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Whoa, Now!

By Geary Lacey

Review your case on freedom at the bargain rate of only a dime, six days before quitting time Saturday.

Now can we fail to exercise one of our most cherished rights when such a paucity amount of money is involved?

If you don't like the way things are being run, your best recourse is at the polls. If you think things are going along pretty good, your most effective vote is in a vote at the polls. If you're indifferent and just don't care what happens to our government from city level through national, well, then possibly we'll excuse you from paying a poll tax.

But if that's your attitude, stick with it and don't start howling when you finally decide you do care.

FYI, poll taxes may be paid here in Spur Friday and Saturday, Jan. 29, 30. It is not necessary to pay your land tax before you can pay your poll tax, according to information released by the sheriff's office this week.

Spur veterans are getting an extra dose of attention from their leaders this week, with the American Legion State Commander and the VFW Department Commander both paying a visit here.

State Legion Commander L. E. Page was here to make an impromptu address to the Legionnaires and Lions Tuesday. VFW Dept. Commander McGraw will drop by for coffee and cake this afternoon.

We nearly had to have a funeral around our house this week when our "expecting" guppy was found on the floor near her aquarium, dead. It was surprising to us how a little tropical fish could become so important a member of the family. Jimmy Jones was sympathetic and replaced her in the aquarium but still — well, things just aren't the same.

Spring is still a few weeks off, but the "springy" days this week have started plans for a bunch of baby chicks, a new puppy, and we wonder just how the new station wagon is going to be on fishing trips.

All we could get out of the potential political candidates this week was a lot of mights and maybes and later's. We still can find no indication of opponents for Sheriff Rogers or Judge Hindman, but it looks like we'll have some commissioner races at least in the 1st and 4th precinct.

Honor Roll Named At Spur High School

The following mid semester honor roll was announced this week for Spur high school by Weldon Skinner, principal:

A—Janie Alexander, Carolyn Kelley.

B—Curtis Blair, Wanda Cunningham, Lois Dunwoody, Betty Dyess, Ralph Gibson, Wyatt Mayo, Don McGinty, Erma Powell, Bregatta Sen, Barbara Simmons and Frances Wilson.

Juniors

A—Billie Sue Gregory, Kathleen Kelley.

B—Jane Ann Albin, Helen Dean Bigham, Marlene Driggers, Merla Foreman, Carol Gordon, Lora Goss, Wynelle Higgins, Virginia Hord, Dorothy Powell, Dean Reagan, Geneyce Taylor, Mary Francis Turberville, Sandra Watson, Gail Williams, and Fred Young.

Sophomores

A—Nae L. Alexander, Mary Gatlin.

B—Yvonne Adams, Lynda Arthur, Gail Burbee, Marion Carlisle, Ophelia Cherry, Jeanette Eubanks, Betty Grogan, Simpson, Donald Snodgrass, Jerry Whitmore and Alton Williams.

Freshmen

A—Carol Jo Blair, Lois Ann Callan, Eddie Don Hagins, Jerry Waddell.

B—Paul Bailey, Robert Beeson, Opal Jean Foster, James Gordon, Lanele Marcy, Ruth Ann McAttee, Bush McGinty, Kathleen Rector and Nell Smith.

Chamber of Commerce Doings . . . Merchants Committee Planning Program For Annual Banquet Here March 16

By Norton Barrett, Mgr. A lot of planning has been going on for the annual Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held March 16. It has been suggested that we use local talent for our program. We think this would be a good idea as we have plenty of talent in Spur.

The merchants committee will be in charge of the program. If anyone has any suggestions, contact Mrs. Bill Powell who is chairman of the committee, or any of the committeemen. These are Claude Barclay, Everett McArthur, Richard Ensey, Mrs. Van North, Max Eckels, Elmer Adams, and Pete Kizer.

It is not long until the outstanding citizen will be picked. If you have someone in mind who would be a good selection for this award, please contact us by letter, phone or in person and give the reasons for your choice.

We have asked a lot of things, but this is one that is very important to the chamber and to the town. Please don't let us down on this. One man said that this would be one way to find out how many people are reading the Chamber of Commerce Doings each week.

The Spur High School Extension Association has just mailed letters to all exes on their mailing list telling them the date for the 1954 Homecoming. They also enclosed a letter that the board of directors had received from Loren (Jiggs) Maples telling them how he felt about the association.

V. F. W. Official To Visit Here Today

Department Commander Justin M. Morrow, of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, will make a coffee stop in Spur this afternoon at 2:30 p. m.

Local Post Commander E. B. Blossmer states that the local VFW post will serve coffee and cake to Morrow and his party at the Hill Top cafe. All holders of 1954 membership cards are invited to be present.

Morrow, a cotton farmer from Rotan, will go from here to Post where he will attend the regular meeting of the Post VFW post. He is making personal calls on every post in all 25 districts of Texas.

A delegation from the Spur post is planning to accompany Morrow to the Post meeting.

LIONS, LEGIONAIRES HEAR STATE COMMANDER TUES.

American Legion State Commander L. E. Page and District Commander Hilton Lambert visited the Spur Lions Club and the Spur Legion post at a joint meeting of the two organizations Tuesday noon.

Commander Page made a talk on the parallel of the two civic groups and on Americanism and the Legion's part in it. Guy Karr was program chairman for the day and introduced local Commander Everett Martin who introduced the other two guests.

Junior High Honor Roll Is Announced

The following Junior High students made the honor roll for the six-weeks period which has just been completed:

"A" Judy Bragg and Leslie Albin.

