in both.

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BAND NOTES
This year in band has been a successful one. They have given three attractive as well as inspirational concerts; won first place in the State Marching contest at Childress—incidentally fifty dollars which was used for buying pins for members of the band; were represented at all football games; played for the County Stock Show; sponsored a Basketball game between the men teachers and the girls basketball team; and bought jackets for the graduating Seniors.

Our playing has not yet come to a close for the year. The band will carry on until after the Rodeo. Plans are being made to march in the parades before the Rodeo and play during all performances.

Mr. Labay: Graden, how can you tell an old hen from a young one?

Graden: "By the teeth".

Mr. Labay: "Don't kid me, Graden, hens don't have teeth."

Graden: "No, but I do."

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Wieners Skinless	Lb.	39¢
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Peaches Rio Rita	No. 2 1/2 Can	20¢
Apricots Valley Gold Whole Unpeeled	No. 2 1/2 Can	23¢
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SUPERINTENDENT McRAE EXTENDS APPRECIATION TO CONTRIBUTORS

Dan McRae, superintendent of the Patton Spring school reported early this week that over \$500 was the gross receipts from a May Day School Carnival at Patton Spring, Friday night, May 9.

This carnival is an annual event and altho the weather was unfavorable, the carnival was a great success.

Appreciation is extended to the 76 contributors in Spur, Dickens, Afton, Glenn, Roaring Springs and Matorador, said Mr. McRae. Each contributor's name or firm name was displayed by signs in the school building and announcement of same was made at intervals over the public address system. These business firms and men can expect the continued patronage from the entire school community, he added.

Baccalaureate Services Held For Girard Seniors Sun.

The Girard High school held its Baccalaureate services at the Girard high school auditorium last Sunday evening, May 18 for their senior class.

The processional by Tommie Windham was followed by the invocation given by Rev. R. L. Porter, pastor of the Baptist church at Girard. The audience joined in singing "Onward Christian Soldiers," after which special music was given by high school girls. Rev. Don Gardner delivered the address and Tom Hunnicutt gave the benediction.

Lewis Mason of Jayton was attending to business in Spur Wednesday. Mr. Mason is the Chevrolet dealer at Jayton.

READ THE WANT-ADS

JAY AUSTIN AWARDED BRONZE PLAQUE FOR OUTSTANDING CONSERVATION WORK

Jay Austin, co-operator with the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District was awarded a plaque and honored at a meeting in Plainview last Friday for being nominated the outstanding conservation farmer for 1946 in the Duck Creek District in the Fort Worth Press Award program of "Save the Soil and Save Texas." Walter Humphrey, editor of the Fort Worth Press, presented awards to soil conservation districts, conservation groups, and individual farmers in Region I of Texas at the meeting which was attended by over one hundred district co-operators and district supervisors.

Austin operates the Fred Jennings' farm in the Hackberry Conservation Group six miles northwest of Spur. Three miles of new terraces and 550 feet of diversions were constructed by Austin this year. Two hundred and ninety five acres of contour farming, 240 acres crop residue management, and 5 miles of old terraces were maintained as part of his accomplishments.

Lt. and Mrs. Pat Williams and son, Greg left Wednesday morning for Abilene where they will visit a while and continue on to Dallas and then on to their home in New York. They have been the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Arthur and Mrs. Helen Williams.

DICKENS COUNTY

WORKERS CONFERENCE

May 23, 1947

(Espuela Baptist Church)

Theme: Christian Fellowship

10:00—Song Service and Devotional—Doc Love

10:30—Value of Christian Fellowship—Aubrey McAuley

10:55—Basis of Christian Fellowship—G. U. Walser

11:20—Announcements, offering and song

11:30—Sermon—Jack Wester

12:00—Lunch

1:30—Board Meeting

2:15—Song

2:20—Organizer's report—W. B. Teel

2:30—Southern Baptist Convention, report—C. N. Gilbert.

Girl Scouts To Have Outdoor Program

On Friday May 14, leaders and committee chairman of the local Girl Scout Organization met to make plans for the program of outdoor activities for Scouts and Brownies. Samples were discussed for construction work of troops before the time of this program, beginning June 23rd. Explanations were discussed for the outdoor program. First Aid equipment was arranged. Plans made for the daily program of this vacation activity. Scouts and Brownies were requested to register as soon as possible. The next meeting of this committee will be on June 17th at 3 p.m. in the home of Mrs. E. B. Henshaw.

Paul Sweatt Will Teach V. A. At Patton Springs

Paul Sweatt has accepted the Vocational Agriculture position at Patton Springs School, replacing Mr. Ponder, who has recently resigned to accept a position at Munday. Sweatt has resigned as Vocational Agriculture teacher at Coahoma, Texas. He is a graduate of WTSTC, Canyon, Texas and did his Smith-Hughes & Masters work at SHSTC, Huntsville, Texas. He has been principal of schools in Mitchell & Howard counties, superintendent of schools in Scurry county, taught surveying in the Replacement Training Center, Ft. Sill, Oklahoma, for two years and has been at Coahoma for the past two years teaching V. A. this year.

Mr. Sweatt has a wife and two sons. They will move to Patton Springs July 1.

Supt. C. F. Cook Completes Four Successful Years



C. F. Cook, superintendent of the Spur schools, is a graduate of Howard Payne College. He has done work on the MA Degree at Hardin-Simmons University and has had twenty years experience in teaching. He has served as superintendent of the Spur school system for the past four years, which have been very successful years.

Spur feels very fortunate to have a man of Mr. Cook's standing, he is one of the strongest school men in this area. Mr. and Mrs. Cook and two sons are members of the Methodist church and all are prominent in civic affairs. Mr. Cook is a member of the Spur Rotary Club.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Caplinger are announcing the arrival of a son, Don Lee, who was born in the West Texas Hospital at Lubbock, Wednesday, May 14 at 1:15 p.m. The young man weighed seven pounds and 11 ounces at birth. Mrs. Caplinger and son were returned to their home here last Saturday and are doing nicely.

READ THE WANT-ADS

R. M. Pullis Accepts Position At College Of The Ozarks

R. M. Pullis, director of music for the Spur High School for the past two years has resigned his position in Spur and accepted a position as director of bands and instructor of brasses and woodwinds in the music department of the College of The Ozarks, Clarksville, Arkansas.

The College of The Ozarks is one of the oldest and finest colleges in the United States, and was the first College to be chartered in Arkansas. With a campus of twenty acres it is located in the beautiful foothills of the Ozark Mountains.

Mr. Pullis has directed Texas High School Bands for the past eleven years. He holds a Bachelor of Science Degree and a Master of Arts Degree. While going graduate work at the University of Oklahoma he was elected a member of the Kappa Kappi Psi, a national honorary music fraternity, and for his work in instructing baton twirlers was elected to the National Association of Rudimental Drum Majors.

Mr. Pullis will start work this summer on his Doctor's Degree. Mrs. Pullis will also attend school and will receive her Bachelor of Science Degree. Mrs. Pullis has taught in Spur for the past two years. Mr. Pullis wishes to express his appreciation and thanks to the band, choral club, administrators, and the people of Spur for their cooperation and help in making the music department the success that it has been.

GIRL SCOUTS HOLD REGULAR MEETING

The Girl Scouts of Troop 1 met at the home of Mrs. E. B. Henshaw for their regular meeting.

After the roll was called and dues collected, Mrs. Rex Carlisle discussed a play. The Scouts are to have four days of outdoor Activities starting June 23. The Scouts are to make Sitopons for the day camp.

Mrs. Preston Blackwell of Girard was in Spur Wednesday shopping with the Spur merchants and visiting with friends.

SOCIAL WORKER CONDUCTS STUDY PROGRAM WITH LOCAL COLORED

Mildred Powell Works With Colored Church This Week



MILDRED POWELL

Miss Mildred Powell of Denton is working this week with the Lake Side Baptist Church of Spur. Rev. J. L. Norris is the pastor.

Each afternoon at 4:30 there will be special work for the young people. A Rhythm Band, Sword Drill Team, Junior Choir, and Religious Dramatics Club will be organized. Scriptures and Bible Stories will be taught through the use of a Flannelgraph.

