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Whoa, Now!

By Grady Lackey

Again this week we are happy to publish essays written by SHS students on the needs of our community. This week's essays appear on page 3.

TIS AN ILL WIND . . .

Last week we erroneously reported wind damage to the wrong church house.

'Twas the Steel Hill church building that was damaged by the high winds—not Soldier Mound.

OPEN LETTER TO THE CITIZENS OF SPUR

It has been the purpose of the Spur Fire department for many years to protect the people and property of the Spur trade territory.

We put up passive resistance when dial telephones were proposed for Spur. Now that we are faced with the grim realization that we are going on dial, we feel it is our duty to tell the people of Spur what we are in for.

Your fire department has a fine record in the past due to hard work and fine telephone service by our operators (none better in the world). We know without them, you wouldn't be enjoying a 15 percent good fire insurance credit now.

Our emergency system that has been in effect for many years will be no more. The Spur department has very little choice if we let Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. take all our operators into some office 100 miles away.

Here are our choices: put our alarm system at the city hall, at the hospital, at the city plant or at the police department—then install a bell system in seven firemen's homes. They, in turn, must notify the remaining firemen. All this must be done before we can get the location of a burning home, drowning child, or other many emergency calls answered by police, ambulance and fire department.

The city plant would be unsatisfactory due to excess noise and the plant operator has outside work to do. The hospital would be unsatisfactory also, due to their own emergencies and only a skeleton crew on duty at night. The city hall and police station are not maintained 24 hours a day. To maintain someone on the telephone for 24 hours would be a great expense our city can ill afford to pay.

After checking with a neighboring city having this type of Bell system, we find it has proven very unsatisfactory and that these bells have been out of service as long as 48 hours at a time.

This city has been operating under a much smaller fire credit than you now enjoy.

We invite you, the citizens of Spur, to sign our Petition requesting that Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. maintain an emergency and long distance operator at the Spur Exchange at all times.

If you would like to sign one of these petitions, call 205 or 196, leave your name and address, and a petition will be brought to you. Petitions are located at the city hall, Hoover Motor Co., Bell's Cafe and Allen Auto Supply.

Southwestern Bell Telephone says "You can't stop progress", but we ask you, progress for Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. or for SPUR?

(signed) SPUR FIRE DEPT. Spencer Campbell, Chief
Dr. Joe Alexander, Sec.

CHECK THAT DATE!

Look at the label on your Texas Spur. If the numbers on it are 3-57, it indicates that your subscription expires this month.

If numbers lower than 3-57 are on it, it indicates that your subscription has already expired and the publisher is putting off some of his creditors waiting for you to send in your renewal.

Send in that renewal or come by the office and let us fix it up for you real soon. Don't take a chance on missing a single copy of your favorite home town newspaper.

Nuclear Power Plant Now Operating



The nation's first commercial-size nuclear power plant is now in operation near Lemont, Illinois. The plant, conceived and built by the Argonne National Laboratory for the Atomic Energy Commission, uses uranium fuel to produce the steam that eventually is converted to electric power. Steam is generated in the Experimental Boiling Water Reactor, then is fed directly to the actual power generating equipment which was designed and built by Allis-Chalmers.

Shower Wednesday Lets .23 Of Inch

A brisk shower fell in Spur yesterday following a morning of mist, bring .23 of an inch of moisture. It was the first in any appreciable amount for the month of March.

Skies had cleared by dark, but the area forecast calls for more scattered showers.

The average for March is .85.

Area Youth Take Physical Exams

Forwarded for induction into the Armed Forces through the local draft board in February were Johnnie Ray Nicholson, James Walter Ivy, Jr., Charles Truett Hinnicutt and Homer Ray Randolph.

March inductions include Donald Ray Smith, Jerry Mitchell, Clayton Winfred Perry and Walton Olney Walker.

Forwarded for physical examination in February were Nathan Kenneth Swearingen, Binnie Glenn Dunham, Derrill Dwan King, Lee Tracy Norris, Dudley Don Bradshaw, Bobby Lewis Moore and Patrick Lynn Young.

Those forwarded this month for physical examination include Florentino Pauda Alvarado, Douglas Wayne Grice, Tommy Gene Bass, Don Andrew Maxwell, Loyd Ray Wornack, Bennie Sifuentes, Fred Martinez Cantu and Duane Velay Johnson.

The local draft board reports that seven men will be called for their physical examinations in April and that none will be called for induction.

Mrs. Willie Smith Buried Here Sun.

Funeral services for Mrs. Willie L. Smith, 61, were held at the Spur Church of Christ on Sunday, March 17, 1957. The rites were conducted by R. C. Copeland, assisted by C. V. Allen.

Mrs. Smith was born in Hunt County, Texas, on Aug. 12, 1895. She came to Dickens County in 1904 and had lived at Spur since 1918. On Sept. 12, 1911 she married W. A. Smith who preceded her in death in 1942. She was a member of the Church of Christ in Spur, and died on March 15, 1957.

Pallbearers were Alton Delisle, Ruben Waddell, Jr., Ben Loe, Jack Williams, Harold Karr and Alfred Elkins. Honorary pallbearers were Willie Williams, Edd Williams, Lloyd Hindman, Lillburn Delisle, W. E. Ball, Harvey Holly, Floy Watson and Irving Loe.

Surviving Mrs. Smith is her brother, Dan Pritchett of Spur. Burial was in the Spur cemetery with Campbell's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

TRAINING UNION REVIVAL WINDS UP TONIGHT

The training union revival at First Baptist Church winds up tonight. Mrs. Bob E. Ackshar, T. U. director, reports that a total of 199 have enrolled in the four-day course, with an average attendance of 122.

Special leaders for the course are Mrs. Pat Crawford of Eastland and Mrs. H. R. Tucker of Athens.

Second Polio Shots Monday

The second free polio vaccine shot will be given in Dickens County next Monday, March 25, announces Bob Nunley, superintendent of schools.

The shots are available to everyone under 21 years of age through the joint efforts of the Texas Board of Health, the local March of Dimes, and the volunteer services of local doctors and nurses.

The inoculations will begin at the Spur high school gym at 9 a. m. and will continue through the afternoon.

Foursquare Church Observes Third Year With Week Revival

The Foursquare Gospel Church in Spur is celebrating its third anniversary with an Anniversary Revival all next week. Pete Adcock, pastor, states that the series of meetings will feature a different speaker each evening.

The services will start at 7:30 each evening except Sunday. Sunday evening service is at 7 p. m. Speakers scheduled to appear during the week are as follows:

Sunday, March 24, Mr. Bailey of Knox City; Monday, Evangelist Robinson; Tuesday, Mrs. Byrd of Stamford; Wednesday, Mr. Pierce of Sweetwater; Thursday, Mrs. Walls of Weirnet; Friday, Mrs. Jones of Haskell; Saturday, Mr. Brewer of Rochester; and Sunday, March 31, Mrs. Pool of Hamlin.

It was three years ago this month that the Foursquare Gospel Church was organized here.

Dickens Resident Buried Tuesday

Wiley Morgan Stephens, 85, was buried at Dickens Tuesday, March 19, 1957, with funeral services held at the Dickens Church of Christ. George Calvert of Lubbock officiated.

Stephens was born on March 23, 1871 in Kentucky. He died on March 18, 1957. He came to Texas in 1886 and to Dickens County in 1910, settling at Dickens. He married Ola Street at Cleburne on March 12, 1896. Early in life he was converted to the Christian religion and was a member of the Church of Christ. His wife preceded him in death in 1954.

Pallbearers were Cecil Meadors, Roy Ward, Fred Arrington, Faye Slough, E. V. Arthur, Jim O'Field and Cleo Rogers.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. C. Therris of New Blaine, Ark. and Mrs. Grady Moss of Anton; five sons, Leroy of Sumner, Ill., W. M. Jr. of East St. Louis, Ill., William A. of Duarte, Calif., J. W. of Otton, Tex. and W. J. of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Charles H. Potter of Clayton, N. M. and Mrs. James M. Potter of Dalhart, Texas; a brother, A. A. Stephens of Lubbock; 26 grand children and 27 great grandchildren. One granddaughter, Mrs. Novis Wooley of Belton, Texas, was reared in the Stephens home.

Interment was in the Dickens Cemetery under the direction of Campbell's Funeral Home. Spur.

Spur Keeps Polo Crown

Carl Hudson Will Speak To Chamber Banquet Here Friday

The annual Spur Chamber of Commerce banquet will be held in the Spur high school gym on Friday evening, March 22.

Guest speaker for the occasion is due to be Rev. Carl Hudson, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Jayton. Master of ceremonies will be Alfred Walker.

Again this year a highlight of the banquet will be the naming of the Outstanding Citizen of Spur for 1956. He is to be chosen by a secret committee appointed by the chamber board of directors.

New directors to be introduced and installed at the banquet include W. B. Blair, Doyle Scott,

Local Revival To Continue Thru Sun.

Rev. Dallas D. Denison, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Abilene, is in Spur this week holding revival services at the Spur First Methodist Church.

The local pastor, Rev. Cal C. Wright, reports that the meeting is going well, with good spirit and good attendance thus far.

Services are being held daily at 7:15 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Tomorrow evening's services will begin at 6:45, states Rev. Wright, and will dismiss in ample time for those who wish to go to the chamber of commerce banquet.

The meeting continues through Sunday.

Cancer Drive Set For April 9 Here

The people of Dickens County have been assigned a goal of \$900 in the annual drive for funds to fight cancer, states Earl Murchison, county drive chairman.