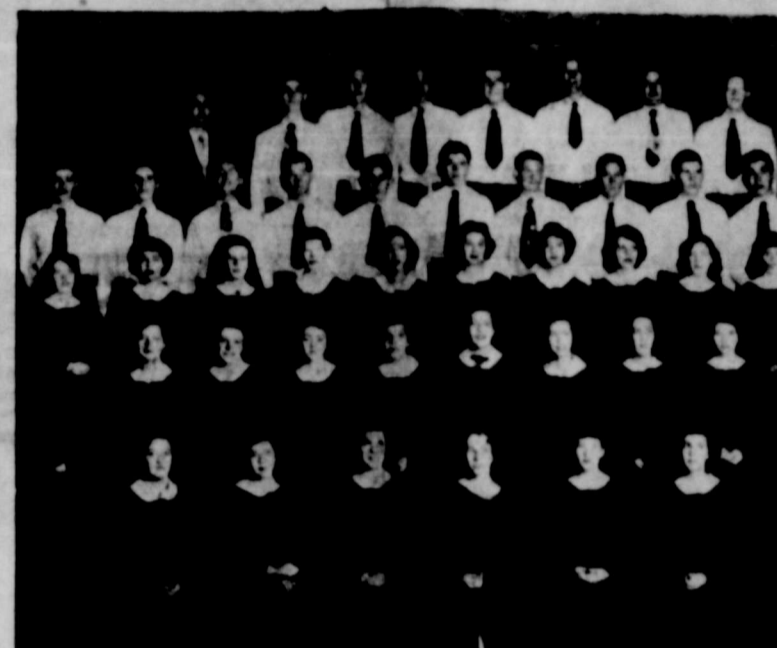
"B" Don Kidd, Charlotte Ramsey, Ernest Wilson, Melvita Floyd, Paula Foreman, Sharon Gregory, Norman Horton, Tim Hurst, Rozelle Marcy, Hazel Pippins, Wayne Roberts, Robert Rex Robinson, Rita Williams, Gary Whitmore, John Foreman, David Morgan, Mark Parson, Armon Fitzgerald, Nancy Powell, Sue Bigham, Ronnie King, Jerry Butler, Elvora King, Nelda Morgan and Mike Hairgrove.

SPURITE FINED IN COUNTY COURT ON DWI CHARGE

Homer Eubanks of Spur pled guilty to driving while intoxicated charges before Judge W. H. Hindman in Dickens County court Monday, Jan. 25.

He was fined \$200 plus costs.

SPUR HIGH SCHOOL CHOIR



One of the newest and most talked about organization in Spur is the Spur High School Choir, pictured above. This group, under the direction of Mr. Cecil Green, is composed of 54 members. Although it was organized only two weeks before Christmas, the choir has presented one concert at the high school to which the junior high and the public were invited.

Baxter Greer To Move February 1

The final services of Dr. Baxter D. D. Greer, as supply minister of the First Presbyterian Church will be conducted Sunday, January 31. The sermon subject at 11 a. m. will be "Burdens And What To Do With Them". The topic at 7 p. m. will be "An Unfailing Gospel In A Needy World". Mrs. Greer is pianist.

WALTER GRUBEN REVIEWS 'ROTARIAN' FOR CLUB

The noon meeting of the Rotary Club was opened Thursday with the invocation by Joe Long, Guy Dickson was chairman and after the introduction of visitors, he introduced the speaker, Walter Gruben. Mr. Gruben gave a summary of several stories in the "Rotarian" and encouraged each one to read their club magazine.

WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD SPONSORS BOOK REVIEW

The Wesleyan Service Guild sponsored a book review Monday night, January 25, at the Methodist Church. Rev. Carl Hudson was the reviewer and the title of the book was "The Kingdom of God".

MASONIC LODGE TO HAVE REGULAR MEETING FEB. 11

The Masonic Lodge will have a regular meeting Tuesday, February 11, and this will also be the annual oyster supper. The M. M. Degree will be presented. All members of this lodge are urged to be present.

STARCHERS MOVE OFFICE TO 320 N. BURLINGTON

This week Nona and Bill Starcher completed the moving of their office from 425 North Burlington to 320 North Burlington, where the Spur Cafe had been located. The office interior has been painted and new office equipment has been purchased to make the office new and modern.

SHERIFF'S POSSE POLO PLAYERS—Pictured above are seven of the riders of the Dickens County Sheriff's Posse's Palmetto Polo team.



Left to right are Everett McArthur, Bush Ballard, Martin Turberville, Buck Thompson, Gray Walker, Pete Gannon and Charles Beest.

HILLEY RESIGNS AS MANAGER OF DICKENS COUNTY ELEC. CO-OP

W. M. Hilley resigned as manager of Dickens County Electric Cooperative on Friday, Jan. 15. The resignation was regretfully accepted at a meeting of the board of directors on Wednesday, Jan. 20.

Joe Rose, president of the board of directors, states that Hilley resigned because of his health. He adds that Hilley had served the co-op faithfully and efficiently since taking the manager's job in 1951. "It is with deep regret that we accept his resignation," stated Rose.

Hilley had been employed by the co-op since 1946 and was promoted to manager upon the death of Bynum Britton in 1951. He was released from his duties upon the acceptance of his resignation last Wednesday.

A representative of the REA met with the board of directors here last Friday, upon the request of Rose to start procedures to hire a new manager. Applications are now being accepted at the co-op office and the new manager will possibly be named the latter part of February, according to L. D. Ratliff, co-op attorney.

Olney Walker, present office employee at the co-op has been appointed as the one in charge of the operations of the business until a manager can be hired.

Undeclared Girls To Meet Abernathy In Crucial Game Fri.

The two 5-AA undeclared girls' basketball teams will vie for the district lead here tomorrow night when the Spur girls will host Abernathy.

Both teams will go into the game with five district wins and no losses. The game will end the first round of play.

Last Friday night the girls took an easy 55-37 win from Slaton. Frances Wilson accounted for 24 points, Betty Dyess made 21 and Nan L. Alexander hit 10. Miss Allred was high for Slaton with 18.