Senior Choir Practice will be conducted each evening at 9:30; following which will be taught a Sunday School Teacher Training and a Training Union Study Course.

Friday evening at the Lake Side Baptist Church, at 8:00, a special program will be presented under the direction of Miss Powell at which time the entire public is invited to attend.

Miss Powell is employed by the Department of Inter-racial cooperation of the Baptist General Convention of Texas. Dr. A. C. Miller, of Dallas, is the director of this department which seeks to promote a spirit of cooperation rather than domination among the various minority race groups. Work of this type is being done among the Mexicans, Chinese, Japanese, Jews, Europeans, and Negroes.

Miss Powell is a graduate of Howard Payne College of Brownwood where she received her BA degree, majoring in Religious Education and received further training at the Baptist Theological Seminary of Fort Worth.

Girard To Hold Commencement Exercises, May 23

Friday evening at 8 o'clock the Girard high school will present the annual graduation exercises in the high school auditorium with the following program being announced:

Processional—Mrs. W. M. Hilly Invocation—Mrs. R. L. Porter Song: "America The Beautiful"—Audience

Salutatorian—Erma Willis Song—Glee Club

Valedictorian—Ann Lorene Phipps

Address—Mr. Robert King Presentation of Diplomas—Mr. Howell

Recessional—Mrs. W. M. Hilly

Robert King who will address the seniors, was formerly superintendent of the Girard school for three years, prior to this year. Mr. King is now superintendent of the Rochester schools.

Ushers will be Tressie Mae Willis and Dale Hunnicutt.

Graduating seniors are: Anna Lorene Phipps, Ina Louise Brooks, Florene Boyd, Lester Carr, Erma Willis, O. C. Burrow and G. W. Kenemer, Jr.

Girl Scout Activities Growing In Interest

When the executive board of the local association of Girl Scouts met, Thursday, May 15, they voted to begin the repair work on the "Little House" immediately. It will soon be ready for use.

Anyone having time or labor to donate to this worthy cause are asked to please contact Sylvan Goding.

Also discussed, were plans for the program for outdoor activities for Girl Scouts and Brownies. A series of outdoor meetings are being arranged for four days, beginning June 23. Girl Scouts and Brownies should register and get a permit for this part of a profitable vacation.

Many interesting reports were made from various committees. One report was to the effect that the Girl Scout Association has arranged for a peanut concession at the Spur Cowboy Jubilee in June. Salted, roasted or other kinds will be available.

Spur's Scouting activities are growing. A constitution for local work is to be approved at the June meeting. Miss Ida McClure will be in Spur for several days beginning June 20.

"An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure" in delinquency cases.

Walter Foreman was in town Saturday from his home in the Foreman chapel community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Pipkins and children Clawson and Gene of Lubbock were Thursday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Callihan.

Basketball Jackets Arrive For Past Successful Season

Friday, April 25, the members of the basketball teams of Spur High received their awards for having lettered the past season. Girls who had received jackets for the '45 season and boys who received football letters were ineligible for jackets this year.

Those receiving rewards were Charlene Witt, Billie Hindman Wayne McCarty, Darold Roberson, Joe Simpson, Joe Barclay, David McAteer, Dennis Bingham.

Other lettermen were Maude Brown, Mafol Carlisle, Doris Blakley, Grace Bailey, Imajean Bilberry, Bill Dyess, Dean Wright and Homer Wilson.



As you reach Commencement Day

members of the Class of '47, we know how proud you must feel and how proud your parents must feel. We, too, are proud of you. We congratulate you and wish you loads of success from here on.

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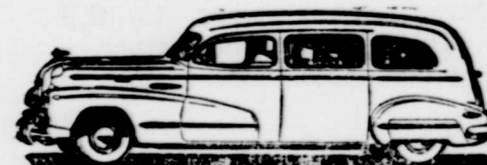
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Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Sections 17 and 18 which shall read as follows:

"Section 17. In lieu of the state ad valorem tax on property of Seven (7c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 51 of Article 7, as amended, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Two (2c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate Army and navy, frontier organizations, and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax rate herein above levied.

"Also, there is hereby levied, in addition to all other taxes permitted by the constitution of Texas, a state ad valorem tax on property of Five (5c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and initially equipping buildings, or other permanent improvements at the designated institutions of higher learning; and the governing board of each of such institutions of higher learning is fully authorized to pledge all or any part of said funds allotted to such institution as hereinafter provided, to secure bonds or notes issued for the purpose of acquiring, constructing and initially equipping such buildings or other permanent improvements at said respective institutions. Such bonds or notes shall be issued in such amounts as may be determined by the governing boards of said respective institutions, shall bear interest not to exceed three (3%) per cent per annum and shall mature serially or otherwise not to exceed ten (10) years from the first (1st) day of January of each year in which such funds are allocated or re-allocated to said respective institutions; provided, the power to issue bonds or notes hereunder is expressly limited to a period of thirty (30) years from the date of the adoption of this amendment; and provided further, that the Five (5c) Cent tax hereby levied shall expire finally upon payment of all bonds hereby authorized; provided further, that the state tax on property as heretofore permitted to be levied by Section 9 of Article VIII, as amended, exclusive of the tax necessary to pay the public debt, and of the taxes provided for the benefit of the public free schools, shall never exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation. All bonds shall be examined and approved by the Attorney General of the State of Texas, and when so approved shall be incontestable; and all approved bonds shall be registered in the office of the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas. Said bonds shall be sold only through competitive bids and shall never be sold for less than their par value and accrued interest.

"Funds raised from said Five (5c) Cents tax levy for the ten (10) year period beginning January 1, 1948, are hereby allocated to the following institutions of higher learning, and in the following proportions, to wit:

Institution—	Per Cent of Total
John Tarleton Agricultural College North Texas	5.72107
Agricultural College Texas State College for Women	6.17028
Texas College of Arts and Industries	11.52992
College of Mines and Metallurgy Texas Technological College	4.75551
East Texas State Teachers College North Texas State Teachers College Sam Houston State Teachers College Southwest State Teachers College Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College Sul Ross State Teachers College West Texas State Teachers College Prairie View Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas	4.71936
	16.54877
	8.10657
	12.64522
	5.55068
	6.78474
	4.55414
	2.15315
	5.41643
	5.34416

"Not later than June 1st of the beginning year of each succeeding ten (10) year period, the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, based on the average long session full-time student enrollment for the preceding five (5) year period of time, shall re-allocate, to the above designated institutions of higher learning then in existence, all funds to be derived from said Five (5c) Cent ad valorem tax for said ten (10) year period; and all such designated institutions of higher learning which participate in the allocation or re-allocation of such funds shall not thereafter receive any other state funds for the acquiring or constructing of buildings or other permanent improvements for which said Five (5c) Cents ad valorem tax is herein provided, except in case of fire, flood, storm, or earthquake occurring at any such institution, in which case an appropriation in an amount sufficient to replace the loss so incurred may be made by the Legislature out of other state funds. This amendment shall be self-enacting. The State Comptroller of Public Accounts shall draw all necessary and proper warrants upon the State Treasury in order to carry out the purpose of this amendment; and the State Treasurer shall pay warrants so issued out of the special fund hereby created for said purpose."

"Section 18. For the purpose of constructing, equipping or acquiring buildings or other permanent improvements, the Board of Directors of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas is hereby authorized to issue negotiable bonds or notes not to exceed a total amount of Five Million (\$5,000,000.00) Dollars, and the Board of Regents of The University of Texas is hereby authorized to issue negotiable bonds or notes not to exceed a total amount of Ten Million (\$10,000,000.00) Dollars. Any bonds or notes issued hereunder shall be payable solely out of the income from the Permanent University Fund. Bonds or notes so issued shall mature serially or otherwise not more than twenty (20) years from their respective dates, and in no event later than

twenty-five (25) years after the date of the adoption of this amendment. This amendment shall be self-enacting.

