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Committee Names Golf Winners

The tournament committee are announcing the winners of prizes which were awarded by business firms in the recent City Championship Golf Tournament. There were three flights among the men and winners in each flight were given prizes. Also, a number of ladies in town took part in the tournament and received for their winnings, prizes.

The prize list is as follows:

Championship Flight

Milo Clark was first and was awarded a garden rake by Bryant-Link Company and a gas heater by Elliott's Appliance.

Harvey Holly, second, a nice shirt by Henry Alexander and Company.

C. E. Fisher, third, table lamp by Campbells Furniture.

L. E. Lee, fourth, neck tie by Hogan & Patton.

C. Powell, fifth, wash and grease job by Spur Motor Co.

O. C. Thomas, sixth, haircut, shampoo and tonic by Spur Barber Shop.

First Flight

Paul Bettis, was first, and was awarded \$2.50 in groceries by the Clover Farm Store.

W. D. Starcher, second, a shirt by B. Schwarz & Son.

Lynn Busby, third, \$2.00 in light fixtures by West Texas Utilities Company.

Ty Allen, fourth, a necktie by The Fair Store.

E. F. Graham, fifth, wash and grease job by Godfrey & Smart.

Sixth, haircut and shampoo by Jimison's Barber Shop.

Second Flight

George Glover was first and was awarded \$2.00 in groceries by the Safe-way Store.

G. Gabriel, second, week of passes to the Palace Theatre.

Marion Hurst, third, wax and polish by Thacker-Godfrey Company.

Roy Penn, fourth, five gallons of gasoline by Gulf Service Station.

Ladies Tournament

Mrs. C. E. Fisher was first in honors and was awarded a nice decorated cake by Spur Bakery.

Mrs. P. R. Bettis, second, a subscription to the Dickens County Times.

Mrs. L. D. Ratliff, third, a subscription to the Texas Spur.

Lowest score on No. 4 hole, Mrs. W. T. Andrews and was awarded a quart of enamel by Brazelton Lumber Company.

Highest score on hole No. 5, Mrs. Jack Carnes and was awarded a quart of enamel by Musser Lumber Company.

Lowest score on No. 7 hole, Mrs. C. E. Fisher and was awarded a quart of enamel by Tri County Lumber Company.

Lowest score on No. 2 hole, Mrs. Horace Emery and was awarded a two-year subscription to the Dickens County Times.

Most strokes on No. 7 hole, Mrs. L. D. Ratliff and was awarded a bottle of hand lotion by Red Front Drug.

Driving Contest

Paul Bettis, first place and was awarded a \$1.00 service in cleaning and pressing by Spur Laundry.

L. D. Ratliff, second and was awarded \$1.00 service in cleaning and pressing by Spur Tailors.

Approach and Putting contest, Paul Bettis and was awarded a memo book by Gruben Drug and Jewelry Store.

Lowest score during tournament, Milo Clark and was awarded a bill fold by the City Drug Company.

Highest score during tournament, Dick Speer and was awarded two pounds of coffee by Ericson's Grocery and Market.

Highest score on any hole, Charles Taylor and was awarded a wash and grease job by Sunshine Service Station.

Most balls over the fence, G. B. Wadzeck and was awarded two pairs socks by Speer's 5-Cent to \$5-Dollar Stores.

All persons who won prizes are requested to visit the firms awarding them and receive them. Do this at once in order that the firms may get the matter over.

Gets Check to Help Transportation

The County Department of Education received a check of \$2,109.00 this week to pay transportation costs of conveying children in Dickens County to school. According to a statement by State Superintendent L. A. Woods, the transportation costs will be paid by the month this school year. The above mentioned check is for the month of September.

Panhandle South Plains Fair Good Will Visit Here Today

Bearing souvenirs and mementos for the kiddies, and information concerning the 28th annual Panhandle South Plains Fair here, October 6 to 11, inclusive, Lubbock's annual Good Will visit on behalf of what is expected to be one of the greatest Fairs in this section's history, will reach Spur at 2:25 p. m. today, October 2.

Accompanying the group will be good speakers and entertainers, and in cooperation with school authorities a short program will be delivered at the school, preceding a brief period of visitation and renewing of acquaintances on downtown streets.

The delegation, traveling by chartered bus, will bring tidings of an enlarged exposition this year, with prospects that it will far eclipse any prior event here. Unusually fine agricultural and livestock exhibits are anticipated due to very favorable conditions, and this is expected to be proportionately reflected in all other departments.

Heavy increases in cash premiums in the Dairy Cattle division have been announced, particularly in Jerseys and Holsteins. Premiums in other departments remain substantially the same, for a total cash distribution to exhibitors of approximately \$6,000.

Cash awards of about \$3,000 are being posted for contestants in the big six-night rodeo program, perhaps the most ambitious program of this kind ever attempted in West Texas.

About 200 animals are under contract—many of the roughest and toughest known to rodeo rings. Some of the nation's best rodeo artists will compete with these animals in riding, roping and bulldozing. A fine and highly entertaining program of artistry will be given each afternoon before the grandstand, without cost to spectators.

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New Business In Town to Open Next Week

A new dry goods firm will start business in Spur next week. The new firm will be known as Proctor Bros. General Dry Goods Store, and the partners are Carl Proctor and Homer Proctor.

Carl Proctor needs no introduction to the people of Spur country since he was affiliated with firms in Spur some years ago. He is now on the road for one of the largest firms in the West. Homer Proctor has been on the road but is giving up that business to manage the store in Spur.

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New Secretary In Superintendent's Office

Miss Eloise Sharp has been selected as secretary in the County Superintendent's office to fill the vacancy made by the resignation of Miss Doris Arthur. Miss Sharp is a former student of Spur schools and is a graduate of the Dickens High School. She is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp, of near Dickens. She assumed her duties Monday and seems to be getting along fine.

Miss Arthur has accepted a position with the drivers license division of the Highway Department in the regional office at Lubbock. She has assumed her duties. She is a graduate of Spur High School and is a student at Abilene Christian College, majoring in business administration.

County Valuation Not Raised

According to information released from the County Tax Assessor's office, the property rendition for Dickens County this year is \$5,161,152. The county taxes will be raised from that amount.

The county tax rate is \$1.10 on each \$100.00 and the state rate is 58 cents on the \$100.00 valuation.

All delinquent taxes up to and including the year 1939, will have no penalty or interest on them if paid by November 1, of this year. This should induce some delinquent collection.

Spur Bulldogs To Rest This Week

Spur Bulldogs played their hardest game of the season at Olton last Friday night losing to a score of 45 to 6. Olton was district champions in District 3-A last year and are scheduled to be the district winners again this year. Spur boys showed good form even if they were against great odds.

Matador played Olton a week before and the game was 52 to 12 for Olton. Olton defeated Spur one less touch down than they defeated Matador, and Spur made one less touch down against them than Matador made.

Matador will play at Spur next week and this will be the first conference game of the season. Matador has been slated to become the champions in District 4-A. This will be a matter of contest as the conference season is just starting next week.

