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SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS THURSDAY, OCTOBER 1, 1953

## GALA HOMECOMING CELEBRATION FOR SHS EXES ONLY 8 DAYS AWAY

Time is almost here for Spur to hang out the welcome sign for Ex-students and Ex-Teachers. The local Ex-Student association extends an invitation to all of the people of Spur and surrounding communities to come join in the big two day celebration. All communities, Clubs, organizations and businesses are urged to take part in all the homecoming activities and to have an entry in the parade Friday October 9, at 3:00 p. m.

will be on hand to greet the visitors. Refreshments will be served. Immediately following the assembly program Friday October 9, there will be a brief memorial service in honor of those Ex Students who lost their lives in World War 2. Parents and friends of those boys are extended an invitation to attend the memorial service.

## Miss Evelyn Miller Visits East Ward

Miss Evelyn Miller, consultant from Houghton Mifflin Company, was in the East Ward schools Tuesday of this week. She gave demonstrations in the teaching techniques which will be beneficial to the teachers. She is from Houston and has had wide experience in the supervision of reading and language. For several years she has been working closely with the Reading Clinic which is held at Sul Ross College, Alpine, each August.

## Spur Lions To Serve Pancakes Fri., Oct. 9

The Spur Lions Club will serve a Pancake Supper at the junior high cafeteria from 4 until 7 p. m. on Friday, October 9, announces Van North, president.

## ASSN BROTHERHOOD MEETING TO BE MONDAY

The Dickens Association Brotherhood meeting will be Monday, October 5, at 8 p. m. at the Baptist Mission.

## SHORTY BURT OPENS MAGNOLIA STATION

H. T. "Shorty" Burt is now operating the Magnolia Station at the corner of Hill and Burlington as Burt's Magnolia Service Station.

## BILLY HOOVER IS ELECTED VICE-PRES. OF DORMITORY

Billy Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hoover, was recently elected Vice-president of the men's dormitory at Eastern N. Mex. University.

## City Hall News

'U' Turn Marked On Burlington; Tickets For Violators Mon.

## Favorites Chosen by High School Classes

The classes of Spur High school chose their favorites at class meetings Friday, Sept. 25. Students chosen were: Senior, Janie Alexander and Fred Price.

## City Marshall Butch Bailey has been kept busy reminding drivers of the new parking regulations and of "no left turn" laws.

Reports from both city and rural drivers in Spur indicate that the new parking and "no left turn" laws are being observed. Drivers are cooperating nicely in observing the thirty-degree parking angle, states Homer Hindman, city manager.

## Kathleen Kelley was elected FFA Sweetheart in the recent contest which ended last Friday.

The Future Farmers Sweetheart will soon appear on TV. The football queen candidates were nominated last Tuesday. The senior nominee is Janie Alexander. Billie Sue Gregory was nominated by the Juniors, and the sophomore named Yvonne Addams. The freshman nominee is Jerry Waddell.

## The City of Spur recently completed a large water line and sewer line project in the East part of town.

Whidman states that the City of Spur will soon start greveling up its city streets that need it.

## Chamber of Commerce Auction Sale Here Mon., Oct. 5, 2 p. m.

Auction Sale October 5 at 2 p. m. across from Deaton Implement. Jackson East will be the auctioneer. Let's get all the merchandise in as early as we can so we can do some trading as well as selling. There will be an auction fee on merchandise that sells for more than \$25.00.

## DCSC Dist. To Elect Supervisor on Oct. 6

Supervisor of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District will be elected at a meeting to be held next Tuesday, Oct. 6, at the Patton Springs school, announces Charles Taylor, county agent. Taylor reports that along with the election there will be a film shown on soil conservation.

## W. T. Andrews, W. R. Weaver, J. D. McCain, Marshall Powell, George Gabriel, David McAtee, Walter Gruben, Homer Hindman and Norton Barrett attended the opening of the new Stamford Lake Wednesday.

After eating good barbecue with all the trimmings, the group was shown through the West Texas Utilities new power plant located on the lake.

## ROBERT ENSLEY BECOMES MEMBER OF NAVAL RES.

Robert W. Ensley became a seaman recruit and a member of USNR Div. 8-107 on September 23, 1953. He is also enrolled in Baylor University for his freshman year.

## We have had several calls on what the merchants are going to do about closing early on Fridays.

Two weeks ago, we would have said, yes, the majority of them will close at 5 p. m., but as time draws near, there seems to be some question about it. The Chamber of Commerce would like to know before Friday noon what each store is going to do. We will try to see each manager or owner by Friday; however, we would appreciate it if everyone would call the chamber office and let us know your desires in this matter.

## John Riley Williams, 47, of Los Angeles, California, a former long-time resident of Fort Worth, died of a heart attack Wednesday, September 23, in Los Angeles.

Williams formerly was superintendent of the American Laundry and Cleaners and also the Fort Worth Laundry and Cleaners in Fort Worth. He operated a laundry in Los Angeles, where he had lived for two years.

## Survivors are his wife, three stepdaughters, one son, Billy D. Williams, his mother, Mrs. Jessie Williams of Spur, a sister, Mrs. Dan Pritchett of Spur, and a brother, Luther, of Houston.

