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JUNE FOR BRIDES The month of brides and grooms. Unrest in the world is said to reflect upon the individuals who inhabit it, small kinds of lives that seemingly might not enter into the international pattern.

COME SUMMER Flies like summer when foraging is so good, garbage and refuse so plentiful. Danger from flies is not reduced entirely by commercial spraying, by boards of sanitation. Common sense is necessary to control the summer pest in Spur homes.

FLAG DAY Flag Day is purely an American celebration of the emblem of our freedom, a symbol of our strength and unity. However, as the homes, schools and places of industry, fly the red, white and blue, this year, there will also be other flags of other nations, whipping their colors and designs, beside our Old Glory.

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When To Cut Hay Pointed Out By E. A. Miller of A&M --If hay is left too long before cutting, it becomes coarse and loses much of its feed value, especially the protein.

When to cut hay will depend a lot on what particular crop is being harvested. There are certain times to harvest certain crops - each crop a certain time. Prairie grass, for example, is usually cut when there is labor to do the job and if the weather is right.

Alfalfa hay is best harvested when the field is one-tenth to one-fourth in bloom, or when young shoots begin to show up at the base of the plants. In a sense, it is important to let one cutting of alfalfa go to seed or at least to the full bloom stage to develop a stronger root system and build longer lived fields.

Bethel Baptist Church Activities In the absence of the pastor, Rev. Dock Love, J. R. Williams preached at the eleven o'clock hour, with Mrs. Charlie McClain bringing the evening service. Good crowds were present for both services.

THE CHURCH SCHEDULE Morning Service Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Worship Service 11:00 a.m. Evening Service 7:30 p.m. Wednesday evening prayer service 8:00 p.m. W.M.U. Tuesday evening 7:30. All women are invited to attend.

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Roots of Culture YOUR BIRTHSTONE AND ITS MEANING MAY--THE EMERALD FIRST EMERALD MINES WERE IN UPPER EGYPT. CLEOPATRA GAVE HER FRIENDS VIBRANT GREEN EMERALDS, CARVED WITH HER LIKENESS.

ALTHOUGH INCA TEMPLE WALLS BLAZED WITH EMERALDS, THEIR MINES WERE HIDDEN. THE SPANIARDS SEARCHED YEARS TO FIND EVEN ONE. (1555).

MEIEVAL PRELATES WORE DIFFERENT GEMS TO EXPRESS DIFFERENT SPIRITUAL QUALITIES. EMERALDS DENOTED TRANQUILITY. EMERALDS ALWAYS SYMBOLIZED HOPE AND FAITH. GIRLS WEARING THEM WERE BELIEVED CERTAIN TO BECOME LOVED AND HAPPY WIVES.

Avoil Closet Catastrophe Says Mary Routh of A&M --COLLEGE STATION, - Clothes moth fed upon animal hair, fur leathers and articles made from these materials, according to Mary Routh, extension closet specialist of Texas A. & M. College.

Past History As Related By Mrs. Duff Green When Mrs. Duff Green was in Spur last Saturday she casually mentioned she had been in Dickens County forty seven years on Friday of last week, which would place her time of arrival about 1901.

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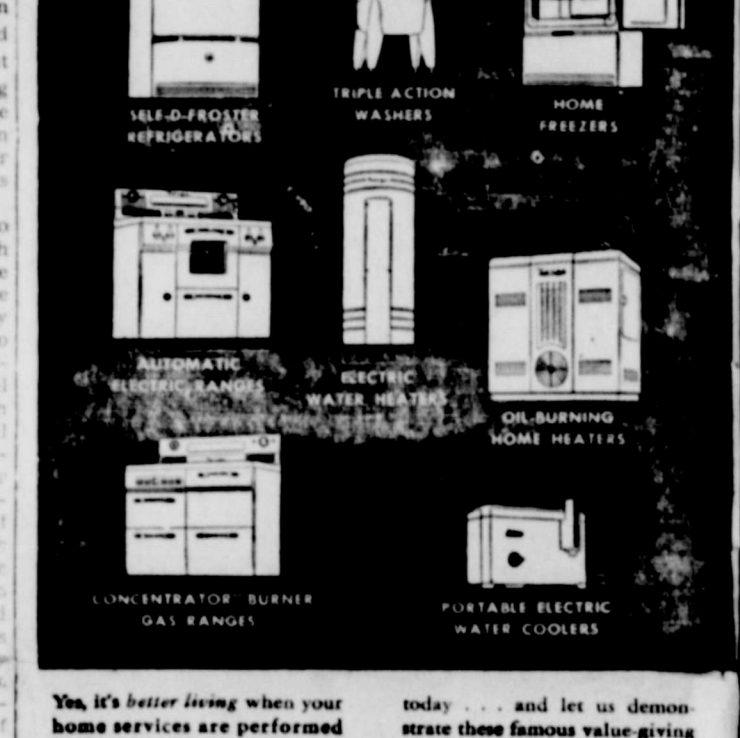
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Mrs. Copeland and Mrs. Matheson Visit In Central Texas Mrs. W. L. Matheson of Hendrick, Oklahoma, came in Thursday of last week, and spent an over night visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Ella Copeland of Spur.

Tech Ex-Dean On SMU Staff Trent C. Root was named to SMU's administrative staff Monday. Root, former assistant to the president and dean of business administration at Texas Technological College in Lubbock, was named assistant to the president in finance administration.

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Karr Dance Revue Will Be Presented Friday, June 11

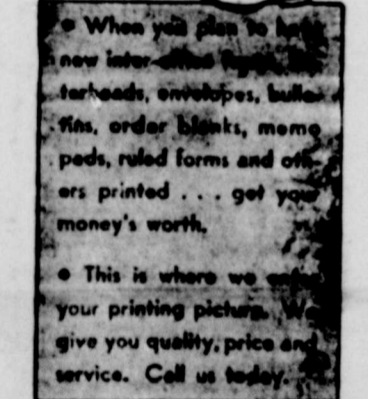
Announcement is being made this week of the forthcoming dance revue to be presented by the pupils of Mrs. Guy Karr's School of Dancing, Friday night, June 11, at 8:30 p.m.