The Floydada Whirlwinds are going to have something to say about the district championship and the Paducah Dragons are feeling quite confident in the race. The Spur Bulldogs are not conceding the district championship yet to any team and will not unless they meet a Waterloo. The game next week is to be a good one, and you want to see it.

Pupils Announce They Will Work

The pupils in Spur High School feel that they need some practical training while doing their school work. In view of such condition a number of High School pupils have listed themselves on the employment list to assist with work in town. Some of these are boys and girls who have agreed to work as clerks in stores and some of them have been tried out in this manner and have made good.

Other boys say they will do yard work, and a number of the girls have agreed to do house work, take care of small children and other household duties.

G. B. Wadzeck, High School Principal, has suggested that should any one need people to work for them, that they call the High School office and make their wants known. These pupils want to work after school each afternoon and on Saturdays and say they will do their best.

The High School is keeping a record on these pupils, and asks any one who may employ them to make a report each week on whether or not the pupils do their work well. It is evident that any pupils who do not make good, will not be recommended again.

Again, should any pupils being employed should have some defective features in their work or appearance, the school authorities want these employers to get in conference with them and tell the school authorities these little defects. Then the school authorities can confer with these pupils and assist them in making corrections.

This will be a fine training for the boys and girls in our community if people will cooperate with the school in this work. Unless those who employ these pupils will make reports on their attitude and successes, whether satisfactory or not, the pupils cannot be assisted and the purpose of the plan will be lost.

When you need help, just call the High School and you can consult with any pupil you want. Their records of conduct and educational progress in school is there on their employment sheet, and you can get full details.

Spur Theatre To Open Friday

The Spur Theatre which has been closed for sometime will be opened for entertainment of the people Friday. There will be a new feature for the Friday and Saturday performances. The "Wyoming Wildcat," featuring Donald Barry will be the program this week at the Spur.

The Spur Theatre will give programs on Fridays and Saturdays for entertainment of the people, and the management states you may expect a good program each show.

East Ward P. T. A. Tuesday

The Parent - Teacher organization for the East Ward school will hold their regular meeting at 2:30 o'clock next Tuesday afternoon. The program is outlined in the year books to which members may refer. Parents are urged to attend this meeting.

Assessed Valuations In School Districts

According to information released from the Tax Assessor's office the valuations for the various common school districts in the county are as follows:

Duck Creek, No. 3,	\$170,758
Red Bud, No. 4,	52,236
Dry Lake, No. 7,	134,685
Highway, No. 10,	151,380
Wichita, No. 11,	311,740
Peaceful Hill, No. 13,	49,084
Spring Creek, No. 16,	75,310
Wilson Draw, No. 20,	66,516
Patton Springs, No. 22,	1,212,034

The above figures total \$2,223,743 as the taxable values for schools in the above named common school districts.

Figures for the three independent school districts in the county have not been reported yet.

Aircraft Warning Service For Dickens County Announced

Personnel of the Aircraft Warning Service Council of Dickens County was announced today by County Judge Edwin H. Boedecker in a report to Governor Coke Stevenson. The members of the council are E. H. Boedecker, Dickens, chairman; K. W. Street, Dickens; E. J. Offield, Afton; W. H. Hindman, Spur; M. B. Cage, Afton; Mack Woodrum, Spur; Olen Arthur, Spur; John Sharp, Spur; Ty Allen, Spur; R. R. Wooten, McAdoo; Lee Mims, Afton; Wade McDaniel, Spur.

The organizers selected by the council are L. E. Lee and Billie Elliott of Spur; George Pierce, Afton; Fred Arrington, Dickens; and Charles McLaughlin, McAdoo.

Upon the request of the U. S. Army Air Force, Governor Coke Stevenson, as chairman of the National Defense Committee for Texas, is directing the organization of the Aircraft Warning Service throughout the State. The county commissioners' courts are serving as the local organizing authorities.

Palace To Conduct 'School Supply' Show

The annual "School Supply" show conducted by the Palace Theatre each year, will be given Friday night and Saturday morning of this week, Oct. 3-4. Any child of grade school age may attend the program at the Palace Friday night, or Saturday morning, if they will bring some kind of school supply that has a value of ten cents or more. If any child desires to see both programs, they may do so by bringing some school supply article for each show, the article to have a value of ten cents or more.

These school supplies are turned over to the school authorities by the Palace and are used to supply needy and underprivileged children who desire to go to school and do not have sufficient school supplies.

Children attending the shows by bringing school supplies will be admitted Friday evening from six o'clock until eight o'clock, and Saturday morning from 11:00 o'clock until 12:00 noon. If children go any other time than these designated hours they will have to pay a cash admission. But the Palace Theatre wants you to bring those discarded school supplies at the hours designated and see a good show.

There is a double feature show on the program. Tim Holt in "Cyclone on Horseback," and Buck Jones in "White Eagle." You will enjoy these programs.

Singing Convention At Dickens Sunday

The Dickens County Singing Convention will convene at Dickens next Sunday, October 5. The meeting will be held in the Dickens High School and will begin at 11 o'clock in the morning. Meet with your church early. If you can't meet with your home church, there are three churches in Dickens. Meet with the Dickens people, and carry your lunch to the school building. We will all spread lunch together.

Cub Scout Football Game Saturday

Den 1, played a team composed of boys from Dens 2 and 4 Saturday morning September 27. Pike Dobbins and Jacob Paul Draper served as officials for the game, assisted by Bob Thurston, as linesman. The boys did some good playing for the first game of the season. The final score was 33 to 24 in favor of Den 1.

Ministers' Alliance Meets Next Monday

The Ministers' Alliance meets Monday at 10 a. m., at the Presbyterian Manse, 321 East Hill. Every minister residing and preaching in the vicinity of Spur is most cordially invited to join this membership and to attend this meeting. Matters pertaining to local matters which will be of mutual aid will be considered.

Fifty Cents Per Dozen For Eggs

Farmer friends, your farm produce is all you have from which to derive your income. In view of that fact the Dickens County Times is designating the week beginning Saturday, October 4, until Saturday, October 11, as annual Egg Week on subscriptions.

You can pay a full year subscription to the Dickens County Times that week for only two dozen fresh eggs. We are not making a reduction in the price of the Times, but are allowing you fifty cents per dozen for your eggs. We want to cooperate with you in saying that your produce is legal tender for the Dickens County Times.

This offer will not be made again this year, and we hope many people will take advantage of this opportunity to renew your subscription, or to become a new subscriber. No other weekly newspaper in West Texas has made you as liberal proposition, to our knowledge, but we are in a farming country and feel that cooperating with you in this way will be a mutual benefit to all of us. Again, we have a better opinion of the price of your farm produce and feel you should have a living consideration for it. Hence, we are making this offer in the hope that others will give you better prices for your farm products.

Don't delay on bringing in those eggs. You can pay as many years as you desire on this proposition.

This offer is good only for people who receive their paper at post offices in Dickens, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, King, Cottle, Motley, Floyd and Crosby counties.