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## It is time to make that Christmas gift to send to the Veterans Hospital Gift Shop in order that the shop can be set up in time for the boys to do their Christmas shopping.

Gifts are collected each year by local Legion Auxiliary units and sent to the hospital for the boys and their families. This year's gifts need to be shipped by November 1. The local Legion Auxiliary will accept and ship your gifts if you want to help with this project.

## Six members met Monday night in the Legion Hut and started gifts for the hospital.

Aprons, pillowcases, towels, hose, socks, toys, children clothing and any gift that would be suitable will be accepted. Christmas cards are also badly needed.

## DR. J. F. HUGHES ATTENDS MEETING IN DALLAS

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Hughes, Ann, Harriet and Diana limes returned from Dallas last week where Dr. Hughes attended a three-day meeting for the American Academy of General Practice.

## One of the outstanding speeches was made by Dr. Alton Ochsenrider of New Orleans, concerning a cancer of the lung, in which Dr. Ochsenrider stated that cigarette smoking is conducive to this form of cancer.

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## West Tex. Pioneers Observe Golden Anniversary Sun.

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## Thief Hits City Drug for \$2,500

### FARM BUREAU MEMBERSHIP DRIVE TO OPEN IN COUNTY MONDAY

The Dickens County Farm Bureau will hold its annual membership drive Oct. 5-10, states Charlie Nickels, president. Ollie Hindman is chairman of the county drive and has a committee of 18 area chairmen over the county who in turn have committeemen working with them.

### CHECKS FOUND MONDAY MORNING; TWO OTHER BUSINESSES ENTERED

The City Drug Company in Spur was burglarized early Sunday morning, Sept. 27, with approximately \$2,500 in cash and checks being taken.

### Our goal is to contact and sign up every farmer and rancher in the county," states Hindman.

The goal in Texas is 75,000 families. At present there are 53,090 families with memberships. On the eve of the gigantic state-wide membership campaign, J. Walter Hammond, state president, stressed the need for a stronger state Farm Bureau in a letter sent to all county Farm Bureau officials in the state.

### The crime was discovered by Joe Long early Sunday morning.

The front door of the drug store had been opened with what appeared to be a crow bar or wrecking tool. The money was taken from the safe in the rear of the store.

## Bulldogs To Haskell Friday

### BULLDOGS AFTER FIRST WIN SINCE 1947 OVER INDIAN RIVALS

An inspired Spur Bulldog eleven will journey to Haskell to take on the Indians in an attempt to break a few records besides win a football game.

### Principal speaker will be S. E. (Doc) Brown, of Dallas, President of the newly-formed Association. However, the purpose of the meeting is to organize, Judge Gilbreath declared, but to inform Washington that the cattlemans' plight has been misrepresented.

The manager of Dunlap's Department store, Max Eckels, was out of town Saturday and the company's safe had been accidentally "locked" before the day's receipts had been placed in it. The money was then wrapped and sealed and placed in the City Drug safe for the week end. The small brown package appeared to have been untouched.

## New Subscriptions

We welcome the following new and renewal subscribers to the Texas Spur recently. The expiration date of your paper is indicated opposite your name as printed above. The first figure designates the month and the second figure the year of expiration.

## Cattlemen From 7 Counties To Ask For Support Price

MATADOR, Sept. 28. Cattlemen from seven West Texas counties will meet here October 6th to ask for price supports on livestock, according to County Judge Vaughn Gilbreath. The meeting will be held in the District Court room at 7:30 p. m.

## Graveside Services Held For Duboise

Graveside services for R. M. Duboise, 79, were conducted Sunday, September 27, at the Spur Cemetery by Rev. R. D. Hill. Duboise was born May 18, 1884 and died September 25, 1953 at his home in Abilene following a heart attack.

## Pvt. Evans Arrives At Fort Dix, N. J.

Pvt. Charles A. Evans of Spur has arrived in Fort Dix, N. J., and has been assigned to Co. A, 364 Infantry Regiment of the 9th Infantry Division for 16 weeks of basic training.

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## Pfc. Eldon Williams Serving In Germany

Pfc. Eldon L. Williams, whose wife, Edna, and parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Williams, live in McAdoo, is serving with the 28th Infantry Division in Germany. The 28th Division is now receiving intensive field training as part of the NATO force on guard in western Europe.

## BETHEL CHURCH HAS GOOD ATTENDANCE SUN.

We enjoyed a good day at the Bethel Baptist Church Sunday stated Rev. J. E. Lee, pastor. The sermon topic was "The Promised Land."

## The Weather in a Nutshell

Hot, Dry, Dusty	H	L	pr.
THURSDAY	99	61	00
FRIDAY	99	55	00
SATURDAY	106	56	00
SUNDAY	108	57	00
MONDAY	100	53	00
TUESDAY	95	57	00
WEDNESDAY	95	54	00



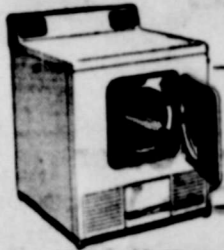
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## McAdoo News...

