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SPUR



SERVING A RICH FARM CROP. TOCK AND POULTRY RAISING TERRITORY OF WEST TEXAS.

The Dickens Item and Dickens County Times Absorbed by Purchase

OIL NEWS . . . "A Half-Acre Of It!"

SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, MARCH 2, 1950

***************** Whoa, Now!

week of a diagonal parker. Anin front of the Bell Cafe.

Our main street is wide enough to take care of our traffic if we could utilize its full width. are advocating parallel parking in Burlington, and more merparking behind their places of business to give more space for their customers.

The column on "What Spur Needs" last week concerning recreational facilities is causing wide comment. It expressed a real need in our city—one that Harrison. should be considered thoroughly The m by civic organizations and individaul citizens.

A week from tonight the busi-Chamber of Commerce Barbecue. According to President Eric Swenson, plans for the big occasion are well along and a near 100% attendance is expected.

We've all been hollaring for an active chamber for Spur and here's our chance to really get Don Teague, 21 year-old-Sny-one going. The newly elected der man, remained in critical out to make the new organization Feb. 16.

behind it and be members of it, according to Raymond Johns of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, who recently attended a directors' meeting in Spur. We'll each have to give both of time and means to make it work. Even if we see it wise to hire a

business man concerning thought clinics to be held soon. The thought Clinics are being set up to establish definite plans and held as a membership drive. The School Gym.

Electric Co-Op

Margaret Ellott

County Electric Co-operative will meet in Spur, March 4, 1950 at Spur, who incidentally 1 p.m. to elect nine directors to

The following men were reother citizen tangled with a bus cently chosen by the nominating

Stafford, Elmer Cade (re-election), D. P. "Bud" Smiley, Ed

L. H. Yarbrough, Horace Wood, Russel Wilks, Jim Anderson, Nathan Morris, and Rober

the new Spur East Ward School

Shot Victim In

The only way a chamber of Teague's condition was about the in commerce can be a success, how- same as it was when he was first Auditorium. for all businesses to be brought to the hospital a few A few of the rural people are Theatre, \$7.00; Spur Auto Co.,

objectives for the chamber so that a goal will be in mind in each undertaking. After these meetings the barbecue will be March 3rd at 8 p.m. in the High the state of the state of the parents and the teachers of the parents and the parents and the parents and the teachers of the parents and the parents and the teachers of the parents and the parents are the parents and the parents and the teachers of the parents are the parents and the teachers of the parents are the parents and the parents are the parents and the parents are the parents

attendance at the barbecue next the Gym. Admission is 50 cents \$2.00; McNutts Station, \$3.00; and 25 cents.

Spur Automobile Dealers Warn Of

Godfrey & Smart, Spur Motor Co., the State and National associaSpur Auto Co., Jones Motor Co., tions in the public interest to Sherrill, \$1.00; Brazelton Lbr., Reagan Motor Co., Rickels Motor stamp out the so-called bootlegCo., and Edwards-Kelley Impleging of new cars and new trucks F. W. Jennings, \$1.00; Kelley Church. The public is cordially

these sources learn to their sorrow that they have sacrificed not only the manufacturers' warranties but all the maintenance service and protection to which a

distribution of new automobiles through the years has been made by local authorized dealers franchised by the manufacturer", A representative of the Automobile Dealers said, "When cars or trucks; are not purchased through these legitimate channells, buyers may

"Even though a car may ap-pear new, unless it carries with it a manufacturer's warranty, and has been given the recommended pre-delivery service, the purchaser may find he has made a sad and costly mistake when he goes back to the selier of the car for service. Authorized dealers give this service to their customers as a part of their fundamental philosphy that the sale of a car is merely the beginning of their efforts to provide service and sati-

"A big risk taken by purchasers of new cars through other than factory authorized dealers is the possibility of improper or incomplete make-ready service before delivery. Authorized dealers can be depended upon to give all their new cars a double check before delivery to insure that they are safe for operation, that brakes, lights, and all other safety de-vices built into today's fine auto-mobiles are perfect and in good

Joe M. Rose (re-election), W.

Reeves, Charles Holoway.

The meeting will be held in

ness and professional men of by merchants of various towns

"Automobile Bootlegging" In Area Starcher, \$2.00; Spar Motor Simmons University will be the second starcher and the second starcher and the second starcher and the second starcher and the second starcher are second starcher are second starcher and the second starcher are second starche Texas citizens were warned to- to buy a new car without this \$1.00; Piggly Wiggly, \$2.50; Mrs.

day by The Automobile Dealers, assurance of proper service and Cuba Whit, \$5.00; Mrs. W. F. Assoc of Spur, Texas not to become victims by purchasing new cars from others than factory authorized new car dealers.

| Assoc of Spur, Texas not to become victims by purchasing new without a factory warranty to provide proper maintenance checks as mileage is put on the Lee, \$5.00; James, B. Reed, \$5.00; Speak AT GIRARD

"Allegedly new automobiles the valuable services and pro- \$2.00;

new car buyer is entitled. "The established, traditional

well be setting a 'pig in a poke'.

sfaction to all with whom they

Meeting March 4

tween 7310 and 7320. The Figur. 6000 feet eight miles south of Spur. Photo By B. & H. Studio, Courtesy Blair Aerial Service Critical Condition Donations For New Piano Help City Federation Toward Goal

held as a membership drive. The school Gym.

The line-up for the teachers professional men and their wives. If we want an active and efficient C. of C. let's have a big turn-out for the clinics and 100½ to attend this basketball game at turn-out for the clinics and 100½ to attend this basketball game at the Cym. Admission is 50 cents. ing, \$5.00; Mrs. Willis Jernigan, \$5.00 Hoover Grocery, \$3.00; D. J. Dyess, \$2.00; Helen Williams \$2.00; Proctors Store, \$5.00; Riter

Spur dealers who are members new car by the buyer.

of the Dealers' Association and who are backing this warning are; ers of Texas are working with S. Link, Jr., \$5.00; Grace Starch-lever, \$1.00; Geo.

