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TRUMAN ASKS FOR \$4 BILLION TAX INCREASE

New Controls Also Urged; T-H Bill Repeal Looms

Rites Conducted For Puckett Twins

One of the most unusual stories of World War II closed its final chapter here Wednesday when funeral services were held for twin brothers, Clifford and Clifford Puckett, who lost their lives defending and recapturing Corregidor.



Funeral services were conducted at the First Methodist Church with Rev. E. T. Iglehart officiating, at 10 a. m. Wednesday. Military graveside services were conducted at Post, Texas, at 12:30 p. m. under the direction of the Williams-Puckett Post No. 161 of the American Legion.

Services were conducted at the First Methodist Church with Rev. L. L. Hill, officiating, at 10 a. m. Wednesday. Military graveside services were conducted at Post, Texas, at 12:30 p. m. under the direction of the Williams-Puckett Post No. 161 of the American Legion.

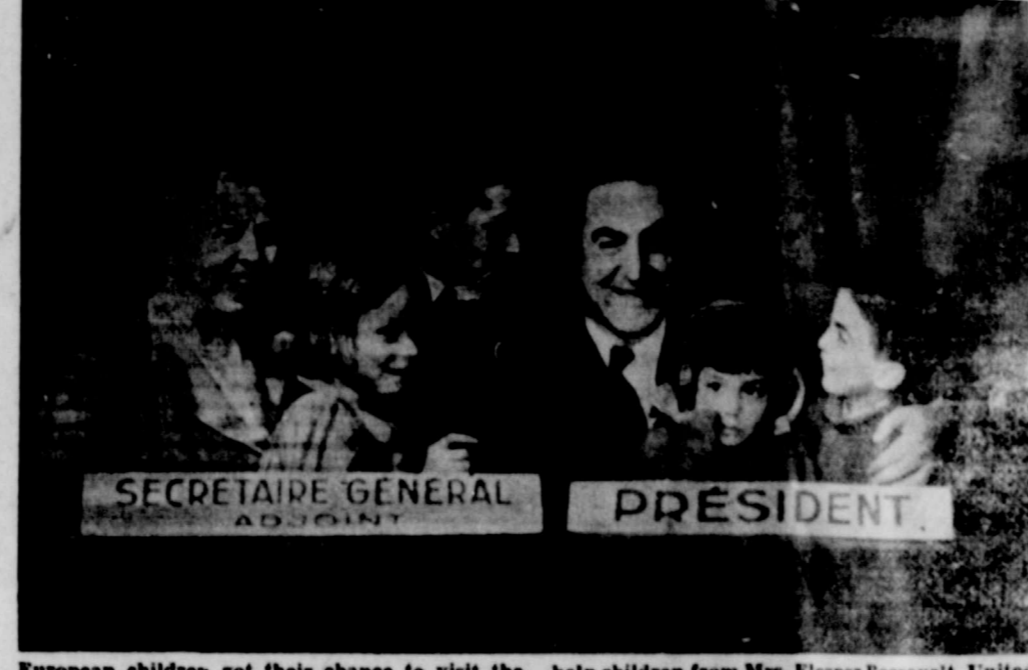


Funeral services were conducted Saturday, Jan. 1, at 2:30 p. m. in the First Baptist Church, Girard, for Aaron Calvin Dickerson, 62, pioneer resident of the Girard community.

Puckett had contracted malaria during those final weeks of resistance on Bataan and Corregidor, and about two weeks after his capture died of the disease in a prison camp on the island of Luzon.

The twins, who were born Oct. 31, 1911, both were buried in U. S. Armed Forces cemetery No. 2 on the outskirts of Manila. Recently their remains were shipped to the United States to be reinterred.

Children Pay a visit to United Nations



European children got their chance to visit the United Nations at the General Assembly meetings, recently ended in Paris. Here some young visitors learn what the United Nations is doing to help children from Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt, United States delegate and Human Rights Commissioner, Chairman, and Dr. Charles Malik, of Lebanon, chairman of the Economic and Social Council.