Over at Tahoka Tuesday night Spur's staunch guards put on one of their usual performances, holding the hapless Tahoka girls to only three field goals until the game was well into the last quarter. There the second team took over to carry Spur to a 35-20 win. The starting guards are Barbara Simmons, Wanda Cunningham and Geneyce Taylor.

Betty Dyess took scoring honors in this game with 15 points. Frances scored 12, Dorothy Powell 2, Jane Simpson 1, and Nan L. S. Miss Smith was high for the losers with 10.

The girls will go into the second round of the district play at Post next Tuesday night.

Boys Drop Games To Slaton, Tahoka

Slaton and Tahoka turned the Spur Bulldogs back in district 5-AA basketball games Friday and Tuesday leaving the same cipher in Spur's win column in district competition.

The Bulldogs will wind up the first round of district play in the local gym Friday night against Abernathy. The second round will open against Post next Tuesday.

Slaton took Spur for 57-41 with T. Shears hitting 19. Brothers D. and F. Wiley scored 14 each for the Slatonites.

For Spur Skip Wyatt scored 13 and Curtis Blair hit 10. Tahoka beat Spur 36-29 at Tahoka Tuesday night. Fitts was high scorer with 12. Wyatt made 12 and Blair made 10 for Spur.

RAIN CHARTS AVAILABLE AT EDWARDS-KELLEY

Rain charts, recording the monthly rainfall in this area for the past 43 years, are now available at Edwards-Kelley Implement, according to O. L. Kelley.

"These charts have just been printed and are here for anyone who might want one," states Kelley.

TWO GIRARD SEVENTH GRADERS HAVE AVERAGE

Two members of the seventh grade of Girard have made all A's this semester which was just finished. They are Bernice Fincher and Wanda Smith.

Nora Lea Long and Sally Carter have made the B honor roll all this semester. They are also seventh grade students.

Tommy Aldredge, who is stationed at Laredo Air Force Base, was home last week end, attending the funeral of his grandmother.

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Saturday Is Deadline For Paying Poll Tax

Saturday, Jan. 30, is the last day to pay 1954 poll taxes. Sheriff Cleo Roger's office reports that around 900 taxes have already been paid and that a steady flow of voters is expected between now and Saturday night.

It has been pointed out by the sheriff's office that it is not required that a person pay his land tax before he can pay his poll tax.

A representative of the tax collector's office will be in the justice of the peace office here in Spur all day Friday and Saturday, Jan. 29 and 30, to write poll taxes.

Community Leaders Attend Conference

Over 160 community leaders from West Texas and Eastern New Mexico met at Texas Tech Thursday and Friday to discuss problems of community development. Spur was represented by Mr. Guy Karr; Mmes. Clark Forbes, Nell Davis and Malcolm Brannen, who participated in one of nine discussion groups Friday morning. The sessions were concerned with community interests. The leaders of the nine sessions were delegates to the Community Leadership Institute at Ontario, Canada last summer.

Friday afternoon Dr. E. N. Jones, Tech president, briefly addressed the group. Mr. Carl Bailey, director of Adult Education in Lubbock, led a demonstration of a "Great Books" discussion.

The conference ended with a talk "Keynote for Tomorrow" by Dr. Paul Sheats, President of Adult Education Association of the United States of America.

Mrs. W. R. Weaver attended the Friday afternoon session.

Services Are Held For Mrs. Alexander

Funeral services for Ethel Lee Alexander were conducted Monday, January 25, at the Assembly of God Church in Spur. Bro. Vernon Hagar and Bro. J. F. Eads of Stephenville, officiated.

Mrs. Alexander was born April 30, 1893 at Corynell County, Texas. She died January 23, 1954. She was married to Cecil Alexander on September 16, 1919 and they had lived in Dickens County 23 years. She was converted in 1920 and had been a member of the Assembly of God Church since then.

She leaves to survive her husband, two sons, Flavious of Spur and Lonnie of California; one daughter, Virgie Franklin of California; her mother, Janie Fussell of Rising Star, Texas; one sister, Mary Crisp of Rising Star; three brothers, Ross Fussell of Rising Star, Earl of Taft, and Edgar of Midland; and four grandchildren.

Interment was in the Spur Cemetery under the direction of Chandler Funeral Home.

Palbearers were Frank Hale, H. A. Marcy, Raymond Correll, Russell Williams, S. C. Reynolds and Lloyd Hindman.

Visiting in the A. C. George home over the week end was their son, Bobby Rex, and a friend, Leighton Railback of Levelland. Both boys are students at Howard Payne in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fox from Waco visited friends and relatives in Spur last week end.

Norman Morgan of Morgan Studio in Dallas this week attended to business.

EXCHANGE CLUB HAS REGULAR MEETING WED.

The Exchange Club was entertained in the home of Mrs. C. V. Allen Wednesday after-

noon, January 20, at 3 p. m.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mmes. L. R. Barrett, Arner Watson, Otis Cash, C. O. Fox, Jr., G. W. Justice, Claude Neaves, Jess Powell, Ebb Smith, Lane Bach-

man, Wallace Hinson, Loyd Roberson, Buck Carlisle, Walter Carlisle, A. C. Sharp, Dale Hagins and the hostess Mrs. Allen. The meeting adjourned to meet in the home of Mrs. Barrett February 3.

Soldier Mound Club Meets In Bostic Home

The Soldier Mound Home Demonstration club met Thursday January 21, in the home of Mrs. R. G. Bostic.

For recreation the hostess had prepared a quiz, and presented a prize to the winner, Mrs. Condron.

A program on Parliamentary Drill was given by the club secretary, Mrs. Martin.

The next meeting will be February 4 in the home of Mrs. Dee McArthur. The agent will give a demonstration on meats.