Representative for Aircraft Institute To Remain In Spur

M.B. McCarley, W. Texas representative for the United Aircraft Institute of Dallas, has announced that he will remain in Spur and vicinity a short time longer. Mr. McCarley is making a general survey of this district in an advisory capacity for the purpose of interviewing all ambitious young men with some high school education who may be eligible to qualify for positions in the aircraft factories. During the time he is here he may be reached by addressing a card or letter to him in care of the Times.

Several young men from Dickens County are already planning to go into this work. Mr. McCarley believes that every one who is eligible should be given this splendid opportunity.

Dickens People In Wreck

A number of young people of Dickens were in a car wreck Monday afternoon while enroute to Roaring Springs football game. Olen Ward was driving a car and a tire blew out. The car swerved across the highway and had a head on collision with a pickup which was meeting it.

Both cars were badly wrecked, but most of the occupants escaped with a few minor bruises. One young man seemed to be injured very painfully. All were rushed to the Nichols Sanitarium in Spur where their wounds were given attention. No one suffered any broken bones. One young man remained in the sanitarium overnight but was dismissed the next morning.

Public School Music Has More Enrollment

The following students have been enrolled as State Applied Music Students:

Vennie Marie Lewis, Virginia Ruth Shuggart, Dennis Bingham, Patty Jo Dupree, John E. Berry, Vergil Bert Elliott, Piny Lou Dupree, Charles Lewis, Bobby Britton, Ernestine Berry.

Applied music is a division of the State Department of Education and is designed to give a standardized plan of study in public schools for students of musical instruments from the primary grades through high school.

Attended Lubbock Meeting

Charles A. Taylor, secretary for the County AAA, and the County Agricultural Committee, Joe M. Rose, John Sharp and Elmer Shugart, attended a zone meeting in Lubbock Tuesday. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss crop allotments for the year 1942-43 and to talk over the relations of the crop year.

Typewriters Repaired

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. DuPriest arrived in Spur Wednesday afternoon, and will be here a few days to repair your typewriters, adding machines and cash registers. People who have machines that need attention may call Phone 30, or see Mr. or Mrs. DuPriest at the Dickens County Times office. Get your calls in at once as they will go on to some other point as soon as they catch up with their work.

Band Membership To Be Increased

Spur schools have one of the best bands in the State and it has been going places in the past. However, this problem must be met. A great number of the present members of the band will receive their diplomas this year, and unless a number of new members are given training, the band will be cut to about half its present number next year.

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CLOVER FARM STORES
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Pancake Flour
 Clover Farm Pancake Flour is ready mixed with carefully compounded ingredients to give your pancakes the right texture and flavor EVERY TIME. Just add water—no milk—and bake. Just your pancakes with Clover Farm date fresh butter and maple with Clover Farm Syrup. What a breakfast!

20-oz PKG. **BOTH FOR 23c**
 PINT W.-P. **23c**
 SYRUP MAPLE BLEND



MILK CLOVER FARM 6 SMALL or 3 LARGE ONLY **23c**
C R C PINTO BEANS 10 LBS. **39c**
SOAP CLOVERFARM GRANULATED NEW IMPROVED, Large 1 1/2 lb Box **19c**

Assorted Cold Meats, 1b 27c	Iceberg Lettuce each 5c
Armour's Dexter Sliced Sliced Bacon, 1b 27c	Fancy Selected Yams lb 3 1/2c
Spanico Brick Brick Chili 1b 24c	Mountain Cabbage 1b 2 1/2c
No. 1 Salt Pork 1b 18c	Sunkist, large size Lemons dozen 19c
Thick Meat Rib Roast 1b 19c	Fancy Jonathan Apples, dozen 23c
Sliced Bologna 1b 15c	Yellow Spanish Onions 1b 2 1/2c
Mexican Hot Sausage 1b 19c	Red Ball, large size Oranges doz 25c
Family Style Roast 1b 23c	Mother's Cocoa 2 lb can 18c
Clover Farm Oleo 1b 19c	Clover Farm Golden Bantam Corn can 10c
Clover Farm Butter 1b 39c	Everlite at this low price Flour 24 lbs 94c
American Sardines can 5c	Everlite at this low price Flour 48 lbs \$1.79
Macaroni or Spaghetti 6 pkg 19c	Mince Meat 3 pkgs 25c
Clover Farm Grape, 3 No 2 cans Fruit Juice 20c	Whole Apricots 2 1/2 can 15c
Clover Farm Rolled Oats 48 oz pkg 19c	Fresh Pineapple Cinnamon Rolls, pkg. 10c
Ranch Style Beans, 2 for 19c	Sour or Dill Pickles qt. jar 15c
Clover Farm Cleaner 2 cans 9c	Red Cup Coffee 1b 19c
Gulf Fly Spray pt. 23c	8 oz can Black Pepper 10c
	Jelly 2 lb jar 23c

See Four Leaf Clover for More Specials

Roscoe Fort came in from his ranch time attending to business and talking with friends at Red Mud Saturday and spent some time with friends.



James Cagney and Bette Davis are teamed together in a terrific socko sensation of socks and shocks in "The Bride Came C. O. D." which is one the

Wichita Falls To Pull Rodeo October 17-18

After nearly 10 years of helping out with other peoples' rodeos in Northwest Texas and Southern Oklahoma, the Wichita Falls Chuck Wagon Gang is going to pull off their own rodeo, Oct. 17 and 18.

The Chuck Wagon Gang that since 1933 has been riding over a wide sector of surrounding territory to feed the rodeo crowds, has set up a prize list of \$1,100 in cash, along with prizes of boots and saddles, to be awarded at the big two-day rodeo held at the same time as the Wichita Falls jubilee celebration.

The rodeo will rank second only to the dedication of the gigantic army technical training school, Sheppard Field, to be dedicated by high army and government officials during the celebration.

For once the nattily attired generals and colonels of the army will have competition in the matter of dress from bright-shirted Chuck Wagon cowboys and scores of riders and ropers who will fill the Spudder Baseball Park for the rodeo. And all of the horses will belong to the cowboys. The army school has none.

Two performances will be given each day at the ball park, a lighted field with grandstands to accommodate 5,000 persons in comfort. Eight chutes will be built for the pens, in

screen at the Palace Theatre Sunday and Monday and Preview Saturday night.

addition to one calf chute, believed to be the finest facilities in this section.

The rodeo stock of Bill Lyons, Petrolia, Texas, will be used for the shows.

Events in which prizes will be awarded on both days will include calf roping, bronc riding, bulldogging, steer riding and bare back bronc riding. A series of special events and entertainment also will be on the program.

Soap-Box Orator with No Soap

Soapbox oratory was at its best at the University of Texas this week, as student lawyers and would-be orators got together for a "smoker" sponsored by the Athenaeum Literary Society.

The society dates back to 1883, but has long since lost its "literary flavor". It is now a debating club—open to men only—and its chief function is to give members a chance to air their grievances against the world. Among famous "exes" of the club are Senator Tom Connally and Congressman Ed Gossett.

New Members were chosen at the smoker this week, after they had proved their worth with a vehement expression of their opinions on policies and government. Among the stump speakers, now recognized as Athenaeum members, was Archie S. McDonald, University student from McAdoo.