Mrs. Al Roseenthal and grandson of California visited several days last week with her brother, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Arnold.

Si Brantley of Oklahoma is visiting relatives here this week.

Horace Nickels made a business trip to Amarillo Thursday.

Sunday visitors in the Gene Bass home were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards and Mike of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brumfield of Ralls and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bass.

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Rogers of visiting in the home of Mr. and Ashville, North Carolina are Mrs. M. C. Formby.

Mrs. William Gardner of Lubbock spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brantley.

Jim Nickels of Lubbock and John Moore of Waco visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nickels and other friends Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Phifer are in Dallas visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Clarke of Levelland visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Formby.

Mrs. James Bruce and baby of Abernathy are visiting in the home of her parents, the C. T. Wallaces.

Mrs. Palo Grisson was host to a Stanley Party Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. Anna Baldwin of Dickens was the demonstrator.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Higgins visited in Lubbock Friday with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Garrett of Crosbyton visited Tuesday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Barton.

Mrs. John Formby accompanied Mr. and Mrs. B. G. McDuff of Crosbyton to Paducah Thursday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ellison and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Neff made a business trip to Austin over the week end.

Billy Taylor of Fort Worth spent the week end with his brother, the T. J. Taylors.

Dale Neff who has been employed in Utah, is spending this week at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Formby and Larry spent Thursday night with his parents, the John Formbys.

Olin and Weldon Ward of Lubbock visited in the G. G. Allen home.

Grady Allen, H. S. Armstrong, Dickie Woolley and Van Cypert attended an F. F. A. meeting in Lubbock Tuesday.

Mrs. R. M. Hill of Duncan Flat visited with her daughter, the Jockey Tookee, and attended church services at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. H. L. Dennis and Mrs. C. E. Edmundo were hosts to an all day quilting party in the home of Mrs. Dennis Thursday. Twelve ladies were present for lunch and several others joined them in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eldredge, Mrs. Eldon Williams and baby visited in Plainview Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Phifer.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Morris and boys spent the week end in Wellington visiting in the home of her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Edwin Winterrowd and daughters of Southland visited in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Arnold Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Chumley and Robert of Amarillo visited recently in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Arnold.

Roy Neeley of Paducah visited Sunday in the home of his father, C. C. Neeley.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Pipkin were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Neff of Battle Creek, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tooke spent Thursday night in Roaring Springs with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Tooke.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jackson have been visiting their son, Elbert, who is stationed at Camp Gordon, Ga.

Mrs. Charles Harris spent last week in Amarillo with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Joe Coffey, and cared for her new granddaughter.

Edwin Bass, who is employed in Merkel, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. T. Z. Ozburn and son spent last week in Amarillo with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Carl Coffey.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fox of Amarillo, his sister and family of Floydada and Sgt. and Mrs. Dean Allen of El Paso spent Monday in the W. H. Tooke home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Christopher and children of Crosbyton and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christopher and family of Seminole visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Harvey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Brantley visited in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. William Gardner, Sunday.

Mrs. James Sharp of Spur spent last Saturday with Mrs. Eldon Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovel Hickman and G. W. Allen visited last week in Carlsbad with Mr. and Mrs. Sid McCombs.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Griffin have returned from a fishing trip to Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fox and family of Maple visited during the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lula Fox.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris are visiting relatives in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pipkin and family of Midland spent the week end with their parents, the John Callihans and L. B. Pipkins.

Mrs. Guinn Hickman has returned home after spending Monday and Tuesday in the Crosbyton Hospital.

Richard Williams has been confined to the Stanley Hospital in Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams and children of Abilene spent the week end in the home of her parents, the John A. Allens.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Rigby and Sam Brown made a trip to Dallas over the week end where Mr. Rigby consulted an eye specialist. He returned to Lubbock Tuesday and consulted an eye specialist.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Callihan and Brenda of Maple visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Callihan, over the week end.

Billy Harris has returned from Utah where he has been employed. Dale Neff remained there and worked.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Neff of House, N. M. visited over the week end with their children, the Dave Lewises and the Dale and Noble Neffs.

Mrs. Emma Winegar and children of Lubbock spent the week end with her parents, the L. B. Pipkins.