John Webb Returns From Panama Canal Zone June 1

John Webb of Spur returned June 1, from a 2 week training cruise with the J. S. Navy. He was assigned to the Destroyer USS LIND as Reserve Gunnery Officer.

Webb is employed with the Duck Creek Soil Conservation office of Spur, as Range Conservationist, his work consists primarily with the ranchers of this area and the value of this work in Dickens County is unestimable.

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Miss Roberson and Mr. Sweatt Married In Dallas May 31st

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Roberson are announcing the marriage of their daughter Gladys, to Norman T. Sweatt of Dallas, May 31, 1948.

Mrs. W. L. Foreman Returns From Family Reunion

Mrs. Walter Foreman, has just returned from a family reunion held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Grubb, in River Oaks, Fort Worth. This was a gathering of the Choate family and their families.

Former Spur Boy Sent To Boys State By American Legion

Three Stamford High School junior boys, elected by their class will go to Boys State at Austin 6th-13th, Cash Wilemon son of Mr. and Mrs. Cash Wilemon of Stamford and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caraway of Spur, included in this group.

Friends - Neighbors Plow And Plant Crops For Friend

Dickens County, surely must have a monopoly on honest to goodness, good people. The following story will bear out the truth of this statement.

H. B. Thornton Will Work On Masters Degree

H. B. Thornton of Cohoma, Texas a former resident of Dickens County since 1936, and a former teacher at Patton Springs will attend summer school at Texas Tech this summer, where he will work on his Masters degree.

Exchange Club Entertained With Breakfast, May 26

Mrs. Margaret Smith was hostess to the Exchange club with a breakfast on Wednesday morning, May 26 at 7:00 o'clock, at her home in West Harris.

Reburial Services Held In Spur For Sgt. Wright Hinson

Reburial services for Sgt. Wright D. Hinson, were held in Spur, Friday June 4th, at 3:30 p.m. with Rev. A. P. Stokes officiating.

Sgt. Wright was killed in combat on March 21, 1943, in North Africa, in the battle near the Kasserine Pass. This battle claimed the lives of many American boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Potts and small daughter Charlotte, of Golden Meadow, Louisiana, came in last Sunday for a ten days visit with Joe's mother, Mrs. G. W. Potts of Spur, who is quite ill at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Adeock, who have been living in Spur for the past year, moved to Lubbock last week, where he will be employed as a truck driver for a Lubbock dairy.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Giddens and son Charles of Odessa, were here last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Holly and also to attend the Rodeo. They are former residents of Spur.

Survivors include his father and step mother; one brother Doyle Hinson of Calgary; four sisters, Mrs. Mollie Davis of Slaton; Mrs. Lottie Self of Lamesa; Mrs. Gladys Germany of Brownfield, and Zona Hinson of Calgary.

Memorial Service Held In Army Base For War Dead

The following memorial services were held June 4, marking the arrival of the USAT "L. W. G. Boyce" at the Oakland Army base, California. This transport carried 446 bodies of our war dead, included in this group are the remains of Sgt. Billy C. Sparks, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sparks of Spur.

Spur People Attend Graduating Exercises Held at Texas Tech

Spur people attending the graduating exercises held at Texas Tech on Monday night, June 7, were Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ince, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weaver, and Mr. and Mrs. Foy Vernon.

Kilmer J. Corbin Visits In Spur

Kilmer J. Corbin, candidate for State Senator 20th Senatorial district, was a visitor in Spur Wednesday in the interest of his candidacy. Mr. Corbin hails from Lamesa, where he is now serving his third term as County Judge of Dawson county.

ABOUT FOLKS

Mrs. Eric Foster made a business trip to Lubbock on Wednesday last week. Roland Murchinson accompanied by Ethel and Elmer Hyatt, Jo Ann and Shirley, came in early Thursday morning, to take in the Cowboy Jubilee.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Grace of Dallas, came out last week to return their son, Joe Bill Grace, a student in Texas Tech, to his home. They visited Mr. Grace's sisters, Maams, and Miss Nina Helen Williams, and Miss Nina Grace of Spur, while on their return trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Stark of Dallas, spent the past week end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Lee and Mr. E. L. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Horton and son Garry of Cleveland, Oklahoma are spending a few weeks visit here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Duncan and other relatives.

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Miss La Nell Dunlap Received Her B. S. Degree, June 7th

Miss LaNell Dunlap, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Dunlap of Girard, received the degree of Bachelor of Business Administration June 7, 1948 from Texas Technological College at Lubbock where her major was accounting. While in school, she took active parts in the Tech. Association and the Westminister Student Fellowship League.

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Former Spur Boy Dies In Wichita Falls

Funeral services for Buddy Wheeler, former Spur and Stamford boy, who died in Wichita Falls as the result of an appendectomy, were held in Seymour on June 7 with interment in a Dallas cemetery.

NEW ARRIVALS

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hicks have a 6 1-2 pound baby boy. Everybody doing OK including the father. Bill is employed by H. N. Roberts & Associates of Lubbock Project Engineer for Dickens County Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Miss Nelda Hindman Guest Speaker At H. D. Club June 2

Mrs. Joe McDaniel was hostess to the Soldier Mound Home Demonstration club Wednesday June 2. The club was very fortunate at this time to have Miss Nelda Hindman, who is a student in Texas State College for Women, and Majoring in Clothing and Textiles to give a demonstration on fitting a commercial pattern.

For women who make their own clothes and wish to avoid that home made look, here are some suggestions, follow them closely and the results will be nearer, better fitting dresses. Before putting the material on the pattern together, and if necessary adjust correctly, in doing this you may save a piece of material or even a whole dress said Miss Hindman.

