

Whoa, Now!

By Grady Lackey
The response to our straw vote ballot last week was rather light and indicated very little in regard to the county's or area's political sentiments.

They've been cussed and praised to both extremes, but anyhow, now they are here—parking meters.

We appreciate the democratic attitude of some of the opponents of parking meters who have said that now that they are in we'll give 'em a try and if the customer likes 'em we'll keep 'em.

(We're printing our Political Announcements column here on page 1 this week just to show some of you prospective candidates just how bare it is.)

Political Announcements

The Texas Spur has been authorized to publish the following political candidacy announcements to be voted on in the Democratic Primary on Saturday, July 28.

DICKENS COUNTY: For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector—CLEO E. ROGERS

Poage Joins Fight To Defeat Proposed 1-Inch Staple Base

Congressman W. R. Poage assured area farmers of his opposition to and active support against the proposed change in cotton support from 7/8 to one inch staple this week in a letter to G. B. Morris, president of the Dickens County Farm Bureau.

ALBIN, MISS SIMMONS ARE NEW BANK OFFICIALS

At the recent meeting of the directors of the Spur Security Bank two promotions were announced, states Hobert Lewis, president.

Mahon Airt "Double Threat" To Texas Cotton Farmers

Washington, January 26.—Rep. George Mahon (D-Texas) testified before a recent session of the Senate Agriculture Committee that a proposed plan to base cotton prices on one-inch staple cotton would bring "widespread dissatisfaction and heavy losses to cotton farmers."

Mahon sharply attacked what he termed a "double-barreled threat" to cotton farmers in two plans which have been incorporated in a suggested bill and which are being actively considered by the Senate Committee on Agriculture.

One of the proposals, which was supported by President Eisenhower in his farm message to Congress, would make one-inch staple cotton the basis for support prices. The other would provide for 90 percent of parity on one-inch staple cotton and a lower support on cotton of less than one inch staple.

Regarding the President's proposal, Mahon told the Senators if the support price in 1955 had been based on one-inch staple instead of seven-eighths inch as provided by the present law, it would have reduced the price of cotton by 2.85 cents per pound, by \$14.25 per bale and would have meant a loss to Texas cotton farmers of about \$60 million and a loss on the nation's million bale cotton crop of \$200 million.

"Of course, all of the cotton did not go into the government loan," Mahon said, "but the effect on the price was there just the same. The reduction of the price of cotton under the program in 1956 would be 3.46 cents per pound—that is if the support level is changed from seven-eighths inch to one inch."

"That would mean," Mahon continued, "a loss of \$17.30 per bale and a loss of \$242 million on 14 million bales."

The other proposal which Mahon opposed calls for special preference for long staple cotton and a lower parity support for cotton of less than one inch.

Mahon denied that short staple cotton was responsible for the cotton surplus. He explained that 62 percent of all U. S. cotton in government hands last August 1 was one-inch staple. He said, therefore, that the great majority of the surplus cotton in government hands is long staple.

Mahon insisted that there was a need for both long and short staple cotton and that the proposed attempt to provide a lower level of parity for short staple cotton was rank discrimination.

The March Of Dimes: MOTHERS TO MARCH MONDAY NITE; FINAL BASKETBALL GAME TONIGHT

Monday night, Jan. 30 the mothers of Spur will call at every home for donations to the March of Dimes. All persons will be contacted and the march will begin at 6:30 p. m.

The partial roster for the Legionnaires includes Billy D. Starcher, Loyd Womack, Red Hurst, Roland Powell, Bobby Thomson, Ben Abercrombie and Billy Jack Pitts. Expected to suit out for the roaring Lions are Max Eckels, Bob Johnson, Bob Nunley, Billy Hahn, Grady Lackey, James Wright and Olan Daugherty.

Tickets are now on sale at the Johnson Buick Co. The price of admission is, any donation to the March of Dimes.

Demos To Meet Saturday In Dickens

The Dickens County Democratic Party Executive Committee will meet Saturday morning at 10 in the county judge's office in Dickens, announces O. L. Kelley, county chairman.

The primary purpose of the meeting, states Kelley, is to plan a dinner to raise funds and to discuss the financing of the election. Also at the meeting a successor to the late J. L. Mecom as Pres. 16. Chairman J. L. Mecom as Pres. 16. Present members of the executive committee are C. W. Nichols, W. H. Dodson, Byron S. Haney, Archer Powell, Emmett Hagins, E. R. Robertson, Floyd Forrest, W. C. Pernell, John L. Green, L. E. Bass and C. E. Goodwin.

Spur To Host Abernathy For Crucial Games Friday

Tahoka's Fitts Responsible For Bulldogs' First District Loss; Girls in Second Place

The Rotarians were hosts to the Lions Club at the last meeting January 19, in Dyess Hall. Hobert Lewis, served as program chairman. Max Eckels, of the Lions Club, gave a short talk then presented a singing group from Haynes Public School. The group sang popular and spiritual songs, which were enjoyed by all.

Both games should be thrillers with each school needing wins to stay in the district race. Both the boys and girls teams, have met before in the Floydada tournament with Abernathy coming out on top in both games. The chips are down now, though, and we believe we will at least split with them.

We pick the Spur girls to win and the boys to lose in a close one. We hope the Bulldogs make this prediction look silly but so far this season they can't seem to come through in the clutch.

"DOGS LOSE, GIRLS WIN" Last Friday night Spur boys received their first conference defeat. The Tahoka Bulldogs did it 73-65.

The Spurettes however came through with a bang by soundly whipping the Tahoka girls, 79-43. The Spur boys, playing a beautiful game, led throughout the first half except for the first minute or so when Tahoka took a 4-point opening lead. The locals quickly tied it up and were never behind again in the first half—although the score was, tied nine times.

Spur led at the quarter 13-11, at the half 30-28, and at the end of the third 55-52. But in the final quarter they fell behind to lose the game 65-73.

Dyess, Williams and Snodgrass accounted for 14 points each with their long shots from outside. Ensey and McAlpin made 16 and 7 working under the basket.