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the Spur Church of Christ, who are backing this warning are; ers of Texas are working with S. Link, Jr., \$5.00; John Albin, speak Friday evening March so that all buyers may receive Marsh, \$1.00; Big Boy Reynolds, invited to attend.

officers and directors have the condition at the Snyder Hospital The City Federation wishes to \$1.00; Campbell's Furniture, betterment of Spur in mind and vesterday as a result of an actual thank each of the firms and inindicate that they are going all- cidental pistol wound suffered dividuals hated below for the Ernestine English, \$1.00; Mrs. R. contributions received for the E. Dickson, \$5.00; City Drug Co. Hospital officers said that purchase of a piano to be placed \$10.00; Caraway Motor Co., Feague's condition was about the in the new East Ward School \$10.00; Jones Motor Co., \$5.00; Dr. R. L. Alexander, \$1.00; Palace

time and means to make it work.

Even if we see it wise to hire a full-time secretary-manager, it remains that the people of Spur must make the Chamber of Commerce of Spur.

Swenson has written each business man concerning thought

Don was moved to the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo Feb. 28. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E.

We do earnestly ask support of the good farmers of this community as well as the individuals of Spur. We feel that a project of this kind is a benefit for the whole community, so it should be supported by all.

Parents-Teachers

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The contributors are as follows:

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The Dickens Baptist Churc will have a Youth Revival March 2 thru March 5th.

Travis Laduke of Hardin lead the singing.

The public is cordially invite to attend this Youth Revival.

Spur Grain-Hatchery, Bro. Deavers is now the po

are being offered for sale now in tection to which they are entitl-many places by unauthorized ed." \$5.00; Alderson's Variety, \$5.00; tor of the Church of Christ Wackers Store, \$5.00; Darvin Haskell, Texas. OLD ERIC IS WAITING FOR THEM TO BRING IT IN !! "

City Accepts County Proposal; Official County Action Pending

Pictured above is an aerial view of the Lohman well 23 miles south of Spur. The "Shadow" on the north side of the well is oil that blew over the top of the derrick and covered approximately one-half acre. The oil was found between 6500 and 7000 feet. The exploration With reference venture is now drilling in shale below 7765 feet.

The rig, known as a "lucky rig" in that it has hit far above the average for wildcats, will be moved to the Ted Wiemer No. 1 Swenson in block 2, survey 17 in Garza County probably next week. This site is 17 miles south-west of Spur.

Reports are this week that the Gulf No. 1 Martin west of Spur is drilling below 7370 in shale. A streak of lime was reported between 7310 and 7320. The Hunt No. 1 Emery is making hole below 1000 feet eight miles south of Spur.

The Heart Campaign in in General's office. co-chairmen, Mrs. Nona Starcher and M. P. Vannoy and this opportunity to thank all sisted in the drive and those

Roaring Springs To

The church of Christ at Roaringelist George E. Darling of Il do most of the song leading. There will be fine gospel ing on March 13. iendly welcome to all. This ill be your opportunity to hear me extra good preaching by a cacher of unusual ability, sinrity and kindliness.

-GOLF ASSOCIATION TO RE-ORGANIZE

onday March 6t hat 7:30 p.m. REA KELVINATOR USER
This meeting is for the purpose Some REA Kelvinator-user all of them paved.

It makes it far n This meeting is for the purpose

Kate Buchanan Has Party Godfrey.

Mrs. Raymond Beadle and GUEST SPEAKER FOR Mrs. W. B. Steele feted their PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Feb. 10th, honoring her 84th March 5th.

ens County Commissioners Court make available, the City of Spur in joint session at the City | will for a period of five years Spur Tuesday night to with a five year option as pro the pending City-County vided for by the laws of the State of Texas operate the hospital, asboth principal and interest, for the ported covered by the lease, and Hut in furnish the site for the location

> with any of the details incident ist, both of Dallas, will be join- Farm Ownership payments totalto the construction of the hospi- ed with representatives of the ling \$40,772.00. Four tal, the procurement of the Experiment Station, Extension made over 500 pounds of lint cot-Federal Grant, and any other Service, Soil Conservation Service ton per acre.

Trusting that we may jointly sions. co-operate so that our action will be for the benefit of all, we re-

THE CITY OF SPUR

A legal point concerning the issuance of county bonds to be being investigated by County Attorney Bob Conner who, according to authorities, is awaiting in- for \$14.00. formation from the Attorney

It is expected that neeeded inthe county commissioners. The receive the gift. county commissioners are expected to act on the City's offer at held at 3:00 p.m. Wednesday at this regular meeting.

The offer now pending county not a legal offer to the city, and

ginal counter-proposal to the Have Gospel Meet ing compromise and is now pro- gift. Next week's meeting will posing to accept the county's be held at Gabriel's with a pot

of \$265.00. According to Judge A. C. Sharp, court is antisipated at this time in that it is unlikely that the session before the regular meet

ROARING SPRINGS TO

Gospel Singing March 5th., beginning at 2:30 o'clock p.m. A

iture Co. This will be in addition to live.

These boys also placed to Godfrey's regular donation for We realize that this would take third in the judging contest which

Boland Durwood of Austin like to see started.

Those enjoying the occasion Seminary will have charge of were Mesdaines, A. W. Wilson, both the morning and evening Editor's note: "What Spur botham and Judy of Monahan Needs" is submitted each week visited in the home of Mr. Kate Morris, Ida Lea, John Ball, services, Sunday March out.

Annie McClung, C. L. Gray, The public is extended a most Jenny Ellis, Leia Evans, Miss cordial invitation to attend these services.

Needs is submitted each by a citizen of Spur for the betterment of Spur. Contributions are appreciated and will be used are appreciated and will be used are appreciated and will be used as the services.