Mrs. Wylie Speaks To 1931 Study Club

The 1931 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Fike Godfrey, Tuesday, January 12. Mrs. Floyd Hall was co-hostess.

After a short business session, Mrs. Marion Heald introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. Virginia Wylie of Matador. Mrs. Wylie gave a most interesting and entertaining talk on her recent trip through Europe and the middle East.

MRS. ARTHUR IS HOSTESS FOR DICKENS HD CLUB

The Dickens Demonstration Club met January 15 in the home of Mrs. E. V. Arthur.

The roll call was answered by each member on "Ways I have Retyled."

Mrs. Arthur took charge of the program and made it very interesting.

First gas mantles were made of platinum.

Mrs. Lehew Hostess For Spur HD Club

"Simple Parliamentary Procedure" was the topic of discussion when the Espuela Home Demonstration Club met January 20 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Dalton Lehew.

The president presided over a brief business session, appointing the committee chairman of the club. The standing rules for the club were amended and adopted for the year.

The program on parliamentary procedure was conducted by Mrs. Don Ramsey.

After the program and game period, refreshments were served to Mmes. Frank Adams, W. E. Hall, Bob Dixon, Dalton Lehew, Harold Karr, Pearl Morgan and Don Ramsey.

LOVINGTON VOWS UNFTE LYNN WRIGHT, R. ROGGE

Marriage vows were read in Lovington, New Mexico, January 23 for Lynn Wright of Spur and Richard Rogge of Rosenberg.

The couple was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Stone and Mr. Wilbur Ray of Brownfield.

Mrs. Rogge is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Lou Wright of Spur. She graduated from Spur High School in 1951 and until recently was employed by Wells and Stooton, cotton brokers, of Lubbock.

Mr. Rogge is employed by Radio Geophysical of Brownfield, where the couple will make their home.

Methodist W. S. C. S. Has Monthly Session

The W. S. C. S. met in regular session Monday at 11 a. m. at the Methodist Church.

Mrs. W. F. Gilbert, president, presided over the business. A report from the officers was heard and Mrs. Erie Foster read a letter from Miss Mary Inez Holland, missionary in India.

Following the business meeting, lunch was served.

Mrs. Lonnie Lewis was leader for the afternoon session, and she was assisted by Mmes. S. H. Nalley, Jack Rector, J. A. Koon and M. A. Lea.

MRS. WILLIAMS PRESENTS PUPILS IN RECITAL

Mrs. Al C. Williams presented her music pupils in a recital Thursday, January 21, at the Primary Auditorium.

Those who played selections were Connie Carlisle, Elvis Ray Wright, Dwayne Harris, Charles McArthur, Phyllis Wright, Donna Kiser, Susan Hawkes, David Skinner, Don Wright, Lester Pearl Turbville, Wanda Chamberless, Elaine Singleton, Bronck Allen and Gene Harris.

Fleshy people require more sleep than do slender people.

Linda June Lackey Feted At Party

Linda June Lackey celebrated her fourth birthday with a party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lackey, 923 W. Third.

Favors of balloon, candy suckers and little toys were presented to the children.

Ice cream and birthday cake were served to Janie Kay Ensey, Betty Hinson, Bill Starcher, Cindy Walker, Steve Scudder, Tommie Joe and Betty Jean Allen, Tommy Hawkes, Janie Allison, Joe Dennis and Lynna Kay Lebew, Chris and Phil Kelley, David and Jan Godfrey, Brad Glenn, Kevin Ray and Vickie Clifton, Robert Kiser, Maxena Steele, Linda Daughtry, Neal Halahson, Linda Kay and Trey Lackey.

Mrs. Ray Rankin and Patsy are spending the week in Loveland with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Jackson. She is also caring for a new grand baby.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to say thank you in sincere appreciation for everything done during the death of our beloved father and grandfather, John Z. Smith. For the beautiful floral offering, the food, to Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chandler, and everyone who made our sorrow easier to bear, we are endeared.

May God's riches be with each of you.

The family of John Z. Smith

Guy Williams and daughter of Lubbock were here Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al C. Williams.

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Pork Center Cuts Chops lb. **59c**

All Meat Bologna **25c**

Sugar Cured (Not Sliced) Bacon lb. **55c**

Del Monte FRUIT COCKTAIL 303 can **24c**

BEANS 2 lb. pkg. **25c**

Nabisco Honey Graham CRACKERS 1 lb. box **29c**

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Kimbell's PEANUT BUTTER 20 oz. **44c**

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Mrs. Ida Craft of Edgewood is here with her daughter and family while they are confined to bed with the mumps. The Dry Lake Progress meet-

ing will be at the community center Thursday at 7 p. m. Rev. and Mrs. Charles Pickens were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dopson.

Dry Lake Community News...

Tuesday morning the people of Dry Lake helped Dick Wright haul and stack his bundles. Mrs. Coy Dopson and brother, John Johnson, drove to Floydada Tuesday to visit their sister, Mrs. Jack Lackey.

Mrs. E. J. Lasseter visited Mrs. T. N. Morgan and her mother, Mrs. Harrington Friday morning.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles Pickens and Dale and Rex visited Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wright and family Friday afternoon.

We are sorry to report that Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Coursey and son, Ray, are confined to the bed with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reast of Brownfield were week-end visitors of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Calvert.

Mrs. Velma Rogers was a visitor in the Foreman Chapel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Sandlin attended services at the Foreman Chapel Sunday.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pickens Sunday were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hickman of McAdoo and Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Caplinger of Lubbock.

Miss Joanne Wilson was a Sunday dinner guest of Miss Wanda Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Johnston of Post visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pickens Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Charles Pickens visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Caplinger Saturday afternoon.

The EEE committee met with Mrs. Billy Bigham Tuesday.