Fitts was the difference in the two teams, accounting for 30 points, with 10 of his shots made by his teammates.

The final three minutes to lead at half-time 38-29.

The Spur boys came back hot in the third to rack up 27 points, and put the game on ice. The B team took over midway in the fourth with a 21-point lead which they held until the final horn. Final score: Spur 79, Floydada 58.

Alton Williams, playing his best game of the season, hit the baskets for 20 points, as did Ronnie Ensey, to tie for scoring honor. McAlpin made 14, Dyess 11, Snodgrass 6, Gabriel 4, Green 2, and Beeson 2.

Watts was high point for Floydada and for the game with 24. Colley and Downing got 13 each. Spur's defense did a fine job in holding Colley who is reputedly a hot little potato.

Spur girls easily defeated their opponents although the final score was only 49-40.

The game ended with mostly reserves, playing for the locals, after they had taken a 43-28 lead at the end of three. Alexander was again high point with 22, Simpson close with 19 and Smith with 8.

Both Spur teams have a record of 3-1 in conference play. The boys are tied for first place with Tahoka and Abernathy. The girls are tied for second. Slaton girls are in first place still undefeated. DID YOU KNOW?

That the Spur boys, in their first game with Floydada made 39 points by free throws.

Meter Enforcement To Begin Here On Feb. 1

VOTERS TO DECIDE METER DESTINY FOLLOWING SIX MONTHS TRIAL

History was made in Spur yesterday with the completion of the installation of parking meters.

And soon after the head, were mounted, pennies and nickels were being put in many of them—not to park, but just to see how they work!

Technically, the meters are already in effect. However, the City Council agreed Tuesday night that actual enforcement of the parking meters will begin Wednesday, Feb. 1. This is the day that the city's new policeman, R. H. Connelly will assume his duties.

"It will be a sad and dejected feeling in the hearts of a very few Dickens, Countians this April, July and November!"

The rest of the county's population will find within themselves the feeling of having exercised their rights as Texans and Americans as they go to the polls and vote the convictions of their hearts—These are the ones who will pay their poll taxes by Jan. 31.

The tax collector's office reported late yesterday that just 954 poll taxes have been paid.

Last year there were 1452 paid. The last general election year saw 2089 paid poll taxes.

Sheriff Rogers stated this week that some women are not paying their poll tax because they have the understanding that without a poll tax receipt they will not be called for jury duty.

"By not paying their poll tax, they are not exempt from jury duty," states Sheriff Rogers, "and we urge every woman to pay her poll tax."

Mr. Hart reports, much frosty weather and too much rain in Florida. He stated it was the coldest winter in 40 years, but hopes there will be satisfactory polo weather for the big event in March. The Dickens County polo squad will leave Spur, Sunday morning, March 25. More information concerning this will be published later.

A called meeting for the posse has been set for February 6 at 7:30 p. m. in Dyess Hall. All riding and associate members are urged to be present at this meeting, which purpose is for electing officers, attend to other business problems, and outlining the activities for the coming year, stated McArthur. This is your posse and we would like for you to help run it, he continued.

Approximately 17 members, are turning out to the regular Sunday practice sessions. Anyone who wishes to do so may become an active polo player for the club.

Between 50,000 and 75,000 Texans, including citizens of this area, should soon be watching the skies for airplanes, enemy and otherwise.

These Texans will man about 3,240 posts in an area which will include a vast part of the state. They will be members of the ground Observer Corps. As such, they will be among the most valuable citizens of this state and this area.

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Spencer Campbell pointed out that he has the only person in this area interested in a strong ground Observer Corps. He explained that additional interest in the high project is being shown by volunteers, daily.

"This is a very important area to have reliable watchers available for duty," he said. "Without those volunteers, the chain which will eventually make up the Ground Observer Corps in Texas will be missing a vital link. None of us can afford to fail in this."

Campbell noted that while the Ground Observer Corps is in the process of being activated in Texas, it will be a short while before the program can be put into operation. The delay is, being caused by the time element involved in the building of filter centers and the extensive communications network which must be installed. However, while those phases are being advanced, Campbell and other post supervisors are working on organizational planning so as to be ready for a quick and vigorous activation of the program.

BEADLE FARM RAISES COTTON, REGISTERED HERFORDS



The farm pictured above is located 10 miles southeast of Spur and is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne W. Beadle. The picture was published last week by Richels Chevrolet as the Mystery Farm.

They are members of the Baptist Church and the Dickens County Farm Bureau.

At the present time Guinn Beadle is working the farm. He raises row crops, wheat and registered Herford cattle. He has 280 acres in cultivation and 15 registered Herford cows. Cotton is listed as his favorite crop.

The Mystery Farm series is published by Richels Chevrolet Company as a tribute to the rural folks in the Spur area.

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GABRIEL ELECTED WARDEN OF FRATERNITY

Frank Gabriel, a junior student at Baylor University, was recently elected junior warden of Delta Sigma Pi, the national honorary business fraternity.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gabriel, he is a 1953 graduate of Spur High School and is a management and English student. He is also a member of the Tryon Coterie social club.

Misses Billie Sue Gregory, Carol Ann Gordon and Beverly Wood, students at Texas Tech, spent the week end in Spur visiting their parents and friends.

Dickens Co. Sheriff's Posse To Defend Title In March

Clyde Hart, president of the Smyra Beach Saddle Club, notified Everett McArthur, Tuesday of the change of date for the Company Frolic to be held in Florida this year. It will be held March 29-31 instead of the previous planned March 8-10.

The championship polo game will be played Saturday, March 31. The Dickens County polo club will definitely defend their championship holding in Florida. They will have the same type of arrangements as in the previous year, stated McArthur.

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SO YOU DON'T LIKE COPS!

By Cleo Rogers, Sheriff "Coppers! Big bullies, that's what they are! Like cops! You're just an average citizen, but still you kind of get a kick out of seeing a cop outwitted.

We'll assume that you are an average, law abiding citizen, given only to speeding, passing a stop line, or something like that. Otherwise you're a peaceful sort of a guy. Still, you don't like cops, especially traffic cops.