20 Years Ago In Spur

Taken from the files of the ginned in Spur. Ginning had been light this season on account of

Football record of Spur Builfrom the Dickens Co. Times, Nov Pampa 19,

Spur 52 Haskell 0. Spur 32 Spur 27 Spur 0 Spur 26

shting Bulldogs were Barrett, agsdale, B. Morgan, Dodge, Joe ahn, Jim Hahn, Emmert, Rick-a, Puckett, McCormick and

light this season on account of the drought stricken condition of logs and other articles taken the country, having suffered three dry years in succession. All gins in Spur will be closed this afternoon on account of the Slatton-Spur football game at Lubbock. This is going to be the .

> Spur ginners want to see the game. What We Would Like to See in

greatest game of the season thus far in Class B football, and the

1. City Auditorium Paved Streets 3. Closer co-operation of farmer and merchants

4. Establishment of a cotton Establishment of a canners

Commerce 9. Vocational work in our school

Farm Ownership Meet To Be Held March 8

ficits, will make available to the County that money required to retire the bonded indebtedness. run from 9 A.M. until 3 P.M. wift the hospital, serving same Grounds" at noon. Mr. Wallace ter all operating and living The City of Spur will be only ative, and Mrs. Elizabeth Hoff-too glad to co-operate and assist man, Home Management Special-duced food value at \$18,579 and

> ing Adm. in leading the discus-The program will cover complishments of the group dur- County Census proved practices in cotton pro-

Ned Hogan, Mayor A-Day Merchants Give Weekly Gift

The Appreciation Day Gift was He received certificates

At the meeting held at Gabriel's, the following names were tric Supervisor. formation concerning the legal mounts: Mrs. J. R. Scott for the medical director of the aspects in question will be had \$27.00, Mrs. A. M. Madden for Dickens and King counties and prior to March 13. This, being \$14.00, and Nina Sonnamaker for the second Tuesday of the month, \$14.00. These persons were not is the regular convening date for present and therefore did not Next Week's meeting will be

Dunlap's.

with a treasure chest of \$235.00 to hire in each locale City Hall by Bryant-Link Co. county without officially seek- were not present to claim the actual work will start April 1 Bertie Locke were called but

duction, legumes, gardens, food

will be held Wednesday, were active throughout 1949 made 8, at the American Legion a very impressive record—they

matters pertaining to this pro- ice and Production and Market- of lint cotton per acre for the en-

Supervisor Is L. M. Huff, Jr.

L. M. Huff, Jr. has been appointed as county supervisor for given to E. D. Butler, Spur, this Dickens and King Counties by we district office of the Bureau of the Census in Lubbock, ac-

will recruit, hire, train and sup-ervise all enumarators or field work March 8 at which time he will report to the Lubbock dis-

-----Most nails have "Diamond"

Springs will conduct a Gos-meeting March 17th to 26th. no called session of the county what spur NEEDS.... and Lloyd Womack of Spur do most of the song leading. In that it is unlikely that the legal information will be obtained in time to warrent a special Spur Needs More Paved

Streets Citizen Claims Paving of streets may not head Dickens Co. 4-H'ers Roaring Springs Church of Christ invites everyone in this section to a good old fashioned started on streets east and west

It makes it far more attractive Bridwell Ranch, Crosbyton, Texf re-organizing the Golf Club. will be given \$100.00 in cash at to tourists passing through and as. of re-organizing the Golf Club. Will be given show an inAll members, merchants and inthe REA meeting March 4, it
gives a more city-like appearterested individuals are cordially was announced this week by Cecil Godfrey of Godfrey's Furn- cleaner and safer city in which McGinty, Rush McGinty and Bill

> ation. We're sure there are the area. many in Spur willing to help our Others 'attending the Stock town with a little pushing, en- Show from Dickens County were couraging, and co-operation.

if printable and properly signed.

The Editor

Dickens County 4-H club boys The Golf Association will meet the Directors room of the bank CASH AWARD TO BE GIVEN

CASH AWARD TO BE GIVEN

In the Directors room of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the bank conday March 61 hot 7370 for the second of the bank conday for the bank conday for the second of the bank conday for the bank co

the drawing, according to Mr. much time, money and co-oper- included thirty teams from over

This may not be given any atThedford Fry, Paul Sweatt, Bert grandmother Mrs. Kate C. Buch-anan with a birthday luncheon, have a guest speaker Sunday tention or thought, but never-defent for the Presbyterian Church will tention or thought, but never-tention or thought, but nevertheless, it is a project we would Charles Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Higgin-

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY.



6. Paved highways leading out
7. A cotton oil mill
8. Farmers in the Chamber of Dale, son of Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Rational Commerce

Top row, left to right: Ray, son of Spur; Glenda, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale, son of Rev. and Mrs. Melvin Rational Commerce

Governor Shivers Marks 7th Month

Austin, Texas, Feb. 18-Governor Allan Shivers entered his seventh month as head of the It was about the same feeling No opinion state government riding a high that The Texas Poll had found

he faced his first important test mions in the latest survey. of leadership. The poll was timed | These questions were put to in special session to provide for care and treatment of mental veys:

sumed office, the youthful gov- ernor of Texas?" mor was still enjoying the "potical honeymoon" period: less an one out of every ten voters and thumbs down on his ad-Approve inistration.

two months before, in Novem- Voters: In a statewide survey by The ber 1949, after Shivers had been Approve Texas Poll, seven out of every ten governor only four months. The Disapprove voters approved of the way the only significant difference is that governor was handling his job as a few more voters expressed opto measure his popularity just be- representative cross section of

fore he convened the Legislature the adult population in both surlast year. In the January survey, may experience remains to patients in the state's hospitals. "In general, do you approve or "voters" included all persons who seen,

During the latter part of Jan-uary, six months after he had as-vers is handling his job as gov-before the January 31 deadline. The latest poll was conducted by a staff of eighty-six trained 1950 interviewers in all parts of Texas. 1949 A total of 1,000 men and women