Funeral For W. C. Shoults Sunday

Funeral services were conducted over the remains of William Carroll Shoults at Red Top Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Rev. J. V. Bilberry, Baptist minister, was in charge of the services. Interment followed in Red Top cemetery with Chandler Funeral Home in charge of arrangements. Pallbearers were: Tom Gilmore, Buck Taylor, Al Bingham, Bill Wyatt, Bill Rucker and Harry Ellis.

Mr. Shoults was born in the lower Red Mud community, May 21, 1908, and lived there all of his life. He was a son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee T. Shoults. He was married to Mary Baxter who still survives him. He spent most of his life in the ranch business and was considered one of the best hands on the range.

He made a profession of religion when he was about twelve years of age, but never affiliated with any church.

Double Show! . . . Double Fun! . . . Double Thrills!
 Bargain Prices . . . 11c and 22c

Friday Saturday **PALACE** Friday Saturday

A story of the "SINGING WIRES!"
TIM HOLT in *Cyclone on Horseback*

WORLD'S CHAMPION BRONCO-BUSTER!
TAMES HOLLYWOOD SCREEN
QUEEN!
THE COWBOY and the BLONDE
 with **Mary Beth HUGHES** and **George MONTGOMERY**

Plus: Buck Jones in "WHITE EAGLE"

Together . . . They're Terrific!

JAMES CAGNEY **BETTE DAVIS**
The Bride Came C.O.D.
PALACE
 Sunday and Monday
 OCTOBER 5th-6th
 Preview Saturday Night

Here's What the Rumpus is All About . . .

Oil Heiress Bette eloping . . . Dad don't like it . . . promises Jimmy, dare-devil flyer \$10.00 a pound to bring her home . . . unmarried! Jimmy kidnaps tigress Bette . . . plane cracks up in the desert . . . Jimmy in jail . . . Bette locked in the sheriff's spare room . . . Bette sneaks out on the porch . . . Jimmie hits her with his bean shooter where it makes her yell the loudest . . . and does she holler when he tosses her seat first into a cactus patch!

Dynamite and T. N. T. Exploded Together!
TOUGH, TERRIFIC and TERRIBLY FUNNY!

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Mary Shoults; two children, Mary Caroline Shoults and William Carroll Shoults; his mother and step-father, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Grubbs of the lower Red Mud community; one sister Mrs. Elsie Spain of Rotan; a half brother, Earl Grubbs, and two half sisters, Mrs. Thelma Fitzgerald and Miss Iva Jane Grubbs of Spur.

Saturday selling produce, buying supplies and enjoying friends for a short while.

W. F. Neaves, of Espuela, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Walter Brasher of Swenson spent the first of the week visiting relatives and seeing after business in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Rucker of Silver City visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monk Rucker, Sunday.

Miss Ann Hughes, accompanied by Mrs. Davis are visiting at Norman, Okla., with Miss Hughes' sister, Mona who is attending college in that city.

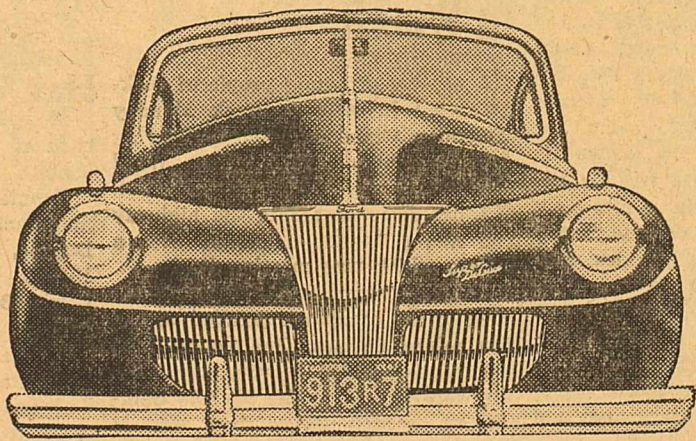
Mr. and Mrs. J. U. Borum Mrs. F. C. Harmon, Ruth Elaine Harmon, Mrs. Anita Gamlin and daughter, Lonita, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erna Borum over the week end.

Earl Thomas of Coleman has accepted a position with the local Safeway Store as combination man as salesman and market assistant. Mrs. Thomas has not arrived yet but will be here soon.

Wayne Carlisle of Littlefield was in our city Wednesday attending to business matters. He owns part of the old Garner home northeast of town and wants to sell it.

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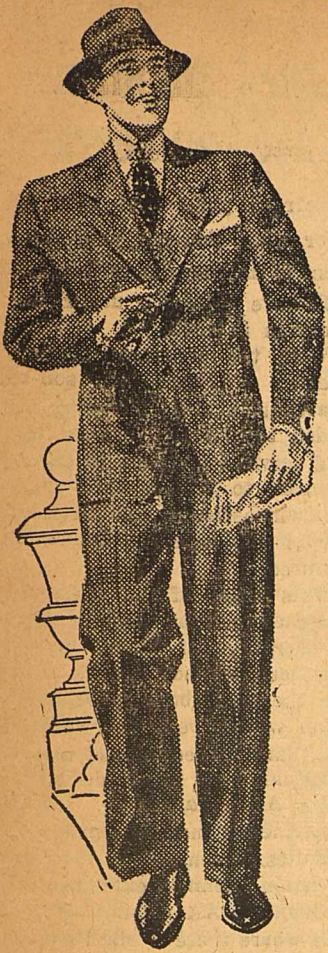
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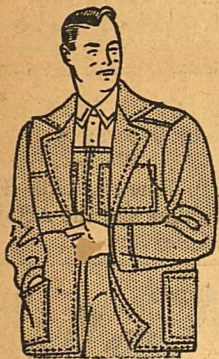
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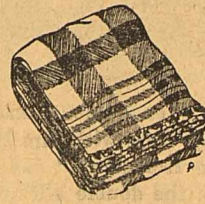
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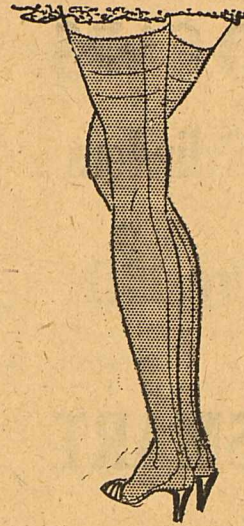
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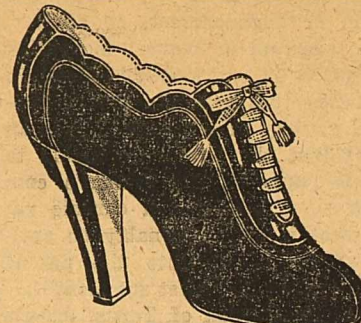
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Mr. and Mrs. Andy Patterson have returned from Clarksville after an extended visit with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Greenwood, of the Plains, visited his father and mother here over the week end.

Fred Henry was a Spur visitor this week end.

Bro. Brian, of Roaring Springs, preached at Duncan Flat Thursday and Friday night.

Miss Betty Jo Glazener, of Plainview, spent the week end here with relatives.