A refreshment plate of sandwiches, potato chips, cake, and iced tea was served to four visitors and nine members of the club.

Spur Cowboy

(Continued From Page 1) work of Larry Boothie and Fred Kinney in announcing the programs, for each performance, their work was excellent and each word spoken very distinct. Spur Lions Club had the concession for bottled drinks, candies, etc., with the Pythian Sisters handling the pillows and Girl Scouts selling hot dogs to aid the hungry, thirsty and tired.

HORSE CONTEST

Trucks ridden by his owner Jeff Everett of Snyder with 1066 points, \$75.00 presented by George Gabriel. Biller F. ridden by Cap Ethridge of the 6666 ranch of Guthrie with 1063 points, \$25.00 presented by Fred Jennings.

CALF ROPING

Winners of 1st Go-Round: James Ray Hill of Snyder with 14.2 seconds. Don Smith of Leveland, with 14.8 seconds.

COW MILKING

James Ray Hill of Snyder with 16.6 seconds. Gerald Miller of Girard with 19.4 seconds. Bud Miller of Wichita Falls with 19.9 seconds.

CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR STOPS IN SPUR, JUNE 8

Case March, 37 year old, former Baylor student and candidate for governor, stopped in Spur for a few minutes Tuesday noon on his way to Lubbock where he delivered a campaign speech. From Lubbock, March went to Amarillo and on to El Paso, speaking in the interest of his campaign.

WINNERS OF RARE-BACK BRONCS FIRST GO-AROUND

John Farris, Bob Brown, 3 way split, R. Hoover, Puny, Jones, A. G. Allre. WINNERS OF SADDLE BRONC RIDING: Sam Groves, Split Slim Ma-teer, Jimmy Blackwell. WINNERS OF STEER RIDING: Sam Groves, Bob Watson, Bud Halsell.

The Texas Spur Weekly Scrapbook

Cafe Hu Lait Pie: 1 envelope unflavored gelatine, 1-2 c cold water, 2 1-4 c cold milk, 3 1 instant coffee, 2-3 c brown sugar, 1 T cocoa, 1-8 T salt, 3 eggs, separated, 2 T butter, 1 T vanilla.

HERBS AGAIN

Buy plants to save time and trouble, of certain herbs, for your garden. Chives, sweet marjoram, rosemary, sage, tarragon and thyme are some of such plants. Chive tops go well, chopped in salads, soups, cream cheese etc.

FOR FISHERMAN

The bigger the brown trout the less interest it pays to insects since it takes so many bugs to satisfy it. So big trout are usually found on larger live baits and artificial lures. Striped flies of almost any color will entice big brown trout at night. To water-proof the surface of a wooden casting plug, you may use auto wax, but don't wax the surface of a bamboo rod. Use only best rod varnish for this.

Mrs. Cathey Honored With Lawn Party

Mrs. Myrtle Whitwell honored Mrs. Ann Cathey of Houston with a most enjoyable lawn party on Tuesday evening, June 8th, at the home of Mrs. Futala Randall, 313 West Harris, Spur.

Troop 2 Elect New Patrol Leaders

Troop 2 met in their regular meeting last Wednesday, June 2, and elected new patrol leaders for the next two months. Gwendolyn Ford and Merla Foreman were elected. After the business meeting the girls discussed their second class badges. They are working hard toward this award.

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Mrs. Nona Starcher Entertains With Back Yard Party

Mrs. Nona Starcher entertained in her spacious and attractive back yard, with a barbecue, Friday evening, June 4 at 6:30 p.m. The meal consisted of barbecued steaks, hot rolls, vegetable salad, potato salad, pickles, fresh green onions, iced tea, cake and ice cream.

Emma McLeroy and Pete Swarney Wed In Fort Worth May 22

Miss Emma McLeroy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLeroy of Mt. Pleasant, became the bride of Mr. Pete Swarney, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Swarney of Duck Creek community, Saturday, May 22nd, 1948 at 5:00 o'clock in the Travis Ave Baptist church in Fort Worth.

Calvert and Stanley Vows Read In Petersburg, Texas

Miss Neva Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Stanley of Ropesville, became the bride of John Calvert, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Calvert of Petersburg, Texas Monday night, May 17th, 1948 in Clovis, New Mexico. The double ring service was performed.

Phipps-Hunnicut To Exchange Wedding Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Phipps of Girard, are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Anna Lorene Phipps to Kenneth Dink Hunnicut son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hunnicut also of Girard.

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# McAdoo News

**Omitted Last Week**  
 Every one has a broad grin on their faces now, and there will be no more idle days since the good rain fell.  
 The Woodrow Allen of Wolf-orth, spent the past week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen.  
 Those from McAdoo who at- tended the funeral of Forrest Davis at Crosbyton were: Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harris, and children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Harris and Mrs. Mollie Harris.  
 Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hardin on Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Har- din and son of Moun Blanco; Billy a student of Lipperts Busi- ness college Plainview, and Mr.



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**WORTH ITS WEIGHT IN GOLD**—A letter from home is received by Moh Lien Tsal, home economics and sociology student at Texas State College for Women. The letter has \$110,000 postage at Chinese currency rates on it. Miss Tsal is from Shanghai and is attending TSCW on a scholarship after having the school recommended to her by friends in China.

and Mrs. J. C. Joplin and Milton.

C. L. Brownlow and Miss Elsie Buckner of Lubbock, attended church and visited relatives here Sunday.

The C. A. Atkinson family spent the week end in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Egger visited their son and family Owen Egger of Portales, New Mexico, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Woodledge of Roswell, New Mexico, stopped over and visited their mother, Mrs. Katie Phifer as they were going to Dallas to market.

The Lyle Paschall family attended church and visited her family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack, Griffin last Sunday.

Travis Byrd spent last week in Lubbock, with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Linn Davis of San Angelo, and Randolph Taylor of Ralls, visited T. L. Dozier and Maud Sunday.