Dickens County will join with the rest of Texas on April 9 in observing Texas Cancer Control Day. However, county workers plan to start the drive earlier locally. The study clubs will have booths set up Saturday, April 6. A county-wide door-to-door canvass will be made on April 9.

County officers include Max Eckels, acting county president; Mrs. Murchison, drive chairman; J. H. Taylor, secretary; and Fred Arrington, publicity chairman.

Community chairmen who will recruit their own committees are as follows:

Spur—Mrs. Olan Arthur Highway—Mrs. Forrest Martin Steel Hill—Marion Jordan Wichita—Mrs. Jim Koonsman and Mrs. T. J. Conaway. Pitchfork Ranch—Mrs. John Ballard.

Croton—Mrs. Charlie Gage Afton—Mrs. Clark Forbis McAdoo—Mrs. G. B. Morris Dickens—Mrs. John Sharp Espuela—Jim Barron

GOSPEL MEETING TO BE HELD AT DICKENS CHURCH

There will be a Gospel meeting at the East Side Church of Christ in Dickens beginning Saturday, March 23 at 7:30 p. m., and continuing through March 31. Owen Campbell of Louisiana will do the preaching.

The public is cordially invited to attend each service.

Mary Pearl Hagins has been ill for the past two weeks but is showing some improvement at the present.

Hails Francis was thrown from a horse while riding on her father's farm Sunday afternoon and suffered a broken arm, a broken nose and scratches and bruises. She is getting along nicely but is still sore.



GABRIEL HEADS CAMPUS

CRUSADE FOR FREEDOM

Franklin Gabriel, above, is chairman with Miss Scottie Johnson of the Student Congress committee at Baylor University making plans for a special Crusade for Freedom Week which is being held on the Waco campus this week.

Gabriel is a senior student at Baylor and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gabriel of Spur.

Spur FFA Youths To ACC Monday

Twenty members of the Spur FFA chapter will go to the annual FFA Day at Abilene Christian College next Monday, March 25.

To the local chapter, the special day at ACC is "Stirman Lee Day" here in Spur. Lee is a director of the Abilene school and very generously acts as host to the Spur delegation each year, states VA instructor Bill Gregory.

The boys, accompanied by Lee and Gregory will go to Abilene via school bus. They will go as four judging teams, as follows: Livestock—Dwain Green, Bob Johnson, David Estep, Wayne Davenport.

Grass—Derrill Howell, Jim Gabriel, Jett Conner, Woody McArthur.

Land—Weldon Stanley, Kent Morgan, Jim Bob Horn, Jim Holder.

Poultry—Bubba Bigham, Mike Kearney, Wayne Wright, Buzzy Jones.

Dairy—Freddie Scott, Kenneth Suit, John Foreman, Joe Copeland.

MRS. WESTERMAN IS TAKEN TO DALLAS

Mrs. Bob Westerman was taken to a Dallas hospital for treatment yesterday, Wednesday, March 20. She has been ill several weeks in the Spur hospital. She was taken to Dallas in a Campbell's ambulance and was accompanied by members of her family.

FOURTH SUNDAY SINGING

The Fourth Sunday singing will be held next Sunday at the Dickens Methodist Church, beginning at 2 o'clock.

Dempse Clifton, president, says that everyone is invited to attend and enjoy the fine music.

NEW ARRIVALS

KATHRYN MONETTA was born March 7, 1957, to Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Foard of Afton. She weighed seven pounds and six ounces at birth.

JAY GLENN is the new son of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lackey, Jr. He was born March 16, 1957 and weighed eight pounds and two and a half ounces.

MONTE WELTON was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Spain of Lubbock, March 18, 1957. He weighed six pounds and 12 ounces.

BETTY JEAN is the new-born daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Peak of Afton. She was born on March 18, 1957 and weighed seven pounds and five ounces.

San Angelo Second, Lubbock Third In 3-Day Tournament

THE WINNAH! and still champion of the World is the Dickens County Sheriff's Posse Palmetto Polo team!

The Spur riders rallied after a surprise 16-6 loss to Tom Green County to beat the San Angelo foes 11-10 and then 12-9 for the championship.

The tournament was held here in Spur at the new Swenson Polo Field in the city park. Participants included besides Spur and San Angelo, the Lubbock Rodeo Association, Bernalillo County (New Mex.) Sheriff's Posse, and the Hereford Riders, Inc.

The tournament was the first annual world championship palmetto polo tournament to be sponsored by the American Association of Sheriff's Poses and Riding Clubs. The tournament is to be held each year in the home of the defending champion.

The games last week end opened Friday afternoon with the Dickens County team defeating Hereford 14-9. Later the same afternoon Lubbock walloped the Albuquerque team 28-8.

Saturday morning the Lubbock riders took the field against the Spur boys and took a 9-4 beating, but then again beat Bernalillo County 11-3.

It was game no. 5 before San Angelo took the field, having drawn a bye in the first round and a forfeit in the second. Saturday afternoon, after Dickens had played that morning, the San Angelo team had easy sailing over a fatigued Spur bunch to take a 16-6 win and become the tournament favorite. Earlier that afternoon Lubbock had defeated Hereford 12-3.

After a night's rest and a quick realization of what was happening, the defending champions came out Sunday afternoon with new determination to even the series with San Angelo with a thrilling 11-10 win. That morning the Lubbock team had forfeited

two Colorado Springs, Colo. polo enthusiasts came down to see palmetto polo. Spur style. They were Don Flint and Dick Spencer. Here from Santa Fe, N. M. were William Cruger and Jesse James.

The Bernalillo County Sheriff's Posse was recognized for coming the greatest distance. They traveled the 400-plus miles with 15 players, their horses and many of their families.

Everett McArthur, president of the Dickens County Sheriff's Posse, states that the tournament was a success and that the host club thanks the city, civic clubs, businesses and individuals that helped in any way. He adds that the guests were very complimentary concerning the welcome they received at Spur and everyone had a good time.

NEW MEMBERS ADDED TO POSSE ROSTER

Since last week's report nine members have been added to the Dickens County Sheriff's Posse, bringing the membership to over 110.

New members are Ernest Kearney, D. J. Dyess, M. H. Bragg, Spur Laundry, Bill Glenn, Bill Rucker, Robert Williams, Tang Smith and Spur Super Market.

WORD RECEIVED OF DEATH OF JOE TERRELL

Word was received in Spur yesterday of the death of Joe Terrell, out in California.

Terrell was a former resident of Spur, having been in the shoe shop business. Funeral services were set for today.

Duck Creek Soil Conservation District NEWS NOTES

E. F. Shugart, Chairman
C. P. Witt, Vice-Chairman

Clark Forbis, Secretary
Giles McCarty

Meeting in regular session last Thursday the board of supervisors approved 13 conservation plans. Eight of these plans were farms located in the Spur work unit area which are: McCarty and Lawrence, Bill Wyatt, Harry Martin, C. F. Martin, Jr., Bill A. Davis, Johnny Sploven and C. A. Ward.

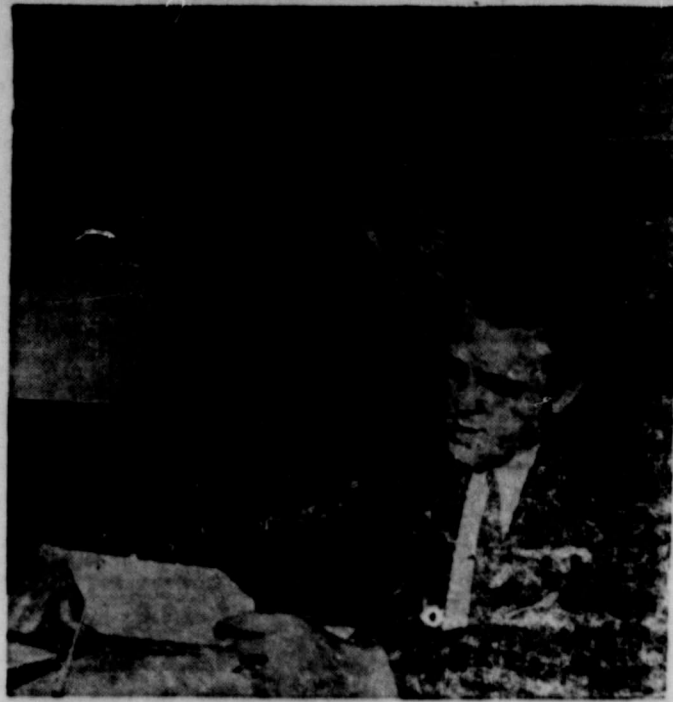
Victor Arrington, recently named the district's top conservation farmer for 1956, is re-designing his irrigation system for more efficient water application. Two additional wells have been completed to supplement three older ones. Conservation cropping systems designed to maintain soil condition and productivity were also worked out in his long-time plans. SCS technicians John H. Taylor and George Stanford assisted Arrington with the plans.

Latest district cooperators to place orders for Arizona Cypress trees are W. A. Ligon, Joe Rose, Fike Goffrey, G. B. Morris, Jack Lawson, Victor Arrington and Guy Karr.

Terrace construction is the number one activity of several cooperators at this time. Included are Carl Grantham, E. R. Robertson, J. B. Morrison and W. F. Ragland.

Cover and small grain crops have made splendid recovery observe SCS technicians. With most of the land put in a rough condition by listing, chiseling, or breaking which is subject to blowing coupled with the land having adequate stubble or cover crops: "We should not have serious blowing unless we have unusually high winds" observed the technicians.