"Said Boards are severally authorized to pledge the whole or any part of the respective interests of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and of The University of Texas in the income from the Permanent University Fund, as such interests are now apportioned by Chapter 42 of the Acts of the Regular Session of the 42nd Legislature of the State of Texas, for the purpose of securing the payment of the principal and interest of such bonds or notes. The Permanent University Fund may be invested in such bonds or notes.

"All bonds or notes issued pursuant hereto shall be approved by the Attorney General of Texas and when so approved shall be incontestable."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at a special election to be held throughout the state on the fourth Saturday in August, A. D. 1947, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon:

"For the amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding Sections 17 and 18 providing for the levying of a state ad valorem tax on property in lieu of the present state ad valorem tax of Seven (7c) Cents for Confederate pensions in order to create special funds necessary for the payment of Confederate pensions and for the financing of the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning, in the amounts of Two (2c) Cents and Five (5c) Cents respectively; providing for a Five Cent reduction of the maximum allowable state tax on property, making such tax not to exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the One Hundred (100.00) Dollars valuation; providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of improvements and buildings at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and The University of Texas."

"Against the amendment to Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas, adding Sections 17 and 18 providing for the levying of a state ad valorem tax on property in lieu of the present state ad valorem tax of Seven (7c) Cents for Confederate pensions in order to create special funds necessary for the payment of Confederate pensions and for the financing of the construction and equipment of buildings and other permanent improvements at state institutions of higher learning in the amounts of Two (2c) Cents and Five (5c) Cents respectively; providing for a Five (5c) Cent reduction of the maximum allowable state tax on property, making such tax not to exceed Thirty (30c) Cents on the One Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars valuation; providing a method of payment for the construction and equipment of improvements and buildings at the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and The University of Texas."

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the constitution and laws of this

Daughter Of H. L. Lovells' Christened Sunday

Bessie Beatrice Lovell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Lovell, was christened Sunday May 11, during the morning service of the First Methodist Church of Alpine.

Bessie Beatrice's paternal grandparents are Mrs W T Lovell and the late W. T. Lovell of Afton, and her maternal grandparents are the Rev. and Mrs. J. Fred Cocke of Seminole. She wore a gertrude and dress worn by Mrs. Cocke in her infancy and a tiny gold cross-gift from her father and mother and a pink rosebud—gift from her aunt, Mrs. J. B. Speer of Alpine.

After the service a christening dinner was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lovell. Those attending were: Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Speer, Miss Elvia Speer, Mr.

state.
Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand (\$10,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the treasury of the state, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election. (29-4tc)

and Mrs. J. V. Reeves all of Alpine and Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Lovell and son, Jan of Kermit.

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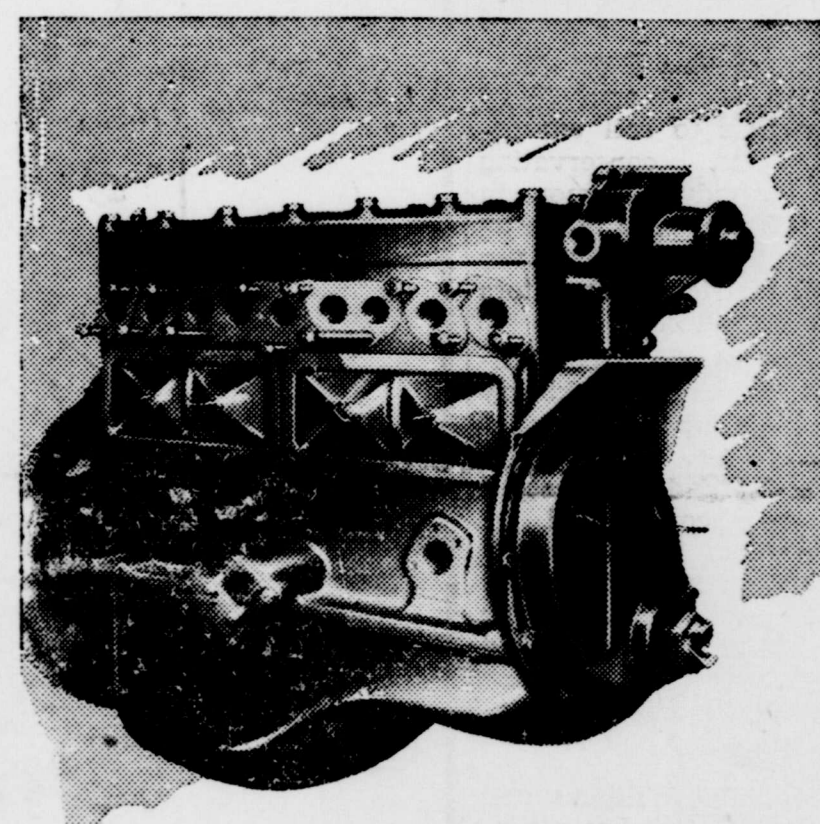
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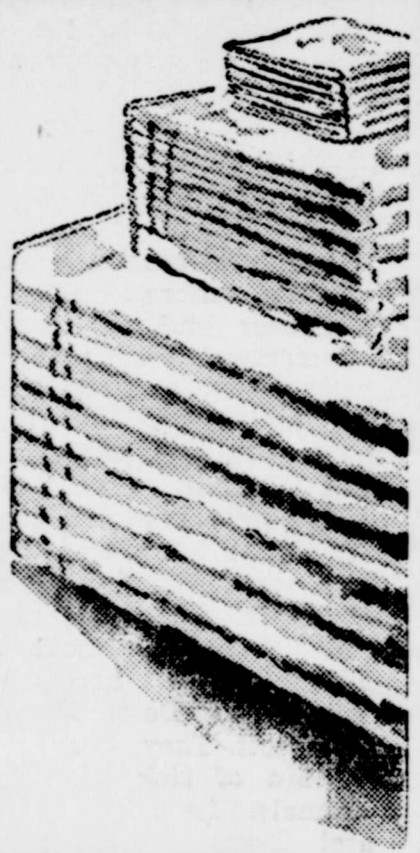
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CLASS HISTORY

By Lucy Nell Boothe

The "ship of education" started on its log voyage with the following who have stayed with us from year to year: Arlene Wilson, Billie Boykin, Joyce Daughtry, Jerry Graves, Don Hindman, Nelda Horn, Annette Lee, Myra Ratliff, Lucy Nell Boothe, Margaret Wood, Collin Reese, Dick Gipson, Douglas McArthur, Marlene and David Sprayberry, Dean Watson, Doris Williams, Anita Cunningham, Betty Scott, Laverne Wilson and Vernell McAlpin.

We regard the first important thing that happened to us in school as one of the most important things in our lives. That thing was the first assembly program we were in. It was the beginning of the development of some of the talents of our class.

The twelve grade system was put into use in Spur in '42. This required us to skip the second grade and go to the third.

Others have joined us as our "education" ship docked at the different grades. While stopped at the third grade Lera Lou Frazier, Wessel Smith, Billy Hoover, and Tony Green joined the crew.

While at the fourth grade the hardest thing in some of our lives came up—the multiplication table. Docking at the fourth grade we were joined by Delma Joyce Hising, Don Hill, Floyd Arnold and David Cage.

Then came the year we graduated from East Ward. Our graduation concert was Cinderella. Those who joined our graduating class were Beryl Durham, Wayne Alexander, Troy Smith, Ann and Lynn Wright and Wallace Young.

Then came our first year in Junior High. We didn't have to line up before a sign in the building! We remember the sixth grade as quite an experience. While there our crew was increased in number by two who are still aboard: Margie Campbell and Dorothy Williams.

The seventh grade—what a time we had! Miss Lee scolding us for talking and Mr. Williams telling of his adventures during arithmetic period. Mrs. Jordan and her rules about chewing gum. Those who joined us on our sailing vessel last year (7th grade) were Carole DeWees, Herbert Roberson, Gracie Lasseter, and G. F. Baze.

This year began with Gay Nell Bass, Jane Holloway, Joe Neil and Marcell James, Barbara Vaughn, Howell Pugh, Jean Calvert, Carnell and Wynell Mahan, Robt. Stewart and Lilly Cantinas new members.