Girard Pioneer Rites Conducted

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Wage Statement Needed In Tax Return For '48

The office of the Collector of Internal Revenue has cautioned taxpayers that income tax returns filed on either of the individual income tax forms will not be accepted unless statements of wages earned, Form W-2, are attached to them.

Bank Deposits Show Drop Over Previous Year

Bank deposits of the Spur Security Bank are down by \$436,473.70 from the same period last year.

Applications For Hiway Patrol Open

According to Colonel Homer Garrison, Jr., Director, Department of Public Safety, Austin, Texas, an examination for Recruit-Patrolmen will be given in the several Patrol District Offices over Texas, in February, 1949.

Troop 4 Rehearse "The Brownie Story"

Troop 4 of the girl scouts rehearsed the dramatization of "The Brownie Story" at their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon.

Postal Increases Now in Effect

Spur residents began buying air mail at special delivery stamps at increased rates Monday morning and had numerous questions to ask of postal personnel at the stamp windows.

Men Over 26 Still Subject To Draft

Selective Service registrants are required by law to keep their local boards informed when they change addresses after they become twenty-six years old, as well as before.

Spur Bulldogs Beat Floydada

Spur's bulldogs romped to a 44-36 district 3-A basketball win over the Floydada Whirlwinds here Tuesday night.

Lions Club News

The Spur Lions Club met Tuesday noon at the Lions Hall for their regular weekly meeting. The program time was devoted to announcements and reports on the different phases of the Lions activities.

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ROTARY NEWS

Members of the Spur Rotary Club were humorously entertained on Thursday, December 30, when Jackson East presented a program on "New Year's Resolutions", (the ones wives would have their husbands make).

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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sweeney of Paloma Mts., California were holiday makers here Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carr and sons, Danny and Ricky; Robert Lee, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Barton, Baylor, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Beadle, a children, Thelma Ruth, and Dwayne of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams, son, an children, Louise, Ronald, Wayne and Leslie of Spur.

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S'west Markets Open Unsettled

First week of the new year opened with unsettled conditions on many southwest farm market, with prices showing a mixture of ups and downs according to the U. S. Department of Agriculture's Production and Marketing Administration.

JOTS BY JOE

Old dodging '48 has gone and the bright young '49er stepped in with a blast of cold and light flurries of snow.

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Postal Receipts 1947, 1948

Postal receipts of the office were \$693.83 greater during the year 1948 than in 1947, the report of Postmaster Guy Karr revealed.

Polio Victims 26,000 in '48

The danger of family and community polio epidemics was stressed today by Mr. Jerry Ensey, local March of Dimes director, who is leading this year's drive to raise funds for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

New Officials Take Office Sat.

New and old officials in Dickens County were officially sworn into office last Saturday, Jan. 1, at the court house in Dickens.

New Manager Is Named at Red Front

H. N. (Red) Howell, of Lubbock, has been named as manager of the Red Front Drug Store, according to an announcement from A. C. Hull, owner of the store.

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\$16.95 value	-----	\$ 8.48
\$17.95 value	-----	\$ 8.98
\$19.95 value	-----	\$ 9.98
\$24.95 value	-----	\$12.48
\$19.95 value	-----	\$14.48
\$34.95 value	-----	\$17.48
\$39.95 value	-----	\$19.98

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36 Ladies Suits and Coats . . . all new stock.

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\$42.95 value	-----	\$28.62
\$44.95 value	-----	\$29.95
\$49.95 value	-----	\$33.30
\$59.95 value	-----	\$39.97
\$64.95 value	-----	\$43.30
\$84.95 value	-----	\$56.63
\$98.95 value	-----	\$65.97

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Large selection of ladies winter hats.