Bernice Anderson visited relatives in Spur the last of the week. Come to Sunday School at Duncan Flat and bring someone with you. You are always welcome.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Canaries are taken into mines as a test whether gas is escaping. Might be a good idea to take them into some public meetings, to see what kind of gas the orators are letting out.

CROTON AND WICHITA NEWS

Sunday School and church services were well attend Sunday. The church called Bro. Charles Torense as pastor for the coming year. Church preaching days will the second and fourth Sundays of each month. Everybody welcome to attend church.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Legg and sons of Farmer were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and daughters.

Mrs. W. D. Starcher of Spur was in our community Monday.

J. A. Legg and Miss Jennie Legg are visiting in Missouri.

Mrs. Ted Goodwin honored Mrs. Clay Edwards with a shower Wednesday. There were fourteen present and all reported a nice time.

Miss Zella Starrett of Lubbock spent last week end at home with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Starrett.

Mrs. Ida Perrin of Lubbock is spending the week with Mrs. J. A. Legg.

—CORRESPONDENT.

BORN TO—

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Green, a boy, Bobbie Lee, Sunday, September 21, weighing seven and a half pounds; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Holcomb, Roaring Springs, Sunday, September 21, a nine pound girl, Caroline; Mr. and Mrs. Luther Drennon, Friday, September 12, at Kalgaria, a six and a quarter pound girl, Sandra; Mr. and Mrs. Virgil V. Scott of Kalgaria, Thursday, September 11, a boy, George Alton, weighing eight pounds; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd C. Elkins, September 9, a seven pound girl, Audrey Juneta.

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A TROUBLESOME QUESTION

Steve Carlisle of Steel Hill, was in town Saturday and stated he has a great problem on his mind. He stated he took G. W. King, his neighbor, down to Huntsville recently and tried to get him in the state institution. The authorities reported that there is nothing on record against Mr. King and they could not accept him. Mr. Carlisle said he did not know what to do with him.

BODY BROUGHT HERE

Mrs. Beulah Lynn Wallace, of Graham, who died in a Paducah sanitarium Thursday, was brought to Spur where the body was interred. Funeral services were conducted at the Lynn Ranch west of Guthrie Saturday with Rev. Franklin E. Swanner in charge. The Norris Funeral Home of Paducah was in charge of funeral arrangements. They were assisted by the Campbell Funeral Chapel here.

Mrs. Wallace was a daughter of T. C. Wallace, of Guthrie, and was a foster granddaughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isam Lynn.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

In some oriental lands the women wear heavy veils to conceal their faces from public view. In this country many of them wear heavy coats of paints for a similar purpose.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bynum, of Steel Hill, have moved into the apartment of Mrs. W. B. Bennett on East Harris Street.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goodall, of Girard, were in our city Saturday doing some trading and talking with friends.

Bud Beagle, of Girard, came up Saturday and spent some time trading and talking with friends in our city.

Miss Jo Dunn, teacher at Dickens schools, was in our city Saturday doing some shopping and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Jones and children, of White River, came to town Saturday to trade and enjoy friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson and children, of Girard, were in our city Saturday trading and meeting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Rankin, of Catfish community, were trading and greeting friends in our city Saturday.

Mrs. Marlin Traylor, of Artesia, N. M., is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clay.

Mrs. Hall Pendleton and daughter, Sandra, of Borger, are here visiting her mother, Mrs. Callie Denson, and sister, Mrs. John King, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Barron Chapman, of Borger, were visiting his mother, Mrs. M. W. Chapman, and her sister, Mrs. Jack Rector, last week.

Mrs. J. H. Clay, Mrs. Marlin Traylor and Miss Sibyl Clay spent Monday of last week in Childress visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Yeakley and son, of Los Angeles, Calif., are here visiting Mrs. Yeakley's mother, Mrs. L. B. McMeans and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Yeakley of Steel Hill community.

Mrs. Chas. Whitener, who has been in East Texas, has returned to Spur to make her home here.

FOR SALE

One G. E. Electric Stove three burners with an oven in very good condition, will sell for \$15.00 cash. Also, one big barrel stove, used in our store, suitable for country Church or school house. This stove has just been relined, also, new grate will sell for a very reasonable price. If interested

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Congressman Mahon Says West-Texas Soldiers O K

George Mahon, Congressman from this District, was back in his Washington office this week after having spent three weeks visiting in various portions of his District. Early last week while enroute to Washington, he visited Army maneuvers in Louisiana where a half million soldiers are engaged in mock warfar for the purpose of increasing the efficiency of our armed forces. Mahon reported that he saw a few of the enlisted men from the 19th Texas District.

In commenting on the maneuvers, Mahon said that the West Texas boys were measuring up to their full responsibility. "It is not a pleasant task for the boys to face the severe hardships occasioned by the maneuvers," he said, "but I can testify from observation that the boys can really take it. The thing that impressed me most was the physical toughness and the high moral quality of the men. The modern youth does not lack the physical stamina and the hardihood of his predecessors. "The soldiers are the ones, and about the only ones, who are making real sacrifices for national defense. They deserve 100 per cent cooperation from labor and capital and from the people generally."

Mahon is a member of the War Department Appropriations Committee, and he visited the maneuvers in company with Army officials and other committee members.

Aid to Dependent Children Program Begins September 19

The State Department of Public Welfare announced today that it would start accepting application for aid to dependent children at its local offices throughout the state, beginning Friday, September 19. Although this date represents the opening of the program, it is not mandatory that all applicants apply in September 19, as arrangements will be made to accept application on subsequent intake days, which will be announced for each locality.

Parents or relatives of dependent children should call at the State Department's local office in the county in which they reside and talk with the worker who will be prepared to explain the eligibility requirements and assist in filing the application. It will not be necessary that the children be brought to the office as the local worker will later make a visit to the home at which time the children may be seen.

For a child to be eligible for aid to dependent children under the laws of Texas, the child:

- (1) Must be a citizen of the U. S.
- (2) Must have resided in Texas at least one year preceding the date of application; or must have been born within the state within one year preceding the date of application provided the child's mother had resided in Texas at least one year preceding the child's birth.
- (3) Must be under the age of fourteen.
- (4) Must be deprived of parental support, or care, by reason of one of the following factors:
 - (a) death of parent,
 - (b) continued absence from home on the part of the parent,
 - (c) physical or mental incapacity of a parent.

(5) Must be living with his father, mother, grandfather, grandmother, brother, sister, step-father, step-mother, step-brother, step-sister, uncle or aunt in a place of residence maintained by one or more such relatives as his or her home.

(6) Must be in need. This is defined as not having sufficient income or other resources to provide a reasonable subsistence compatible with health and decency.

The department called particular attention to item 4 in explaining that the program was not designed to provide for all needy children but only those whose need is due to their being deprived of parental care and support by virtue of one or more of the specified reasons.

Death of a parent is interpreted literally, except that it cannot be said that a child is deprived of parental support if the surviving parent has re-married and the child has one natural parent and one step-parent.

Continued absence from home is interpreted to include absence that might be due to imprisonment, desertion or abandonment, or divorce.