Urging Better Government Legislation

A Senator from the Panhandle and a West-Texas Representative have joined hands in sponsoring one of the 15 anti-secrecy bills requested of the Texas Legislature by the Texas Press Association. Measures advocated by the press stem from recent scandals in Duval County, the Land Office, and in a less spectacular way in several areas of the state. Pictured above are Rep. Howard Green of Fort Worth (standing) and Sen. Andy Rogers of Childress (seated), as they confer on HB 167 and SB 224. Their companion bills require that suits be filed by county and district attorneys for the recovery of misappropriated or unlawfully expended monies belonging to a county, school district or other political subdivision. Should those officials refuse to act, then the Attorney General is empowered to do so.

BANK NOTES by Malcolm

Did you know... MANY BANKS MAINTAIN A COMPLETE TRAVEL SERVICE TO HELP CUSTOMERS MAKE RESERVATIONS AND PLAN ITINERARIES.

HONEST AID
MINNAPAM LINCOLN USED CHECKS, JUST AS MODERN FAMILIES DO TODAY. HE ONCE BOUGHT A PAIR OF GLASSES FOR \$2.50 WITH A CHECK.

FLORA AND FAUNA
MANY BANKS THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY CONDUCT ANNUAL FLOWER SHOWS FOR THE BENEFIT OF CUSTOMERS.

Dry Lake Community News.

Those taking Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ball were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Callihan, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ball and family from Odessa, and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ball of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aston spent Friday and Saturday in Abilene visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rennels and Mrs. Aston's niece, who teach school came over to visit. They are Mr. and Mrs. Jean Webb and Mrs. Jack Tree.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Norman of Dallas visited Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Morgan Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem Parsons drove to Lubbock Sunday afternoon. Their son, Sam, and Curtis were up with their pigs at the Stock Show.

Coy Dopson and son, Donald, Ellis Draper and Don Ramsey drove to Snyder Lake fishing Wednesday. They were met there by Coy's brother, Ben, from Lamesa. The catch was fairly good. Each had a small catch to bring home.

Vacation Bible training school will be held at Crosbyton Methodist Church March 26. It will be an all day meeting. The leaders and teachers are urged to attend this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer Powell and rasy visited Mrs. Horace Nickles in McAdoo Sunday. Mrs. Nickles is slowly improving but her husband, Horace, is in the Crosbyton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Wright Jr. and sisters, Wanda and Barbara, attended the youth meeting Sunday night in the First Methodist Church in Dickens. Also attending the meeting were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Forbes.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wright and family Sunday and over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Haynie of near Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Monroe, and Deborah and Gina of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Applegate, Connie, and Jean.

Mrs. E. J. Lassetter visited Mrs. Bob Pickens Friday p. m.

Miss Betty Cartwright spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Sally Shockley.

We want to thank our road commissioner, Russell Williams, for graveling our much needed gravel road. It is real nice.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Moser and Loarlene of Colorado City spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Morgan.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Lehev and children, Dennis and Lynna had Sunday dinner with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ola Miller.

Guy Karr visited his mother, Mrs. J. L. Karr one day last week and installed a new hot water heater for her.

Mr. E. J. Bilberry visited at the Dry Lake Baptist Church Sunday. He is the father of Bernice Bilberry.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Delisle of Lubbock visited their parents, Mr.

and Mrs. Libura Delisle and Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith Sunday and attended the funeral of Mrs. Willie Smith.

Ineta Kidd had Sunday dinner with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Ola Miller.

Mrs. Menard Skinner of Brownfield came to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernie Barrett last Thursday. She will visit this week too.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Price, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Vernon of Idalou, visited them Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Coy Dopson made some more good homemade pies and took them to her sister-in-law, Mrs. Dewey Johnson, who runs a cafe in Clairemont.

Jane Powell spent Sunday night with Patricia Foreman.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dopson of Lamesa stopped by to see his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Coy Dopson, Sunday night enroute home from Shamrock where they had been to help celebrate St. Patrick's Day.

We welcome Mr. and Mrs. Carl Feaster into our community. They live on the Cowan place, formerly where Mrs. Ethel Ballard lived. Carl works for Buck Ballard.

Miss Joann Foreman spent Sunday night with Miss Nancy Powell.

Mrs. Vernie Barrett and daughter, Mrs. Leonard Skinner, visited Mrs. Willie Allen and Miss Betty Cartwright, Friday after-

Milestones in Medicine by Marquette Clark

Poison gas, a menace in war, saves lives during peace. Nitrogen mustard reduces the white blood cell count in leukemia and prolongs many lives. B.A.L. (British anti-lewisite) saves victims of arsenic and bichloride of mercury poisoning. DFP, another British war gas, relieves the eye disease—glaucoma.

In 1918, a woman patient at Johns Hopkins Allergy Clinic found that when she took Dramamine her hives improved. At the same time, her street car sickness disappeared. Later, the drug was tried on soldiers aboard the army's roughest transports; of those who took it in advance, not one was sick. Today, Dramamine helps millions of people who suffer from motion sickness.

To fit gas masks and war helmets correctly, the Chemical Warfare Service developed the Facometer which takes 60 different head measurements on ten "average" male heads cast in bronze. In peacetime, the device is used for fitting eyeglasses, artificial teeth, hats, goggles, eye shields, and telephone headsets.

noon.
Mrs. T. O. Bingham had Sunday dinner with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Bingham.

Mrs. Willie Allen went to the doctor for a check-up Monday afternoon. She is slowly improving.

Many friends and neighbors of this vicinity attended the funeral of Mrs. Willie Smith Sunday afternoon in the Church of Christ in Spur. Mrs. Smith was a former resident of this community and had many friends. Our sympathy goes out to the loved ones who are left to mourn her passing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Karr and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice Bilberry and family, attended a worker's conference at the Friendship Church in Spur Monday night.

Mrs. John Aston, Mrs. Coy Dopson and Mrs. E. J. Lassetter attended the revival at First Methodist Church in Spur Monday night.

Last year more than 75,000 persons died of cancer who might have been saved by earlier diagnosis and treatment. Fight cancer by having a checkup and giving a check to the ACS Cancer Crusade. Help save more lives.

Cancer will at some time strike one in every four Americans, according to present estimates. Thus the fight of the American Cancer Society directly concerns 40,000 Americans now living. Give to the 1937 Cancer Crusade.



Ingrid Bergman

Ingrid Bergman has received the academy award nomination as best actress of the year for her role in "Anastasia". "Anastasia", a strange mixture of fact and fiction, which abounds in poignant love, mystery, intrigue and, above all, outstanding characterizations, opens Sunday at the Palace Theatre. The superb performances of Ingrid Bergman, Yul Brynner and Helen Hayes rate "Oscars" without equivocation and the supporting cast, down to the smallest role, is undoubtedly the finest seen here in years.

The picture, whose fascinating theme is drawn from the tenuous but persistent beliefs that the youngest daughter of the last Russian Czar survived the Revolution, has every dimension, from poverty to regal splendor, from rain-swept Paris streets through the famous Tivoli Gardens in Copenhagen, from luxurious ballrooms to colorful night clubs. It was produced with impeccable taste by Buddy Adler in CinemaScope and brilliant color by DeLuxe, and directed with perfection by Anatole Litvak.

The story opens during Easter services in front of the Greek Orthodox Church in Paris. A be-

wildered, sick and bedraggled woman (Ingrid Bergman), is found by ex-General Bounine (Yul Brynner), who believes he can pawn her off as Anastasia, Grand Duchess of Russia, and claim the 10 million pounds the late Czar left in the Bank of England for his heirs. Anastasia is led carefully through a rehabilitation and training program emerging a beautiful and captivating person. After the General accomplishes this metamorphosis, he moves to get his charge an audience with the Dowager Empress (Helen Hayes) to recognize her as the real heirless in a most suspenseful finale that leaves a rich afterglow of delightful remembrance.

that the public so well knows from "The King and I." His performance is not only commanding but is played with all the nuances his most critical admirers would wish.

As for Helen Hayes, her interpretation is one of dignity and strength and is deeply moving in all its aspects. She rises to great heights with Miss Bergman in the famous "recognition" scene.

"Anastasia" is a beautiful, masterful work of which the motion picture industry can be justly proud.