Do you know what a traffic cop does? Think about it for a minute. Think about it the next time you get a ticket.

The average traffic officer—or any other law enforcement officer—for that matter, is YOU. You gave him his job. You pay his salary, and you're the first one to yell if he should quit.

NEW ARRIVALS

Dr. and Mrs. E. H. Martin are the parents of a new daughter born Jan. 25 at 8:05 a. m. The baby weighed eight pounds and two ounces.

K. Of P. Officers Installed Monday

The Knights of Pythias Lodge had its annual installation of officers Monday night, January 16 in the lodge hall. The officers installed were elected at a regular meeting in December.

GIRARD NEWS

By George Darden

Gwin Long, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Long, of Girard has completed his boot training in the U. S. Air Force and was home on leave last week. He left Sunday for Amarillo where he will be stationed.

Large crowds from this community attended the basketball tournament in Clairmont over the week end.

College students, Jimmy Darden and Al Timo, were home over the week end.

Miss Marjorie Darden will marry Crandell Young next Saturday, January 28, at 10 a. m. in St. Pauls Methodist Church in Abilene. The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hermon Darden of Lovington, New Mexico, formerly of Girard. She is a sophomore at Hardin-Simmons University. Young is a senior at McMurry College. His parents reside at Seminole and his father is superintendent of Seminole schools. They will continue to live in Abilene and both will continue their college work.

From the "grapevine" we learn that Kent County politics is likely to bring on a "hot summer" with the starting gate full in every race.

While in New Mexico a few days ago, we saw a lot of stickers on cars which read: "Don't blame me, I voted, Democratic".

Jimmy Bural from the Beggs Ranch spent the week with his parents.

The Girard grade school basketball teams are playing in a grade school tournament in McAdoo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Pike Murphy from Lubbock visited his mother, Mrs. J. A. Murphy, Sunday.

Hoyt Boone is back in Callan Hospital in Rotan, after suffering a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. James McAteer from Jayton visited the Ollie Burals, Sunday.

Mrs. Arthur Dyer, who recently underwent surgery in the Rotan hospital, has returned home and is improving.

Mrs. Ray Williams and daughter, Bobbie Johnson, were in Lubbock, Monday for medical treatment for Mrs. Johnson.

Elmer Long, Mrs. Tom Wilson and Mrs. M. A. Darden are on the sick list.

GIRARD SCHOOL NEWS
Beth Inez Neaves and John Martinez are sick, also Darlene Parkins from the third grade.

The third grade is expecting a new pupil to enter their class this week. She is Sandra Buford from Lubbock.

Grace and Charles visited the Wes Stinnetts over the week end.

Wyndel Hooser left here Monday to work at Morgan City, Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Tatum and children visited the Easter Christians over the week end.

Ray Lee Johnston spent the week end in Spur with friends.

Printiss Hooser visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hooser.

The 8th grade class is really excited over the tournament. The girls are especially excited because this is to be their first game this year. We plan to win first place.

The sophomore class decided Wednesday to all bring a dollar each for the welfo fund.

F H A NEWS
On January 17, the Girard Future Homemakers held their first monthly meeting of the year with the president, Janis Gregory, presiding.

The group planned a Valentine party.

The State meeting was discussed and it was decided that Mrs. Parsley, with the help of the officers, should set up the requirements for the girls to go to the meeting. The group also voted to buy pins for the girls working for degrees and a gavel for the club.

The meeting was then turned over to the program chairman. The program consisted of a song by Clara Pearson and a discussion on camp for the benefit of those who didn't get to attend.

SCHOOLS—THE AWFUL TRUTH

Ten years from now 23 percent more children will be entering elementary schools than today. 55 percent more in high schools and 40 percent more in colleges. We will need some 600,000 more classrooms to accommodate them—a jump of about 60 percent, according to the Kiplinger Letter. We'll also need 200,000 more teachers, every year for ten years to cover school growth and to replace those who quit or retire. The main problem, of course, is money, which in the end means more taxes. The total cost of schools, public and private, now is eight to ten billion dollars a year. In the next ten years this may double and most of it must come from taxes. What kind of taxes will support the schools? Mostly property taxes for already nearly 45 percent of the property taxes, collected in states go to the schools. So there will be higher local taxes, higher property assessments, and fewer exemptions.

BIG FAMILIES ARE IN STYLE

It is now "the style" to have more babies, bigger families. Younger mothers are having more second, third, fourth and even fifth children than before. Farm women more so than city women. Farm women have three children, average; city women lag, with an average of two. But the younger women, both city and farm, now have more children and plan on more. — The Kiplinger Letter.

FASTEST GROWING STATES

Arizona, Delaware, Florida, Nevada and New Mexico are at the top of the list in rate of population growth. The Pacific Coast has slowed down a bit in the past four years and didn't grow quite as fast as it did from 1940 to 1950. Florida, with a gain of 19 percent, has edged out California, however. California is the leader and its population will probably top even New York state in 1956. — The Kiplinger Letter.

PEOPLE ARE MOVING LESS

Since World War II, shifting from state to state and place to place has lessened progressively. In the past year only five million people moved from one state to another, 126 million stayed put—same house, same city. — The Kiplinger Letter.

Go to Church Sunday

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HORIZONTAL SILOS

Horizontal silos have proven their practicality as replacement for trench silos, in some locations.

These silos are constructed on top of the ground with self-supporting walls. They are designed on the principle of the trench silo, and run horizontally. Horizontal silos, which are increasing in numbers, must be economical, conveniently located, properly designed, and constructed for long service.

Many trench silos could not be located for adequate drainage and good feeding arrangements, and so did not meet these qualifications. The above ground silos have been somewhat of a problem, since self-supporting walls are necessary. Some of the work has been concerned with this problem. Tilt-up concrete wall panels, 6 feet high, 10 feet wide and 4 inches thick were used. These were precast or poured on the floor of the silo and later raised into position.