Boss Goodwin of Delvin, is spending a few weeks visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bass.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Carmache and children spent the week end with relatives at Floydada and Herford.

Mr. and Mrs. H. U. Butts and children spent a visit with relatives in Quanah, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hilton Jones and children attended church and visited the Charlie Allen family here Sunday.

W. L. Williams of Fort Worth, is here assisting O. V. William, in the store and Filling Station. He will move his family here as soon as living quarters can be arranged for.

Mrs. Helen Nichols has returned home from the bedside of a sick friend in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Merrett and daughter, June made a business trip to Corpus Christi and San Antonio last week.

Week end guests of the O. E. Lumsden family were Billy of Texas Tech, Mr. and Mrs. Lumsden and family of Chico, and J. O. Lumsden of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Robertson of Dallas, have been here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Drury French.

Mrs. T. J. Brantley and sons Curby J. and Norman spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Edridge of Mart.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie White have moved to San Angelo. They sold the cafe to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Blair of Fort Worth. They

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# KALGARY NEWS

## MRS. RALPH PARSONS Omitted Last Week

The Country Folks club Community meeting will be June 18th and the program committee is Mesdames Conda Starrett, Morris Phillips and Mrs. L. B. Swanner. Rev. Fred Hardage visited in the community last Sunday. We are very proud that he was able to be up and about again after such a long illness. The presented him with a pouncing last church service.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Childs and son, Jerry of Santa Monica, California, Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Ford of Ralls, and Mr. and Mrs. V. B. Robinett and daughter, Linda of Lamesa, were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Grizzle, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Morris and son and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris and daughter were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Robinett.

Miss Barbara Gilmore spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Billie Powell of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harris spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Havens and Kay and W. C. of Olton. Kay accompanied them home for a visit.

Miss Pat Smith of Fort Worth, spent Saturday night with Mary Ann Starrett.

Miss Charlene Witt of Spur, spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Witt.

Miss Norma Fisher student in Wayland College, Plainview returned home to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fisher.

Miss Nina Havens of Durhams Business College Fort Worth, returned home last Friday. She will start work Tuesday with the Spur Security bank.

The Farmers of the community got together last Friday and

planted Mr. Frank Haddertons fields, as he received a foot injury some time ago and is still unable to drive his tractor. They enjoyed a very good dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Havins with Mrs. Kenneth Warsaw and Mrs. Frank Hadderton and Mrs. Havens preparing it.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Parsons, Sam Cutis, and Jane of Spur visited Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Fisher and Mrs. H. C. Parsons last Thursday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Parsons were Mrs. Joe Gilmore, Shelby, Gladys, Shirley, and Barbara of Springer, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Billie Po-

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well and Billie Joe of Spur, and Miss Wilma Parsons.  
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Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lambert and daughter Orva Nell of Lubbock, spent an overnight visit with Mrs. M. S. Lambert, mother of Mr. Lambert, last Friday night.

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The four days of rodeo action will be launched with a huge parade, headed by state dignitaries and other notables. Vehicles of the old West, and appropriate floats will be included in the procession. To date, Price Daniel, Attorney General of Texas, and Coke Stevenson, former Texas governor, have signified they will be among those distinguished persons to be recognized on the opening night's performance.

Gene Autry's appearance will be his second in Lubbock, and one of a number to be made outside of California this year. The western star's famous horse, Champion, Junior, will also perform. There will be authentic western flavor for each night's rodeo performance. Everett Colburn, manager, is well known in rodeo circles as a producer of top-notch shows. Stock from the Lightning C Ranch in Dublin, Texas, will be featured. This World's Championship Rodeo is the same that has attracted thousands of spectators at Fort Worth, Houston, and Madison Square Garden.

The nightly shows will highlight raw-boned action, for Colborn matches some of the most able cowboys and riders in the business, with some of the fleetest horses, meanest Mexican steers, and toughest brahma bulls in the U.S.

The Lightning C Ranch in Dublin is not only Rodeo headquarters; it is the home of the largest herd of Texas longhorn steers in existence. These prized steers will appear in one of the rodeo round-up scenes.

A number of new acts are included in this year's program, to be held in the new Clifford and Jones Stadium at Tech, with plenty of clear-view seats for everyone. Tickets can be obtained from the ABC Rodeo Ticket Office, Hilton Hotel, Lubbock, Texas.

### Dickens Folk Attend Graduation Exercises At S. M. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ward of Dickens, accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. G. G. Allen of McAdoo, attended the graduation exercises held at SMU, last week when their son-in-law, Rev. Waid Griffin, pastor of Liberator Village Methodist church in Fort Worth, received his B. S. degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Allen also spent a few days visit in Hillsboro and Whitney, where Mr. and Mrs. Ward were born and raised, and where they lived for 13 years after their marriage. While there they visited the new Whitney dam, recently under construction, which will take three years to complete.

Mr. Ward and Mrs. Allen returned home Tuesday night of last week, but Mrs. Ward remained for a more extended visit.

### Spur People Fish In California

It has been reported that we have people in Spur, that do not believe that Texas has the biggest fish in the whole world, and this statement was verified when Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Browning, Mr. and Mrs. Van North and son Charles of Spur, returned last Thursday from a two weeks fishing trip in Los Angeles, California.

And they caught fish too, plenty of them, and had a wonderful time in the Golden state. Oh well! it takes more than fish to make Texas feel backed. Don't we have the biggest state in the Union, and big fish too? Texas fish are just to doggone smart to fall for most lines, it just goes to show you, it takes a smart fisherman to catch the smart fish of Texas.

Mrs. C. A. Fagan returned home from Dallas, last Friday, where she visited her two sons, John S. and C. A. Fagan. In Ladonia, Texas, as she visited a daughter, Mrs. J. R. Ship, and small grandson Perky. She reports as having had a wonderful time.