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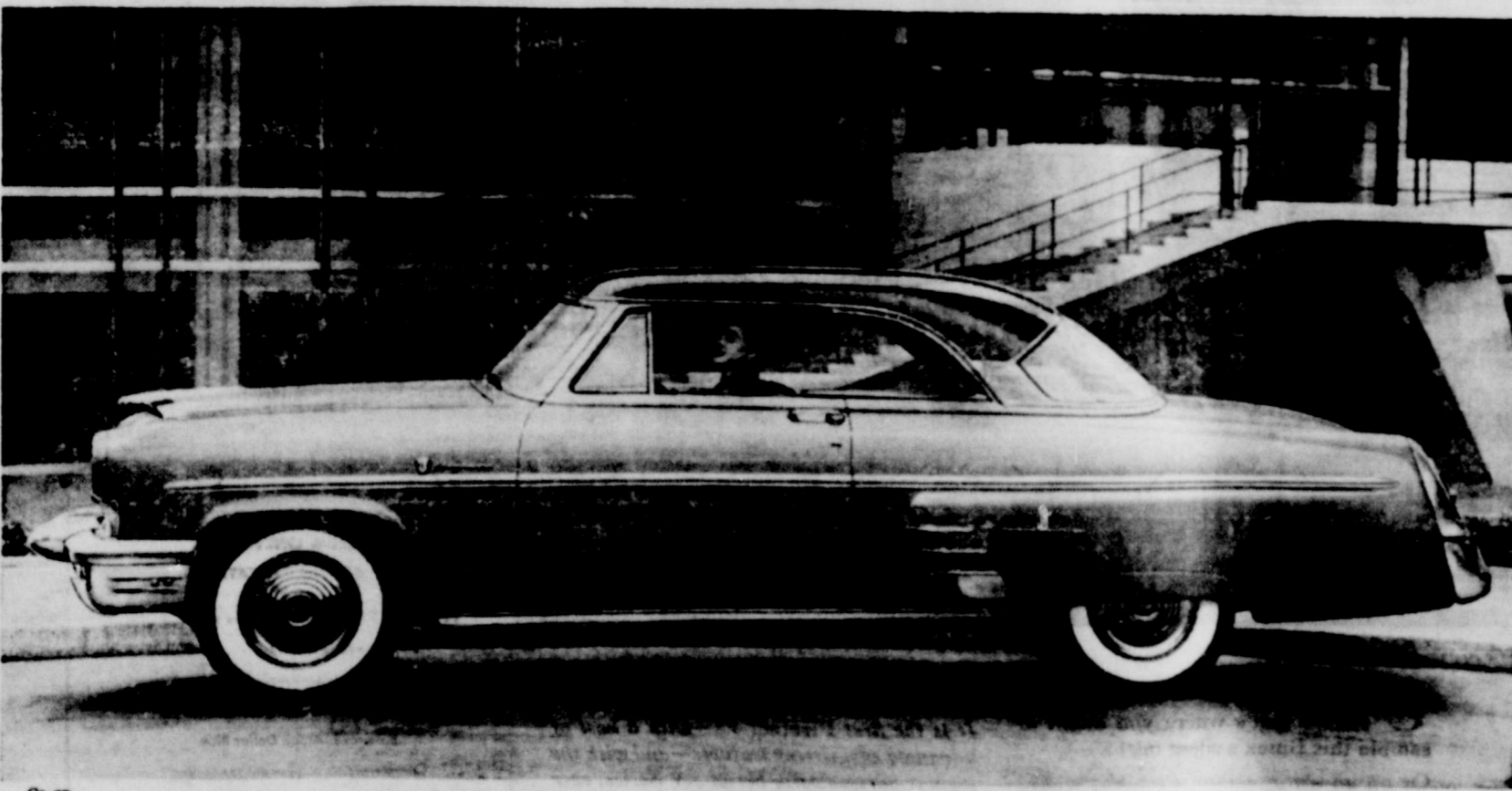
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**Dry Lake Community News...**

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Buttsick of Sacramento, Calif. were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivy McMahan Thursday.

The Dry Lake Neighborhood Progress meeting was held at the Community Center, Thursday at 7:45 p. m. There was a good attendance and the program was a state beauty contest performed by eight girls and two boys. Alan Kissinger was crowned as being the most beautiful.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Haney of Brownwood visited their daughter, Mrs. D. M. Dike Wright over the week end.

Mrs. Archer Powell and Mrs. E. J. Lasseter attended a clothing school Friday.

The Dry Lake HD club met in the home of Mrs. Ivy McMahan Wednesday, Sept. 23, at 2:30 p. m.

Achievement day was planned, which will be a joint meeting with Highway in the Community Center. The menu for the Thanksgiving supper, which will

**Roaring Springs News...**

By Mrs. L. E. Cooper Phone 981

November 21, was planned. Those present were Mrs. Billy Bingham, Ellis Draper, E. J. Lasseter, Ethel Ballard, Lon Bass, J. B. Karr, Buck Ballard, Archer Powell, W. M. Calvert and the hostess, Mrs. McMahan. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Archer Powell on October 14 at 2 p. m.

Mrs. Coy Dopsan and Mrs. E. J. Lasseter visited Mrs. Buster Robinson Sunday afternoon.

There was a good attendance at the Foreman Chapel Church social Friday night. The meeting was opened with song led by Rev. Murrell Abbott and then a program was presented.

Rev. Murrell Abbott preached a good sermon Sunday at the Foreman Chapel. Mrs. Jess Powell of Steel Hill was a visitor at the church.

Mrs. Ethel Ballard and Cracker moved Sunday to Rochester where Cracker will haul cotton for a gin.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Skinner visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Barrett, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Saxon had an over night guests Tuesday her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Orr of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lasseter received word Sunday that his niece, Mrs. R. D. Cox, had passed away in Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Robinson of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Robinson, over the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. Murrell Abbott were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Saxon.