66% was interviewed. Comparable surveys in coming blie's good-will. If his popularity index follows the same pattern as that of preceding governors ,it may decline as he makes known his decisions on various Results of the November poll matters that arise and as political were analyzed by classifying as opponents begin their campaigns to unseat him in this year's elec-

Gardens Important To Texas Welfare that were used. Inoculation and seed treatment practices were

COLLEGE STATION, March of all the gardeners used com-2, 1950. —A look at last year's mercial fertilizers in accordance with recommendations that came ticulture shows how important from Texas Agricultural Extenmonths will show how well the home gardens, truck crops and sion Service. governor is able to retain the pu- orchards are to the state. According to associate extension hortiulturist, J. E. Hutchison of Texhome gardens were planted and used last year. Of this number 308,444 were farm gardens, 191 967 were city and urban gar-

Production was good, he said

traced to the improved practices that were used. Inoculation and used by 19,000 more gardeners in 1949 than in 1948. About half

Truck crop demonstrations were conducted in 143 Texas counties an dnumbered 12,154. Principal an dnumbered 12,154. Principal consistencies agents reported that 513,chison, were tomatoes, water-melons, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, onions, cucumbers, cantaloupes, spinach, carrots, beets 191,967 were city and urban gar-dens and 18,168 were 4-H club schools held at agricultural experiment stations in all sections of the state were used to bring truck growers and county exten ion agents up to date on the la-

test methods of production and the new varieties of truck crops. County agricultural agents con lucted 895 plant bed preparation lemonstrations and 686 demonstrations were used to introduce better strains of sweet potatoes. The Portorican No. 5 variety was widely used. County extension agents also conducted 271 demonstrations showing improved pracces that could be used in the pro uction of cucumbers for pick-

More than 3,200 commercial rchard demonstrations were con ucted in 142 counties during 1949, says Hutchison. Principal fruits were dewberries, blackberries, igs, peaches, plums, apples and ommunities of the state and they rained almost 2,500 local leadformation on improved horti- ance of home orchards of one acre ers who in turn passed the inultural practices on to others in their respective communities.

n 228 counties of the state. County extension agents, says Hutchison, reported that more than one million four hundred thousand fruit trees of all health for rural Texans. types were planted in home addition, about bery plants were set. More than spring. Get them during the year, 191,967 were city or urban 300,000 fig and grapes cuttings hatching season and before they the balance were farm or 4-H were set by demonstrators work- leave the egg beds.

THE AMERICAN WAY



The Robot

ing under the supervision of CARD OF THANKS 25 percent over the totals for 1948. county home demonstration aducted more than 10,500 farm fruit plot demonstration that involved the planting and mainten-

All of this work resulted in more and better fresh fruits and their share of attention 41.263 vegetables for the home table, demonstrations were conducted with the surplus being canned, at Lubbock two weeks ago. stored in the home freezer or freezer locker or sold. Concludes in Guymon Mr. and Mrs. White-Hutchison, it all adds up to bet- ner spent a few days in the home ter balanced diets and improved

-6-Farmers and ranchmen are

county home demonstration a-gents, he adds. 4-H club mem-neir kindness and words of ported working in 1,498 different bers were busy too. They con- sympathy during the illness and death of our father and husband. Sincerely, Mr. J. A. Blair and children

- 6 - mil Mrs. B. J. Whitener of Guymon, Oklahoma underwent a operation in the Memorial Hos-Before returning to their home

G. Johnson of Spur. same number of black- urged to be on the alert for pos-ry, dewberry and straw- sible grasshopper outbreaks this planted and used by Texans last 513,047 home gardens were

of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W.

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Spur, Texas

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Society-Club News

Bride-Elect Feted

Miss Billie Marie Hindman,

With Shower scribed on them were used to an- Local Girl Will

with red accessories.

A refreshment plate of cheese sandwiches, "nuts, olives, and spiced punch were served to the guests. Clever plate favors of gram.

sion study, "Mission of Grass Mesdames, loving cup was presented for the Mission of Grass all-college in 1938 when a silver Mesdames, loving cup was presented for the first time to the winning class.

Stunt themes vary from musical to heavy dramatic, abstract to

Those present were Mesdames;
J. C. Payne, W. F. Gilbert, J. A. Koon, Lela Evans, Matt Howeil, Cal Wright, Foster Cook, R. L. Walker, Erie Foster, Etta Fite and Walker, Erie Foster, Etta Fite and wighting effects give the impression of professional matter and specialty designed costumes, sets, and lighting effects give the impression of professional matter and prof ostess Tom Johnston.

6 C Appear In Stunts Exchange Club

bride-elect of Graden Bass, was honored with a lingerie shower Saturday evening at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Lane Bachman. Guests were greeted by the bride-elect, Mrs. Lane Bachman, and Miss Nelda Hindman, sister of the honoree.

The honoree was attired in a black taffeta street length dress DENTON, TEX., Feb. 28-Tex-

black taffets street length dress a brief busines session. The mission study, "Mission of Grass A refreshment plate of cheese Routes", followed. Mesdames, loving cup was presented for the sandwiches and the sandwiches and the sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches and the sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches and the sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches and the sandwiches are sandwiches are sandwiches and the sandwiches are sandwiches and the

Gifts were exchanged and a lovely refreshment plate consisting of cherry pie topped with whipped cream and coffee were served to Mesdames; Sue Hinson, Virgie Dunwody, Margaret Smith, Aletha Fox, James Sharp, Vesta Jones, Betty Allen, Ellen Sharp, Edna Allen, Georgia Mac McAteer, Dorothy Wright, Velma Watson, Nellie Carlisle, and a visitor Mrs. W. D. Blair.

The County H. D. Council met at the Methodist Roundup in a regular monthly meeting. Six Clubs were represented with a total of 16 present.

The House was called to order and a business session was conducted by the chairman Mrs. Wallace Hinson.

A new secretary was elected. Mrs. Dee McArthur, will resume this position, as the old officer thas moved. cal to heavy dramatic, abstract to

Robinson Family Has Reunion

Robinson and son of Leon, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Robinson of Courtney, Okla.; Mr. Lon Robin-son and son of Yokima, Washson and son of Yokima, Washington; Mr. and Mrs. Ell Robinson of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Pat Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson and family all of Spur.