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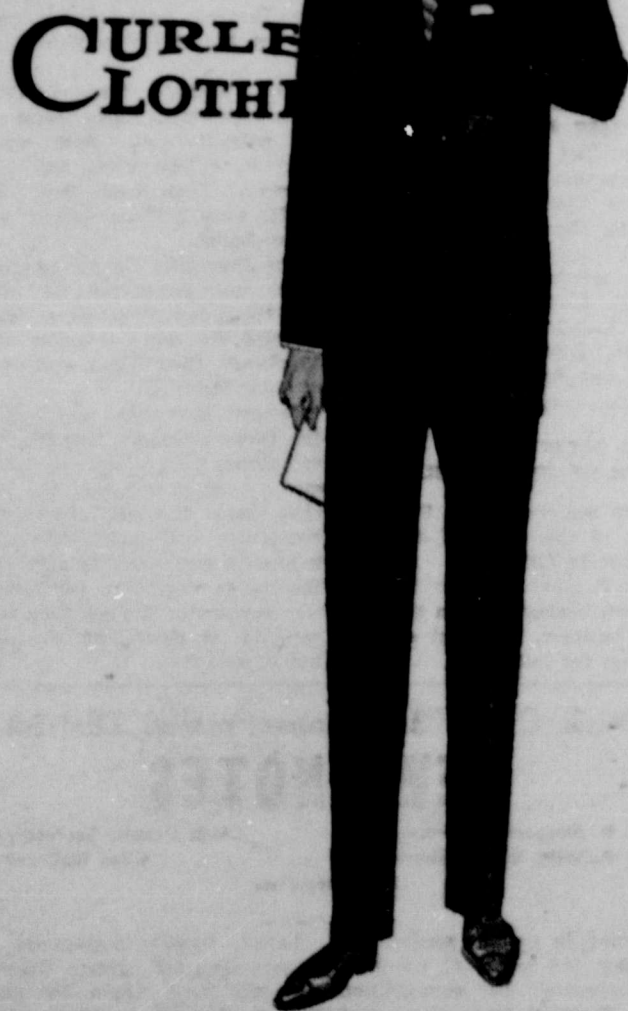
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Spur Students Express Needs Of Community

By James Gordon

What do you know about your city's government? Is Spur classified as a city, town, or village? Is Spur's government a mayor-council system? What does the state have to do with Spur? Does Spur have a city charter or does it have municipal home rule? Do you help with the elections and know how they are held? Are you one who votes in every election? Do you have any ideas what the youth of Spur are thinking and doing?

If you say Spur is a city, you are right, but do you know why? A city is a governmental unit created by the state. The United States Bureau of the Census classifies as a city all places that are incorporated with at least two thousand five hundred inhabitants.

There may be only a few people who know what type of city government Spur has. Spur has the mayor-council form system but in Spur it is referred to as mayor-alderman system. "The mayor-council form is the oldest and still the most widely used type. Its major features are a council to make law and a mayor with more or less power to enforce them." (1). The aldermen or councilmen are elected by the city's voters for a term of two years and the mayor is elected by the same method and length of term. He votes only to break a tie and his veto may be overruled by a two-thirds vote of the council.

The state has very much to do with Spur, and a city is a legal subdivision of the state. Just like all units of local government, cities are created by the state, responsible to the state, and get their powers from the state. The Iowa Supreme Court said in 1868, "Cities owe their origin to, and derive their power and rights wholly from the legislature. It breathes into them the breath of life, without which they could not exist. As it creates, so it may destroy. If it may destroy, it may abridge and control."

Actually there are only a very few people in Spur who know about the city charter. By an act of the state legislature in 1951, a bill was passed stating that only cities of five thousand residents may obtain a city charter. What Spur has is a home rule and that is really a co-operation charter. Through this charter, Spur is given things it can act upon by powers delegated by the state legislature. The laws that govern a co-operation like Spur are the general ones passed by the legislature. To put it simply, all of the bills passed by the legislature are observed in Spur with the exception of one concerning directly individuals, firms, or other things of that nature.

Most people know the general purpose behind the local primaries: to select candidates for the final election. But what goes on before the final election and the local primaries are held? Here in America there are five ways an office seeker may get on the primary ballot.

First he may announce himself as a candidate. Second, there may be a party caucus to decide who the party will back in the pri-

mary. Third, he may be chosen by a delegated convention in which delegates are sent to nominate their candidate. This system is usually used for the state and national nominations. Fourth, by the direct primary, which is actually an election in which the party members choose the party's candidate for office. Fifth, he may be nominated by petition. This way a petition is circulated and if enough signatures are attached he may receive a nomination.

In the last presidential election only sixty million of the one hundred million eligible voters voted. Were you one of the sixty million? If you were, you probably listened to the candidate's speeches, read about them, and got to know them fairly well before you placed your X beside his name on the ballot. By doing these things before voting on an issue, you vote as a well-informed and capable voter, but if you don't inform yourself about each candidate and his views, you may vote against something you're in favor of. Do you know when the next election in Spur is? It is April 2, 1957.

Some Saturday as you drive down main street of town, look about you and see what the younger generation is doing. You will probably see them in the show or standing out front looking for something to do. Maybe you see them go to the pool hall to shoot a game of snooker, or play "moon" or dominoes. They may be at the Dog Stand or Snack Shack drinking cokes and listening to the jukebox. Why? This is all there is to do and you can see that after a time, this would get boring.

You may have heard about the youth center that is being talked about. Even if we did have one, all of our problems might not be answered. It would help a great deal more than most of us realize. A place to meet the gang and to do something in their spare time would help in getting them off the street and back into the churches.

If you could not answer at least six of the seven questions asked in the first paragraph, then do you consider yourself a good citizen and an asset to Spur? There could be plenty of money and everything the city needs, but if the citizens of the city did not know how the government of the city functions, there would really be a muddle which would be a lot worse than you think. So before you start complaining that the city needs this and the city needs that, make sure you are an informed citizen. The city needs an informed, interested, and intelligent citizenry before it needs anything else.

By Del Dewees

"There is always need for improvement", is a statement that I have heard and understood since I was a boy. Spur is a nice, clean, small town, but, like any other, it always has room for improvement. Each one of us today has a responsibility of doing our part to make Spur a better place in which to live.

I think that to make Spur a better city, we need to protect the future of the city. By this I mean

to establish something here that will create an interest and not let our city die. The fact is that Spur needs an industry. This could be very possible if we have a sufficient supply of water. It won't be very long until we, as citizens of Spur, will be called upon to decide if we want our city to participate in the "White River Dam Project". There is already a lot of opposition to this project.

Most of you realize that as soon as a student finishes Spur High School he leaves for college or to go off to work. Think of what our community is losing. The young people are the future backbone of our city. We need to keep them here. This White River Dam Project could offer many possibilities to a young businessman because these vocational opportunities there would also be nice recreational facilities, pretty scenery, and other places of interest that would benefit our community.

I think that this river project is a break that our city needs and deserves. Think before you voice your opinion, and I think that you will do the right thing and our city and its citizens will benefit greatly from it.

Another issue that we as citizens of Spur will come in contact with soon, is the Youth Center. This project can and will certainly build up our community if it is handled in the right manner and by the right people. If it isn't, it might be a disgrace to our city and community.

I will not enlarge on my own personal opinion of this matter. However, I will say that I have given lots of thought to the idea and I believe that it will be successful if we as citizens of Spur want it to be. Again, all I ask you to do is to think it over very seriously, and I believe you will make the right decision.

By Jodie Conway

The lack of civic interest is a liability to any community. People are prone to leave civic responsibilities to the other fellow. When something goes wrong, it is invariably the fault of someone else. Many civic functions are a failure because someone skips out or because too many take the attitude "I won't be missed", or "That's none of my business".

Civic interest is merely civic-mindedness. People should be interested in the management of their community and know where they stand. Those who are the most uninterested are those who are the most usually displeased or misled about something.

In a democracy, people are expected to think about important civic, economical, and political matters. When they become too disinterested to do so, they are in danger of taking their opinions ready-made from newspapers, advertisements, and political speeches. This is a problem which educators and sociologists are called upon to solve. They must induce people to carry their responsibilities as citizens of a modern democracy.

Whole communities have been

known to lose their assets, such as schools and churches, and dwindle away from the lack of civic interest, and children have been the greatest losers. They need to find a sense of belonging in their own geographical community. Without the interests of civic-minded people, this is impossible.

If our present youth, the only hope for restoring community interests, has no example to follow, they, too, will lose civic interest and the hope of unified community interests will be gone forever.

When a problem such as this reaches the point of affecting a people, a locality, or possibly, a whole nation, the time has come for something to be done about correcting the situation. Being interested and active in civic undertakings is not only our responsibility, but our duty.

By Ann Austin

To be a good citizen you should start at home by being kind and considerate. You should do your part to make your home a better place to live by doing your share of work and helping one another. Also you should listen to the other person's side of an argument because you could be wrong. Never take your parents for granted just because they do lots of things for you, you should try to gradually take over those things and do them for yourself.

Another step to good citizenship is while you are driving always let the other person have the right-of-way. You should obey all traffic laws. Also think clearly and keep your head.

When you are working is a good time to practice good citizenship. Always respect your employer. Respect his judgment and decisions. Do your part of the work because he is paying you to do so. Do your work as well as you can.

To be a good citizen at school you should respect your teachers, principals, and the superintendent. You should always try to do right and do what the person over you wants you to do. Never throw papers and other kind of waste materials on the floor. When going down the hall you should quietly walk, trying not to stop traffic or make the person in front of you hurry. You should supply your own needs, such as paper, pencils, etc.

To be a good citizen on a farm is fairly easy. Tending to your own business is a good place to start. Of course, you should consider your neighbor. Never let your line stock run or graze on another person's land or on the roads. You should build your ditches, tanks, and terraces where it will not ruin other land next to you.

Good citizenship on the telephone is nice and fairly easy. Many persons talk for hours while another person may be in real need of the telephone, especially on party lines. Be courteous to the operator because she is doing her best to please you. As a grown person you should obey all laws and try to enforce them. You should pay taxes, vote and respect your national defense. A young boy can prove to be a good citizen by joining one branch of our national defense. You should try to build up national friendship with all countries that you ever visit. Always be ready to work for peace, right, and freedom.

These are only a few hints on being a good citizen but they have a lot of meaning and nearly every good citizen tries to do each of them along with a lot more other things. It pays to be a good citizen.

By Jimmy Holder

In order to improve our community we must be interested in our community, which can be defined as a group of people depending on one another. We have strictly an agricultural community here in Spur, and a great deal of its resources come from agriculture. Most businesses depend on the farmer.