Billy and Leland Calvert returned home Sunday from Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aston attended the fair at Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. S. C. Reynolds, Mrs. Coy McMahan, Miss Mattie Sue Robinson visited Mrs. Buster Robinson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper drove to Crosbyton Friday night to attend the football game.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pickers had their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hickman, visiting them Sunday.

R. D. Wright, Jr. visited in Floydada Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. White and daughter of Lubbock were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lugsby.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Greenway and Mrs. J. B. Greenway, Jr. spent the week end in Ralls with relatives.

Mrs. Jimmie Johnson is in the Lubbock Memorial Hospital for surgery.

Mrs. Fred Henry and Chester Henry of Ralls was here Friday visiting and looking after business.

Mr. and Mrs. Duff Green and Miss Fannie Kelly have moved into the John Green home.

The John Huffsteadlers of Lubbock were Sunday guests of his sister, the Martin Smiths.

Dale Sedgwick left September 24 for Abilene where he was inducted into the army. He was honored with a farewell party Sunday afternoon in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sedgwick. His aunts Mmes. C. L. Sedgwick and A. W. Cook, were hostesses.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sedgwick, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sedgwick, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sedgwick, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carothers, Bill, Leroy, and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Cook, Mrs. Callie Winegate, Nora and Sharon and W. R. Sedgwick and the honoree.

Mrs. Mable Kemp of Tipton, Oklahoma was week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rigby.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Leese of Eldorado, Oklahoma were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Kingery.

Mrs. Hazel Bridges and Mrs. W. A. Lewis and Kay visited in Lubbock Monday afternoon with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Farris and children visited Sunday in Seymour with his sister, Mrs. M. C. Keck.

Clarence Brooks of Meadow was here Tuesday visiting his parents, the Charlie Brooks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smiley and Mrs. J. M. Hahn, Mrs. Ellis Draper and Mrs. Cayce Alldredge visited relatives and friends in Swenson and Aspermont Saturday.

Rev. R. D. Hill has been called to the pastorage of the Dry Lake Church for next year.

Mrs. Dorothy Kissinger was down from Lubbock over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith had relatives visiting them Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dopsan and Donald drove to Lubbock Monday.

John Aston drove Rev. and Mrs. Murrell Abbott to Winters Tuesday. From there they will go to Dallas to enter school.

**Highway Community News...**

Green and M. D. Freeman and families.

Mrs. Buz Thacker honored her grandmother, Mrs. Sallie Phipp with a birthday party Saturday. Cake and punch were served to the nine guests present.

W. H. Rigby accompanied Chester Henry of Ralls to Center in East Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Woods of Amarillo spent the week end here with her mother, Mrs. C. D. Wilson, who accompanied them home for a visit.

Rev. R. L. Jameson of Whiteflat was here Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Gibson and Mrs. Bob Cooper visited with relatives in Plainview Wednesday.

Mrs. Jim Dixon and sons of Rockdale visited here Friday with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Cooper. She was accompanied by her mother and sister of Floydada.

Mrs. Ray George and Don Estep went to Big Springs Sunday to see Ray who is in the hospital there. His condition was reported as fine and that he might return home Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Thompson of Spur visited their nephew, Clarke Morgan, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hahn, who are working in Rochester, were home over the week end to visit their daughter, Nelda. Nelda is staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Campbell have gone to Anton for the fall where Ed will work at a gin.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Morgan and children went to Matador Monday night to see the B team football game.

Mrs. Earl Thomason, Mrs. Clarke Morgan and Mrs. Donnie Pace attended a meeting at the Legion Hut in Spur Friday.

B. K. Putman and Earl Thomason, who worked in Hereford last week, came in to visit their families over the week end. They returned to Hereford Sunday evening with Cecil Estep, who will work there too.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Thomason and Janice Lynn of Hereford visited in the Earl Thomason and Pete Hext homes Sunday.

The Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Clara Morgan Monday. Roll call was answered with "My plans for achievement day". Mrs. Morgan gave a demonstration on joining waists and skirts with tape. During the evening six shirts were finished for Mrs. Morgan's daughters.

Ann Putman attended the Fair at Lubbock Monday along with the H. E. Class and Walter Shanley attended with the group of F. F. A. boys.

Mrs. Ben Schussler is in Junction at the bedside of her father who is seriously ill.

Tommy Melver of Lubbock was here Friday visiting in the community. He is a former resident of Highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Morgan and family went to Crosbyton Friday night to see the football game.

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**HD Council Meets**

The Dickens County Home Demonstration Council met in regular session September 23 at 2:30 in the council room at Dickens. Eighteen members and two visitors were present.

The yearbook committee chairman, Mrs. Floyd Barnett, reported that the yearbook was in the typing process and would be ready to go to the printer as soon as the clubs elected officers for the coming year. The food and clothing programs were outlined by the chairman for the 1934 year.

The clubs represented were Espuela, Dry Lake, East Spur, Dickens, Croton, Wichita, Soldier Mound, Gilpin and Steel Hill.

The officers present were Mrs. Dee McArthur, Norman

**Wilson, Floyd Barnett, Thurman Morrow, Arner Watson, Billy Dan Bingham and Jess Powell.**

The home demonstration clubs will have their annual dress review the second and third week in November. Dates and times and clubs will be announced.