For support of the walls, concrete pilasters were poured and spaced at ten foot intervals. Tests with the experimental silo proved that the 4 inch concrete wall panels, showed no sign of weakening. Agricultural Engineers gave an approximate cost of this type silo. A silo twenty feet wide and six feet deep will cost about \$4.00 per ton of silage storage space of materials.

ONE OUT OF THREE WOMEN WORK

There are more working women today than ever before—21 million with paying jobs. Before the war only 27 percent worked, in 1955 36 percent did. At present 30 percent of married women are working, twice as many as in 1940. The number is rising. Women's jobs are plentiful and young couples need the money to lift themselves in living standards. On the national average, the pay for women's jobs has risen less than men's. —The Kiplinger Letter

"We're No Angels" opens at the Palace Theatre Sunday. It's hard to believe that a stranger, a swindler and a safecracker could be such completely delightful people. But Humphrey Bogart, Aldo Ray and Peter Ustinov will convince you. They are three of the most captivating rogues it will give your pleasure to watch in a long time.

The unique film, blessed with a superb cast and a most unusual story, is a source of constant and wonderful entertainment from beginning to end. In addition to Bogart, Ray and Ustinov, who should be enough by themselves to sustain any audience, Paramount's off-beat drama co-stars the always provocative Joan Bennett, Basil Rathbone and Leo G. Carroll. No finer group of players can be imagined and no more beguiling performances could be asked for.

The three principals are cast as escapers from Devil's Island, a trio of depraved characters who earned their stay in prison by being at

MARRIAGE ROOM AHEAD

Only 1.5 million marriages occurred in 1955, as compared with 2.3 million in postwar 1946. But by 1960, there will be a new wave of marriages, resulting from the boom in births in the 40's. About 2 million a year. —The Kiplinger Letter

MORE WIDOWS THAN WIDOWERS

On the national average, women live 6 years longer than their husbands and are about 3 years younger, making a 9-year difference in the life expectancies of average couples. Thus 13 percent of women are widows while only 4 percent of men are widowers. Add this to the fact that men leave their estates, large and small, to their widows and you see why so much of the nation's wealth is in the hands of women. —The Kiplinger Letter

190 MILLION POPULATION IN 10 YEARS

The population of the U. S. has reached 167 million. In five years it should be 178 million and in ten years, 190 million. By 1975, there will be more than 221 million people in America. —The Kiplinger Letter

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This aerial photo is another in a series taken of farms in the Spur area for Rickels Chevrolet Co.

Nobody knows whose farm the aerial photographer snapped... so it's up to the readers of this paper to identify the "Mystery Farm".

If you can identify the "Mystery Farm" (whether it's yours or not) please write, phone or come by Rickels Chevrolet Co. The first one to correctly identify the farm will receive, with our compliments, two passes to the Palace Theatre and a one year's subscription to the Texas Spur.

The owner of each week's "Mystery Farm" will receive absolutely free a beautiful mounted photo of his farm by calling at the Rickels Chevrolet Co.

We invite you to watch for our "Mystery Farm" each week. The operators of the "Mystery Farms" will be announced in the following edition of The Texas Spur.

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Fifteen Attend 1931 Study Club Meet.

The home of Mrs. Elora Britton was the scene of the last meeting of the 1931 Study Club when they met recently.

Roll call was answered by each member giving "An Incident of our Honeymoon."

The following parts were given: "Living Together in the Home", Mrs. W. D. Blair; "Hubby Takes a Trip", Mrs. James Jay; and "Twenty Ways to Keep the Hubby Happy", Mrs. Bill Gregory.

Attending the meeting were Mmes. Abercrombie, Mac Allison, Louis Arnold, Floyd Ball, W. D. Blair, Fike Godfrey, Bill Gregory, J. B. Haralson, James Jay, Dalton Lelew, Everett Martin, W. B. Francis, Hulda Moore, Bill Newcomb, and the hostess, Mrs. Harold Kay.

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Democratic Committee

Ella Copeland Feted On 73rd Birthday

Mrs. Ella Copeland was honored by her neighbors on her 73rd birthday with a party January 18 in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Roberson. Assisting with the celebration were Mmes. Charles Nickels and Herbert Roberson.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Roberson and registered by Mrs. Delwin Moore, granddaughter of the honoree.

The dining table was laid with a white damask cloth centered with an angel cake, topped with a miniature silver crown. Silver tapers were placed on each side of the centerpiece. White napkins inscribed in silver with "Ella Copeland, 73" were arranged in front of the cake. Presiding at the table were Mrs. Herbert Roberson.

During the afternoon, the honoree was crowned "queen for a day" with a silver crown made by Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody. She also received a corsage of white carnations, which was her first corsage and the celebration was the first birthday party she had had in her 73 years.

Mrs. Copeland received numerous gifts which were displayed by Mrs. Nickels. Approximately 40 guests registered.

YWA Group Seeks New Members

The Y. W. A. group had a Foreign Mission study when they met Tuesday afternoon at 4 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Glenn Jones.

The previous week the group visited Mrs. Jim Smith, who has been very ill. Songs were sung and Bible scriptures were read. This is one of the many things the Y. W. A. group does.

The Y. W. A. will be entertained with a party Tuesday, January 24.

More members are needed in the Y. W. A., stated a spokesman, and anyone who would like to join the organization is welcome.

HD Club Meets Wed., Jan. 18

The Espuela Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. E. Ball, January 18, at 2 p. m.

The program was, on "Family Health" and roll call was "Have I had my Annual Check-up?" Mrs. T. A. Johnson gave a report on "Cancer" and she pointed out the necessary things a person should know about cancer. Instructions on first aid were presented by Mrs. Don Ramsey and was followed by "Overweight and Underweight" by Mrs. Lee Parker.

Following the program and reports, recreation was led by the hostess.

Those attending the meeting were Mmes. J. W. Holloway, C. F. Holloway, Bob Dixon, Lee Parker, Toby Collett, Alton DeLisle, T. A. Johnson, Pearl Morgan, Don Ramsey, and the hostess, Mrs. Lee Parker.

The club will hold its next meeting in the home of Mrs. Bob Dixon instead of Mrs. Toby Collett's and will meet February 1.