Churches are important to any community in keeping a good, clean and moral town. Spur is fortunate in having good churches. They should stress more the helping of all who live in our community.

We have projects that need help because they do not have sufficient funds to keep them in good financial order. We can give of our time in helping in any way possible. Our hospital has been greatly helped by voluntary helpers such as the NIRS and Ladies Auxiliary. People should be willing and waiting to help in any of our drives for worth-while causes, such as Red Cross, March of Dimes, Cemetery Workings and many others. Our splendid Volunteer Fire Department is a good example of giving of our services for the betterment of our community.

Our community needs a good educational program in bringing some of our citizens up-to-date.

Some of them are still living thirty years behind the times, and, in their opinion, what was good enough for them is still good enough for now.

Our city government is picked by the voters. The Mayor and Councilmen should be chosen for their willingness and ability to see ahead in building Spur into a bigger and better place to live and not because they want to get in office to carry out their own wishes.

Spur needs a more adequate water supply. This would help us to attract industries that would create a payroll in our community. New industries would provide employment for many who need it because of the drought. This would help the merchants by giving more buying power. Our city government and chamber of commerce are trying to secure this at the present time.

Spur is now one of the few places in Texas that still burns butane for fuel. We could have been among the natural gas users if only we had had progressive leaders and a community to back them up. We can not attract industries until we do have it.

Many of the young people feel we need a properly supervised Youth Center. The Student Council of our High School has done some planning on this with our Chamber of Commerce recently.

Many of the high school boys would like for the community to secure a sponsor for the Knights of the Road Club recently organized. This club stresses traffic regulations and promotes safer driving. In many communities, some motor company provides the meeting place, and the local highway or law enforcement officer directs the group.

We need more paved streets, larger and better equipped school buildings, and enforced sanitary conditions. Many of these things are being done at the present time. Sewer lines are now being laid in the part of our town where the Negroes live. This will improve the health conditions of our entire community.

To finance the building of school buildings, the people will have to be willing to sacrifice and to have faith enough in the future of our community to vote bonds to pay for them.

One important way to improve Spur would be for everyone to trade with their home town merchants instead of going to larger towns to buy the things offered for sale in Spur. These towns do not pay taxes here or help our community in any way.

Spur has some of the best people in the world and we must all work together for the betterment of all, for whether we realize it or not, we do depend on each other.

By Lanelle Marcy

As a teenage citizen of Spur, I am very pleased to have this opportunity to express my views concerning the improvement of my city. I think it is the duty of both young and old to help improve and keep clean our little community.

Spur has numerous advantages as well as some disadvantages. We should emphasize its advantages more instead of always thinking about the disadvantages. Of course we, as individuals, should always be striving to improve our town, but we must always be proud of the good things it already contains. What we have is very good and what we need is not impossible to obtain.

Belonging is one of the many good qualities of our community, whereas in the big cities you are considered just one tiny cog in a big wheel. You can be very talented among millions of other talented people, yet you will not be useful to others or to yourself. For example, in small churches more people have the chance to serve and to be closer to the one they believe in than others in large congregations. We are very lucky in this respect. We should take advantage of our opportunities to help each other.

Strangers coming into our town should be treated with courtesy and friendliness. Let's be proud of our town and try to make others happy they came to visit us.

Most of our streets and roads are in very good condition, but others are in dire need of attention. When it rains, our unpaved roads are hazardous to everyone. We need to prevent accidents instead of tempting them. As a whole our streets are kept very clean and I am sure everyone is very pleased about this fact.

People often talk about times when they were in school. Our high school was good enough for them so why isn't it good enough for us? It is true that we didn't get the new school building that we so badly needed, but that still does not keep us from needing it. If you could only visit our high school and junior high school you could see how crowded we are. Visitors are always welcome at our high school.

Again, speaking as a teenager, I think the youth of our town need a youth center very badly. This would help to eliminate the danger of juvenile delinquency entirely. Our town is lucky to have a few problems with youth as it does, considering that the young people have practically no place to go for wholesome recreation.

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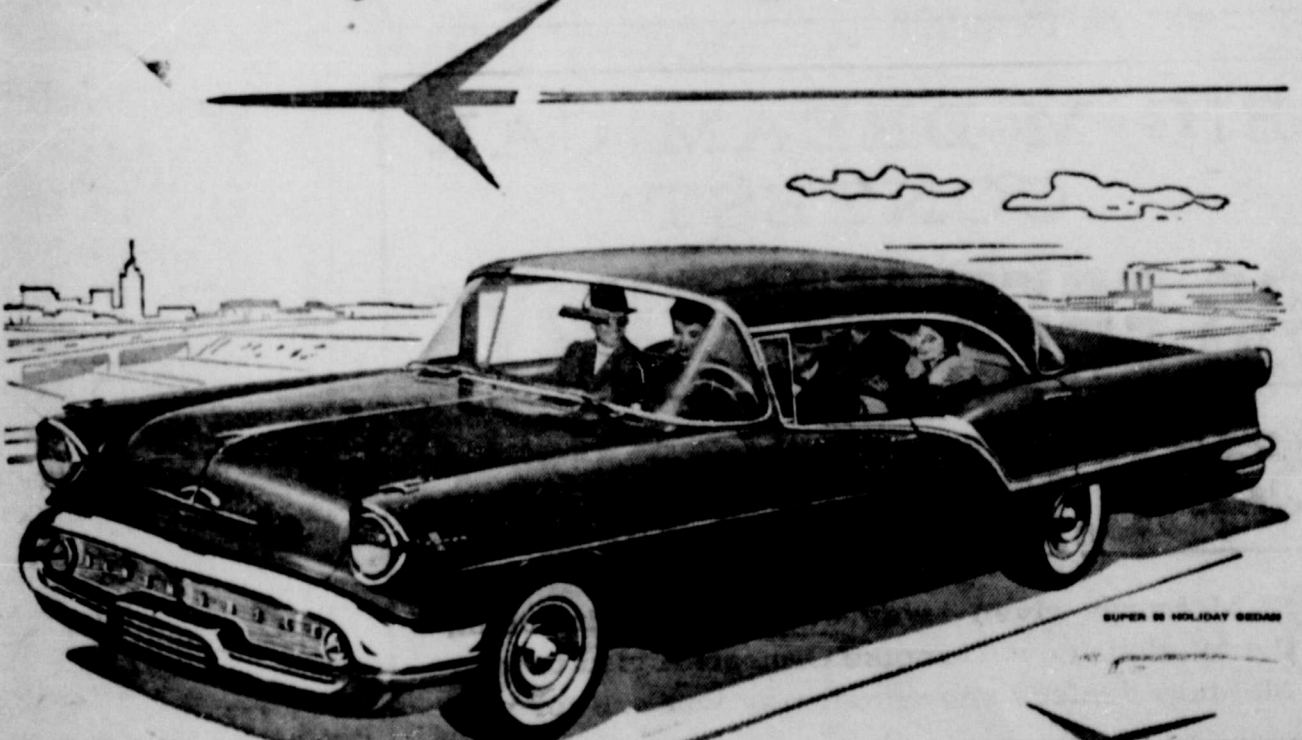
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Engagement Told Of Janie Alexander

The engagement and forthcoming marriage of Miss Janie Janelle Alexander to Ronald Dean King is being announced by her mother.

Miss Alexander is the daughter of Mrs. Marge Carlisle and Dr. Bob Alexander. Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Mr. and Mrs. Monroe King of Shamrock.

Miss Alexander is presently employed in Lubbock. He is a senior student at West Texas State College in Canyon.

The wedding date has not been set.

Dry Lake Ladies Enjoy Quilting

The Dry Lake H D Club met with Mrs. J. B. Karr Wednesday, March 13 at 1:30 p. m. There was no business meeting. Three members and one visitor and the hostess pieced a quilt block and had a real visit until 4:00 when the hostess had charge of games. Home-made ice cream and angel food cake were served to Meses. Archer Powell, Ivy McMahan, E. J. Lasseter and one visitor, Mrs. Coy Depson. The next meeting will be an all day quilting, March 27, in the home of Mrs. E. J. Lasseter. A covered dish lunch will be served.

Crawford - Jackson, Vows Read Feb. 7

The former Miss Joy Crawford of Carvell, Arkansas and Bob Jackson of Dickens, Texas were married February 7 in Ft. Worth, Texas. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Crawford of Carvell.

After the wedding, the Jacksons spent two weeks with the groom's father, D. F. Jackson, in Dickens, Texas and then flew to Arkansas to spend one week with the bride's parents.

Mr. Jackson, who is in the Air Force, has returned to Texas and left for California on March 7 enroute to Okinawa for an eight-month tour. He and Mrs. Jackson hope to be reunited in Okinawa within three months.

Birthday Picnic Fetes Patsy Powell

Mrs. Archer Powell honored her little girl, Patsy, Saturday with a picnic. She took 16 girls on a hay ride, letting them hunt and play in the sand. They were gone about five hours out on the creek and in the pastures. Those helping Patsy celebrate her birthday were: Martha Ann Campbell, Kathy Williams, Jan Parsons, Carol Ann Bilberry, Eulalia Smith, Patricia Foreman, Larry Powell, Roy Dan Bilberry, Terry and Joe Don Sulita, Timmy Karr, Linda Denson, Paula Bateman, Cheryl Hart, and Jane Powell, and the hostess, Patsy Powell.