In the entire class there are many with talent. There are some who study art, speech or music and even some whose ambition is to be an artist or poet.

There are eight members of the class who are in the High School Band. These are: Carole DeWees, trombone; Collin Reese, trombone; Jerry Graves, snare drum; Annette Lee, cornet; Margaret Wood, cornet; Lucy Nell Boothe, clarinet; Myra Ratliff, clarinet, and Arlene Wilson, snare drum.

The class boasts of three pairs of twins. This is something that not many classes have. These are: Joe Neil and Marcell James from Dry Lake community, Ann and Lynn Wright of Spur, and Carnell and Wynell Mahan, not quite twins but are considered so, of Spueck.

The eighth grade class of '47 wishes to express its appreciation to the following who have been the faithful captains of the ship and have guided us through the "Sea of Learning": First grade: Mrs. E. D. Eastman, Mrs. Newberry and Miss Vaughter. Third grade: Mrs. Carl Yarna and Miss Ruth Lord. Fourth grade: Miss Evelyn Pickens and Mrs. (Virge Cox) McCub. Fifth grade: Mrs. Edith Durham, Miss Beadie Smiley and Mrs. Rex Carlisle. Sixth grade: Mrs. A. M. Walker and Mrs. Sam Clemmons. Seventh grade: Mrs. Regina Lee, Mrs. Norton Barrett, Mrs. O. L. Kelley, Mrs.

M. Jordan, Mrs. Troy (McClure) Whiting, Miss Ruth Smith and Mr. Robt. Williams. Eighth grade: Miss Willie Hampton, Mrs. O. L. Kelley and Mr. Bruce Browning.

"ON, SAIL ON"

By Arlene Wilson

"The arriving travelers along the highway of success have not always voyaged in an unbroken course, but have journeyed rather by systematic stages marking and resetting their mileposts at epoched places."

The eighth grade has gone over these tides and has lost few on the way. They have left behind them the "gray Azores" and before them lay the "shoreless seas". They had grown restless and afraid that they were not going to make a certain shore, but now as they are "over" the tide they've come to think of the bright future.

The class chose "On Sail On" for their motto. The members plan to "sail on" by learning to control themselves "thinking they can," having "eyes that see" meeting and overcoming the "tides of life," and increasing their "personality power."

CLASS PROPHECY

By Joyce Daughtry and Margie Campbell

There is an old man dressed in an ill-fitting suit, flaming tie and socks, and derby hat. He carries a disreputable old satchel and mops his brow with an old red handkerchief. He says —

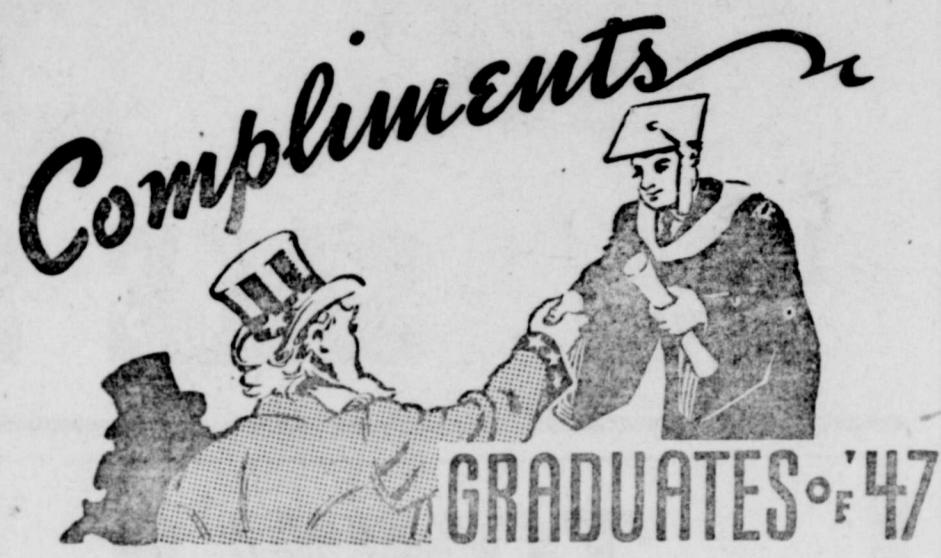
"Wal here I be at last. Thought that ole train never would git here. Don't know that I keer much for this here city life—folks running 'round' every which way and not a one stopping long enough ter say 'Howdy, Stranger.' I'll sure be glad to see my daughter, Molly, when she comes for me. She told me to wait right here until she gets here and bet your bottom dollar I'm waiting. I ain't taking no chances on being mused up by the bulls and bears of Wall Street I've heard 'so much talk about. Wal ain't that luck—a regular directory here right nice and handy! When my son, David,

heard I was set on going to New York, 'Dad,' sez he, 'I'd give a five-dollar bill for your chance. Do you know most of the eighth grade class of 1947 is living there now? I'd sure like to know what they are doing. Mebbe I'll find out, sez I, and it here ain't my chance." He opens the directory. "Beryl Arlene Durham. That must be our Beryl. His ma picked his name out for him outen some story books she was a readin'. So he's an author now himself—wouldn't that tickle Myra Ratliff? She'd be so proud she'd almost bust if she only knew. And here's Don Hill an architect! I allus knew that boy would do something like that some day. I guess that shack he built down by the ole swimmin' pool is still standing there. Just give him a hammer and nails and a few old packing boxes and he could make a reg'lar palace out of them. Wal, I'll be jiggered! Here's Barbara Vaughn's name all writ up as a sculptor. I mind how natural like she used to fix up the snow men in the yard and how she cried when big Wayne Alexander and Robert Stewart knocked them down. I wonder what mischief them two is gettin' into now.

As I live and breathe—here's both of their names, Wayne is a prize fighter and Robert's a circus performer! Sech goings on, I might hev knowed they'd do something exciting! What do you suppose became of Dorothy and Doris Williams, those pretty little girls they used to tease so much? Mebbe I can find them too. Sure enuf! They're teachers now helpin' the young ideas to sprout. I'll warrant they's no easy job in these hereadays. Then there was Dean Watson and Betty Scott. They allus liked ter take care of sick folks and stray animals. Let's see. Here they are! Dean is doctoring now and Betty runs an orphan asylum. Ain't that nice? I bet those patients and babies think they're pretty lucky. Who else was there? Laverne Wilson funny I didn't think of him before. He was all business by the time he was knee high to a grasshopper. I never forget how mother laughed when he came ter our door one day selling some

of his pa's blackberry wine so he could take Lera Lou Frazier to the show. Blessed if he isn't head of the Wilson department stores now. Wouldn't wonder if he married Lera. They used to think a lot of each other. Lavern's pal uster be Floyd Arnold. Never did I see that lad but what he was all stuck up with bandages and court plaster. Seems like he warn't happy if

he warn't experimenting with something. More'n once I heard his ma say that they'd never raise him. Here's his name tho. He's a scientist. I hope he's well fixed up with insurance. Hard on the company though. Jean Calvert used to sing like a little canary—now she is a starrin' at the Metropolitan Opry House. I never could un-