\$3.95 value	-----	\$1.98
\$4.95 value	-----	\$2.48
\$5.95 value	-----	\$2.98
\$7.95 value	-----	\$3.98
\$8.95 value	-----	\$4.48
\$9.95 value	-----	\$4.98
\$10.95 value	-----	\$5.48
\$11.95 value	-----	\$5.98
\$12.95 value	-----	\$6.48
\$14.95 value	-----	\$7.48

LADIES SWEATERS

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\$5.95 value	-----	\$3.96
\$7.95 value	-----	\$5.30
\$8.95 value	-----	\$5.96
\$10.95 value	-----	\$7.30
\$12.95 value	-----	\$8.63

CHILDRENS DRESSES

100 children's Dresses. Corduroys, prints, chambrays, broadcloth, and gingham.

\$2.98 value	-----	\$2.49
\$3.98 value	-----	\$2.98
\$4.95 value	-----	\$3.98
\$5.95 value	-----	\$4.49
\$6.95 value	-----	\$4.98

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\$3.49 value
\$3.95 value
\$4.50 value
\$4.95 value

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Value

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Value

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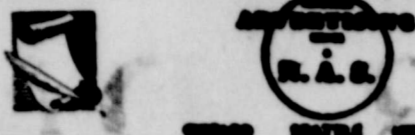
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Legal Notices

THE STATE OF TEXAS To: Robert (Nig) Emert and G. H. Watson, Defendants, Greeting: You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court 110th Judicial District of Dickens County...

office in Dickens, Texas this the 31 day of December A. D. 1948.

(SEAL) Attest: L. J. VARNELL, Jr., Clerk, District Court, Dickens County, Texas. Jan. 6-13-20-27.

LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE OF FRANK SPEER, DECEASED.

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Aunt of Local Man Succumbs at Waco

Miss Lucy Erath, age 91, who died at her home in Waco recently, was the last direct link with the man who founded Waco. She was the only surviving child of Major George B. Erath, the pioneer who conceived the idea of locating a town, sold the notion to the owners of the land, and personally surveyed the town...

HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN, TEXAS, Jan. 6.—Despite the fact that modern medicine makes it possible for the diabetic to live out a normal life span in comparative comfort, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that diabetes continues to take the lives of hundreds of Texans every year.

Olsen-Johnson Featured During Fat Stock Show

FORT WORTH, Jan. 6.—Olsen and Johnson, world famed comedians who wowed Texans with their zany musical show at the Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show here last year, will offer a brand-new array of gags and entertainers at the 1949 exposition.

HOLIDAY GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Johnson had as their guests during the holidays Mr. and Mrs. Burton Whitener and daughter, Mable of Guyton, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson and

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FOR SALE—One 1947 Farmall tractor with tools. See Bud Edwards, 1 mile north and one mile east of Elton. 10-8tp

FOR SALE—Three room house to be moved. See Lula Hill, 401 S. Miller. 11-3TP

FOR SALE—One, 12 Disc San-ter. 11-1tc

FOR SALE—1942 Ford tractor with all equipment. Inquire at J. E. Watts, 1 mile SE of Afton, Tex. 10-3TP

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FOR SALE—1916 Chevrolet Pick-up. A real good one. See Coy McMahan. Phone 256-W. 9-1tc

FOR SALE—John Deere tractor, equipped. 3 Jersey cows, 2 fresh. 160 acres for rent. G. R. Stark, Elton, Texas. 11-3TP

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FOR RENT OR LEASE—House on highway two miles south of Dickens. By month or year. 50 acres grass. D. F. Jackson. 11-4tp

FOR RENT—House on Dickens highway. See Dalton Lehw. 11-2tp

FOR RENT—Two rooms, near Hilltop Cafe. See L. C. Ponder. 11-1tc

APARTMENT for rent. Call Mrs. J. C. Keen, 183-W. 11-1tc

FOR RENT—2 bedrooms with kitchen privileges. Contact Thelma Pursley. 7-1tp

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FOR RENT—Four room house, unfurnished, 1 1-2 mile north-east of Spur. See Ollie Hindman. 10-2tp

HOUSE FOR RENT, located on Experiment Station road. See Clarence Ward at Gabriel. 10-1TP

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FRONTIER MOVIE TO OPEN AT PALACE SUN.