The regular monthly social will meet at the Foreman Chapel Church Friday, January 29 at 7 p. m. The committee has prepared a good program. Those on the refreshment committee are Mmes. W. M. Calvert, John Aston, Willie Allen, E. J. Lasseter, Ethel Ballard and Bob Pickens.

Mrs. Willie Allen and Miss Betty Cartwright visited Mrs. John Aston Monday afternoon.

Be sure to attend the prayer meeting at Dry Lake Baptist and Foreman Chapel Wednesday night.

Dub Karr, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Karr, is home from England where he has been serving in the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kidd received word that their son-in-law, Ruben, has been hospitalized in the El Paso Hospital where he is stationed in the Army.

Dumont News

The "4E" club met in the school auditorium Friday night. Mrs. Gabriel Neskoriko was hostess. Mrs. V. M. Hand and Mrs. W. D. Brady tied for high point.

Members attending were Mmes. and Mmes. V. M. Hand, Roy Rankin, Clyde Bolton, Paul Smith, Jordan Rogers, R. B. Cunningham, Gabe Neskoriko, Bill Brady, R. C. Smith and Don Dillard.

The next scheduled party will be January 29 with Jordan Rogers as the host.

The school Board of Trustees held a meeting last week and hired Gabe Neskoriko as bus driver and janitor.

A message was received saying that Mrs. Lona Flippins is very low and not expected to live. She is at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Henry Hext at Throckmorton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Thompson and children spent the week end in Lubbock with her father and sister.

Mr. Roy Rankin, Dale, Gerald and Sharon spent the week end in Wellington with his sister and family.

Mr. Tommie Windhave of Oplin attended to business here on Saturday. He was a guest of the V. M. Hands for supper.

Earl Dozier and sons from Rotan were looking after business here Sunday.

A dance to benefit the March of Dimes will be held January 29.

Dr. W. F. Patrick Dr. J. W. Kimble

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Highway Community News . . .

Our community goal has been accomplished. Saturday a large group met at the church and cleaned the yard and then the hole was dug for the butane tank which was recently bought. The church building was also cleaned and the floors stained. One classroom was painted.

A very good dinner was served at noon.

Late in the afternoon, Mr. Buzbee installed a new stove that the church had purchased. The church is planning to lay a rubber mat down the aisle and paint the interior soon.

Those helping with the work

were Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Pace, Mrs. Cecil Estep, Mrs. Clarke Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Stanley, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stanley, Mrs. Earl Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Kelley Putman, Walter, Bobbie, Weldon and Johnny Stanley, David, Sharon and Shirley Morgan, Ann and Lois Putman, Linda and Jerry Thomason, David, Don and Jerry Estep.

The Highway Home Demonstration club met in the home of Mrs. Jimmie Hahn Monday evening. The chairman, Mrs. Pace, presided at the meeting.

A game prepared by the hostess was played for opening exercises conducted by Mrs. B. K. Putman.

Mrs. Forrest Martin presented the lesson on parliamentary procedure.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. M. E. Tree, Martin, Pace, George, Earl Thomason, Kelley Putman, and Waeda and Marvin Thomason and the hostess, Mrs. Hahn.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomp-

Girl Scouts

Thanks to Mrs. W. B. Lee for the bulbs, plants and good wishes she sent to the girls of Troop VII last week. Members of the troop hope many bouquets will grow from this beginning.

TROOP X
The Brownies who are trying to become Troop V met on Wednesday, January 20 and heard the Brownie Story, studied the Brownie promises and learned some new games and songs. They know the salute and made plans for Brownie secrets. By another week they will know whether or not they will be real Brownies.

TROOP XI
The members of Troop XI met on Wednesday, January 20, and completed organization plans. Susan Hawkes was elected reporter. Carmen Slarner and Priscilla Wood were selected to collect material for the Troop scrap book. Brownie Scouts were filling the air around these girls. They hope to be real Brownies soon.

TROOP VI
The girls of Troop VI are back on regular schedule and met at the Girl Scout Little House on Wednesday, January 20. They have begun a badge on community assistance and traffic regulations. They are expecting to earn several badges before the

week Monday.

Harvey Cannon, Nelda Hahn and Ann Putman were dinner guests Sunday at the Earl Thomason home.

Cecil Estep and Earl Thomason returned to Hereford Sunday evening to continue working there.

Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hahn, Nelda and Linda Thomason.

Mr. and Mrs. Silm Metteer, Grandmother Fry and Mr. and Mrs. Tom McArthur of Spur attended church at the Church of Christ Sunday morning.

Friday, January 23, is the day set to clean the community building and hang the new drapes. Every woman is invited to come right after dinner to help.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Smith, Carey and Rayann of Hereford spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith.

time for a visit from a national representative in March.

TROOP VIII
The Scouts of Troop VIII met on January 25 and were called to order by the president, Linda Beth Morrison. All members were present except Sue King. A new secret was selected and painting on the figurines was finished. The varnishing for this project will be ready for next week.

TROOP VII
The Scouts of Troop VII elected new officers at their regular meeting on Thursday, January 21. They are: President, Everetta McArthur; Vice-president, Dale Buzbee; Secretary-Treasurer, Anna Bob Williams; Reporter, Linda Waggoner; and Parliamentarian, Ann Godfrey.

New plans were made for second class badge work.

Mrs. W. B. Lee gave bulbs and other material to the troop for experimentation. A plant project in agriculture was discussed.