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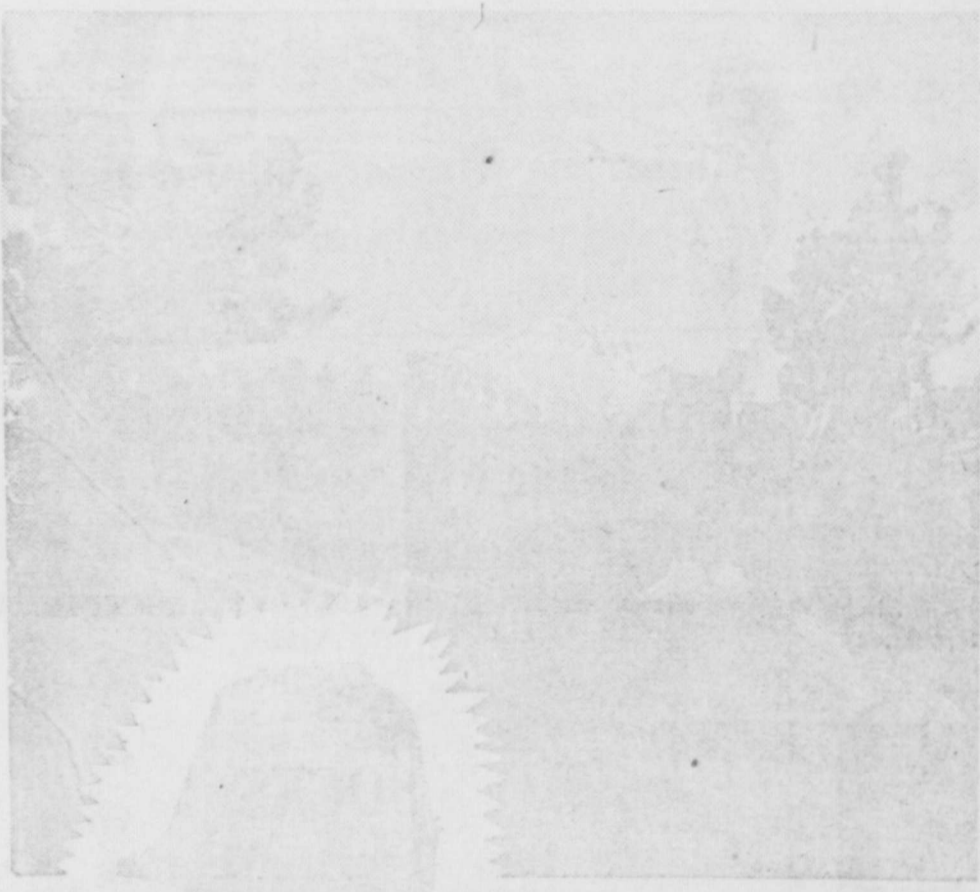
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derstand that, opy music but me that Anita Cunningham was a dancing at another theyer? maybe I could stand it once seeing as how I'd be listening ter Mebbe it would be better to go a home-town girl. Molly wrote there—those pretty little feet of

her's certainly used to know how to step and I suppose they are better now. What's this? Admiral Douglas McArthur. Do you suppose that can be our Doug? He'd make a handsome figger of a man in a uniform—that's worth a lot—especially in the eyes of the ladies. Wal shut my mouth! If it ain't Herbert Robinson—a college professor, I always knew he be something like that. Always did make high grades for a boy. Troy Smith a fireman! He always did like fires. Jimmy Green a radio comedian. That boy used to be so funny. It sez here Jerry Graves is a traveling salesman. That boy used to travel all the time. Myra Ratliff, Margaret Wood, Annette Lee, Arlene Wilson, and Lucky Boothe all play in a symphony orchestra. They always liked band so much. Here's Marlene Sprayberry a fashion designer. She always did hav a fast in cloths. Let's see here's the Wright Sisters entertaining in a night club. Their voices always did so good together. Here's Collin Reese a real estate dealer. He could always sell anything for twice what it cost him. If says here David Cage lives on a ranch. He always liked horses better than anything else. Well here's another David, David Spraberry. He's a used car dealer. He always did like cars. Wal here's Dick Gibson. He's a Firestone salesman like his father. Here's Vernell McAlpine a newspaper reporter. He always knew all the latest gossip. Wallace Young is a hotel clerk. He likes to meet people. Joe Nell James is a wrestler. He used to get practice when fighting Marcel. Don Hindman now owns five grocery stores. He used to eat all the time. T. F. Blaze runs a fruit shop. He used to always like to fix things. (especially girls) Billy Hoover runs a bicycle shop on 1st street. He used to ride a bicycle everywhere he went. Howell Pugh. That must be our Mustard. What he runs the Pugh Mustard Company.

Here's Lera Lou Frazier a rodeo performer. Maria Cornelius is now one of the world's greatest artists. Mable Whitner is a clerk in a department store. The Mahan Sisters are now models in a department store. Woo Woo! Wynell Smith is now a lady wrestler. What a build! Jane Holloway is now modeling for Powers. What a figure! Carole Dewees is now a lady lawyer. She could always ask more questions. Nelda Horn, it says here, is a beauty operator. She used to have the prettiest golden hair. Gracie Lassater now owns a jewelry store. She used to always like diamonds. (who wouldn't) Gay Nell Bass is a florist. Yes, sicee she's pretty as a flower. Delma Hagins and Marcell James are telephone operators. You know the voice with a smile. Billie Boykin is now a nurse. She always was kind and thoughtful of sick people. The old man looks up and says "Wal, hello Molly! I'm awful glad ter see you. Jest purty as ever ain't ya? This city is great! Just lead me to a telephone so I can talk to some of Bab's old friends. I want ter look up.

strings" in the school sports, and to make the most noise, in the halls, slamming locker doors, and in the study halls. Other requests are: The "passed on" gifts the "new Eighth Grade" the ability as being the champion gum chewers of the school. The boys give to the "new" the ability to write notes to the girls. The class has decided to get up early next year (probably to get Algebra), therefore we gift the "new Eighth Grade" with hating to get up in the morning. The girls of the Eighth Grade would like to give the "slightly inexperienced" the ability to have the most love affairs.

ANTELOPE HOLINESS CHURCH TO HOLD SERVICES ALL DAY SUNDAY, MAY 25

The Antelope Holiness Church will hold all-day services at Antelope Sunday, May 25, beginning at 10 A. M. The services will be held throughout the day with a basket lunch served during the noon hour. This is to be a Fellowship meeting with preachers from Olney, Munday and Sweetwater to conduct the services. There also are to be a group of very good singers present. The public is invited to bring a basket lunch and attend the all day services.

SAFEWAY EMPLOYEE ATTENDS SCHOOL IN DALLAS

Charles Smith, employee of the Safeway Store in Spur, left Sunday for Dallas where he will attend a four-day school of instructions given by the Safeway Stores in Dallas. "Smitty" is expected to return Friday and resume his duties at the Spur store.

THE ONES I LOVE

By Marie Condon
I love all the schools I have gone to,
I love the pretty teachers and all,
But I love the kids at Junior High,
The very best of them all.
Now when I was in New Mexico,
I liked them better with
And the ones at old Nebraska,
Only those could tell.
I don't know what got my first glance,
But the boys right here at home,
I know they had found them,
And I know they never have to roam.
I remember dear old school hours,
The windows, seats, and doors,
I know how they were in my
As I go on for many hours.



HAPPY LANDINGS!

To make a happy landing it's not only how you land but where you land! May both the how and the where in the case of each one of you graduates of 1947 be a happy combination that adds up to good fortune for all of your days!

TEXAS TIRE & FURNITURE Co.
R. A. Gilcrease, Owner

THE CLASS WILL

Margaret Wood
"The Eighth Grade, being now deceased or, as the poets say 'passed on to fairer realms.' I bring before you this legal document, drawn up by the legal hand and head of Margaret Wood and duly signed by the members of the defunct as being their last will and testament. These lawful bequeathments are given with the best wishes of the 'passed on' school mates and Cecil Godfrey president of the school board, is named as executor who shall see that these bequests are duly executed." The departing class bequeaths to the new Eighth Grade the right to lord it over the school, to occupy the best rooms in school, to be on the "mail

CLASS COLORS

By Annette Lee and Anita Cunningham
The Junior High Graduating Class chose for its colors, red, white, and blue.
Red is for courage, as red as a rose.
Blue is for loyalty, as the blue water flows,
White is for purity, like a billowy sea.
These are our class colors, we hope you'll agree.

NIGHTS

A summer night reminds me of a maiden so sweet,
With a lovely voice, and little dainty feet.
As delicate as lace is my lass,
With soft, tender eyes as clear as glass.
She makes you think of a sleepy lagoon,
Also of the cool, dark moon.
A winter night reminds me of a lonesome man,
In roughened boots, tramped over rocky land,
His loud voice is like thunder to the ear.
After her tinkling, melodious tones you hear,
He sounds like a madman as he whistles over hills,
And sometimes your heart with terror is filled.
Perhaps the number of my life will resemble his, but I hope I never have to roam.
That old, old song, "The Old Folks at Home,"
I hope I never hear again.