Girl Scouts

Members of Girl Scout Troop XI met in the scheduled place on Tuesday, March 12 and 17 to continue work on hostess and arts and crafts badges.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Mrs. Clyde Bearden was admitted to the hospital on March 14 and was dismissed March 15.

Mrs. Sam Battles was admitted on March 13.

Sylbestre Luna of Jayton entered the hospital March 14 and was dismissed last Sunday.

On March 15 Mrs. Jackson Powell was admitted, and was released the following day.

Mrs. E. E. Gruben of Girard entered the hospital March 16 and left the following day.

Diana Welch of Dickens was admitted and dismissed March 16. On March 17 Mrs. Malissie Peack of Girard was admitted.

Mrs. A. Q. Smelser was admitted March 16 and dismissed on March 17.

The Culpepper Circle of the First Baptist WMU brought wash cloths to the hospital. These were surely needed and are appreciated.

Mrs. Nora F. Lahman brought flowers Monday for the patients. The patients and staff both appreciated these.

Soldier Mound club women are making wrappers for the hospital this week.

Bill Gregory and the SHS FFA boys were out again this week putting out the rest of the shrubs. All of these voluntary services work together toward making our hospital a success.

Dry Lake WMU Has Bible Study

The ladies of Dry Lake WMU met in the home of Mrs. Ellis Draper Monday afternoon for their Bible study. The subject of the lesson was "Believing and Achieving". Two new members, Mrs. Sam Gannon and Mrs. Roy Marshall were present. Mrs. Fred Sonnamaker had joined at a previous meeting.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bernice Bilberry on April 1. The program will be from the Royal Service book.

Mrs. Draper served refreshments to Meses. J. B. Karr, Sam Bass, Ola Miller, Bernice Bilberry, Raymond Smith, Lem Parsons, Jim Price and three new members, Meses. Sam Gannon, Roy Marshall and Fred Sonnamaker.

GIRARD NEWS

Visiting Sunday week with Mrs. George Perry were her son and family Vol Perry and Mr. and Mrs. Pharr. Mrs. Vol Perry parents of Lovington, N. M. also Mrs. H. L. McMillian and family of Lubbock. A granddaughter of Mrs. Perry's.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luna of Abilene were visiting with the M. L. Lunas Sunday week.

Last Monday night Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rudder drove to Rotan to visit Mr. Mark Code who has been very ill for some time and is in the hospital at Rotan.

Mrs. B. G. Smith who has been receiving treatment in the hospital in Houston since early January was transferred to Galveston hospital last week. Mrs. Smith is a sister of Mrs. Frank Gale of Gilpin and Bill and Peat White of Girard.

Mr. Wes Jones is receiving treatment in the Sanatorium near San Angelo. We are all wishing a speedy recovery for Mr. Jones.

The family of Gray Brooks and Mrs. Ed Brooks received word Saturday that Mrs. Harry Smith had passed away. We understand she will be laid to rest in the Sweetwater cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Smith spent Sunday with relatives in Plainview then motored to Hereford Monday.

Mrs. R. Z. Chisum and girls visited with her mother, Mrs. Bural Saturday.

Those enjoying the birthday party for Martha Kay, given by her mother Mrs. Orwin Stephens Wednesday 13 were Mike Turner, Johnie Stephens, Brenda Cooper, and Cathy Swaringen and the

Mrs. Walker is Bagby Circle Host

Serving soft drinks and cookies to the 12 members as they arrived, Mrs. A. M. Walker was hostess to the Bagby Circle of the WMU Monday, March 18. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. John Adams. Mrs. Shockey brought the opening prayer. At a brief business session the minutes were read and approved and a motion was made and passed to give \$5.00 to the Annie Armstrong Mission offering.

Mrs. Walker brought the mission lesson, using two chapters from the book "Home Missions, U. S. A." by Courts Redford. Mrs. Dobbins gave the closing prayer.

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Mrs. Hag Jones brother of T. A. Bailey is spending some time in the Convalescent home in Spur and seems to be doing fine. Wednesday afternoon seemed like old times again we had quite a bit of sand blowing.

Mrs. M. A. Darden has been having trouble with an abscessed tooth but after three trips to the doctor she is much improved.

Mrs. George Willis visited with Mrs. Fred McGahn Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Cecil Hagar received word her sister, Mrs. G. C. Oliff was in the hospital some time is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Lee recently returned from Denver, Colorado after spending a week with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lee.

Sorry to report both Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Nance have been ill with the Flu the past week.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arlen Roper and family from Quanah visited the Alvin Ropers over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Carr and family of Petersburg were visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bailey.

Robert Allison of College Station visited Maxine Reed over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bolton, Ladora, and Sharon spent the week end in Childress with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Clements.

Mr. and Mrs. Otha Smith visited three days this week in Seagraves with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Smith and family. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Ward spent Sunday in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ward and girls.

Rev. James Tydenburg of Hardin Simmons filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday. The Daughters of Dorcas met at the Baptist Church March 12, in Dumont. The meeting was opened by Mrs. J. M. Park reading I John, 1 to 15. Maxine Reed gave the devotional. Roll call was answered and minutes read. Motion was made and carried to order two new books for the library. A discussion was held to decide to help some Indian children in Arizona. Mrs. Elmer McCombs held a Bible quiz. He Keeps Me Singing was sung by the group. "Jezabel and the Widow of Zarepath" was given by Mrs. G. L. Necker. Out of the book "All Women of the Bible," Mrs. J. M. Park is to have charge of the next program. Mrs. V. M. Hand will bring the devotional.

SPUR HIGH SCHEDULE

- Thursday 21 — FFA Parents Night, 7:30 East Ward
- Friday 22 — Choir Rehearsal 7:00
- Saturday 23 — Choir Contest, Brownfield, Lockney Track
- Monday 25 — Abilene FFA Judging Team
- Tuesday 26 —
- Wednesday 27 —
- Thursday 28 — Baptist Sr. Banquet
- Friday 29 — Jr. High 8th Grade Banquet
- Saturday 30 — Golf 2 p. m. Floydada
- Volleyball Jr. and Sr. High Girls, Floydada

LIBRARY NOTES

The Library committee wishes to thank Johnny Floyd and Mrs. A. M. Walker for more than 20 books given to the library last week. Three new sets of shelves have been put in the library during the last month. This is about seventy feet of shelf space. One particular gift of value is an autographed copy of "Through the Years; A History of Crosby County" by Mmes. Spikes and Witt of Lubbock and Ralls. Many Spur people will be interested in knowing this book. It presents short biographies of many Crosby County people.

Mahon Reports Outcome Of Poage Cotton Bill Is Still Uncertain

Rep. George Mahon of the 19th District has reported from Washington that the controversy over the Poage cotton bill will continue for several weeks and that the outcome is uncertain.

Dates for further hearings have not been set. Mahon said figures prepared by the Department of Agriculture show that if the Poage bill is enacted into law it will cost the 19th Congressional District of Texas 118,000 acres of cotton allotment next year, channeling the acres into East and Central Texas.

This would result from changing the base period for allotments from the previous five years as in the present law to the previous three years, Mahon explained. The Congressman and representatives of the Plains Cotton Growers pointed this out in testimony before the House Committee on Agriculture last week.

One provision of the Poage bill would require the Department of Agriculture to establish a special loan on light spotted cotton. West Texans have been working for a light spot loan program for a long time. The Secretary of Agriculture now has the authority under the present law to establish such a program.

In order to take the light spot issue out of the area of controversy, Mahon has introduced a separate bill which provides for a loan on light spot cotton but which omits the objectionable provisions of the Poage bill. Mahon said he would work for a settlement of the controversy which would include elimination of all provisions of the Poage bill which are discriminatory toward West Texas.

The Congressman pointed out that our cotton problems are national in scope and that no good purpose was being served by proposals reopening the cotton allotment fight between East and West Texas.

Mahon said he had received much helpful information in regard to the cotton acreage controversy from various farm organizations and farmers in West Texas and that he was presenting it to the House Committee on Agriculture. He said that he would keep West Texas farm groups advised of developments on the pending legislation.

Girard News

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Long and Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Wills Long and Darrell, are spending the week in Glenwood, Ark. visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Long and other relatives. Janis did not go with her parents as she is spending the week with Charlene Rudder.

Those enjoying a game of 42 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kimmell last Tuesday night were Mr. and Mrs. John Boland and Jimmie Lee, the Pat Sherrers, Louis Williams and children, the Fred McGahos, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Wright of Spur and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Kimmell and son of Dickens.

Farmers Need Age, Wage Proof

Farmers who are giving up the operation of their farms and intend to apply for old-age insurance benefits, should bring the necessary proofs to support their claims with them when they visit the Social Security Administration birthday and is making a claim offered today by Mr. Hutton, manager of the Lubbock social security office.

"If you have proof of age and earnings with you when you come to the office it will speed up the processing of your claim and make a return visit unnecessary," Mr. Hutton pointed out. A farmer when he retires and applies for old-age benefits will need extra copies of his 1955 and 1956 income tax returns, proof of age, his social security tax receipts for 1955 and 1956, and his social security account number card.

For a self-employed farmer making a claim for old-age insurance benefits proof of earnings is a "must." He should bring along a cancelled check, money-order stub, or some other evidence to show that his income tax returns for 1955 and 1956 were filed with the District Director of Internal Revenue.