The Dry Lake Home Demonstration Club received the plants of progress for the closing month of September. The basis for the section each month is number of members answering roll call, number of officers present, and outstanding work in the community.

**Miss Flora Foreman Speaks to Methodists**

The Leota Ensey Circle was hostess for the general meeting of the W. S. C. S. in the basement of the Methodist Church, Monday, September 25. The society met at 11 a. m.

The president, Mrs. W. F. Gilbert presided at the business session. Luncheon was served at 12:30 to 28 members and guests.

The afternoon session was led by Mrs. Jack Rector. After the devotional an illustrated lecture on the Belgian Congo was given by Miss Flora Foreman of Amarillo who served 31 years as missionary in that field. Miss Foreman is the cousin of the late W. F. Foreman.

The following ladies were present: Mmes. P. E. Gollihar, J. A. Koon, Thomas Johnston, Paul Marion, Bill Gregory, O. T. Swenson, Jess Powell, S. H. Nalley, Lonnie Lewis, J. W. Carlisle, Jack Rector, C. F. Cook, Lela Evans, C. H. McCulley, W. F. Foreman, W. S. Campbell, W. D. Blair, W. F. Shugart, J. R. Laine, W. F. Gilbert, J. C. Payne, George S. Link, Cal C. Wright, Nottall, Miss Etha Fite and guests, Mrs. J. C. McNeill and Misses Flora and Grace Foreman.

**Gamma Eta Chapter Meets in Paducah**

Holiday Highlights brought impromptu descriptive reviews from four members of Gamma Eta chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma when Miss Delia Cowan, president, was hostess in Paducah, Saturday.

Mrs. Suttle Majors, Paducah, told of her impressions of Red Rock mansion near Carbonate and points in Colorado; Mrs. S. M. Jolly, Paducah, reviewed a summer trip with her husband into the southeastern states; Miss Margaret Elliot, Spur, shared New York City visits-including a trip to the UN; and Mrs. Vivian K. Mullings, Rails, described classical Athens, Georgia, and enbairns to members of the chapter.

The musical portion of the program was a duet, the Delta Kappa Gamma Song, sung by Mrs. John H. Davis and Mrs. Laurel West, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Clifford Graves, music chairman, all honorary members from Paducah.

Gold carnations in a red bowl centered the serving table to carry out the society colors. The motif was "Back to School." The afternoon's program read: matriculation, the teacher talks, exercises and recess with refreshments.

The business session was conducted by the president. The group discussed plans to attend the regional meeting in Lubbock, October 17.

Members attending were as follows: Mrs. E. B. Blumberg and Miss Margaret Elliot, Spur; Mrs. Deva King, Roring Springs; Mrs. Vivian K. Mullings, Rails; and Mrs. W. C. Stubbs, Mrs. Jessie Thomas, Miss Katherine Simmons, Miss Cowans, Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Graves and Mrs. West, Paducah.

**Missionary Speaks To Wesleyan Guild**

The Wesleyan Service Guild met September 28 in the church basement with a covered dish supper. Mrs. Lane Bachman and Mrs. Wilburn Ball acted as hostesses.

Mrs. J. D. McCain introduced the guest speaker, Miss Flora Foreman, who has been a missionary nurse in the Belgium Congo for 31 years.

She talked on her many experiences and also gave picture slides of different points of interest.

Those present were Mmes. Vivian Gibson, Loyd Roberson, O. D. Thompson, Andy Hurst, Marion Hurst, Aedy Hurst, Pat Soloday, Weldon Grimes, C. O. Fox, Lavis Lee, Nina King, C. D. Foreman, Cal Wright, J. H. Henry, McCain, R. L. Walker, Van North, and Miss Willie Hampton.

Visitors were Mmes. John King, Joe Bell, Alvin Jones, Muri Foreman, W. M. Calvert and Mia Kathy Hurst, all of Spur, and Mrs. M. S. Sandell and Mrs. Frank Ewell of Jayton.

**W. D. YEARBOOK COMMITTEE MEETS**

The County Home Demonstration Club yearbook committee met Monday, Sept. 21 at 10:00 in the council room in Dickens.

Those present for this meeting were Mmes. Floyd Barnett, Billy Dan Bingham, Dee McArthur, Jess Powell, Norman Wilson and the county agent, Mrs. Joe Jeffers.

**Girard News**

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brooks from Slaton are visiting his parents this week.

Gloria Ruth Dickerson has recovered from a recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Spradling from Gravit, Ark. visited relatives here over the week end. Mrs. Spradling returned home with them.

Mrs. George Darden has been in Abilene this week with her father who was operated on.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Turner and Letha Beth made a trip to Fort Riley, Kansas and Pvt. Leo Turner returned here with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cox made a trip to East Texas to attend the funeral of a sister-in-law.

The community meeting was enjoyed on the lawn of the Girard School. A large crowd attended.

The next meeting will be on October 27 at 8 p. m.

Monday night the Mothers' Choir was led by Mrs. M. A. Darden. Every lady interested in joining, please be at the next meeting, Monday night, Oct. 3 at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey of Guthrie are the proud parents of a girl.