Now that the telephone strike is over

The strike is over and our employees are back on the job. Service, both local and long distance is returning to normal.

To the public we say: We are genuinely appreciative of your patience and your willingness to cooperate during the work stoppage.

We thank the thousands of telephone people, supervisors and others, who put in long and arduous hours in the effort to continue to give emergency service. To these people who carried the load when the going was tough we are most grateful.

To the returning workers in all departments we say: Welcome back. We are glad to have you again at your posts. Let's all forget the strike and get back to the job of furnishing telephone service.

NO CHARGE FOR INTERRUPTED SERVICE
Telephone users in Spur will not be charged for exchange service for the period of the emergency. An adjustment will be made on telephone bills.

SOUTHWESTERN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY



Advertisement for Robert L. Jackson Kemgas Plant, D & P L No. 14, Littlefield, Texas. Includes text: "We Kemgas Producers Co.affiliated for Farmers and Cottonseed breeders."

Advertisement for Riddick's Shows. Includes text: "Sponsored by V.F.W.'s To Raise Funds For Their Building Will be here until Sat. Night at 12 Show grounds located on North Burlington Street across (East) from Godfrey & Smart Co." Includes illustration of a horse and rider.

Cotton And Wheat Prices Up On SW Markets

(USDA)—Some easiness cropped up at most southwest farm markets last week, but few products suffered much net loss.

Rheumatism and Arthritis

Doctors differ as to the merits of NUE-OVO. Many users say it has brought them relief. If you suffer from Rheumatism or Arthritis why not write for literature on NUE-OVO from Research Laboratories, Inc., 403 N. W. 9th, Portland, Oregon. Pd. Adv.

according to the Production and Marketing Administration, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Light offerings of wheat and sorghums pushed prices up several cents early last week, and corn and barley followed, but later losses erased all gains, except on barley and sorghums. Wheat closed Friday at \$2.78 per bushel for No. 1 hard; and corn \$1.96 for white, and \$1.91 for yellow. No. 2 milo brought \$3.15 per hundred pounds.

Moderate quantities of milled rice moved to Cuba and domestic markets this week. Planting of the new crop made good progress. The downward trend in feed prices halted abruptly, as bran and shorts jumped \$9 to

OH, THAT SUZI!



Provocative indeed is lovely Suzi Crandall, Warner Bros. starlet, as she poses in this white cotton pique formal. The fitted midriff is all-over embroidered in red and the halter effect around the neck is of red grosgrain ribbon.

\$12 per ton, and other feeds held steady to strong. Alfalfa had not fully adjusted to the new crop basis; but prairie hay remained in urgent demand. New Mexico growers sold some well grown fine wools direct to mill.

Egg prices dropped a cent or two in some areas last week, and mature poultry showed a slightly weaker undertone. Eggs averaged 36 cents per dozen at Fort Smith; 37 at Denver, Amarillo, and San Antonio. 37 1-2 at Dallas, Fort Worth, and New Orleans; 38 at Topeka and Oklahoma City; 44 at Shreveport; and 45 at Houston and Corpus Christi.

Trading in spot cotton increased last week in some markets. Higher grades sold freely, but lower classes met slow demand. After rather wide fluctuations, Friday's prices stood at \$2.75 to \$4.75 lower for the pe-

riod. Butcher hogs closed last Friday about the same as a week earlier at most southwest markets, but some sows and feeder pigs weakened. Closing bulk price on good and choice medium weights stood at \$23.50 at San Antonio; \$24 at Fort Worth and Oklahoma City; \$25 at Denver; and around \$23.50 at Wichita.

Sheep and lambs saw little price change last week, but San Antonio netted 50 cents advance on spring lambs, while Oklahoma City and Denver weakened some. Closing bulk of good and choice spring lambs brought \$21 to \$23.50 at Fort Worth; \$20 to \$22 at San Antonio and Denver; and medium to good \$19 to \$23 at Oklahoma City.

Early advances at southwest cattle markets were largely lost late last week, and some spots closed a little lower, but many classes ended up with some net gains. Bulk of common and medium steers and yearlings brought \$14 to \$18 at Houston; and medium grades turned at \$19.25 to \$20.50 at San Antonio. Medium and good steers and yearlings sold mostly at \$18 to \$23 at Fort Worth; and \$20 to \$23.50 at Wichita. Oklahoma City paid mainly \$19 to \$23.50 for medium and good steers.

The number of frozen food locker plants in the country has grown from around 1,300 in 1938 to more than 8,000 in 1946.

Use The Classified Ads!

CATFISH BY THE ACRE

Texas farmers have grown cotton by the acre corn by the acre, beef to the acre of grass, and now it's fish by the acre.

There are more than 100,000 ponds on farms and ranches in the state that are kept for stock water. Every year, more farmers and stockmen are putting more of these ponds into fish production by stocking and fertilizing.

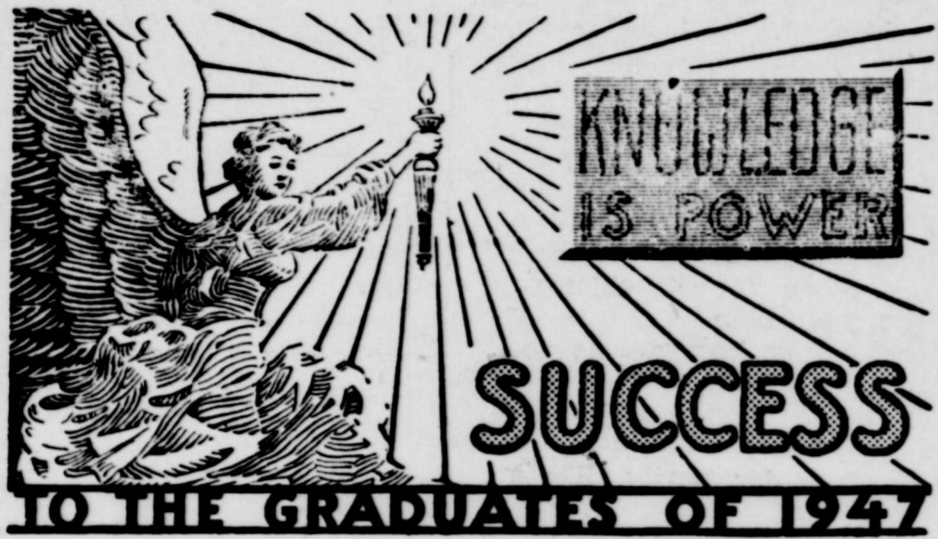
In connection with fertilization, R. E. Callender, specialist in wildlife conservation of the Texas A. and M. College Extension Service is telling "fishmen" and landowners now that the time has rolled around when the spring

application of fertilizer goes into the fish pond. The fertility of the water means just as much to healthy growth of fish as a fertile pasture means to the weight of a beef animal, Callender says.

Various mixtures of fertilizers may be used to promote growth of plants that make fish food. Probably the most common is a mixture of 400 pounds of cottonseed meal and 200 pounds of superphosphate, which makes

enough fertilizer to take care of one acre of water for one year. The first application—300 pounds of the mixture early in the spring, applied broadcast. Second and third applications—100 pounds each—can be made at four to six weeks intervals.

Barnyard manure makes good pond fertilizer, too, says Callender. About 500 pounds per application is the amount to use, up to three tons for an entire season.



Members of the Class of 1947 we want to congratulate you.

By diligence and perseverance you have opened the door that leads to the fuller life and the enjoyment of things gained only through self-denial and self-mastery.

Yours has been a proud record, and you have ample reason for pride in your accomplishment. We wish you godspeed in all future endeavors.