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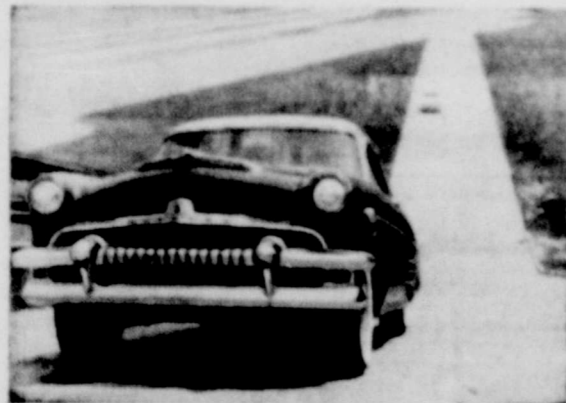
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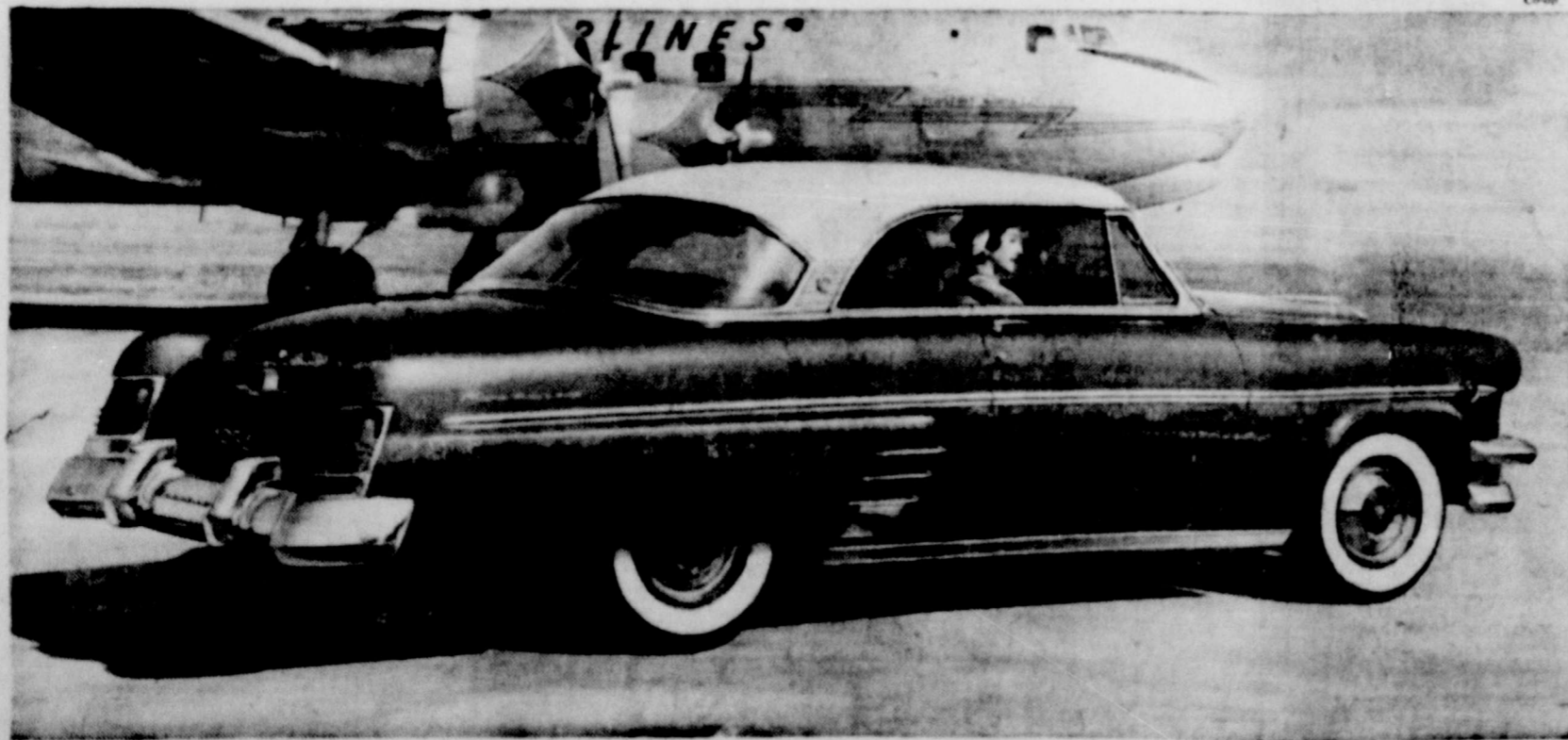
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
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 TO: Pedro Torres, Defendant,
 Greeting:
 You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Dickens County at the Courthouse thereof, in Dickens, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. on the first Monday after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 1st day of March

A. D. 1954, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 14th day of January A. D. 1954, in this cause numbered 2282 on the docket of said court and styled Elizabeth Lopez Torres, Plaintiff, vs. Pedro Torres, Defendant.
 A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Such suit is for divorce on the grounds of cruel treatment, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this

GUARDIANSHIP OF HURSHEL ALVIN WADE, A MINOR
 NO. 537
 IN THE COUNTY COURT OF DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS
 NOTICE

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF HURSHEL ALVIN WADE, A MINOR:

You are notified that I have on the 26th day of January, 1954, filed with the County Clerk of Dickens County, Texas, an application under oath for authority to make, enter into and execute a lease for the exploration, development, and production of oil, gas and other minerals on and under the land

hereinafter described belonging to the estate of said minor and to include in such lease provisions authorizing the lessee to pool (or unitize) the rights in oil, gas (including all liquid hydrocarbons in the gaseous phase in the reservoir) and other minerals on, in and under such land, with similar rights in other lands, and such authority to pool (or unitize) oil and gas granted by such lease to the lessee therein shall be limited to pooling (or unitization) reasonably necessary to conform to the applicable spacing rules or regulations of the Railroad Commission of Texas, or regulatory boards, State or Federal, having authority to control or regulate the spacing pattern for the drilling of wells for oil or gas or other minerals; such lease to cover the following described real estate belonging to such ward, to-wit: Being all of the Northwest Quarter (NW4th) of H & G N R R Co. Survey No. 60, Block No. 2, in Garza County, Texas, and containing 162.30 acres of land, more or less, in which said real estate said ward owns all of the surface and minerals estate except an outstanding undivided 1/3rd royalty interest; that W. H. Hindman, Judge of the County Court of Dickens County, Texas, on the 26th day of January, 1954, duly entered his order designating the 12th day of February, 1954, at 10:00 o'clock A. M., in the County Court room in the Courthouse of said county as the time and place when and where such application would be heard and that such application will be heard at such time and place.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and made due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Dickens, Texas, this the 14th day of January A. D. 1954.
 Attest: Fred Arrington,
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FINANCIAL REPORT OF DICKENS COUNTY