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### Coronation Service Held In Baptist Church May 31

As a reward for meritorious work the annual Recognition and Coronation service was held for the young people of the First Baptist church Monday night May 31, 1948.

Plans had been made for a garden party to be held on the lawn, for all the young peoples organizations of the Womans Missionary Society, but due to weather conditions had to be held indoors.

The service opened with the audience singing "The Light of the World is Jesus". Mrs. Joe Long, W. M. U. president, gave a most cordial welcome, in behalf of the Womans Missionary Society.

Directed by Mrs. W. S. Patrick, counselor of Young People, the Y.W.A. group pantomimed their hymn "O Zion Haste" with Mrs. George Gabriel singing the solo part.

The Girls Auxiliary marched in led by two Sunbeams, Little Miss Susan Shugart carrying a basket of yellow flowers streping the petals in their path, while little Miss Karen Gilbert carried the pillow, bearing the emblems of each rank. Their dresses of yellow crepe paper resembled flower petals.

Again Mrs. Gabriel rendered the solo part of the singing with Mrs. Gilbert directing the Coronation.

The Royal Ambassadors marched in according to their rank to receive their recognition. The Pages came first, then the Squares, and then the Knights, with the Ambassadors coming last. Ambassador is as high as a Jr. boy can go. Two boys out of this group reached this rank, Robert Ensey and Franklin Gabriel.

This service was directed by Mrs. Jerry Ensey, with Mrs. Gabriel singing "Follow the Gleam." Next came the Sunbeam Band directed by their counselor, Mrs. Virgie Dunwoody. They gave their motto and battle cry and sang "This Little Light of Mine" and "The Bubble Song."

Rev. C. N. Gilbert gave the prayer of dedication. Brother Morris Denson brought a brief but most interesting message on what it means to be an Ambassador. Miss Jeanne Shields gave the closing benediction.

Refreshments were served in the Educational building. Mrs. O. R. Claude, Young Peoples Secretary, wishes to extend her most sincere thanks to everyone who helped in any way to make this occasion a success.

### 4-H Club Girls To Hold Encampment At Lueders In June



Publicity committee for Lueders Girls' 4-H Camp published the first edition of the camp newspaper in the office of Mrs. Hazel Harrison, Hardeman County Home Demonstration Agent, at Quannah, Texas. Billie Marie Smith does art work on stencil, Mrs. H. L. Bossage, Adult Leader, edits copy; and Anita Tabor cuts stencil while Mrs. Harrison gives suggestions. There will be 130 club girls, adult leaders, agents, and some special guests at the Lueders' Baptist Encampment grounds, June 14, 15, 16, and 17. This will be a training camp for 12 counties in District 111.

Wade Gilbert, Agent in Texas Tech, Lubbock, came in on Wednesday of last week, and will spend a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Gilbert before leaving for Houston, where he will be employed with the Texas Highway Department.

### A Warning Against Typhoid Infection

A warning against the hitchhiking germ of typhoid fever has just been issued by Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. They must catch a ride from an infected person to the well person; this is generally accomplished by water, milk, flies, fingers, or food. Every case is contracted by way of the mouth and digestive system.

Typhoid fever is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the ignorance or carelessness of some individual. Persons planning a vacation or trip where sanitation may not be rigidly enforced should protect themselves against this disease by being vaccinated. Inoculation with typhoid vaccine, a week apart, is all that is necessary to secure protection against this disease for two years. The purity of water, milk, or food cannot be judged by looking at it so the best thing to do is to play safe and have your physician protect you.

Mach Hunter, a former Dickey County resident, was in Spur last week from his home near Lubbock.

### VISITORS FROM PLAINVIEW

Mrs. Jack Moore and children of Plainview, came in last Wednesday to visit with Mrs. Moore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jones, and to attend the rodeo. Mrs. Moore is representing the Red Front drug in the Rodeo. Jack will join Mrs. Moore here on Saturday.

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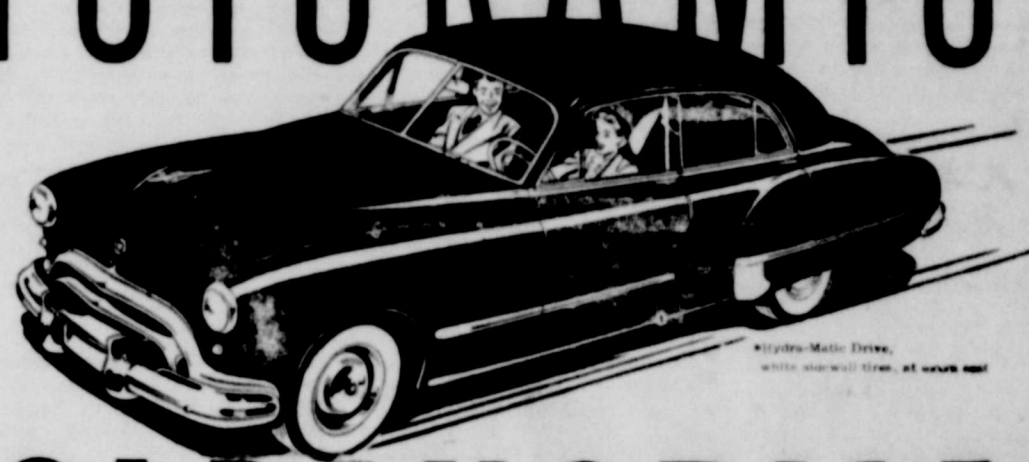
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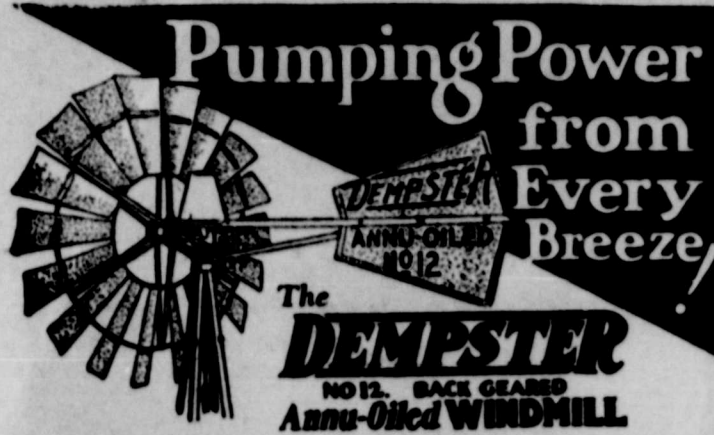
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### Catholic Vacation Bible School Opened Here Monday

The Catholic church opened their Vacation Bible school in Spur, on Monday of this week, June 7th, in the old Mission Filling Station across from the City Power plant.