G. F. WACKER STORES
SPUR, TEXAS



History repeats itself again this spring. Once again our boy and girl graduates face the future with light hearts and clear vision

This is, in a sense, a historic occasion . . . one that we look forward to every year, one that inspires everybody in the community and that leaves us all with a feeling of pride

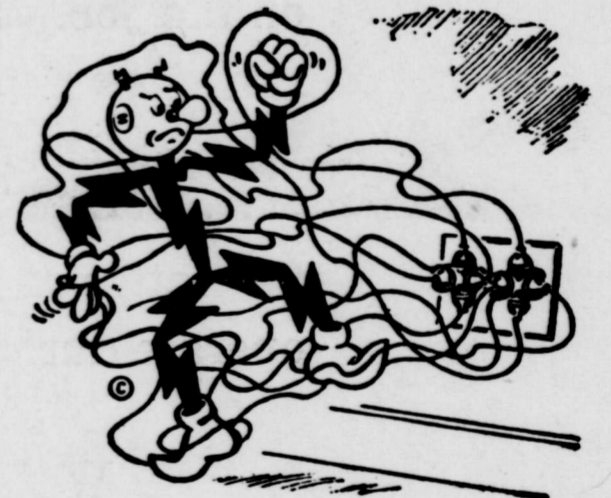
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Congratulations
boys and girls, and our very best wishes for a bright and happy future

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THREE-WAY KILLING

Strychnine, 1080 poison and cyanide crystals is a combination that Moore County farmers have used to kill 85 percent of their prairie dog population.

The majority of the dogs were

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killed with strychnine-treated grain bought from the Rodent Control Service, U. S. Department of Agriculture, says County Agricultural Agent J. B. Waide, Jr. The prairie dogs are a big threat to Plains stockmen in that they reduce the carrying capacity of pastures.

Several hundred pounds of 1080 poison were put out during the campaign by a Rodent Control Service representative. County Agent Waide explains that 1080 is a powerful poison developed during the war, and that it can be used only under the supervision of Rodent Control personnel.

Farmers in the county are now following up the strychnine and 1080 with cyanide crystals, placed in the prairie dog holes. They are working for a 100 percent kill, and Waide believes that the cyanide will finish off the remaining 15 per cent. He states that a complete kill is necessary or the dogs will re-populate faster than a county-full of jack rabbits.

Mrs. Lon Bass Hostess To Dry Lake Demonstration Club

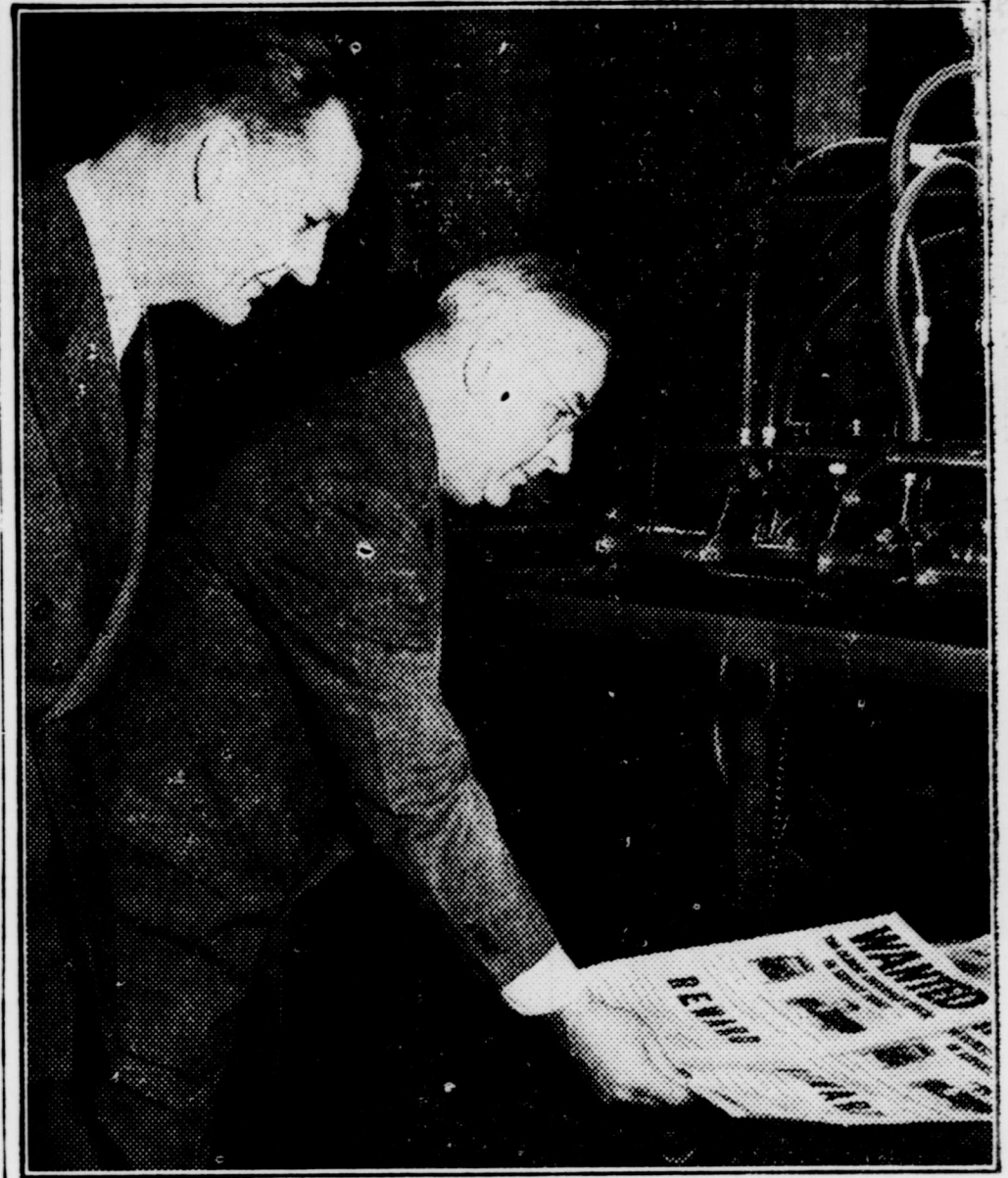
The Dry Lake Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday afternoon, May 14 in the home of Mrs. Lon Bass and enjoyed the afternoon quilting.

Mrs. Bill Ballard gave a most interesting report on her trip to district meeting recently held at Vernon. Mrs. Ballard and Mrs. E. J. Lasseter were awarded handmade gifts.

A delicious refreshment plate of tuna fish salad, Ritz crackers, and potato chips were served to the following: Mesdames Alvis Bilberry, Lester English, Velma Rogers, Ivy McMahan, Baker, Joe Kidd, Jeff Smith, Archer Powell, Ola Miller, Betty Lebew, Coy Dopson, E. J. Lasseter, Bill Ballard and Mother Calvert. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bill Ballard.

READ THE WANT-ADS

Map Hunt for Oldest Chevrolet Truck



A search by the Chevrolet Motor Division and Chevrolet dealers to locate the oldest Chevrolet truck still in active service in the United States started May 10 and concludes June 15, with the owner of the oldest vehicle receiving a new truck from the Advance-Design line of trucks which Chevrolet will soon put on the market. Photo shows J. W. Burke (right), manager, commercial and truck department, and T. C. Mallon, assistant manager, examining posters used by Chevrolet dealers in the search. Trucks must be driven to Chevrolet dealerships for official registration.

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Oldest Chevrolet Truck to Be Replaced With New One as Gift

Owners of early-model Chevrolet trucks in this area were invited today by Spur Motor Co. to participate in a nationwide search by the Chevrolet Motor Division to locate the oldest Chevrolet truck still in active service in the United States.

"The owner of the oldest truck will be presented with a brand-new Advance-Design Chevrolet truck and may choose any standard model in the current line of Chevrolet commercial cars and trucks," Mr. E. L. Caraway said. Trucks entered in the search must be driven to a Chevrolet dealership, where official entry blanks are available. The search ends June 15, 1947, and the winner will be notified on or before June 20, 1947.

"We have a large number of old Chevrolet trucks still in everyday service in this area," Mr. Caraway said, "and the winning vehicle may be on a farm or engaged in some other hauling work right in our own community."

The winning truck, Mr. Caraway said, must carry 1947 license plates. The oldest Chevrolet truck will be determined by the earliest serial numbers. In cases where the serial number is lost or illegible, the number may be established by an original bill of sale or other legal documents showing the original serial number.