ROBERT MITCHUM and WILLIAM HOLDEN in a scene from the picture "THE STRANGER," co-starring LORETTA YOUNG.

A vivid and strangely compelling tale of the Ohio frontier a century and a half ago is presented in RKO Radio's new screen romance, "The Stranger," which will open in the Palace Saturday night with Loretta Young, William Holden and Robert Mitchum in the stellar roles.

As a handsome bondswoman in a little frontier settlement who is bought and raised by Holden in order to have a stepmother for his young son, Miss Young gives a brilliant performance commensurate with her recent winning of the Academy Award. Holden himself, as the dour backwoodsman so beloved for the virtues of his dead wife, fails to appreciate his new helpmate until almost too late she turns in a sterling portrayal.

Mitchum, one of Hollywood's most dependable and convincing actors, has a colorful role as a ballad-singing frontiersman who precipitates the romantic conflict of the film when he realizes what Holden is missing and offers to purchase Miss Young from her unappreciative owner. Youthful Gary Gray does a fortnight job as the suspicious and resentful son.

Filmed in the lush forests of a southwestern Oregon, the picture has a charming scenic quality, and the realism of its cabin sequences and the thrilling battle with a Shawnee war party highlight a thoroughly entertaining offering.

Norman Foster directed the production by Richard H. Berger, as presented by Dore Schary. Waldo Salt wrote the screenplay from Howard Fast's story as well as writing the lyrics for Mitchum's rollicking songs.

Texas Livestock Drops 24 Per Cent

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 6 — November shipments of livestock in Texas fell 24 per cent from October to 7,851 carloads, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Shipments of hogs and calves stepped up 12 and 8 per cent, respectively, from October. On the other hand, movements of cattle and sheep slid 34 and 82 per cent from the previous month.

In comparison with November 1947, livestock shipments were down 20 per cent. Cattle shipments decreased 28 per cent; and calves, 20 per cent. During the 12-month period, hog and sheep shipments climbed 41 and 22 per cent, respectively.

Interstate shipments plus Fort Worth dropped 27 per cent from October and 22 per cent from November 1947.

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HOUSE FOR RENT, located on Experiment Station road. See Clarence Ward at Gabriel. 10-1TP

WANTED to buy shoats. See E. S. Lee, Spur. 11-1tc

S. Lee, Spur. 11-1tc

Miscellaneous

HAVE a Spencer Support designed for you. They banish bulges, improve posture and health. Call 9015-F-2 after 5 p. m. Stella Morrow, Corsetiere. 11-1TPC

Bring us your rags, rags or any cloth, clean or dirty. Highest prices paid. We buy every day. West Texas Paper Company, 723 Ave. G, Lubbeck, Texas. 8-1tc

PIANO: We have left on our hands a small late style piano to be sold in this community for balance on contract. Cash or terms. For details write Credit Manager, Wolfe Music Co., 817 West Douglas, Wichita, Kansas. 11-2TC

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LOST

LOST—Pair of brown horn-rim glasses in tan case. Return to Stella Morrow or Texas Spur office for reward. 11-2TCH

LOST—Pair gold-framed glasses. Lost near Wilson grocery. Finder leave at Texas Spur office. 11-2TP

LOST brown billfold contained one \$1 bill and two \$3 bills. Lost between Jones Chiropractic Shop and Burlington street. Finder return to Mrs. J. H. Clay. 11-1tp

Eggs received by rail at Texas stations totaled 30 in November, 37 in October, and 73 a year earlier.