Mrs. Maggie Brooks has been visiting in Lubbock.

M. M. Young has been sick.

Mr. and Mrs. George Taylor made a business trip to Lubbock Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Logan Williams have their daughter visiting them.

T. W. Bailey from Arkansas is the new minister of the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Darden and Chole from Clarendon were visitors here Sunday.

Mrs. Nora Murphy from Paducah visited Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Bailey Sunday.

Mrs. Loyd Rudder returned

**WMS Officers Are Installed Monday**

The officers for the coming year in W. M. S. of the First Baptist Church were installed at the Monday meeting. Mrs. T. B. Allen acted as installing officer for the installation which followed a music theme.

The following ladies accepted their places of responsibility during the service: President, Mrs. Grady Lackey; First Vice-President, Mrs. Jesse Morrison; Sec'd Vice-President, Mrs. C. P. Scudder; Secretary, Mrs. Myrtle Whitwell; Stewardship Chairman, Mrs. George Stanford; Mission Chairman, Mrs. Fike Godfrey; Community Mission Chairman, Mrs. Bertie James; Young People's Chairman, Mrs. O. R. Cloude; Treasurer, Mrs. Floyd Hall; Social Chairman, Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody.

Following the service, Mrs. Scudder, outgoing president, was presented with the W. M. S. pin, and then refreshments were served to the approximately 30 members present.

**W. D. WOMEN ATTEND DRESS FINISHING SCHOOL**

The finishes that makes a dress constructed at home look more professional were demonstrated by Mrs. Louise Jeffers in two training schools in the county recently. Seventeen women attended these schools, representing nine of the ten clubs in the county.

The following women attended the Dickens school: Mmes. A. J. Richey, John Sharp, Margaret Smith, Harry Martin, Latham; those attending the school at the Legion Hut were Mmes. Donnie Pace, H. V. Thomas, Roy Nance, C. E. Morgan, Earl Thomason, Lane Bachman, Archer Powell, E. J. Lassetter and Elmer Dee Hagins.

**JIMMY MORRISON IS HONOURED ON BIRTHDAY**

Jimmy Morrison, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Morrison, was honored on his sixth birthday with a party at the kindergarden on Friday, September 11.

Cake and ice cream were served to the kindergarden students and also Neida Ball and Sherree Langham.

**PAST MATRONS CLUB IS HONOURED WITH BREAKFAST**

Mrs. Georgie Barrett and Mrs. Kate Senning were very gracious hostesses to a breakfast Tuesday morning honoring the Past Matrons Club.

A delicious breakfast was served to Margaret Gabriel, Helen Chandler, Nell Davis, Lura Duncan, Georgia Mae McAtter, Willie Link, Fannie McNeill, Sawstha Smith and the hostesses, Barrett and Senning.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We wish to take this means to try and express our thanks and appreciation to our many friends and neighbors who were so kind and thoughtful during the passing of our loved one. Your acts of kindness and words of sympathy mean more than words can tell. We especially want to thank Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chandler. May God's richest blessings rest on each and everyone of you.

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APPLE (White Swan) <b>Butter qt.</b>	<b>25c</b>
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**FOR SALE:** 1946 model 6 foot Baldwin Combine with motor. \$150. See W. L. Brendle. Croton Community. 48-21p  
**FOR SALE:** 3 room house to be moved. Kate Grogan, 523 North Carroll. Spur. 47-31p  
**FOR SALE:** New and used Allis Chalmers All Crop Combines. Garner's. Spur, Texas. 46-ctfn

**FOR SALE:** Good used McCormick power-take-off binder, rubber tires. \$285. Edwards-Kelley Imp. Co. 49-11c  
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**Hospital News Notes**

**SPUR MEMORIAL HOSPITAL**  
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 Toni Baird  
 Mrs. Byron Brown  
 Mrs. Lewis Rainbolt  
 Mrs. Leonard Brown  
 Mrs. Mickey Blackwell  
 Patients Discharged:  
 Toni Baird  
 Mrs. Byron Brown  
 Mrs. Lewis Rainbolt  
 Mrs. Leonard Brown  
**New Arrivals**  
 Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brown are the parents of a baby girl, named Deborah Reine.  
 The little son born to Mr. and Mrs. Byron Brown this week was named Hank William.  
 Patricia Gayle Rainbolt is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rainbolt.  
 A son, Ice Brett, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Blackwell Tuesday night.

**"Take the High Ground" Due Here**

Five mile north of El Paso, Texas, a platoon of khaki-clad figures recently underwent one of the most unusual and strenuous courses in Infantry Basic Training ever witnessed at the century-old Army post, Fort Bliss.  
 The rookies, eating dust and battling sand storms, had one consolation: the training center's normal sixteen-week course was compressed into four weeks for the M-G-M movie, "Take the High Grounds!" showing at the Palace Theatre, Sunday and Monday.  
 The transformation of John Deane into G. I. Joe a miracle of modern training methods founded on the experiences of two World Wars, was the background for Dore Schary's new project, with emphasis on the irresponsible humor known wherever the American footsoldier has stogged.