The physical or mental incapacity of a parent is interpreted to mean an incapacity that restricts the occupational activity of a parent to such an extent that the parent is unable to provide support. The parent's condition must be of such chronic nature that it can reasonably be anticipated to incapacitate the parent for a period of at least six months.

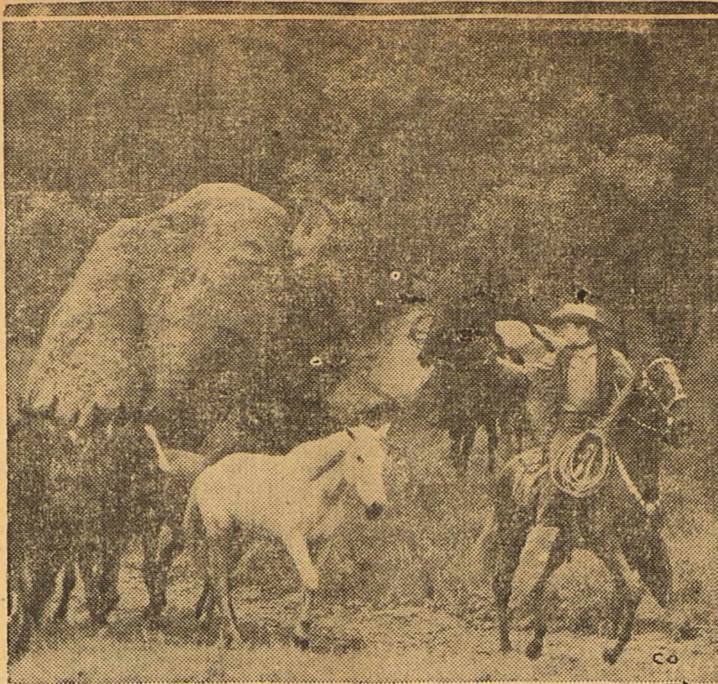
The Constitution of Texas, Article III, Section 51D, restricts payments in such a way that no more than \$16.00 can be given for one child in an eligible family, and no more than \$24.00 can be given for two or more children in an eligible family. The constitutional amendment also restricts the total expenditure of state funds for the ADC program to no more than \$1,500,000 yearly, which means that the total amount available, including federal matching funds, cannot exceed \$3,000,000 yearly.

Texas to Raise \$200,000 For Chinese Relief

The misery and suffering of millions of Chinese as the result of the invasion of their country by Japan has created deep sympathy in the hearts of Texans, according to Nathan Adams, Texas Chairman for United China Relief.

"The campaign for the purpose of raising \$200,000 in Texas toward helping the sixty million Chinese who have been driven from their homes and left starving and destitute by Japanese armies is meeting a favorable response from all parts of the state," Mr. Adams says. "The plight of the Chinese war refugees is pitiable. They need food, clothing, shelter and medicines. China has been fighting Japanese aggression for over four years and still defies Hitler's axis partner. Chinese bravery and suffering should appeal to every Texan and donations to this humane cause will be very welcome. The campaign will close October 15."

Governor Coke Stevenson is working with Mr. Adams as vice chairman of the drive to aid China and superintendent of Education L. A. Woods is asking every school child in Texas to make some small contribution to aid the unfortunate children of China. The Governor has proclaimed the week of October 5 to 11 as China Relief Week in Texas during which time generous contributions are solicited. Every minister in Texas has been



There's excitement and thrills in the early West with Tim Holt in "Cyclone on Hofseback" one of the features on the double bill at the Palace Theatre, Friday and Saturday. The other half of the twin bill presents a couple of newcomers, George Montgomery and Mary Beth Hughes in "The Cowboy and The Blonde."

Seed Laboratory at Tech Rendering Service

The Department of Agriculture has placed a branch laboratory at the Texas Technological College for the purpose of giving purity and seed germination tests on farm planting seed. Last year the laboratory, which is under the supervision of Early J. Peltier, rendered valuable service to the farmers of the Plains country. It is expected that this year the laboratory will make around 10,000 to 12,000 different tests relative to purity and germination qualities of farm seeds. The law requires that all farm seed being offered on the market for sale must have a purity and seed germination test and be tagged accordingly.

Get Your Certificates Of Title

The State Highway Department is making a special request that all persons who own automobiles or trucks to be sure to acquire a certificate of title to the same unless you already have one. You may secure your certificate of title by making application at the Tax Collector's office and paying fifty cents for it, or you may write the State Highway Department at Austin for it. Half of the fifty cents is retained by the Tax Collector's office for the service rendered and the remainder is turned in to the State Highway Department to be used there.

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asked to take up a collection for United China Relief on China Relief Sunday, October 5th. Money should be sent to Nathan Adams, President of the First National Bank in Dallas. Sixty Texas counties have already organized for the campaign.

Be Careful of Mouth Disease Says State Health Doctor

"The soft tissues of the mouth require as careful watching as the teeth, to keep them in a healthy condition," according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"One of the more common diseases to which these soft tissues are subject is a germ disease known as 'Vincent's infection' also called 'trench mouth' from the fact that it was very prevalent among soldiers in crowded camps and trenches during the World War. These two names are given to the disease when it affects the gums and supporting structures of the teeth; sometimes it affects the throat and tonsils, in which case it is called 'Vincent's angina'.

"One peculiarity of the germs that cause 'trench mouth' and Vincent's angina' is that they may live and thrive in the absence of oxygen. They enter the mouth and become fixed between the teeth, under the gum margin and beneath the margins of fillings and Crowns. They grow in and about decayed teeth. They are more likely to be active and cause the disease to develop in mouths that are not kept clean and not well-cared for than in clean, healthy mouths.

"The disease is highly contagious and spreads very easily from person to person. It is characterized by bleeding and sore gums, and finally

by ulcers in the soft tissues. In acute form the disease is painful and causes great discomfort. In extreme cases the infection may spread through the entire system with very serious results.

"Of course, not all bleeding or sore gums or bad breath are due to 'trench mouth', but at the first indication of such symptoms—no matter what the cause—a doctor or dentist should be consulted promptly and his advice and instructions should be followed with the utmost care. Those who develop the disease must also take every precaution to keep from passing the infection on to others."

Don't Rush; Plenty of Time

Nearly half the people in Texas will start a stampede for new drivers licenses beginning October 1st.

There's really no need to get in a hurry about it, State Police Director Homer Garrison explained today. From October 1 until December 31, old licenses numbered from 1 to 450,000 will be renewed.

From January 1, 1942, until March 31, those numbered from 450,001 to 900,000 will be renewed. Those numbered from 900,001 to 1,350,000 will be renewed between April 1 and June 30.

Any license numbered from 1,350,001 upward will be renewed between July 1 and November 1.

Here's the procedure for getting your new license: Obtain an application form from any Highway Patrolman, or Drivers License Examiner, or by writing directly to the Dept. of Public Safety

Red Raiders to Meet Okla. A. & M. Friday

Two smooth, major football juggernauts will attempt to settle an unhappy ending of a 6 to 6 football battle next Friday night in Oklahoma City when the Texas Tech Red Raiders battle the Oklahoma A. and M. Aggies.