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Men's Ties \$1.50 value dollar days \$1.00	80-Sq. PRINTS Spring Patterns Yard 39c	Ladies and Children's ANKLETS 28c value, 4 pairs \$1.00
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Men's Dress SHIRTS Values \$4.95 \$3.00	80-sq. Bleached SHEETING 3 yds \$1.00	Col Group Ladies DRESSES 1-2 PRICE
Men's and Boys JACKETS Values to \$7.95 \$5.00	MEN'S SHORTS \$1.50 Value \$1.00	All Men's Dress Oxfords 25% OFF!
Men's Fall HATS Values to \$10.00 \$5.00	One group Printed Silks Values to \$1.98 yard \$1.00	Ladies Suits and Coats 33 1-3 % OFF
Men's Gabardine Army Cramerton Pants and Shirts Values to \$5.98 \$4.50 each	5% Wool BLANKETS Size 72x84, reg. 5.98 value \$4.50	Men's HOUSE SHOES Values to \$4.50 \$1.00
Ladies Kant-Run NYLON HOSE \$1.65 Value \$1.00	Boys and Girls Outing Pajamas \$3.49 Value \$2.00	Shop Our Convenient Store for Many Other Big Bargains!

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Fat Stock Show Opens Jan. 26

"First" are the by-word for the 53rd annual Southwestern Exposition and Fat Stock Show here Jan. 28-Feb.

Officials have inaugurated for the 1949 Show a new department for Brahman cattle exhibitors—open class fat steer judging by age rather than weight.

Appreciation of the addition of the Shetland pony class was voiced by Mrs. A. M. Hutchinson, of Ada, Okla., secretary of the Southwestern Shetland Pony Breeders Association.

The 4-H and FFA grass judging contest and special rodeo will highlight activities Jan. 29, when the Exposition will be open to thousands of the young Texans

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Cotton Advances Slight Past Week

The usual year-end dullness settled over Texas cotton markets last week, according to USDA's Production and Marketing Administration.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dickerson of Dallas arrived in Spur today. Mrs. Dickerson will visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Koon, while Mr. Dickerson is quietly hunting in Stonewall county.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patton spent Sunday in Rotan with Mrs. Matt Patton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Fagan spent the holidays visiting in Dallas and Ladonia, Texas.

Mrs. Pearl Matthews of Dallas spent the Christmas holidays with her sister, Mrs. W. C. Gruben.

Mrs. Homer Whitwell and children of Lubbock spent New Year's day with Mrs. Myrtle Whitwell.

Dr. and Mrs. F. C. Nichols entertained friends with a dinner party last Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David McAtee, Jr. of Galveston spent the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. McAtee.

T. B. Hughes of White Flats was attending to business in Spur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Traweek of Lockney are visiting in the Hardhome this week.

Sylvan Gotting of Corpus Christi spent the weekend with Mrs. Nona Starcher and Billy D.

K. J. Houston of Abilene was transacting business here Tuesday.

Mrs. Matthew Gruben and son "Corky" are visiting her parents in Lombard, Illinois.

John Russell of Matador was attending to business in Spur Monday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Karr during the holidays were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Karr and sons, Danny and Rickey of Robert Lee, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Beadle and children, Thelma Ruth and Duwayne of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson and children, Louise, Ronald Wayne and Leslie of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gabriel and family spent Christmas in Waynoka, Oklahoma with Mrs. Gabriel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Columbia and her grand-nephew, Mrs. T. Columbia, who flew from Syria to spend Christmas with her family.

Income In Texas \$193 Million

AUSTIN, Texas — Texas farm cash income totaled \$193,126,000 in November, declining 5 per cent from year-earlier levels, the Bureau of Business Research reported.

Decreasing seasonal November income was somewhat less than usually expected, due to adverse weather conditions in the Valley area. Coastal Prairies and South Texas Plains showed November income 36 per cent above October; and it rose 5 per cent in the Southern High Plains.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan sailed in San Antonio and Houston during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar McElroy and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion McElroy in Plains, Texas last weekend.