If his wife has passed her 62nd birthday and is making a claim for old-age benefits at the same time, it is important that she, too, bring along proof of age. A birth certificate, established at the time of birth, is the best proof of age. However, if you do not have one, don't put off filing your claim for that reason, Mr. Hutton says. Usually, people have other papers around the house that will serve as adequate proof of age. Such documents, in order of acceptability are: baptismal certificate; census registration; hospital record; foreign church or government record; signed statement by attending physician or midwife; family Bible, naturalization, immigration, military, or vaccination record; insurance policies, or a marriage record, which shows age or date of birth. "The older the document, the better the proof," Mr. Hutton declares. A representative from the Lubbock Social Security office will be in Dickens on March 27 at 9:30 a. m. at the Courthouse.

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Mrs. J. B. Warren of Seymour visited here Sunday and Monday with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Gunter.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson of Cone were weekend guests of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mitchell and granddaughters, C. Evelyn and La Ree Mitchell of Paradox, Colo. visited here from Friday through Tuesday, with their parents, J. C. Mitchell and Mrs. Sallie Phiffer and with a daughter and family

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thacker.

Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Davis of Dallas were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jones of Rotan were here Thursday looking after business.

Mesdames Newton Fletcher, Frank Ferguson and Miss Gladys Peck attended Friendship night of the Eastern Star, at Turkey, Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Harmon and children of Quitaque visited here with relatives and friends Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper looked after business in Amarillo, Monday.

W. H. Rigaby returned Sunday from a visit in Lubbock with her daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Wilhite who accompanied her home.

Harold Johnson and children, Jimmy, Tom and Mary Jane of Post were weekend guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnson. They also visited with the children's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Palmers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Smallwood and daughter, Mrs. Joyce Reese and children of Spur were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Smallwood.

Sunday guests of the Horace Gibsons were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Manley and children, Rev. and Mrs. Tommy Shannon of Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Edwards and Mrs. Jean King and daughter of Edmondson.

Mrs. Caldwell Smith and daughter Mitchell and Mrs. Melton Thacker looked after business in Lubbock Thursday and Friday.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rice were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Rice of Brownwood and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Jarrett of Lubbock.

Claud Phipps of Vernon, Arizona visited here from Friday through Tuesday with his mother Mrs. Sallie Phipps and other relatives.

Bobby Campbell, of Lubbock, spent the weekend here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Verter Shirley of Halfway were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Braselton.

Mr. and Mrs. John Huffstutler and granddaughter, Miss Johnnie June Anderson of Lubbock, visited here Sunday with Mrs. Martin Smith and Mrs. Hazel Bridges.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Mize and daughter Sandra of Amarillo were Sunday guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duran.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. King, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cooper, and Mmes. Newton Fletcher and Melton Thacker attended Friendship night of the Eastern Star at Matador Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Godfrey were called to Lubbock, Friday to the bedside of his father G. L. Godfrey, who is a patient in a Lubbock hospital suffering from a fall. Mr. Godfrey lived here many years before moving to Lubbock, and has many friends here.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Duff Green were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Maxey and daughters, Ora Beth, Jane and Diane, and a friend Noel White of Post, Mr. and Mrs. John Kirksey and daughters, Jan and Ann of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Lan- Sinclair and children David and Terry of Abernathy also a granddaughter Mrs. William Graham and daughter Vicki of Graham.

Mrs. James Allen and children of White Deer, and Mrs. Gilbert Sedgwick and children of Cloud visited here Wednesday and Thursday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Osborn and son Larry of Lubbock visited in Duncan Flat during the weekend with her parents the C. L. Sedgwick and with Patsy and Eddy Robinson.

Mrs. Mary Crauston of Abilene was a recent guest of her sister, Miss Beas Medlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Watson and children and Mr. and Mrs. George Vandell and Mollie visited in Plainview during the weekend with relatives.

Mrs. Delores Mitchell of Dallas and Mrs. Mary Young of Amarillo were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thacker.

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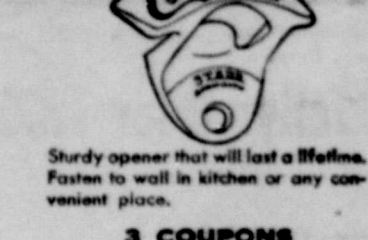
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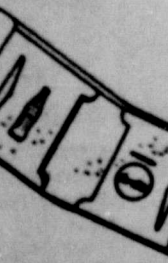
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A field research worker examines cotton freed of grass infestations with spot applications of dalapon. Grass at left and in the background offers comparison between treated and untreated land.

Spot treatment applications of dalapon are now being recommended for the control of Johnson grass and other weed grasses in cotton, Dr. A. J. Watson reports. Watson is in charge of the field agricultural research station of The Dow Chemical Company in Greenville, Mississippi.

Dalapon has been tested by agricultural experiment stations in cotton producing states. In January the chemical's use in cotton was accepted by federal regulatory agencies. On this basis the chemical will be sold with directions for the spot treatment application in cotton printed on the label. Dalapon is marketed under the trademark, Dowpon.

The spot treatment method has been developed during years of research in the Cotton Belt by Dow and agricultural experiment stations. With this method, scattered clumps of grass are thoroughly wet with the spray. The chemical is taken in by the plant and kills from within the plant's system—ensuring effective grass control.

Cotton wet by the spray may be injured or killed as well as the grass, Watson points out. However, this loss is usually no greater than that from repeated hoeings, he says, and the Johnson

grass is killed rather than just "beaten back". The spot treatment consists of a three-spray program. First application is made when cotton is about two to three inches high and Johnson grass is six to 12 inches tall. The two additional treatments follow at two to four week intervals as needed to control regrowth or plants that were missed before. Applications can be made either with power or hand-type sprayers.

Watson points out that the cost of chemical treatment compares very favorably with the cost of hoeing cotton. The greater value of the dalapon treatment program is that this method kills the entire grass plant while hoeing gives only a temporary setback.

"For the first time farmers can now start moving toward the eradication of these weed grasses, while growing a good cotton crop," Watson says.

McAdoo News

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bass left last week end for a visit in Whitney with his sister, Mrs. Ellen McCowan and with relatives at West Station, Texas.

G. W. Allen has gone to Carlsbad for an extended visit with his daughter, Mrs. Sid McCombs and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Williams and T. J. attended the funeral in Spur Sunday for Mrs. Willie Smith. They also visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Meador.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Butler and children of Dallas visited here recently with the Tad Toland.

Mr. and Mrs. Orvin Callihan, Brenda and Paula visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Callihan and other relatives here during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barnard and baby and Mrs. Laurette Barnard from Lincoln, Neb., arrived Saturday for a week's visit with their sister and daughter, Mr. and

Mrs. Noble Neff and baby.

Leamon Brantley and daughter, Dell of Portales, visited Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Brantley, Mrs. Joe Earley and Grandmother Brantley and baby of Portales, and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Brantley and children of Afton visited relatives here during the week end.

Carol Teague, Texas Tech, spent the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Duncan and family of Vernon spent Saturday night in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Formby.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baum are spending the week at Tahoka with their daughter, the Sanford Masons.

Jack Jones of Crosbyton was a Monday dinner guest with the Palo Grissoms.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymon Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Earley and Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cooper spent last

week end at Portales where they visited the Leamon Brantleys and Andy Halfords.

George Potts has been confined to the Crosbyton Hospital for the last week H. D. Nickels also entered Saturday for several days treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Higgins visited in Abilene last week end with their son, Mr. and Mrs. David Higgins and sons, Carl David and Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vinson of Amarillo were overnight guests Saturday night with Mrs. Ella B. Lance and Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Baum.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pate and Sandra visited Thursday to Monday at Gilmer with his twin brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pate and with relatives at Mt. Pleasant.

Bro. Pate filled the pulpit at Willow Oak Baptist Church near Gilmer Sunday for both morning and evening services, to give an answer to a call by that church.

Mrs. Ella B. Lane received word Monday of the death of a sister, Mrs. W. W. Smith, in Houston. Mrs. Lane plans to attend funeral services in Waco, Thursday.

Hugh Cornelius was able to return home Saturday after more than 2 weeks in the Methodist hospital in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dunlap of Ft. Worth, Mrs. Pearl McWilliams of Portales, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rich of Lubbock spent the week end visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Rich.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Fox, Kenneth, Mike and Sharon of Afton were Sunday dinner guests in the G. G. Allen home. Visiting in the evening in the E. G. Rich home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Formby, Chip and Brenda of Hereford spent Tuesday night in the John Formby home.

State Highway Comm. and Mrs. Marshall Formby and daughter, Frances Ann spent Thursday night in the home of his parents, Mr.

and Mrs. M. C. Formby.

Mrs. J. C. Arnold attended a Lubbock District Ministers Wives' dinner at the home of Mrs. W. F. Gaede in Crosbyton, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Chumley and Robert and Mrs. J. W. Woodward of Amarillo spent Wednesday night in the home of Bro. and Mrs. J. C. Arnold. Mrs. Chumley is a sister to Mrs. Arnold. Mrs. Woodward, a friend of the family.

They were enroute of San Antonio by way of Austin.

Mrs. Walter McCormick and children spent last Friday night at Breckenridge with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Henson, and Saturday night at Olney with another sister, Mr. and Mrs. Rube Stewart.

The PTA met March 11 for the regular meeting. A short business session was conducted in which

the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: pres.—Mrs. G. B. Morris; vice-pres.—Mrs. W. H. Moore; sec.—Mrs. Clyde Crausby; treas.—Mrs. Coy Powers. Special music was rendered by the High School, followed by a social hour in which games of canasta and 42 were played. Refreshments of sandwiches, cakes, pies, punch and coffee were served.