Carolyn Kelley Cast In College Pageant

Carolyn Kelly, Abilene Christian College sophomore, has been cast in a major role for the college's 50th Anniversary pageant to be presented Feb. 16-18 and 20-23.

Carolyn will play the part of Mrs. Sewall in the musical drama entitled "A City Set on a Hill". She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kelley and is a 1954 graduate of Spur High School.

Carolyn is a member of the Kitter Klub, FTA, Omega Rho Alpha and the Prickly Pear Staff.

The total cast includes more than 170 characters, and at least 100 students will be among the pageant personnel. Director will be Lewis Fulks of the ACC Speech Department.

Spur Harmony Club Meets Tues. Night

Roll call for the members of the Harmony Club, Tuesday night was "What I Want Music to do For My Family". Hostess for the meeting was Mrs. Bob Nunley.

The meeting opened with the group repeating in unison the Club Collect.

The program consisted of vocal and piano numbers done by children of some of the club members. Participating on the program were Sandra Pendley, Annetta Hail, Candy and Terry Henley, Linda Kay and Tray Lackey, Vicki Copeland and Prissy and Becky Nunley.

Following the program a business session was held in which committee reports and new business was discussed and voted on.

Those present were Mmes. Jerry Ensey, W. F. Gilbert, Charles Haney, L. R. Pendley, W. W. Gunn, John Floyd, Chap Reese, J. E. Berry, Grady Lackey, Nell Davis, Ben Abercrombie, Joe Bell, Betty Henley, Bob Copeland, and Miss Marie Lewis. Also present was one new member, Mrs. Carl McGallard.

Relatives Fete Mrs. Steele On Birthday

Relatives of Mrs. J. W. Steele surprised her with a party Sunday, January 22 honoring her on her birthday.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Abb Bingham, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bingham and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bingham and Mrs. T. O. Bingham all of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Thomason of Lorenzo and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Steele of Crosbyton.

Scott Home Scene Of HD Meet

The Antelope Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Clifford Scott, Thursday, January 19, at 2 p. m.

The club elected the following committee chairman: Mrs. Jim Wyatt, Finance; Mrs. G. H. Brown, Program; Mrs. Lloyd Rudder, Exhibits; Mrs. John Willis and Mrs. Lloyd Rudder, Food; Mrs. Jim Wyatt and Mrs. George Perry, Clothing. The new member, Mrs. Roy Nance, was elected Recreation chairman.

The president, Mrs. Lee Parker, read the T. H. D. recommendations, which were accepted by the club.

The program topic for the day was Cake Decoration, presented by Mrs. John Willis. The cake she decorated was a replica of a spotted hat. Mrs. Jim Wyatt's cake was a Valentine cake.

FARM TOPICS

By ROBERT W. BERRY
DICKENS COUNTY AGENT

Dickens County 4-H'ers are making plans for entering District three 4-H Elimination Contest in April. Several boys have indicated an interest in the different judging and demonstration contest, but the team which has made the most progress to date is the Grass Judging Team from the Junior High 4-H Club in Spur. The team is composed of four members and five boys have been competing for a place on the team. The five boys are Woodie Woodward, Bobby Williams, Benton Watson, Barney Mack Benson, and Jerry Roberson.

The Grass Judging Team is entering the contest in Amarillo on January 26.

Shower Honors Recent Bride

Mrs. Charles Sonnemaker, formerly Jean Boothe, was honored recently with a miscellaneous shower in the home of Mrs. John Dunaway. Co-hostesses for the occasion were Mmes. Elmer Cross, Norman Wilson, Travis Hoover, Charles Haney, Raymond Bailey, Clyde Bearden, Jess Powell, Jim Wyatt, and Brink Carlisle.

Greeting the guests on arrival were Mrs. Dunaway, the bride, the bride's mother, Mrs. Rafa Person, and the groom's mother, Mrs. F. E. Sonnemaker. Miss Joann Bailey registered the guests.

The refreshment table was laid with a broadcloth center with a large bouquet of aqua carnations. Placed on each side of the flowers were aqua tapers in crystal holders. Aqua nanking inscribed with "Jean and Charles" were used. A large crystal punch bowl, cake squares, and crystal appointment completed the arrangement. Presiding at the table were Mmes. Elmer Cross and Clyde Bearden.

Approximately 200 called or sent gifts.

Ten members and two visitors, Mmes. Amanda Wyatt and Katie Dyer.

Mrs. Jim Wyatt will be hostess for a quilting party and the next club meeting on February 2. The quilting will start at 9 a. m. and each member is to bring a covered dish for lunch.

The team must identify fifty grasses, tell whether each is annual or perennial, warm or cool season, native or introduced, and good, fair or poor as a range plant. This is one of the hardest teams for 4-H'ers to make because of the amount of technical points and details in learning the different grasses.

Word has just been received that John Goen of the East Ward 4-H Club has been selected to participate in the Beef Call Scramble at the Houston Fat Stock Show. The Scramble will be held on February 25 at 2:00 p. m. Boys are selected from their past interest in beef cattle and if lucky enough to catch a calf in the scramble contest, they will be given a calf to feed and return to the next Fat Stock Show in Houston. A limited number of participants are selected each year and we feel that John is fortunate to have this opportunity. We also wish him the best of luck in catching his calf.

CHARLIE GAGE FARM ONE OF MYSTERY FARM SERIES



The farm of Charlie Gage is located ten miles northeast of Dickens. Pictured above, it was recently published by Rickels Chevrolet Company as one of the current Mystery Farm series.

Our county is gaining several new irrigation wells this fall. Water is being found where it was never thought to exist before. Irrigation is wonderful but we need to learn more about its use from a standpoint of efficiency.

An irrigation meeting is being held in Roaring Springs on February 22 for all farmers in Dickens and Motley counties. The speaker who is the Irrigation Specialist will be Mr. Robert V. Thurmond with the Extension Service. Mr. Thurmond has had a great deal of experience with irrigation on the plains and should give some information which will be valuable to farmers in these two counties.

More information as to the time and place of the meeting will be announced in the future.