Approximately fifty children have been enrolled.

Sister Elaine and Sister Rita of Lubbock, will conduct the school, assisted by other members of the church. There will be specially planned programs for both the younger and older children. All Catholic and others who may be interested are invited to attend.

Father Edmund Horigan of Rotan, has been conducting services in Spur for a number of months. Church Services are to be held on June 20th, 1948. All members are invited to attend.

### VETERANS NEWS

The Veterans Administration reminds all veterans training in colleges and universities under the GI Bill that they will automatically be granted 15 days leave at the end of the present term.

Subsistence allowance will be paid and entitlement charged for this leave period.

Veterans who do not want their entitlement reduced by the leave should already have posted notices to VA.

Most of the veterans studying in schools and colleges under the GI Bill and the Vocational Rehabilitation Act (Public Law 16) for disabled veterans are attending one school only, a Veterans Administration survey reveals.

The survey, based on the training elections of the 1,800,000 veterans in schools during November, 1947, shows 1,609,000 con-



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fining their studies to a single school.

Almost 4,000 study in more than one school. Combining school and job training, but taking the majority of the training in schools are 15,700.

Over 171,000 limit their studies to correspondence schools, while 1,400 combine regular school studies with correspondence school work.

Veterans needlessly take the chance of losing their money when they mail cash to pay premium on National Service Life Insurance policies, Veterans Administration warned.

A Veteran making his payments in cash through ordinary mail has no way to prove he made the payment in the event it fails to reach VA. Veterans are urged to use money orders, postal notes, or checks for NSL premiums, and also to use the yellow envelopes furnished by VA in mailing payments.

**QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS**  
Q -- If I attend summer sessions at the college where I am enrolled under the education benefits of the G-I Bill, do I need a supplemental certificate of eligibility?  
A -- No. The only time you need a supplemental VA certificate of eligibility to attend summer school is when you transfer to another school for the summer term.

Q -- I am a U. S. citizen and have received war service gratuity and reestablishment of credit benefits from the Canadian Government. Am I entitled to loan benefits under the G-I Bill?  
A -- Veterans Administration has ruled that the loan benefits under the Servicemen's Readjustment Act are neither the same nor similar to the "war service gratuity" and the "reestablishment credit" apparently paid you in cash by the Canadian Government. Therefore, you are entitled to a loan guaranty if you are otherwise qualified.

Q -- Five of us veterans of World War II have incorporated and are operating a business. Can each of us file a claim for readjustment allowance as self-employed?  
A -- No. A Veterans Administration decision held that none of the veterans connected with a corporation can be regarded as self-employed within the meaning of Public Law 346 (G-I Bill).

Q -- My husband is receiving a Spanish War pension of \$90 monthly. We were married two years ago and I would like to know if I will receive a pension at his death.  
A -- No. Under existing law you would not be eligible because your marriage took place Dec. 31, 1937.

### Building Permits Eased Upward

Texas building permits eased fractionally upward from March to April, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

The Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index rose 22 per cent of the prewar base (1935-39) period. Compared to April 1947, building permits jumped 86 per cent.

Substantial March-to-April gains were turned in by Brownsville, Cleburne, Denton, Longview, Texas City, Gainesville, Lockhart and Nacogdoches. On the other hand, building permits fell below March levels in Amarillo, Big Spring, Gladewater, Graham, Kenedy, McAllen, Lamesa, Snyder, and Palestine. Del Rio, Texas City, Pampa, Coleman, Wichita Falls, Childress, and Longview showed outstanding increases over April 1947. Over the year declines were registered by Jacksonville, Kerrville, McAllen, Snyder, and Lamesa.

Dallas led the State in building permits with \$9,048,127; Houston, second, registered \$7,707,340. Fort Worth turned in \$3,695,222 for third place. Austin, San Antonio, and Borger followed in that order.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Barclay of Lubbock and Mrs. A. M. Karr of Spur, spent the week end in Abilene where they attended the wedding of Mrs. Karr's niece, Miss Mozelle Ashley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ashley to John Hackney of Abilene. Miss Ashley is a graduate of the Abilene High school. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Karr and son, Danny of Sweetwater, visited in the A. M. Karr home over the week end.

### Warning Issued On Summer Complaints By Dr. Geo. W. Cox

Dr. George W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a warning to parents that this is the season for an increase in dysentery, diarrhea and "summer complaint".

"The chief cause of these intestinal diseases are contaminated milk; water or food; allowing the child to get overheated or exhausted; excessive sugar in the babies formula; and improper amount of food," Dr. Cox said. "All foods should be fresh and clean, and left-overs should be properly refrigerated to prevent spoilage."

Dr. Cox urged extreme care in the preparation of a feeding formula to infants. He said it should be prescribed by a physician, and that cleanliness and refrigeration were absolute essentials. Babies should be fed at regular intervals and on a definite schedule, since their stomach and bowels can be easily upset if fed irregularly or whenever they are fretful or restless.

The State Health Officer de-emphasized that dysentery is transmitted by flies and said every home should be well-screened and free of flies.

If dysentery or diarrhea develops, consult your physician at once," Dr. Cox advised. "This so-called 'summer complaint' can be a very serious menace to your baby's health, if not an actual threat to his life."