Grandek Mrs. Con Robinson and family all of Mrs. O. D. Thompson, Monday evening at 7:30 p.m. for a covered dish supper.

Mrs. Jack Rector presided over the business session and incover the business session and incover the business for the evening. Mrs. P. E. Gollibar gaves of the speaker for the evening.

Grandchildren present were. Scriptures". Handford, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. white cloths trimmed in 4 leaf fluence? Where can we locate a white cloths trimmed in 4 leaf church where it is certain to be clovers. The main serving table church where it is certain to be clovers. The main serving table church where it is certain to be clovers.

all types were planted in home orchards in Texas during 1949. WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Roll call was answered with, "How I use left over potatoes." Mrs. Ballard gave a demonstration on new ways to prepare sweet potatoes. Has Meeting

Game prizes were awarded to lerry Ballard and Mrs. Smith. cherry tarts were served by the nine members. 5-4-

Has Meeting

eet to be held at Matador April Those elected were Mrs. Reporter, Mrs. D. L. Pace

Wesleyan Guild Has Meeting

The Wesleyan Service Guild of The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. O. D. Thompson, we start a church

troduced the speaker for the evening. Mrs. P. E. Gollihar gave a book review on "Women of have daughter-

was centered with a bouquet of heard of?

Mrs. W. H. Thomas and daughter of Nocona, Texas; Charles and Ludine Smith of Lubbock; Weldon and Billy Ray Robinson of Leon, Okla.; Georganna, Willis and Johnnie B. Robinson) and Garth Edgar all of Spur. A most enjoyable evening was had by all.

More than one million four hundred thousand fruit trees of all types were planted in home

was centered with a bouquet of As your eye ranged over a map of the Empire, you would have lighted on Ephesus as the very place. It was a true capital, not a merely political one.

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Base of Operations

common sense. You are not sup-posed to lay aside your mind when you become a Christian.

This has had many illustrations: let us take Ephesus for one. Put yourself, in imagination, back to

churches? Individual tables were laid with can we reach people of in

other strategic decisions in Rome. That was an even greater ity and capital than Ephesus, and

If the Christian church had been content to be provincial, all right for the smaller towns but afraid to tackle the big ones, if the early church had feared to seat itself in Rome, When the Roman Empire crun

tinent from decay for nearly a

housand years.

Our Ancestors FROM THE DAYS of the early Roman church there comes a well-known story which may be ae. In the slave market at Rome Pope saw some handsome all boys, whiter than the averge Roman, for sale. Who are you? asked. "Angli," they said—Ang-s. from far-off marshes along North Sea. No, smiled the are too good looking for that; ion Angli sed Angeli," not Angles

t Angels. Anyway, the church did send inglia and elsewhere in Northern grope. It turned out to be another ategic base of operations. Even lly France and Germany and gland and the other countries in part of the world were con rted to Christianity. The time ne when those very nations took e lead in moving into the rest of e world, into the western hemi-here, "down under" to Ausalia, even into Africa. Where bey went, they carried their relig-

with them, Suppose the church had not thought our ancestors worth converting? Suppose all the colonizing movements of the 16th and following centuries had been waves of sheer pa-

It is not mere racial pride to say t the sending of missionaries to hose savage peoples of northern Europe was one of the most straegic moves ever made by the Christian church.

And Today? THE CHURCH has not always been smart. Sometimes we save missed the boat. There have een strategie centers we might ave occupied—and did not.
There was a time, for instance, when Russia, that mighty nation, any who knew that country were sying about 1918 that it was pos-But the Christian church cas little interested . . . and now

Farther east, our own General MacArthur has been call-ing for missionaries to Japan, thousands of them. Japan in wide open to Gospel today as never before. But where are the missionaries? Going over in driblets.

enever Christianity has seen legic point and taken it, for concrations have been blessed; ever we miss our chance, to se generations will wender how e could have been so blind.

Melva North, Ann Wright, Lynn Wright, Emma Lena Simpson, Dorothy Williams, Jane Holloway, and Jean Calvert. They received the by-laws, creed and purposes of the club in a very solemn ceremony.

The program for the evening The program for the evening Gibson.

The program for the evening Gibson.

The accompanist.

Refreshments were served and the program was enjoyed by Joyce Daughtry, Betty Scott, Pinnie Dupree, Jimmie Nell Bowman, Ginger Walker, Beverly afternoon from 3:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Boys and girls from years of age through the third grade of Melvin King and hostess, Doris Gibson.

Morrison's Hosts To Relatives

of Morton; Mrs. Jack Jones of San Fransico, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Keith Garner and Son; Garner, Mr. and Mrs. Rip Garner, Mrs. Loretta Beeson and Robert; Mrs. W. L. Hyatt; Miss Ella Garner; Miss Patsy Hyatt and Billie Brad; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Morrison and daughter: Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Morrison and children; Tom Cooper and Mr .and

0 Story Hour Has Interested Audience

City Federation of Women's Clubs Mrs. Amos Fincher of Girard and is becoming a permanent organi-zation. On, Saturday Feb. 26th the home of Mrs. Calvin Wright a number of children who over the past weekend.

was presented by the pledges, had not attended before alor Junior Harmony

The Junior Harmony Club had their formal initiation Monday night, Feb. 27 at 8:30 p.m. in the home of Doris Gibson.

The following pledges received the club colors of blue and gold, Melva North, Ann Wright, Lynn Wright, Emma Lena Simpson, Dorothy Williams, Jane Holloway, Jane Holloway, Jean Calvert, and Lynn Wright sang a duet "Tell Me a Story". Mrs. W. T. Andrews was "Rumplestiliskin" and Gretely with the accompanist.

Refreshments were served and the program was enjoyed by "est."