Mrs. Boyd Candidate For V-Pres. of TFWC

Mrs. Ben W. Boyd, formerly Regional Vice-President of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, has been presented by the Woman's Shakespeare Club of Denton as a Candidate for Vice President of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs at the May, 1956, election to be held at the state convention in Dallas.

A life member of the Woman's Shakespeare Club, Mrs. Boyd has been an active and enthusiastic organizer and leader in club, church, and civic affairs. She has served as President of the Shakespeare Club and the Denton City Federation of Women's Clubs, President of Second District, Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, and Regional Vice President of the Eastern Region.

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HOSPITAL NOTES . . .

Entering on January 11 were L. C. Ponder, A. E. Page and M. L. Luna. All have been dismissed. Mrs. Theodora Castro, who was admitted January 13, is still undergoing medical treatment. Mrs. J. C. Richardson, Mrs. E. L. Perryman and Roy Askins were admitted on the 14th and all have been discharged. Hardie Dement was dismissed January 24, after receiving medical treatment beginning January 15. Tommie Parker was admitted the 16th and released the following day. Miss Etta Fite is still undergoing treatment. Pat Fletcher was admitted January 16 as a result of a car accident and was released the following day. Two patients being admitted the same day and dismissed the same day were Mrs. S. G. Griffin and Ramona Thomas. Three entering January 18 also were Eufala Randall, Gary Paul Rye and Mrs. Buck Scott. Billy Perryman was released the 21st after receiving two days of medical treatment. Those who were admitted during the week end have not yet been discharged are Mrs. Rosa Stark, G. W. Rogers, Jr., C. L. Berry, Jr., Linda Turk, Grace Fincher and Mrs. E. H. Martin. Entering on January 21 were Dale McFadden and Jean Atkinson. Both have been released. We wish to thank the Caloper Church for the delicious cookies that have been brought to the hospital this month.

HIGH SCHOOL MENU

MONDAY
Roast and brown gravy, candied yams, vegetable salad, jello, peanut butter cookies.

TUESDAY
White beans, salmon salad, sea-

soned turnip greens, apple pie.

WEDNESDAY
Steak and cream gravy, baked corn, dill pickles, cooked peaches, chocolate cake.

THURSDAY
Pinto beans, creamed macaroni,

buttered spinach, corn bread, peach cobbler.

FRIDAY
Sandwiches, green beans, drained tomatoes, rice pudding, sliced pineapple.

Girl Scouts

Members of Troop XI met at the regular time and place on January 18. Project reports were checked and designs worked out

for moccasins which will be started next week by all girls who have previous projects completed. Reports were made to show that the Christmas bazaar was a success for both the troop and the council.

Texas FB Prexy Started Soil Bank Idea Back In 1934

Widespread acceptance of the soil bank idea in farm program planning is a happy ending to 21 years of plugging for the plan on the part of a dirt farmer from the little town of Tye, (near Abilene) Texas.

J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau for the past 16 years, first started thinking about a soil bank in 1934. For many years, he propounded his plan at every opportunity. Suddenly, a few months ago, the idea for retiring a percentage of cropland to bring production in line with demand caught on all over the nation. The climax came when the American Farm Bureau Federation adopted the soil bank idea at its convention in December and when President Eisenhower recommended it in his special farm message to Congress, earlier this month.

Since the soil bank has become suddenly popular, many persons have come forward claiming authorship of the plan. Actually, there are many versions of the plan and, quite naturally, there is an author for each version. But, the man who has the best claim to the title of originator of the soil bank is the longtime Texas farm leader—J. Walter Hammond.

The idea behind the soil bank is to retard acreage from commercial production so that supply is brought into line with demand. The retired acreage is supposed to be devoted to soil-building crops or practices.

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this part of the nation.

2. The fact that an enemy jet-type bomber flying over from the Siberian Peninsula can follow the jet stream into this state and be here in a little as eight hours.

Since a jet bomber can get into Texas quicker than it can the northeast states under certain conditions while traveling the famed jet stream route, the Texas area is being termed a Skywatch Area. This means that it will call for around-the-clock duty, with each volunteer observer working a two-hour shift each time he is on duty, which would be about once a week.

COPS — From Page 1

If he didn't, you'd go merrily through and probably hit another car, causing a lot of damage, and even possibly killing yourself or others. He sees that you don't park too long so your neighbor may also have a chance to park. If he didn't, it would be a mad scramble every day for the parking spaces and then no one else could park.

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EAST WARD MENU

JAN. 30-FEB. 3

MONDAY
Roast pork, brown gravy, sweet potatoes, fresh lettuce, stewed prunes, milk, bread.

TUESDAY
Red beans-ranch style, potato salad, drained tomatoes, ginger bread, corn bread, milk.

WEDNESDAY
Salmon salad, green beans, buttered rice, chocolate cake applesauce, bread, milk.

THURSDAY
Stew, English peas, celery sticks ranger cookies, bread, milk.

FRIDAY
Sandwiches (tuna pineapple cheese) blackeye peas, potato chips brownies, bread, milk.

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McAdoo News

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Tedford and Dale of Levelland spent Sunday in the John Powers home.

Tommy Lunsden of Springlake spent Wednesday night in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Neff.

Mrs. Bobby Hardin and children returned to Springlake to spend the week end. Bobby drove to Springlake for his family on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Frederick and baby of Clovis spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leamon Brantley.

Mrs. T. J. Brantley, Orvin Callahan, Leamon Brantley and Laverne Brantley were shopping in Spur, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Joe Coffey and children of Canyon spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Harris, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McCombs of Crosbyton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. House, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Neff of House, New Mexico visited over the week end with their children, the Dale and Noble Neffs, Thurman Davis and Dale Lewis families.

Mrs. Ellis Powers and children have been visiting in the Lee Parker home at Guard, while their residence is undergoing some remodeling.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dier, Terry and Susan, of Ft. Worth visited in the B. F. Eldredge home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barton and Cardella visited in Brownfield, Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Della Freeman.

Jack Allen of Lubbock spent the week end at home.