Last season the fiery Red Raiders and the stout Oklahomans played to a 6-6 deadlock which left members of both teams very unhappy. The Aggies claimed they would have won except for a luckily 40-yard pass in the last two minutes of the game by the Techsans. The Red Raiders claimed they deserved the victory by virtue of the fact they gained more ground and completed more passes. But neither side won that game, so Friday night the same two teams will tangle again, and each team will start practically the same line-up that played in the 6 to 6 tie game.

The Red Raiders opened their season with a 34 to 0 decision over the Abilene Christian College team. Blessed with amazing speed the Raiders won as they pleased from the Christians but realize they are headed for some rugged, bruising work Friday night.

While the Aggies make no claim to match any of the Techsans mercury-heeled backs, the Oklahomans do counter-balance with not one, but two very strong and experienced lines. The Aggies believe they have enough superiority in their forward wall to off-set Tech's blistering speed.

The Red Raiders and Aggies will show three potential All-Americans in Friday night's game. The Techsans will offer Big Charlie Dvoracek, 194-pound fullback, and Clarence Tillery, 190-pound right end. The Aggies will flash elusive Jimmy Reynolds at left halfback. All three received honorable All-American mention last season and are out to make the No. 1 mythical team this year.

Artaban Club Holds Meeting

The Artaban Club of the Spur High School met Monday night, September 29, in the Homemaking Department. Mrs. Cecil Fox, Mrs. Floyd Barnett and Mrs. O. C. Arthur were selected as honorary members to the Artaban Club.

Old officers assisted Louise Ince to install the new officers which are:

President, Betty Miller, 1st vice-president, Dorothy Kelley, 2nd vice-president, Anne Thurston, Secretary, Beth Arthur, Treasurer, Mary Helen Draper, Reporter and Scrap-Book Keeper, Patsy Turpen, Song leader, Lillie Fern Delisle, Parliamentarian, Louise Ince.

The next meeting will be held October 13, the program will be on "My Personality."

Members attending the meeting were: Louise Ince, Betty Miller, Mary Helen Draper, Elizabeth Ramsay,

in Austin. The forms also will be available from police and sheriff departments, banks and other public places.

Either print in ink or use a typewriter to fill out the application, enclose a 50-cent money order or cashier's check with it, and mail it directly to the Department of Public Safety, Austin. The new license, good for two years will be mailed to you from Austin.

Persons renewing licenses will not have to take an examination unless they have a bad record of traffic violations or collisions.

But if you fail to renew your license in the stipulated time, you will be liable both to arrest for driving without a license and an examination.

Added Emphasis Placed on Terracing

Terrace your land now and pay later when you get your AAA payment is the new device Texas farmers will have available under the farm program in 1942.

With the program placing still greater emphasis on soil-building practices in 1942, terracing has been added to the conservation materials and services program to enable more farmers to terrace their land, Fred Rennels, assistant administrative officer of the AAA in Texas, has announced.

This phase of the AAA program, designed to assist cooperating farmers in carrying out more soil-building practices, already makes it possible for them to obtain phosphate, Austrian winter peas and vetch during the planting season and the costs of materials are being deducted from their AAA payments. Similar arrangements may be made in those counties which adopt the terracing program, Rennels explained.

County AAA committees, in counties where there is sufficient demand for the terracing program, will let bids on a 100-foot basis to contractors who will be paid by the AAA after the terraces are completed, the AAA official said.

Since the expanding conservation materials and services program throughout the nation may result in difficulties in securing necessary seeds and supplies, terracing is being added to help farmers make the maximum use of the AAA's soil-building assistance. Future AAA payments no doubt will be contingent upon carrying out more soil-building practices, Rennels said.

Under this program, farmers may use 70 per cent of their total farm payment for terracing.

W. H. Smith, one of the good citizens of Kent County, was in our city Saturday attending to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Edgar, of Dickens, were trading and talking with friends here Saturday.

Henry Harris, of McAdoo, was in town Saturday attending to business matters. He has a broken arm which he stated was giving him lots of trouble. The cast was removed Saturday.

Robbie Hoover, Patsy Turpen, Anne Thurston, Dorothy Kelley, Ouida Lis-enby, Bettye Weaver, Betty Woodrum, Betty Jo Barnett, Lillie Fern Delisle, Beth Arthur and the Artaban sponsor, Mrs. McArthur. —Reporter.

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School Lunch Rooms In County

The school lunch room for Spur schools was started last week and is serving from 150 to 175 pupils with hot lunches each day.

The lunch room at Dickens started Wednesday of this week. Pupils taking lunches at the Dickens lunch room are confined to the first four grades in school.

The lunch room at Patton Springs is expected to start the last of this week. Possibly a few pupils will be served today as a matter of training to those in charge.

The luncheon at Dry Lake school started last Thursday and is getting on fine. The entire student body is patronizing the lunch room there.

Miss Edwina Cearley is district supervisor of the lunch room projects in this county. She stated that the WPA desires to install other lunch rooms and should any school district feel they need a lunch room, that all they need to do is to get in conference with her and a project can be worked out.

Mrs. Ollie Bural, Mrs. Preston Blackwell, and Mrs. Douglas Graves were elected mothers. Mrs. Louie Jeffers, homemaking teacher, is sponsor of the club.

J. D. McWatters Buried Monday

Funeral services for John Douglas McWatters were conducted at the local Church of Christ Monday afternoon at four o'clock. J. H. Miles was in charge of the services.

Active pallbearers were R. J. Bell, J. D. Hopkins, Ernest George, W. F. Gilbert, L. E. Lee and Roscoe McCombs.

The survivors are: one daughter, Mrs. Clara Pepper of Spur; three sons, Ben, Frank, and Ralph McWatters all of Lubbock; two brothers, Albert McWatters of Altus, Okla.; Ben McWatters of Camp, Va.; three sisters, Mrs. Shelby Johnson of Cold Springs, Okla.; Mrs. Lizzie Mayfield of Brawley, Calif.; and Mrs. Hattie Eastahm of Jasper, Okla.

Mr. McWatters was born in Callihan County and spent his life in Texas. He was 2 son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John McWatters and was born June 18, 1865. He was married to Miss Nora Lehw in Callihan County March 22, 1901. He came to Dickens County in 1913 and was a carpenter by trade.

Death was caused by a senile myocardia condition. Mr. McWatters was suffering from a strangulated hernia condition which had been corrected by an operation and he would have recovered from that had his heart held up.

Mother of Cline Edmonds Dies

A message was received by friends here Wednesday morning that the mother of Cline Edmonds had passed away in Borger hospital about nine o'clock Tuesday night.

Funeral services will be held in Fort Worth today. The survivors are Dale Edmonds of Fort Worth, a daughter, Mrs. Ruby Hopkins in South America, and Cline Edmonds of Borger.

NOTICE—Bring in those eggs and get that subscription to the Dickens County Times renewed, beginning Saturday, and all next week. Two dozen for a year's subscription.

Whenever You Buy



A number of stores over the country are assisting with the defense program in asking that their customers accept their change in defense stamps.