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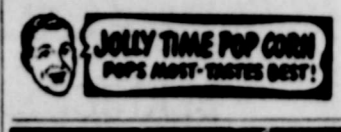
(These two items were overlooked when last week's news was compiled.)  
 Mrs. J. B. Scott of Dickens was in last week for X-ray examination.  
 Mrs. Harry Patton was a medical patient in the hospital last week but was able to return to her home the last of the week.

**Almost 100 per cent of the cast and crew of "Take the High Grounds!" served during World War II in the Army Navy, Marines, Air Force or Seabees. The company listed among other decorations four Bright Stars, eight Purple Hearts and 49 Battle Stars, leading to the title supporting M-G-M might temporarily change its famous initials to M-G-I.**

Heading the cast are Richard Widmark and Karl Malden, portraying veteran sergeants assigned to train inductees. Widmark symbolizes the military martinet with unswerving adherence to spit-and-polish regulations; Malden, in a more sympathetic role, tempers the wind to the shorn civilians. The two clash on the drill field and in their romantic entanglement with a young war widow, a role which spotlights a comparative newcomer, Elaine Stewart.  
 Berry Hart of Van Horn was in Spur this week tending to business.

**Mrs. M. E. Tree killed a five and one half foot rattlesnake in her yard this week.**

**CARD OF THANKS**  
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**CALF RIB CHOPS** U. S. top gov't grade of calf 1b. 45¢  
**SMOKED PICNICS** Sold whole only at this price 1b. 39¢  
**PORK SAUSAGE** Winegate Pure pork 1 lb. Roll 49¢  
**PORK CHOPS** Lean, meaty all center cuts 1b. 79¢

**More Fresh, Fresh Meats**  
 Ground Fresh Daily  
 Ground Beef 1b. 35¢  
 U. S. Choice Heavy Grade Beef  
 Chuck Roast 1b. 49¢  
 U. S. Heavy Grade Beef  
 Round Steak 1b. 93¢  
 U. S. top quality grade of calf  
 Sirloin Steak 1b. 59¢  
 Fine for seasoning  
 Dry Salt Bacon 1b. 49¢  
 Capitol sugar cured  
 Sliced Bacon 1b. 75¢  
 Loin end hip bone removed  
 Pork Roast 1b. 63¢

**Large Tokay Grapes** California Red, meaty 1b. **10c**  
**PORTO RICO YAMS** East Texas New Crop 2 lbs. 15¢  
**GREEN CABBAGE** Colorado Solid heads 1b. 5¢  
**CRANBERRIES** Early black 1b. 29¢  
**RED POTATOES** Economy Pack 10 lb. bag 43¢  
**YELLOW ONIONS** Mild, Sweet 1b. 5¢

**Bakery Fresh Bread and Rich Dairy Products**  
 Cracked wheat 16 oz. loaf  
 Skylark Bread 15¢  
 Multigrain 16 oz. loaf  
 Skylark Bread 20¢  
 Cloverleaf 12 ct. brown N serve 12 ct. Skylark rolls 22¢  
 Crusty Coffee Cake 20¢  
 Lucerne Homo. or pasturized qt. ctn. Sweet Milk 24¢  
 Lucerne homogenized 1/2 gal. ctn. Sweet Milk 47¢  
 Lucerne Half & Half 28¢  
 Blossomtime reg or farm 12 oz. ctn. Cottage Cheese 21¢  
 Lucerne Whipping Cream 1/2 pt. ctn. 31¢  
 Junket type 1/4 pt. ctn. Yogurt Lucerne 21¢

**California Red, meaty 1b. 10c**  
**More Fresh Fall Produce**  
 California 5 lb. bag Sunlist Oranges 49¢  
 Jonathan Apples 1b. 19¢  
 California Bartlett Pears 1b. 19¢  
 Kentucky Wonders Green Beans 1b. 15¢  
 Fresh Yellow well filled ears Golden Corn 1b. 15¢  
 Firm pink Fres hTomatoes ctn. 19¢  
 Colorado Snow White Cauliflower 1b. 15¢  
 We reserve the right to limit quantities and refuse sale to dealers.

**OCTOBER CANDY CARNIVAL**  
 Featuring Famous Roxburg Candies  
 Roxburg Orange Slices 1 lb. 25¢  
 Speed Roxburg Jelly Drops 8 oz. 19¢  
 Roxburg Candy 11 oz. pkg. Cream DeMenthe 19¢  
 Roxburg 8 oz. pkg. Lemon Drops 19¢  
 11 oz. pkg. Peppermint Chews 29¢  
 Roxburg 12 oz. pkg. Swedis hMints 29¢  
 Kraft 10 oz. pkg. Fudgies Candy 31¢  
 7 oz. pkg. Hershey Kisses 27¢

**STAINLESS STEEL SANDWICH SPREADER**  
 only 29¢ with tasty Lunch Box SANDWICH SPREAD **36¢**

Prices effective...  
 Thursday, Friday and Saturday  
**WEEK DAYS**  
 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.  
**SATURDAY**  
 8 a. m. to 8 p. m.