Mrs. John A. Allen and Mrs. Marvin Tidwell were Spur shoppers last Friday.

Mrs. M. A. Graham was in Crosbyton, Friday.

Mrs. Carl Barton spent Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. McDorman of Roaring Springs, and visited with a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woodin, who were enroute to National City, California where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harris of Lubbock were visitors during the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Harris and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Harris. They report their son, George, who has been enlisted in the U. S. Navy for some 15 months, is now in Hong Kong aboard the S. S. Perkins.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Killian and Beth of Amarillo spent the week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Arnold. Mrs. Arnold returned to Amarillo with them for a few days' visit. Mrs. Arnold attended funeral services in Lubbock, Monday for Rev. George Bryant. He went from there to Ceta Canyon to a retreat where he spent Monday night. He then continued to Amarillo, Tuesday. Mrs. Arnold returned home with him the latter part of the week.

Mrs. S. J. Griffin was able to return home Friday after several days confinement in the Spur hospital.

Mrs. M. A. Graham, John A. Allen and O. T. Boucher attended a workshop on World Peace in Plainview, Tuesday. They report of an enjoyable day with some very interesting speakers. A Missionary team of 4 speakers represented home missions, India, Japan and Paraguay.

Mrs. Ella B. Lane spent the week end in Spur with Mrs. Erie Foster.

Mrs. Noble Neff was surprised with a birthday party when a group of friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Allen on Monday night. Games of 42 were played after which John Formby showed pictures made on the Formby vacation to Canada

in August. Refreshments were served to the following: Mr. and Mrs. Dale Neff and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Neff and children, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Neff and children, Mrs. Jim Earley, Mrs. Molly Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Palo Grissom, Bro. and Mrs. J. C. Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. John Formby, Cornelia Lambert and Clea Nell Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Richards of Dickens visited in the W. I. Moore home last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Formby were in Lubbock on Thursday.

W. W. Allen of Lubbock visited relatives here Friday.

Garland Hallford, stationed at Shreveport, Louisiana, spent Sunday night with his grandmother, Mrs. Jim Earley, and Mr. Earley.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hickman visited in Lubbock, Saturday with the Rod Parkinsons, Roddy and Dickey accompanied them home for an overnight visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cooper and Buzz of Ralls, were Sunday supper guests in the Jim Earley home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson McWilliams and family of Lubbock were week end visitors with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. McWilliams.

Gas Morrison of Roaring Springs was a visitor in McAdoo, Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Boucher were visiting in Lubbock last Tuesday with an aunt, Mrs. Jessie Gilmore.

Beverly Robinette of Calgary was a week end visitor with the Henry and H. F. Harris families.

Marilyn Steadham is at home after attending classes at Tech the last semester.

Marshall Formby of Plainview visited Monday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Formby.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edwards and Mike of Lubbock visited Sunday in the L. E. Bass home.

Mrs. L. K. Bass and son, Connie, and granddaughter, Donita Mason, have moved to Lubbock to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Dickie Woolley have moved to the Bass farm.

Potatoes, pork, beef, grapefruit and cabbage top the plentiful food list for February.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Macon and Alton of Levelland spent Friday night with her mother, Mrs. Katie Phifer. Mrs. Maggie Macon also of Levelland and her sister, Mrs. Nannie Sharp of Leonard, accompanied them and spent the night in the Palo Grissom home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fox and family of Maple and A. G. Fox, Kenneth and Mike, were Sunday visitors with their mother, Mrs. Lula Fox.

Mrs. James Bruce and children



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START TAX RECORDS NOW FOR NEXT YEAR

There is no time like the present, while last year's tax problems are fresh on your mind, to start a procedure that will aid you with next year's income tax calculations. That is to maintain a record of your income and outgo. Such a record can be simple and brief but it may save you tax dollars.

The average man who works for a wage salary doesn't have to concern himself about keeping books and records—at least so he thinks. His employer keeps a reliable record of his earnings and Uncle Sam looks primarily to the employer for information on his earnings and for the withholding of various taxes out of his wages.

But whether or not you run a business of your own, you have a partner who each year is claiming a substantial interest in your personal income. And the law requires that you keep books for an accounting.

Perhaps you own your home or are paying it out in installments. It's likely that some day you may sell that house. When you do you'll want to be able to prove whether you realized a gain or a loss on that sale. If a gain in capital resulted, it probably will add to your income tax. If a loss was suffered, it probably will reduce your income tax.

You may have certain capital improvements on the house while you lived in it, but unless you can show what out-of-pocket expense you incurred while making them, you may not get credit for them in your cost basis so as to prove that you had no capital gain or that you had a loss.

Or perhaps you received that little summer cottage on the lake as a gift from your father. If you ever sell it, you should be able to show Uncle Sam not only the cost of improvements you made

on it while you owned it, but also what its fair market value was at the time Dad gave it to you.

It may be that you are receiving an annuity on an insurance policy. If so, do you know how much that policy costs you and how much of that cost you have recovered tax-free to date?

There are many kinds of transaction you enter into that may some day affect the computation of your personal income tax. The best proof of the cost of anything you've purchased is a receipted bill or canceled check. If one of these pieces of evidence relates to any transaction that may affect your income in later years, it's a good idea to keep it. Your "partner" may some day ask to see it.

(This column, based on Federal law is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts because the facts may change the application of the law.)

\$5,000 TO \$10,000 INCOME GROUP GROWING FAST

The number of families making \$5,000 to \$10,000 increased 80 percent in the past five years, according to the Kiplinger Washington Letter. In 1950, there were 8.7 million such families in this income bracket, and they represent 32 percent of all families.

Kiplinger editors point out that this expansion of "middle incomes" is largely responsible for the boom in sales of autos, houses and appliances.

Correspondingly, the number of low-income families is shrinking. Families with incomes of less than five thousand dollars have decreased by 5.2 million, a drop of 15 percent. There is still poverty, but it is diminishing progressively.