WMU Observes Week Of Prayer

The ladies of the W.M.U. met the Baptist Church, Monday and were at home with some of their relatives Sunday, Feb. 19. Relatives present for the Sunday dinner and visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Luther Jones, Mrs. Swat Jones, and children Jeff and Jill Jones, and children Jeff and Jill Jones, Morton, Mrs. Jack Jones of Owen Jones, E. H. Carpenter and T. E. Springer.

Mrs. Dee Keith Garner and Son; of Dickens; Mr. and Mrs. Will Tuesday afternoon Mrs. W. S. Garner Mr. and Mrs. Rip Gar-Patrick had charge of the prodames Roscoe McCombs, J. A. Marsh, C. P. Scudder, and Miss Jenny Shields.

The group has been studying Home Missions in the Southern were observed during the meet-ings. Approximately 20 mem-bers have attended both meet-

Mrs. C. Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. Audie Armes, Mr. and Mrs. Nor-

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A group of East Ward children Byron Jenkins, and Ronnie Enertained the members of the entertained the members of the 1933 Study Club at their regular meeting on Tuesday afternoon, known folk songs.

Don McAlpin, Gary Lee Wise, program. Members answered roll call with nursery rhymes repeated from memory.

Donations for the piano, being sponsored by the City Federation, known folk songs.

meeting on Tuesday afternoon, known folk songs.

February 21, at the home of Mrs. A reading. "The Moo-Cow's Mrs. Everett McArthur, leader Moo", was given by Everetta bers elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as Bully "the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as given by the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as given by the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as given by the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as given by the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as given by the boys hors elected to club membership articles were taken from a story know as given by the boys have been also believe to the boys have been a of the program for the afternoon, McArthur, who also gave an en- were Mmes. Bill Glenn, Alfred by Clifford B. Jones.

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were made by members during March 12, 1936. The following This buffalo was shot by the boys

Walker and O. R. Cloude.

Refreshments of tiny sandwiches, cherry tarts and coffee were served by the hostess.
Napkins engraved with the club name were used.

Members present were Mmes.
Geo. Gabriel, C. P. Scudder, Coy McMahan, J. C. Payne, Walter

McMahan, J. C. Payne, Walter also. McMahan, J. C. Payne, Walter
Carlisle, V. C. Smart, Jr., C. H.
McCully, Everett McArthur, W.
F. Patrick, Larry Boothe, Leon
Huff, R. L. Walker, Hunter WilHuff, R. L. Walker, Hunter Wilmains, of prehistoric reptiles

in my life was in the Spring of
1883, when near heare he roped
a buffalo in the roundup; "As he
came through the drive I roped Huff, R. L. Walker, Hunter Wilson, and the hostess, Mrs. Grady Lackey. Guests who attended were Miss Faye Middlebroks, Mrs. R. L. Miller of Dallas, moth-these may be recovered by Texas these Mrs. R. L. Miller of Dallas, mother of Mrs. C. H. McCully, and those taking part on the program. of being taken-by distant Universities.

horse broke and the bust worked in after him, and he just worked his horns right in that horse's tail for a quarter of a mile, and

Worthy of note to the student he was going right into a slant, is evidence found here that dur- and the boys behind me kept Hosts Husbands ing the eruption of volcanoes saying probably situated in what is knew The East Spur Home Demon- now New Mexico, or Colorado lie bed station Club entertained their this section was covered to shal- I got out my Bill Dokey and cut wit ha "42" party in the home lions of tons of which are today The last white person here found near Spur. The late Dr. captured by the Indians was Lee ussell Williams, John J. Webb, as believed the Spanish Peaks a isbands Thursday evening Feb. low depths by volcanic ash, millikely source.

The rooms were decorated with And then in the natural order ouquets of yellow jonquils and of things came the great herds of buffalo and other extensive ani-The serving table was centered mal life, antelope, deer, bears with a large bouquet of flower- panthers, lobo wolves, prairie ing quince. Refreshments of chickens, and wild turkeys in ad

Mmes.; Matthew Gruben, Dickens County is named for aymond Beadle, Arner Watson, John Dickens, one of those who ck Ensey, John J. Webb, Rus- fought at the Battle of the Alam Williams, Wallace Hinson, This county was organized March loyd Robinson, E. W. Smith, 19, 1891 prior to which time it Lloyd Robinson, E. W. Smith,
Russell East, Mrs. Pat Winkler,
Mrs. W. B. Steele, and host and
hostess Mr. and Mrs. Floyd
Smith.

19, 1891 prior to which the distribution of County and Baylor County for Judical purposes. After the organization of Crosby County. Dickens County was attached it for judical purposes. I asked an oldtimer to what Dick Paving Contract ens County was attached for Jud cial purposes before being attac POST, Feb. 28. (Special).-The ed to Mitchell County, and w Garza county commissioners to- a significant look he replied.

day awarded to Bryan and Hoff- didn't know or care much about man, contractors of Plainview judicial purposes in those days and Lubbock, the contract for According to W. R. Staffen According to W. R. Staffor construction of 14 miles of pav- who came here from County Texas, in 1883, the first Bryan and Hoffman were low cattle brought into this immediated with a bid of \$132,899.99. ate section were "Jingle-Bobs Construction includes the grad- They were bought by Coggins ng, construction of culverts, Collison from the Chisholn ase construction and asphalt Ranch on the Pecos, in the year surfacing of roads within Post 1877.

Holland Page of Austin, \$135,-Hasie and Green Engineering 616.12; West Texas Construction ompany of Lubbock served as company of Lubbock, \$136,137.06; Sam Sanders of Artesia, N. M. \$140,125.00.

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District Attorney 110 Judicial

District State of Texas John B. Stapleton (re-election

Parrish, a boy about 15 years old, some little time. They kept his the Plains, a short distance from in the summer of 1882 or 83. Chat horse and saddle. The Indians the present location of the Spur-Dockum, who was with the Par- were Commanches with the ex- Dickens-Crosbyton Cap rock road. rish boy outrode the Indians, who cepti n of one redheaded white evidently fearful of trouble, re- man who had been reared by the leased the boy after keeping him Indians. The capture occured on

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took advantage of the opportunity.

as roughnecks in the oil fields.