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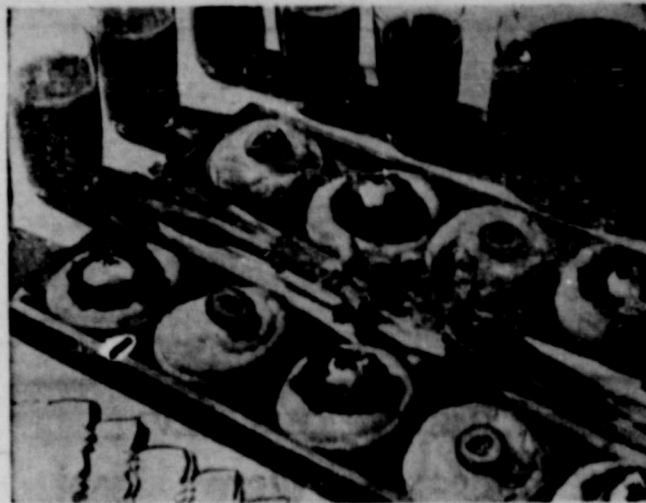
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2 1/2 cups sifted enriched flour
1 egg white, slightly beaten

Scald milk. Stir in shortening, sugar and salt. Cool to lukewarm. Measure water into a large bowl (warm, not hot, water for active dry yeast; lukewarm for compressed yeast). Sprinkle or crumble in yeast. Stir until dissolved. Stir in lukewarm milk mixture. Add beaten egg and half the flour. Beat until smooth. Stir in remaining flour. Turn out on a lightly floured board. Knead until smooth and elastic. Place in well-greased bowl; brush top with shortening. Cover with clean towel. Let rise in warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk, about 1 hour and 30 minutes. Punch down and turn out on lightly floured board. Roll to about 1/4-inch thickness. Cut into rounds with a 2-inch cookie cutter or glass. Place rounds on a greased baking sheet. Let rise until doubled in bulk, about 20 minutes. Make a depression in the center of each with the bottom of a glass about 1 1/2-inches in diameter. (Dip the glass in flour before each use to prevent sticking.) Brush each round with slightly beaten egg white. Bake at 350° F. (moderate oven) for 8 minutes. Do not brown. To store, cool crusts, stack and wrap in aluminum foil. Hold in refrigerator 1 to 10 days, as needed. When ready to use, fill depressions with cheese or meat spreads and bake at 350° F. (moderate oven) about 15 minutes until crust is golden brown.



TELEPHONE TALK

by J. C. Oakley, Manager

KEEP UP WITH THE FASTER PACE

It's no secret to anyone that life is moving at a faster clip. All around us there are more things to do and see. People everywhere, it seems, are wishing there were more hours in the day as the pace of living gets faster.

Well, one good way to keep up with the pace is to use Long Distance frequently. For business or social calls, save yourself time and trouble by keeping in touch with out-of-town customers and friends by telephone.

Speaking of using the telephone, there are 803 telephones here and from these there are 200 Long Distance calls placed each day and 3500 to 4000 Local calls placed each day.

And when you place your Long Distance calls you can speed them by giving the operator the number you want. You'll find that your calls go through twice as fast when you call by number.

TIME SAVER — THE TELEPHONE

Have you ever wondered how much time you save by using the telephone? Some of our customers keep a "diary" of telephone calls and at the end of a week's time, they have been surprised to find the number of errands their telephone ran for them, and the miles covered by the calls.

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SHORT RIBS
BRISKET ROAST
lb. 19c

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FRANKS 25c

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BACON 2 lbs. 79c

WILSON CRISPRITE
BACON lb. 49c

303 can Our Darling Golden or White
Cream Style CORN 6 for 1.00

SUN SPUN
Sour or Dill PICKLES pt. 19c

12 oz. can ARMOUR'S
Chopped BEEF 3 for 1.00

FOREMOST
MELLORINE 1/2 gal. 39c

PILLSBURY CHOCOLATE
Angel Food CAKE MIX 49c

AUNT JEMIMA
PANCAKE MIX lb. bx. 19c

FRESH FRUITS & VEGETABLES

DELICIOUS
APPLES lb. 17c

Tomatoes ctn 19c
YELLOW ONIONS lb. 5c

FRESH GREEN bunch 5 lb. sack
Radishes, Onions 5c **ORANGES** 29c

Reg. 49c size COLGATE
Tooth Paste 37c

LARGE BOX
Cheer or Tide 29c

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Tide or Cheer 69c

AUNT JEMIMA

FLOUR 25 lbs. **1.79**

SPUR SUPER MARKET

DOUBLE SCOTTIE STAMPS ON TUESDAY

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FOR SALE: 2-bedroom house. All modern, with garage. Small payment down. Monthly payments only \$37.35. See Starcher Insurance Agency. 22-2tc

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Washed Plaster or Mason Sand delivered to Spur \$4.00 per yard in 5 yard loads. Pea Gravel for driveways, back yards or walks, \$3.50 per yard in 5 yard loads. Phone Jayton 2334. Claud Senn. 19-6tc

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FOR RENT: 2-bedroom house furnished or unfurnished. Call 175 before 10:30 a. m. or after 5:00 p. m. 22-ctfn

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Miscellaneous

FINISH HIGH SCHOOL or Grade School at home. Spare time. Books

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks friends and neighbors who have and heartfelt appreciation to our so graciously brought food, flowers and kind words during the illness of our loved one. Your kindnesses will not be forgotten. Especially do we appreciate the concern and assistance given by the ladies of the 1931 Study Club. The Bob Westerman family

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Kidd and daughter, Korbi Dawn, are now residing in Lubbock where he is employed at Lubbock Machine and Supply Co. They are at home at 1837 an Jose Drive.

Read the Want Ads

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Jury Service is Citizen's Duty

One of these days—perhaps soon—you may get a notice telling you to report for jury duty—and to "fail not." In serving, you share one of the most solemn duties known to our democracy. Some people try to get out of jury service. It may be inconvenient or unpleasant. Yet, when you are put on a jury you should think of this as a chance to help make good one of the promises of our Constitution—trial by jury. Say the following to yourself: "My forefathers wrested my right to serve as a juror from tyrants." "Under our law no one's life, liberty, or property can be taken without due process of law." "Trial by jury is our basic right. All who seek their day in

court should have a fair hearing. They will get it from me. "I will not ask to be excused from jury service except in an emergency.

"On my oath I will well and truly try each case before me, and a true verdict render under the law given me by the judge and the evidence introduced at the trial—without fear, favor, or hope of reward.

"I will listen closely, with open mind to all of the testimony, instructions, and arguments. I will not make up my mind until all the facts are in and the judge has instructed the jury on the law.

"I will search for the truth regardless of wealth or poverty, friendship or enmity, of any party or witnesses.

"To someone my decision may mean the difference between freedom or imprisonment, poverty or wealth.

"Justice, once but a dream, is a reality when I, as a juror, do my full duty. No act of mine shall bring shame to our system of liberty under law."

(This column, prepared by the State Bar of Texas, is written to

SPUR SCHOOLS MENU

March 24-29

- MONDAY**
Escalloped potatoes, green beans hot rolls, butter, apple spread, milk.
- TUESDAY**
Lunch meat cheese, candied yams, buttered English peas, peach cobbler, milk, bread.
- WEDNESDAY**
Pinto beans, buttered hominy, seasoned spinach, onion, peanut butter cookies, grapefruit, milk, corn bread.
- THURSDAY**
Hot dogs with chili, baked corn, lettuce and tomato salad, rice pudding, pineapple, milk, bread.
- FRIDAY**
Baked pork meat, creamed potatoes, fruit jello, lettuce, chocolate cake, milk, bread.
- SATURDAY**
inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who is fully advised concerning the facts involved, because a slight variance in facts may change the application of the law.)

OUR VALUE

TOMATOES 8 ³⁰³ cans **1.00**

WHITE SWAN

COFFEE Lb. can **89c**

THIS WEEK'S BEST BUYS!

- REALEMON** 46 oz. can
- ORANGE JUICE** 19c
- WHITE SWAN** 303 can
- PORK & BEANS** 10c



KRISPY CRACKERS Lb. **25c**

REG. 59c
JERGEN'S LOTION **39c**

SHOP OUR NEW
Household Wares Dept.
Remember - You receive S & H Green Stamps with these items too!

Wilson's Thick Sliced
BACON
2 lb. pkg. **1.05**

JELLO 2 Boxes **15c**

Loin
Steak Lb. **59c**

Honey Boy
SALMON No. 1 Tall **49c**

Budget
FRANKS
3 lb. pkg. **79c**

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PEACHES 5 ³⁰³ Cans **1.00**

Chuck
Roast Lb. **39c**

White Swan Crushed
PINEAPPLE No. 2 Can **25c**

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CHEESE
lb. **49c**

Borden's
Mellorine 1/2 Gal. Ctn. **39c**

CLUB STEAK lb. **55c**

Meadowlake
OLEO 4 Lb. **1.00**

Spiced
LUNCHEON MEAT lb. **39c**

Ellis
TAMALES 3 No. 2 1/2 Cans **1.00**

Hormel
SAUSAGE 2 lb. bag **1.15**

BANANAS Lb. **10c**

POTATOES 10 lbs. **33c** | **LEMONS** lb. **10c**

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SAVE WITH S & H GREEN STAMPS - DOUBLE ON TUESDAY

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