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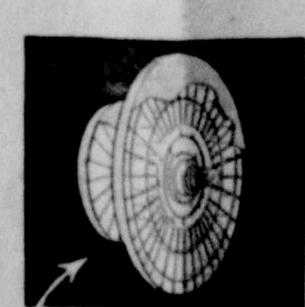
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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smallwood of Afton recently moved to Spur where they will make their home. They are now residing at 203 Carroll.

Highway Community News . .

W. P. Foster of Hamlin visited his sister, Mrs. Raymond Powell, and family Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rucker visited her brother, Charley Kearney, and family Saturday night and viewed television.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Alexander moved this week to a farm east of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sonnemaker have moved to the Wilson Hagin farm in this community.

We have some new neighbors who have moved into the old schoolhouse place. Their name is Nance.

Sgt. Lee Tommie Hemphill is home for a thirty day leave. He is stationed at Ft. Hood. Tommie has reenlisted in the Army.

Nelda Nan Hahn spent the night Friday with Patsy Smith. Patsy and Nelda played basketball at Tahoka that night.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Tree were dinner guests of their daughter, Mrs. Jimmie Hahn, and family Sunday. After dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ricker, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Thomason and Forrest Martin visited the Hahns and the men played dominos.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Thomason moved their household things last week from Herford. Cecil East

helped them move and they are at home now in the Willie Hindman house.

Darrell Thomason, Carl Jones, and Charles Reed of Herford came down Tuesday to get Darrell's boat. They visited a while with Mrs. Keley Putman and Darrell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomason.

Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Pace went to Portales, New Mexico to attend the funeral of Donnie's father. It was held Sunday.

Slim Meter preached at the Highway Church of Christ, Sunday morning.

Ann Putman spent the night with Marie Pierce in Spur, Friday night, after playing basketball at Tahoka that night.

Mmes. Maenard Dagley, M. E. Tree, Jimmie Hahn and Forrest Martin carried food and flowers to the Donnie Pace home Monday evening to welcome the Paces home. They had been in Portales attending the funeral of Donnie's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Hahn and Nelda visited the B. K. Putmans, Monday night.

COLLEGE HAVE MONEY TROUBLES

Colleges will need about 800 million dollars a year for the next ten years, says the Kinsinger Letter, if they are to come anywhere close to taking in all of the new applicants.

Tuition doesn't pay the bill, and endowments bring inadequate returns. Colleges collected about 100 millions from business sources in 1955 and the Ford Foundation's additional 300 millions was huge, but only a drop in the bucket. So business giving to colleges will get new emphasis in the future.

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Dry Lake Community News . .

The regular monthly social was held at Foreman Chapel Church, Friday night. The meeting opened with the group singing. The prayer was led by Mrs. Charles Pickens. Mrs. Coy Dopsen showed two films of the Holy Child and on Yellowstone National Park. A Bible quiz was presented to the group by Mrs. Pickens. All who attended reported a very enjoyable evening. The next meeting will be the third Friday night in February at 7:30 p. m.

Patricia Foreman had Sunday dinner with Jane Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Dixon had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Martin at Gilpin.

Mrs. Dorothy Kissinger and Rex Smalden of Lubbock were week end guests of her mother and family, Mrs. Thelma Calvert.

Miss Joann Foreman spent Thursday night with Miss Nancy Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bingham ate surprise birthday dinner Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Steel, in Spur.

Young people went to Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Smith's in Spur, Sunday night for their fellowship hour.

Due to illness in the families of the Dry Lake Baptist Church the attendance fell off Sunday. Those who have sickness in their homes are Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Karr, whose daughter, Tangle Sue is ill, the Joe Kidd home, and Allen Smith, son of Rev. and Mrs. Raymond Smith, is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Bilberry visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Futch, in Dickens, Sunday for dinner. In the afternoon they attended the singing at Methodist Church in Dickens.

Donald Dopsen was real sick Sunday night with a cold and asthma and was confined to bed Monday.

Mrs. O. T. Swenson of Sour spent the day Monday with Mrs. Bob Dixon.

John Aston had minor surgery on his eye last Tuesday. It has pained him quite a bit this week.

Dan Wright attended the Nazarine Church in Hamlin, Sunday and visited with Jimmy Christy of Bethany, Oklahoma. Jimmy was in Hamlin participating in

the concert given by the Bethany College band.

Mrs. Ethel Ballard of Antelope Community was surprised Friday afternoon with a birthday get-together of some of her old neighbors in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ballard. Mrs. Coy Dopsen and Mrs. Bob Pickens were present from Dry Lake. Mrs. E. J. Lasseter and Mrs. Lucy Gwin send gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Allen and Miss Betty Cartwright visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Allen, of Jacksboro over the week end.

You are invited to attend prayer meeting every Wednesday night at Foreman Chapel. The lesson Mrs. Coy Dopsen gave last Wednesday night was the third chapter of St. Peter.

We are sorry to report that Charles Forbes was in bed with the flu Sunday.

LIBRARY NOTES
The library committee of federated clubs wish to thank Mrs. J. B. Karr for book, given to the library last week and Evelyn and Donald Willett for a number of books for the children's shelf. The committee also appreciates a large collection of magazines given by Mrs. Basil Cairns.

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NOTICE

Sealed bids will be accepted from now until February 1st, 1956 at Gibson Insurance Agency for the frame school building in the Freeman Addition and lots 8, 9, 10, Block 12, Freeman Addition. Bids may be for the building and lots or on either, and 1-3 of the amount must be submitted with the bid.

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LETTERS OF THANKS

With sincere appreciation we wish to thank all our friends, who remembered us and helped in various ways during the illness and death of Elizabeth Elliott Terry. Life is made richer through the sympathy of such friends.

Sincerely,
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DOES EDUCATION PAY?

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BIG BUILDING BOOM IN THE '50's

A building boom in the '50's is assured and it's likely to be almost twice as big as the present one, says the Kiplinger Letter. Marriages are the major factor in the demand for new houses. Marriages now are at the rate of 1.5 million, yet they justify 1.3 million houses. In the early '60's, 1.8 million houses a year will be needed to accommodate the 2.1 million new marriages.

Texas vegetable growers and others concerned with processing and shipping are cautioned by

Extension Entomologists

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