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a job to pay college expenses. The jobs they have

held during school include those of waiter in the

mess halls, fry cook in a cafe, stable boy, yard man, laboratory assistant, printer's devil and baby sitter. During summer vacations they have worked on

farms and ranches, in offices, on the highways and

Required to make above-average grades in order to hold their scholarships, they have ranked high in their classes. One has an almost perfect A aver-

age for his four years. The average of all grades made by the entire group in four years is above B.

They have won their share of honors in other

campus activities. One was president of their Fresh-

man class, another outstanding in intramural ath-

letics, while another won a summer fellowship for leadership in campus religious activities. Five were elected to the top military honor organization, the Ross Volunteers, and six to top scholarship honor

societies. Nine will graduate as Honor Military

Since this "pilot" group entered school in 1946,

the Opportunity Awards program has grown. There

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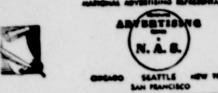




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190: they preserved food too, 15.—

190: they preserved food too, 15.— 225,000 volunteer local adult lead- 742 girls canned 504,406 quarts ers, the 12 million former members, their parents and friends. According to the state 4-H leaders of Texas A. & M. College, the 113,514 4-H members in Texas than 106,000 garments and rebership during the week and at made another 27,566.

from cotton and corn to soil im- meetings and for the past two of infection. proving crops; they planted and years they have been representcared for more than 10,000 acres ed in the International Farm Officer, speaking in this conneccared for more than 10,000 acres of home orchards, home gardens an druck crops; they carried out soil an dwater conservation practices on 29,300 acres and canducted pasture improvement demon- to mix things up.

and fairs and sold \$272,000 worth meetings and participate in com- drink, and utensils. Keep all gar- control.

They owned 58,893 head of live- in leadership. They are a coop- districts, that outside privy vaults necessary illness.

of poultry and eggs from their munity affairs.

4-H members in every section of the state invite you to join College Station, March 2, 1950
More than 1,850,000 4-H club members in the United States

More than 1,850,000 4-H club members in the United States a lot of meals for their families for here is a group that is lead-and friends, 452,492 to be exact ing the way to better living for

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Austin, Texas, March 2, 1950. Millions of flies help to cause the bership during the week and at the same time will show what You might think that 4-H mem- the United States. Hundreds of their membership during the, bers do nothing except work but these casulties may be in the State they have accomplished during that is not true. They believe in of Texas this year if residents doing the job first, but they also fail in their responsibility for de-A summary of the reports from have their fun and recreation veloping the best possible sanithe county extension agents in the programs. They camp, attend tation measures in the area where state show how important the meetings, state 4-H Round Up at they reside. Typhoid fever, sum-4-H program is to Texas. 4-H Texas A. & M. College, the State mer complaint, and other intesmembers grew crops on nearly Fair, visit the major stock shows, tinal diseases can be traced to the would favor a Republican if they 51,000 acres of land; everything send their representatives to all common housefly as the carrier were convinced he was better

Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health sils used in the preparation of food. work of controlling comm

Most Texans Favor Idea Of Two-Party Government, According To Poll

Austin, (Texas, Feb. 25 .- While the Democrats have a virtual moopoly on political power in Texthe weight of public opinion this state tends to favor the dea of two-party government.

Nearly four out of every ten-oters believe our state government would be better if we had some Republicans in the Texas Legislature. Less than haif as many think our state government

This is a finding of The Texas Poll in a recent statewide survey in which 1,000 men and women were asked:

"Do you think our state gov-ernment in Austin would be better, worse, or about the same it we had both Republicans and Denocrats in the Legislature?"

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economics work. In home improvement, they modernized al-

their strongest effort to recapture the 85th district comprised by Gillespie, Llano, Blanco, and Kendall counties. This district was normally Republican before New Deal days. The last Republican in the State Legislature represented the 85th district until

the GOP is apparent among many voters throughout the Twenty-five per cent of the voters interviewed in the latest shum anyone labeled "Republican," no matter how well qualified. Seventy per cent said they quailified than the Democratic

4-H boys and girls are trained Make sure, if you live in rural ble diseases and preventing un

stock and they sold more than erative group for they know there are tightly covered so as not to Dr. Cox said that the State 23,000 head for approximately 21/4 is strength in numbers and unity permit the entrance of flies. In- Health Department would fur They exhibited of purpose and they are good cit- fections from this source can be nish upon request a pamphlet nearly 22,000 head of livestock izens because they practice de- picked up and spread to human outlining safe and practical meand poultry at 212 livestock shows morratic procedures in their beings through contact with food, thods recommended for use in fly

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each of the 1,000 persons interbut the farmers are in great need learning a lot. newed, was designed to measure of rain. Some are listing and some

can candidate for the Legisla-The school is progressing nice-better qualified than the Demo-cratic candidate?"

The school is progressing nice-ly. All of the children are over their vaccinations and are feel-ing much better.

Improvement work is still go-ing on. Mr. E. J. Lassister is mak-ing his barns, car sheds and all of his out buildings completely better qualified than the Demo-

Voters Adults ing Wednesday night and we had the best crowd ever. The elec tion of new officers was Cross analysis of the results indicates voters who favor two-

most likely to cast their bals fo rqualified Republican can-Remember our meeting dates the 2nd and 4th Wednesday in each month. Everyone is cordial-

1948 FIGURES SHOW evening was reported by all. m the National Office of Vital

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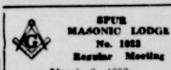
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along the way. The team was not the covered wagon trip that we traveling each day we stop, make

covered wagon, mind you. They Girard, that they were able to are moving to a farm in Jasper. If find someone that could do the "We left Roaring Springs Feb-job. After several hours and of rare nowadays."