### Rail Shipment Poultry And Eggs

Texas stations shipped 322 carloads of eggs in April, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

April shipments exceeded March by 191 carloads, but were 25 less than a year earlier.

Mrs. George Givens of California, is here on an extended visit to her mother, Mrs. Sallie Shockley and other relatives. Mrs. Givens will be remembered as the former Miss Carmen Shockley of Spur.

### ATTENTION Peanut Farmers Of Dickens County

It is necessary that your peanut acreage for 1948 be measured if it is to be picked or threshed.

We do not have acreage allotments in 1948 but may have in 1949, so if you are planting peanuts it will be to your advantage to report it to the A.C.A. office at Dickens for measurement.

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## Dickens County Pioneer Buried In Spur, June 8th

Funeral services for R. L. (Uncle Bob) Collier, 85, who passed away in a Lubbock hospital, after a brief illness, on Monday night, June 7th, 1948, were held in the First Methodist church at Spur, Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock, with the pastor, Rev. L. L. Hill officiating.

The large crowd attending the last rites held for Uncle Bob Collier as he was affectionately called, were evidence of the high esteem in which he was held. He was one of the most highly respected, and best known pioneers of this area. Coming to Dickens county in 1894, he was one of the trail blazers of this frontier country. Being active and interested in seeing the West settled and developed, he was instrumental in establishing the schools and churches of the early day. He served as sheriff of Dickens county in 1902-1908, and also in 1917-1918, when he resigned to look after other interests. He was said to be one of the best sheriffs Dickens county ever had. The sheriff's job was a rather rugged one in those days. Possessing the qualities that drew men to him, in walking the way of life, he has enjoyed many true and interesting friendships. He was born July 28, 1863, the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Collier of Oglethorpe, Georgia, came to Texas while still a young boy, was married to Miss Ella Glaze, in 1891, at Quanah, Texas, came to Dickens county in 1894, where he has resided until the time of his death. He had been a member of the Methodist church since 1889.

Survivors include his widow of Spur; one son, Faust Collier of Hereford, Texas.

Palbearers were Doggie Graves, Everett Robertson, M. L. Rickles, James A. Cowan, Larry Boothe, and Ned Hogan.

Campbell Funeral chapel was in charge of arrangements, with interment in the Spur cemetery.



Robert Young is prepared for action as Marguerite Chapman handles the reins in this scene from Columbia's "Relentless." Color by Technicolor.

## Odis Clark And Lloyd Evans Open Garage

Odis Cash and Lloyd Evans are making the announcement in this week's issue of The Texas Spur that they are reopening their garage in the building first door north of Allen Auto Supply. These boys are well known in the repair business and are experienced in their line of work.

Odis and Lloyd want their friends to again come in and see them when in need of repair work, they guarantee the same courteous service as rendered before.

## Sheriff Of Ward Co. Visits In Spur

W. B. McNeerlin, sheriff of Ward County, accompanied by Mrs. McNeerlin and his young son, Don, spent a short visit in Spur last Thursday morning and called by the Texas Spur office in regard to some old confederate money he had left with W. D. Starcher some twenty years ago. This money had been handed down to the present McNeerlin family from a great-grandmother who lived during the civil war. The young McNeerlin son, Don, is interested in the money from the standpoint of a collector.

Upon inquiry of Mrs. Nona Starcher it was learned that the money, along with other valuables was taken from the Dickens County News office many years back by Mr. and Mrs. Ward were enroute to their home in Monahans from Oklahoma, where they had been on a visit. McNeerlin was a former resident of Dickens County as a boy and still recalled some familiar faces in walking about the streets.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to our friends and neighbors for the kind words of sympathy, for the assistance given us in every way during the illness and death of our beloved wife, mother and sister. Also for the beautiful floral offering. May God's richest blessings be with you in your prayer.

Andrew Green, Sr.  
Andrew Green, Jr.  
Mrs. J. W. Gildon.  
R. L. Kimmel.

Pat Winkler was a business visitor in Lubbock, Wednesday of last week.

## Campaign Warming

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Holmes A. May Houston, merchant, Beauport H. Jester, Corsicana, attorney (and governor), and Denzer S. Whiteley, Houston, electrician.

## McDonald Runs Again

For Agriculture Commissioner—J. E. McDonald, Austin, incumbent, farmer and Jim Griffin, Mission, farmer.

For State Treasurer—Bruce Lloyd, Whitman, tax assessor-collector, and Jesse James, Austin, incumbent.

For Controller—Cliff Butler, Houston, printer, and George H. Sheppard, Austin, incumbent.

For Land Commissioner—Basscom Giles, Austin, incumbent; M. Carl Smith, Fort Worth, bookkeeper-salesman; William P. May, Austin, real estate and rancher, and R. J. Robison, Austin, farmer.

For Lieutenant Governor—Alan Shivers, Mission, incumbent, attorney, and Turner Walker, Houston, journeyman steamfitter.

For Railroad Commission—Tom Blakey, Houston, real estate man, and Ernest Thompson, Austin, and Ernest Thompson, Austin, and for the other place, William J. Murrain, Austin, incumbent, a petroleum engineer; Carlton Moore of Houston, oil operator, and Clyde Austin, Houston, general manager of the Texas Traffic Bureau, Inc.

## Brewster Unopposed

For Supreme Court—Few Brewster, Austin, incumbent, unopposed; James P. Hart, Austin, incumbent, and District Judge John A. Rawlins, Dallas; Charles T. Rowland, Fort Worth, and Chief Justice John E. Hickman, Austin, incumbent; and W. St. John Garwood, Austin, incumbent, and Jefferson G. Smith, Austin.

For Justice, Court of Criminal Appeals—Harry N. Graves, Austin, incumbent, and W. E. Myers, Fort Worth.

State Superintendent L. A. Woods, and Attorney General Price Daniel are unopposed.