Report of Mrs. Ava Johnson, County Treasurer, Dickens County, Texas Of Receipts and Expenditures from Jan. 1, 1953 to Jan. 1, 1954.

Jury Fund 1st Class	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 5,532.17
Receipts Taxes	\$ 3,030.54
Disbursements	\$ 1,166.25
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 7,396.46
	\$ 8,562.71
J P Fund 2nd Class	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 1,307.48
Receipts (Fines)	\$ 4,916.05
Disbursements	\$ 5,814.97
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 408.51
	\$ 6,223.48
General Fund 3rd Class	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 12,880.95
Receipts Taxes	\$ 27,366.95
Disbursements	\$ 39,135.65
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 11,112.25
	\$ 40,247.90
County Fees Report	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 1,645.17
Receipts Fees, Fines and Transfers from other Funds	\$ 31,776.06
Disbursements	\$ 33,378.19
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 43.06
	\$ 33,421.25
Court House and Jail Fund 5th Class	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 8,166.87
Receipts Taxes	\$ 9,176.24
Disbursements	\$ 8,906.00
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 8,443.11
	\$ 17,343.11
Road and Bridge Fund 6th Class	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 29.18
Receipts	\$ 9,091.99
Disbursements	\$ 9,116.35
Balance	\$ 4.82
	\$ 9,121.17
Interest and Sinking Funds	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 73,278.20
Receipts Taxes	\$ 29,776.36
Time Deposit to Spur Security Bank	\$ 60,000.00
Disbursements	\$ 2,358.39
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 35,696.17
	\$ 103,054.56
Highway Fund 13th Class	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 488.62
Receipts Taxes	\$ 72,933.51
Disbursements	\$ 72,874.70
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 527.43
	\$ 73,402.13
Road and Bridge Fund Precinct No. 1	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 921.76
Receipts Taxes	\$ 21,425.00
Disbursements	\$ 22,146.96
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 199.80
	\$ 22,346.76
Road and Bridge Fund Precinct No. 2	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 3,654.19
Receipts Taxes	\$ 18,624.81
Disbursements	\$ 21,831.37
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 447.63
	\$ 22,279.00
Road and Bridge Fund Precinct No. 3	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 465.50
Receipts Taxes	\$ 25,715.32
Disbursements	\$ 25,680.28
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 500.60
	\$ 26,180.88
Road and Bridge Fund Precinct No. 4	
Balance January 1, 1953	\$ 3,190.95
Receipts Taxes	\$ 15,147.25
Disbursements	\$ 14,596.28
Balance January 1, 1954	\$ 3,741.92
	\$ 18,338.20
Short Time Loan to Spur Security Bank	\$ 35,750.00
Short Time Loan to Plains Machinery Company	\$ 600.00
Bonded Indebtedness of Dickens County	\$ 171,500.00

THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF DICKENS:

Before me, the undersigned authority, on this day personally appeared Mrs. Ava Johnson, County Treasurer of Dickens County, Texas who being duly sworn, and upon oath, says that the within and foregoing report is true and correct.

MRS. AVA JOHNSON
 County Treasurer, Dickens County, Texas

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STRAYED: West of Spur, red, whiteface Hereford calf. Weight about 400 pounds. Everett McArthur. 14-2tp

LOST: Red white-faced, dehorned bull. Weight 500 or 600 lbs. Ollie Hindman, Spur. 13-2tp

Political Announcements
The Texas Spur is authorized to announce the following candidates for political offices subject to the Democratic Primary July 24, 1954:

DICKENS COUNTY
For County Judge
W. H. Hindman (re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector
Cleo E. Rogers (re-election)

For County-District Clerk
Fred Arrington (re-election)

For County Treasurer
Mrs. Ava Johnson (re-election)

For County School Superintendent
Robert Williams (re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 1
Roy Ward (re-election)

110th JUDICIAL DISTRICT
For District Attorney
John Stapleton (re-election)

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE
● 163 acres good land. 140 in cultivation. Well improved. 2 modern houses. 1/2 minerals. Will sell to G.P. Price \$100 acre.

● 163 acres of good farm land. 118 in cult. 5-room house with garage and outbuildings. Plenty of water. Located on highway near Spur. 1/2 mineral rights. \$100 per acre.

● 160 acres, 120 cultivation. 5-room house with bath. One-half minerals. Price \$7500.

● 20 acres of land, the very best. Close in. Nice modern home.

● Also have 40 other farms priced from \$50 to \$150 per acre, and some nice homes for sale.

● Ten acres land just North of Spur 1/2 mile. Good location, on highway. Priced right.

● 80 acres irrigated land, 10 inch well, 4 room modern house and two room house, out buildings. One-half mineral. Price \$1600.

● For lease 660 acres, 280 in cultivation.
see
CRAFTON and LEK
Real Estate
230 Burlington Phone 15
Spur, Texas

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THEY DOUBLE-CROSSED HIM
ONCE TOO OFTEN, AND -
THAT HIGH NOON GIANT WAS MAD!