The family isn't exactly making the people themselves. I guest what we are doing is kind of rare nowadays." "We left Roaring Springs February 22 and at the rate we are going now we should make the trip in about 20 days," Mr. Addi-

The two horses, Nellie and Del-lie to you, had a little foot trouble rest, they have been making the on trip.

"We expected this to be like

trip in about 20 days," Mr. Addison said on his stop here Monday morning. "We had planned on making the trip in about two making the trip in about two it took us a good half day to get that seemed to be the general attitude with the parents too for "It's a wonder we don't cause a wreek on the

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dison and Joyce in the front of the wagon are their two dogs, Poochie and Toughie-who seemed to be enjoying the trip just as residents with vast numbers of ably a little curious about re- tary reported that departmental

road," Mrs. Addison commented, for Game Department films has for cars and even school buses low down real slow when pasing us-and you never saw as many surprized faces in your films from the Game, Fish and life. We don't mind though for Oyster Commission files to make we are really having a time" The covered wagon is painted ment. Copying is usually neces-

black horse (Dollie) and a e (Nellie). Mr. Addison he found the horses in Springs and liked them that he got the idea to to take the team, the a lot of household -Stamford Leader

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changed to black and white for soon and others are nearing com- tentimes attract mice and movies are closeups of the much ing themselves of the Game De-partment's wildlife film library. Other pictures include generous partment's wildlife film library. Other pictures include generous Each week both sound and silent ting and carrying on in the prifilms are mailed in increasing numbers to sportsmen's organizations, civic clubs, schools, churches and to other groups. Films are es and to other groups. Films are sent express prepaid, from the birds" hideouts. For action, the Commission's headquarters in battle to the death between the

nesting birds to wilderness com- poisonous snakes and advised bat between a rattlesnake and a what to do if bitten in an article roadrunner or chaparral bird. On- in the February issue of TEXAS the-sceen movies include bass GAME AND FISH, official dewaterfowl hunting and antelope thor, John E. Werler, Curator of trapping. For the sportsman who Reptiles, San Antonio Zoological knows his field and stream, there Society, writes that more person is practical treatment of hunting die from snake bites in Texas dogs, gun safety and care, fly-rod than in any other state and adde usage and general equipment de- that the Lone Star State has at least 18 varieties of poisonou

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both began to smile broadly.

Of course she was right. Carolyn usually is. You see, I have the habit of occasionally scattering so many papers on my desk that the important ones get lost among the insignificant ones. Somehow, Carolyn, my secretary, seems to feel that it reflects upon her work. And every now and then I get a lecture from her.

"This time I'll clean the desk," I said to her as she sat down to enjoy the situation. "You know, a lot of people have noticeable mannerisms or habits," I began. I was trying to convince her to tolerate my

"For instance?" asked Carolyn.

That's all I needed, for I was loaded with ammunition.

"Carolyn," I began, "did you know that Perry Como who was once a barber won't let a barber shave him? . . . Jimmy Roosevelt is the only executive I have ever met who stands up like a gentleman when his secretary enters the office . . . Once when W. C. Fields was bedded in the Hotel Astor with a broken leg, he had all his girl friends visit him dressed as nurses to pass the scrutiny of the house detectives (we let him think he was fooling us.) . . . Cary Grant's hats all come from Eng-land. He buys the narrowest brimmed chapeaux in London, then trims a quarter of an inch off the brim before wearing the hat ...

I glanced at Carolyn from the corner of my eye and she was smiling with interest. I feel happy when Carolyn smiles because her disposi-

tion is so contagious. I continued as I cleaned: "Did you know that West Virginia hillbilly Sammy Snead, the Golfer of the Year, had to be forced to put on a pair of shoes for his first major golf tourney? . . . The late Jimmy Walker despised the word "charity." He used to say, "Charity is where somebody gives you your health at the expense of your soul. ... When Danny Kaye first enter-tained at a small Catskill Mountain hotel, a clause in his contract stipu-lated that he also make mixed-green salads for the customers. Now he likes to make them for his guests . . . The reason Charles Boyer has that odd mannerism smoking a cigarette is to prevent the smoke from getting

Carolyn leaned forward a bit. She was no longer watching me

clean the desk. She was listening attentively.
"Did you know," I continued, "that Helle Baker, Fanny Hurst, Myrna Loy and Lily Pons like dogs more than people? . . . If you take a peek inside Bob Hope's closet you'll find a checkered coat and straw cady-relics of his early days in small-time vaudeville . . . The thing that bewilders you when you play ping pong with Eddie Cantor is that he opens those banjo eyes so wide you can't tell which of the three is ball . . . June Havoc always asks reporters not to mention she's

Gypsy Rose Lee's sister. She doesn't want to ride on Gypsy's tea wagon." Carolyn laughed out loud for the first time and I was quite sure now that hereafter she would let me enjoy the luxury of a messy desk.

I was almost finished cleaning as I continued.

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I finished cleaning the desk. Carolyn rose. She looked impressed by my job. I think that I had completely convinced her to tolerate my desk-habit.

"Okay?" I asked her as she finished the inspection. "Okay," she answered, as she started out of the office, "but the next time Dan Walker or Ed Durling or Louis Sobol drop by, I'm going to give them a bit of a lowdown on Robert K. Christenberry. It'll read: 'His desk always looks like the Lost & Found Dept.'"

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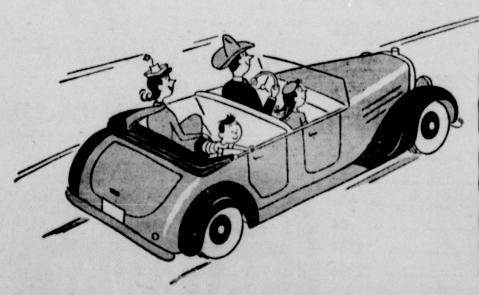
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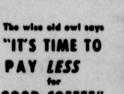
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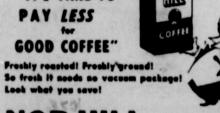
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