Mrs. Ben Zawadzke of Ft. Worth and Leon Roberson of Haskell visited with their father, J. M. Roberson, over the weekend.

Trans-Pecos, followed with 13, 9, and 4 per cent respectively. For the first 11 months of 1948, farm income slipped 9 per cent under a like period in 1947.

After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of farm cash income fell 8 per cent from October. The index was 395 per cent of the prewar (1935-39) base period in November, 428 per cent in October, and 421 per cent a year earlier.

AUSTIN, Texas, Jan. 5 — Rail shipments of turkeys from Texas stations totaled 136 carloads in November, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

Four carloads of turkeys were shipped in October and 194 in November 1947.

Egg shipments totaled 63 carloads in November, 72 in October, and 49 in November 1947.

DR. B. J. V. Will B. THE SPUR INN Spur, Texas SATURDAY, JAN. 8, 1949 To Examine Eyes, Fit Glasses, Duplicate Lenses HOURS—9 A. M. to 5 P. M. DRS. CAULEY & WELCH 1114 Ave. L. Lubbock

HUSBANDS! SALUTE YOUR HOMEMAKER AND WIN \$5000 (FOR HER) It's EASY! Just finish this limerick: I'm proud of my wife, you can see She's thrifty and keen as can be, At Safeway she shops That's where values are tops. (You supply the last line. For instance, you might write "And her savings are amazing to me.") GET A FREE ENTRY BLANK AT SAFEWAY It includes the complete rules. Nothing to buy—just follow the simple rules and mail in your entry. Contest closes January 30th.

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Four BIG WEEKS of celebration in your honor, Mrs. Homemaker. WIN 5 YEARS' GROCERY MONEY \$9,000.00 IN PRIZES. GUARANTEED MEATS. Smoked Picnics 39¢. Pork Sausage 39¢. FRESH PRODUCE. Apples 27¢, Red Potatoes 49¢, Cabbage 2¢. SKYLARK BREAD 21¢, Pineapple Juice 17¢. Airway Coffee 40¢, Nob Hill Coffee 87¢, Coffee Top Quality 53¢, Coffee Choice and Selection 55¢, Cherub Milk 39¢, Cane Sugar 89¢, Macaroni Orzo 17¢, Pinto Beans 25¢, Ajax Cleanser 21¢, Tide Washing Powder 31¢, Su-Purb Soap 29¢, Palmolive Soap 17¢, Palmolive Soap 25¢. Prices Effective FRI AND SAT SPUR, TEXAS

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Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, Unit. Includes Flour, HiHo Crackers, Margarine, Wesson Oil, Eggs, Salad Dressing, Catsup, Peanut Butter.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, Unit. Includes Fruit Juice, Orange Juice, Tomato Juice, Green Beans, Corn, Peas, Tomatos, Sauerkraut, New Potatoes, Pork & Beans, Potted Meat, Beef Hash.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, Unit. Includes Rib Roast, Seven Roast, Round Steak, Short Ribs, Loin Roast, SALT JOWLS, Pork Chops, Spare Ribs, Cured Hams, Sliced Bacon, Sea Foods, Codfish Fillets, Rosefish Fillets, Lunch Meats, Baked Loaves, Frankfurters, Brick Chili.

Table with 3 columns: Item, Price, Unit. Includes Apples, Red Potatoes, Cabbage, Oranges, Grapefruit, Apples, Grapes, Pascal Celery, Pears, Lettuce, Clip Top Carrots, Rutabagas, Yellow Onions, Airway Coffee, Nob Hill Coffee, Coffee Top Quality, Coffee Choice and Selection, Cherub Milk, Cane Sugar, Macaroni Orzo, Pinto Beans, Ajax Cleanser, Tide Washing Powder, Su-Purb Soap, Palmolive Soap.