GARY COOPER
He's back in ACTION again! Slogging it out, shooting it out - and...

BLOWING WILD
CO-STARRING
BARBARA STANWYCK
RUTH ROMAN - ANTHONY QUINN

THE BLOWING WILD GARY WILL HAUNT YOU FOR DAYS!

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Preserves (Empress Red Plum)	12-Oz. Jar	15¢	White Magic Bleach	20-Oz. Jar	16¢	Raisins (Empress)	1-Lb. Pkg.	22¢
Multi-Grain Bread (Skyline)	4-Oz. Roll	20¢	Peanut Butter (Royal)	1-Lb. Jar	33¢	Prunes (Empress)	1-Lb. Pkg.	29¢
Pinto Beans (Sunny Hills)	2-Lb. Pkg.	19¢	Quality Rice (Show Boat Short grain)	2-Lb. Pkg.	19¢	Powdered Milk (Las. Mix Malt)	14-Oz. Pkg.	32¢
Margarine (Dalewood)	1-Lb. Pkg.	15¢	Flour (Harvest Blossom)	5-Lb. Pkg.	33¢	Fine Desserts (Jell. Whip Assorted Flavors)	3-Oz. Pkg.	13¢
Shortening (Royal Satin)	3-Lb. Can	69¢	Cleanser (Rik-Rak Household)	14-Oz. Can	5¢	Dog Food (Pooch)	15 1/2-Oz. Can	5¢
Preserves (Empress Strawberry)	12-Oz. Jar	19¢	Frozen Corn (Bel-air Cut, Whole kernel)	10-Oz. Pkg.	15¢	Dog Food (Nip-N-Tuck)	15 1/2-Oz. Can	10¢
Coffee (Airway, Freshly roasted)	1-Lb. Pkg.	86¢	Frozen Spinach (Bel-air, Chopped)	14-Oz. Pkg.	15¢	Corn Meal (Mammy Lou, White)	5-Lb. Bag	29¢
Coffee (Nub Hill, Brazil's Finest)	1-Lb. Pkg.	88¢	Frozen Peas (Bel-air, Sweet)	10-Oz. Pkg.	15¢	Corn Meal (Covered Wagon, White)	5-Lb. Bag	25¢
SUGAR (Imperial Pure Cane)	10 lb. Bag	89¢	Frozen Spinach (Bel-air, Leaf)	14-Oz. Pkg.	15¢	Vanilla Wafers (Jane Arden)	7-Oz. Pkg.	19¢
Salad Dressing (Duchess)	12-Oz. Jar	63¢	Green Beans (Bel-air, Cut, frozen)	10-Oz. Pkg.	15¢			
Tomato Catsup (Taste Talls)	14-Oz. Bots.	25¢	Strawberries (Scott Treat, Frozen)	10 1/2-Oz. Can	25¢			
Soda Crackers (Busy Baker, 4 cello packs)	1-Lb. Pkg.	19¢	Orange Juice (Bel-air, Frozen)	6-Oz. Can	15¢			
Flour (Kitchen Craft, Enriched)	5-Lb. Pkg.	35¢						
Pork Chops (Center cut)	lb.	79¢						
Frankfurters (Skinless)	lb.	39¢						
Whole Fryers (Ready-to-Cook)	lb.	49¢						
Pork Roast (Lean, hip bone removed)	lb.	53¢						
Smoked Picnics (Wild whole)	lb.	45¢						
Sliced Bacon (Empress Super cured)	1-Lb. Cans.	83¢						
Dry Salt Jowls (Fine for broiling)	lb.	33¢						
Sliced Bologna	lb.	39¢						
Cooked Picnics (4 1/2-lb. Avg. Corned)	lb.	\$3.49						

"This is the clock I work by."

It's a 24-hour clock - and mine is a 24-hour job!

Yes, it's a 24-hour clock - and Reddy Kilowatt is on the job every minute of those 24 hours!

From the time you get up in the morning 'til you flick off the light at night he is there to help you - with the washing, ironing, cooking, cleaning, almost every household chore! And when you go to bed at night Reddy goes steadily on - heating the water, cooling the refrigerator, ready the instant you call on him.

That is real round-the-clock service, isn't it? Yet Reddy's service cost only a few pennies a 24-hour day. What else in your family budget gives you so much for so little money?

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Look how many ways you can enjoy beef at less than 50¢ lb. at Safeway!

If you've been thinking of beef in terms of 70¢ to 80¢ or 90¢ per pound you've a delightful surprise in store. There are many delicious cuts of beef at Safeway cost less. Because demand for the fancy steaks and roasts which we cut from top government grade of beef is so great - and over-increasing - Safeway sells other cuts from the same sides of beef at prices that mean unusual value to you.

Calf Chuck Roast (U. S. Choice grade) Calf lb. 41c
Calf Plate Boil (U. S. Choice grade) Calf lb. 21c
Ground Beef (Special) (U. S. Choice grade) Safeway lb. 35c
Calf Short Ribs (U. S. Choice grade) Calf lb. 27c

Rib Roast (Standing, 7 1/2 lb. U. S. Choice grade) Heavy beef lb. 69¢
Round Steak (U. S. Choice grade) Calf lb. 73c
Sirloin Steak (U. S. Choice grade) Heavy beef lb. 85¢
Sirloin Steak (U. S. Top gov't grade) Calf lb. 65c

Calf Brisket
U. S. top government grades of calf
lb. 25¢

Pork Sausage
Wingate, Fancy Pure pork
1-Lb. Roll 39¢

Russet Potatoes Economy Pack 10-Lb. Bag 49¢

Green Cabbage Solid Heads, Natur-sweetened lb. 3¢

Anjou Pears Broid with lamb chops or pork chops lb. 15¢

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