Entries must be filed with a Chevrolet dealer by midnight June 15, Mr. E. L. Caraway emphasized. Only vehicles manufactured as trucks by Chevrolet are eligible, and the search is open to all truck owners with the exception of employees of the Chevrolet Motor Division-dealers in cars and trucks and their employees.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richey were in Fort Sumner, New Mexico week before last where they visited Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Boren, former residents of the Highway community. Mr. Boren is reported to be quite ill at this time.

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Nothing would please us more than to congratulate each of the members of the Class of 1947 in person. As this is not possible, unless you come to see us, we take this opportunity of extending to you our heartiest congratulations and best wishes for your success.

BELL'S CAFE

THANKS

I want to take this means of expressing my sincere appreciation to my friends and customers for the splendid patronage that they have given me in business. It has been a real pleasure to serve you and I believe that our mutual associations have been both valuable and enjoyable. It is a pleasure to serve such friends and customers.

I trust that you will give my successor equal support and patronage and he will do his best to please you.

Fletcher's Service Station

SPUR

TEXAS

Thursday Luncheon Club Disbands For Summer Months

The luncheon club of Mrs. Eric Swenson on West Harris street was lovely with roses when she entertained the Thursday Club last

Thursday afternoon with a luncheon.

Golden brown fried chicken was the piece-de-resistance with all the good things to eat that goes with it.

Mrs. Lee Snodgrass was awarded a prize for high score for guests. Miss Julia Hickman received a special guest prize, while Mrs. W. T. Andrews and Mrs. Swenson each received a double deck of Congress playing cards for club members.

Club members attending were Mesdames W. T. Andrews, Fred Jennings, M. C. Golding, E. D. Engleman, Tom Jones, Tom Johnston. Guests were, Mesdames Lee Snodgrass, Harvey Holly, Misses Julia Mae Hickman and her niece, Miss Julia Hickman of California and the hostess, Mrs. Swenson.

The club voted to disband for the summer months.

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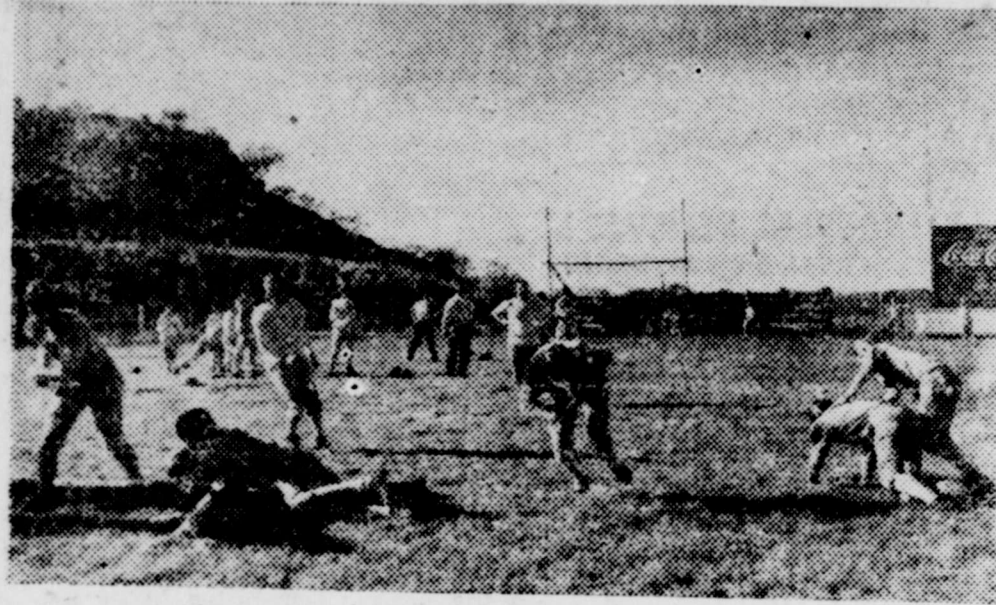
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- Etc., Etc.

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TIRE AND APPLIANCE DEPARTMENT

SPUR TEXAS

Change Made In Football Setup To Become Effective After Next Season



COACH SAM HAWKS AS HE TRAINED GRIDDERS

By a vote of coaches, superintendents and principals, football will undergo changes beginning after next season. The spring training program will be abolished, thus making better opportunity for track and baseball. Regular football practice may begin August 15 instead of the present beginning date of September 1.

The eight semester rule was voted in effect which will give a player only eight semesters, or four years of playing eligibility. This rule also goes into effect after next year. The vote was

state-wide among all member schools of the three classes of participation, Class AA, Class A, and Class B.

Spur is looking forward to having a scrappy little team next year. Everything points to some keen competition in District 4-A with Ralls, Crosbyton, Floydada, and Paducah promising good teams.

Sam Hawks, coach of the Spur Bulldogs, has completed a very successful year with the Spur School system and is to be commended on the fine work he has done since coming to Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Barrett of Las Cruces, New Mexico were guests for a few days recently of Mrs. Barrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. T. Turbyfill, and also to attend the family reunion of the Turbyfills here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Turbyfill returned to Las Cruces with Mr. and Mrs. Barrett for a visit of two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith and son, Richard spent the past week-end here as guest of Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hemphill of the Highway community. The Smiths are making their home at Wink, Texas.

PROCTOR'S BUYERS ATTENDING MARKETS IN FORT WORTH AND DALLAS

Carl Proctor and Miss Dorothy Love left Sunday for markets in Fort Worth and Dallas, where they will buy merchandise for Proctor's. Mr. Proctor, always striving to attain the latest for his customers, keeps his stocks filled with articles of latest date, through attending all markets. They expect to return Friday.

Read the Want Ads

Miss Patsy Arrington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arrington spent the past week in the home of her parents. Patsy is a student at Texas Technological college at Lubbock.

Bill Dorn of Lubbock was a business visitor in Spur Monday and Tuesday.

Congratulations



CLASS '47

Congratulations are in order for our boy and girl graduates of 1947. We're happy to extend them, along with our best wishes that many of the good things in life will be yours during the years to come.

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Congratulations CLASS OF '47

You have reached another milestone in life. May you go far in the vocation you choose.

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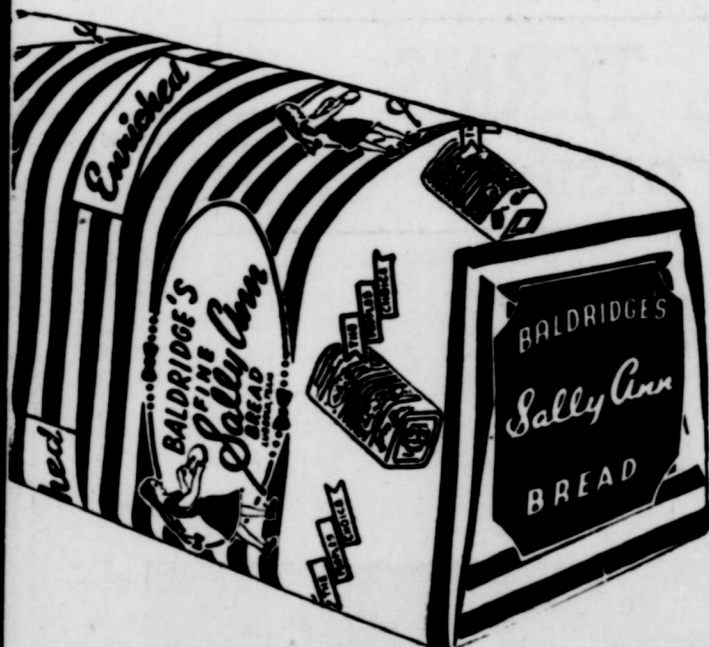


CONGRATULATIONS TO YOU!

We join the many friends of the members of the Class of 1947 in extending our best wishes and congratulations at this graduation time

One definition of success is: "one who has always looked for the best in others and given them the best he had; whose life was an inspiration, whose memory a benediction."

Bear in mind at all times that our wishes for your success are sincere and heartfelt, and if we can be of help to you in any way it will give us great pleasure to do so.



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