Barring late mail entries, there will be no other candidate for the first primary July 24, and there may be some of those listed above who will not run. They may withdraw before the State Executive Committee meets here next Monday to certify names for the ballots, or in writing to county chairmen before printing of ballots is ordered June 21.

The Senate field of 12 is one of the largest in history, but not so big as the 14-men governor's race of 1946.

## Funeral Services For Mrs. Green Held Tuesday 8th

Funeral services for Mrs. Andrew Green, who died Monday, June 7th, in the Stanley hospital in Matador, after a two weeks illness, were held Tuesday afternoon June 8, 1948, in the First Baptist church in Spur, with Rev. C. N. Gilbert, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Green was well known in Spur, where she has lived for many years and where she has a large circle of friends and acquaintances to feel sincere sorrow at her passing.

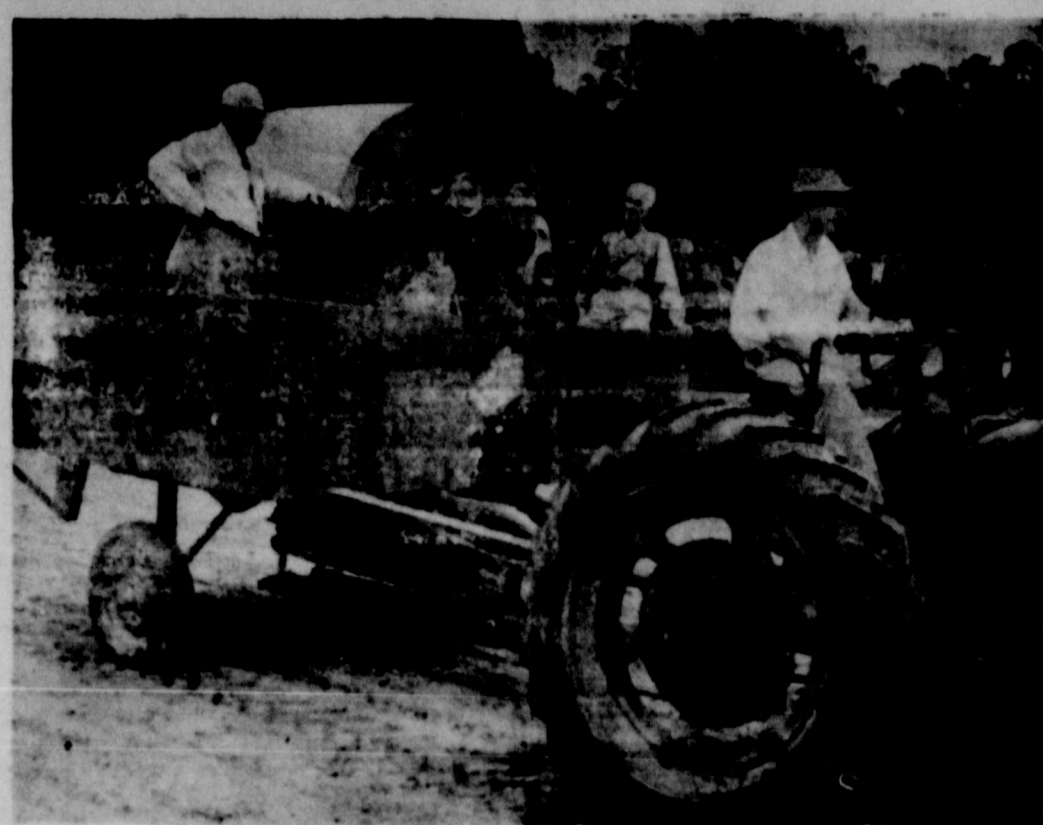
She was born December 7, 1904, in Morris county, Texas, was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kimmel. She came to Dickens county in 1928, was married to Andrew Green in 1929, near Dickens.

She was converted at the age of eighteen, and joined the Baptist church, she was a good wife, and a devoted mother.

Survivors include her husband, Andrew Green, and one son, Andrew Jr., of Spur; one sister, Mrs. J. W. Gildon, Long Beach, California; one brother, Leroy Kimmel of Texarkana; one uncle, G. E. Kimmel and one aunt, Mrs. Ella Harrott both of Omaha, Texas.

Palbearers were Joe Bailey, Charlie and Curtis Kimmel, Geo. Lisenby, Tommie Vivian and Willie Williams.

Mrs. J. C. Kett and her sister, Mrs. E. A. Armadong and son, Donald left early Tuesday morning for Amarillo here they will spend a few days looking after business affairs.



**NEW MECHANICAL COTTON PICKER**—Pictured above is a new mechanical cotton picker invented by Star W. Shelley, above left, of Charlotte, N. C., who has been working on the machine since 1941. Through various experiments and demonstrations the machine has proved it will gather 99.95 per cent of all cotton on the stalk, one row at a time and will pick from 10 to 15 acres of cotton per day. Towed by a tractor, the picker's wheels, mounted on standard size 600x16 tires, can be moved in or out for any with cotton row from 30 to 43 inches. It is so built that each of its wheels will run between two rows and the machine's intake (or mouth) straddles the middle row. The cotton is gathered by fingers attached to bars which are fastened on a roller chain; the chain revolves on sprockets on a shaft, the bars being timed to come up in unison from each side of the cotton stalk. When the fingers reach the top of the shafts, another set of mechanical fingers revolve in such a way as to remove the cotton and kick it into bags on each side of the platform. The picker weighs 2,755 pounds, is eight feet high, three feet wide and built around it is a body which is ten feet in width. The body is built three feet from the ground so that it can easily pass above other rows of cotton which are now being picked. The entire head of the machine may be raised or lowered ten inches so as to insure safe turning at the ends of rows. The machine is equipped with sealed ball bearings—there's not a grease fitting on the entire mechanism—no grease is necessary. The Shelley "Cotton King", as the inventor refers to it, can be operated by any farm hand after one hour's instruction.

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