Marion Humphries Dies of Injuries

The report was circulated here the first of the week that W. M. Hunter, Jr., had been killed in a car wreck. This was not correct, as the person who was killed in the wreck was Marion Humphries, a cousin to W. M. Mr. Humphries was in a wreck Friday, September 20, and was in a hospital at Jals, N. Mexico, where he lay in a cast with a broken neck.

Mr. Humphries was a nephew to Mrs. Hunter and a brother to George Humphries, manager of 6666 Ranch at Guthrie.

Girard Homemaking Girls Organize Club

Christine Pearson was elected president of the Girard Future Homemakers, September the twenty-sixth. Other officers were filled as follows: Vice president, Jean Bural, secretary, Louma Faye Woods; Treasurer, Emma, Vela Phipps; reporter, Jewel Dean Hahn.

The next meeting is scheduled for Thursday night, October 2. The girls are expecting a very pleasant year of club work.

CARD OF THANKS

We can find no words to express our appreciation and love for our many friends who have, in so many ways, helped us to bear this greatest sorrow that can come to a home—the loss of our precious husband, father, son and brother. May God's richest blessings be upon each and every one of you, is our prayer.

Mrs. Johnnie Young and sons: Wilmer, Marvin and Kenneth. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Young. Mrs. Lucy Varnell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Speight and children. Mr. and Mrs. N H Young and children. Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Varnell and children.

Richard and Claude Varnell.

JAMMIE NELL SIMMONS HONORED

Little Jammie Nell Simmons was honored with a birthday party at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmons on North Parker, Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Simmons was assisted by Mrs. Jessie Hayes and Mrs. Clark Lewis.

Games were enjoyed. Each guest brought a gift. Refreshments consisting of a nice birthday cake and punch were served. Plate favors were toy balloons and on each balloon was a fortune of the one who received it.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jones, of Cat Fish, were in town Saturday trading and meeting friends.

D. D. Dillingham, of Vernon, was in our city Wednesday visiting our merchants, and while here, remembered the Times Office in a fine way. He is a salesman for the New Perfection Oil stoves.

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Joe Louis Keeps His Crown as Fistic King

Possibly rendering the greatest disappointment to a crowded stadium in a main bout, Lou Nova went down Monday night before the mighty barrage of Champion Joe Louis for the world's heavyweight championship.

Louis seemed to be the aggressor from the beginning and watched for an opening where he might place his famous haymaker and follow it up with a barrage of blows as is his usual style.

Between rounds the referee again warned Nova's handlers for using vaseline on the gloves. For half a minute they again just walked around the ring. The crowd boomed as they continued to box around the ring with neither landing a punch.

Round Six. Suddenly Nova caught Louis with a hard right on the ear and Joe countered with a hook to the head. Nova missed a right. Both were wild with right hands and the crowd continued its shouting.

The challenger was helpless. Joe pummeled him from rope to rope. A left hook tore Nova's right eye. Nova was helpless in a neutral corner and taking a fearful beating when Referee Arthur Donovan stopped the fight at 2:59 of the sixth round with Louis the winner by a technical knockout.

Library Social Was Greatly Enjoyed

The benefit social at the High School gymnasium for the county library was greatly enjoyed by all present. It is conservatively estimated that 100 people were present and the proceeds amounted to \$51.75 for the evening.

The Library Committee desires to thank the merchants in town for their cooperation and assistance and the gifts they made.

The library has eight new books now on the rent shift. They are: Berlin Diary, Walking the Whirlwind, Season Timber, This Above All, Strange Woman, They Came to a River, Restless are the Sails, and Keys To a Kingdom.

Mrs. J. J. Martin Dead

Word was received here Monday evening of the death of Mrs. John Martin at Albany. Mrs. Martin was visiting relatives and friends at Albany, and it appears that she became ill very suddenly and was subjected to violent vomiting.

Funeral services were conducted at Albany Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kyle attended the funeral. Mr. Kyle is a son of Mrs. Martin.

Luther Cox Funeral Monday

Funeral services for Luther Cox were conducted at Whiteflat Monday afternoon. Rev. H. L. Burman conducted the services and interment followed in the Whiteflat cemetery with Homer Sheats, of Matador, in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Cox had been working for the Matador Ranch more than twenty years. It appears that he went to the lots at the camp near Whiteflat to saddle his horse and was found dead there a short time afterward.

A NEW GRANDDAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. L. McJunkin, of El Campo, are the parents of a daughter born September 27. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Neaves of Espuela, are the maternal grandparents. This is the first grand-daughter in the family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Beyew, of Croton, have a new son in their home born Sunday, September 23. The youngster has been named Cletis Arnold, and weighed nine pounds.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Leon Varquez, city, Tuesday morning, September 30.

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Baze, of Red Mud community, have a new son born September 24. Named Daniel Loy and weighed 11 1/4 pounds.

Red Raiders Play Oklahoma A. & M. Oct. 3

With victory number one salted down and stored in the smokehouse, the Texas Tech Red Raiders will confine their activities to daily workouts until Friday night, October 3, when they will tackle the Oklahoma A. and M. juggernaut at Oklahoma City.

Coaches Delicate Morgan and Buryl Berl Huffman were very satisfied with the Red Raiders 34 to 0 victory over Abilene Christian College here Saturday night before a crowd of eight thousand people who were convinced that the Techsans have more speed than any other major team in the nation.

The Red Raiders escaped from the Abilene game minus injuries and barring practice hurts should be at top condition for their annual battle with Oklahoma A. and M. The Oklahomaans and Techsans played a 6 to 6 deadlock last year in Oklahoma City.

In great spirit and blistering speed, the Red Raiders had things their own way in their opening game. They knocked off 399 net yards against 112 yards for the Christians. Don Austin, speedy sophomore right half-back, was the best ground gainer for the fiery Raiders.

Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Hughes and daughter, Miss Anne Puryear, left Tuesday for Dallas to do some shopping.

Miss Anne Lee, bride elect, flew to Dallas Thursday to purchase her wedding gown. She was accompanied by her cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eldredge. Mr. Aldredge is Mayor of Stamford and his hobby is airplanes.

T. L. Denson, of Highway, was in town Saturday talking with friends and looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Rogers, of Girard, were trading and visiting with friends in town Saturday.

J. M. French of Afton, was in our city Saturday attending to business matters and talking with friends.

Mrs. T. C. Dempsey, of Croton, was doing some shopping and visiting with friends here Saturday.

E. J. Bilberry, of Espuela, was transacting business and visiting with friends here Saturday.

Edd Rash, of Peacock, was transacting business and greeting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Middleton, of Afton, were trading and talking with friends in our city Saturday.

EGGS are 50 cents per dozen at the Times Office on subscriptions beginning Saturday, October 5, through Saturday, October 12. Bring your eggs to the Dickens County Times Office.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Rogers, of Girard, were trading and visiting with friends in town Saturday.

W. M. Freeman, teacher at Dry Lake, was in town Monday attending to business affairs.

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Admission 15c Tax .02c Total 17c

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Lessons in Art

I will teach lessons in Art and painting in Spur this fall at 50c a lesson. People interested in this work may either phone or contact me at the home of Mrs. Alf Glasgow.

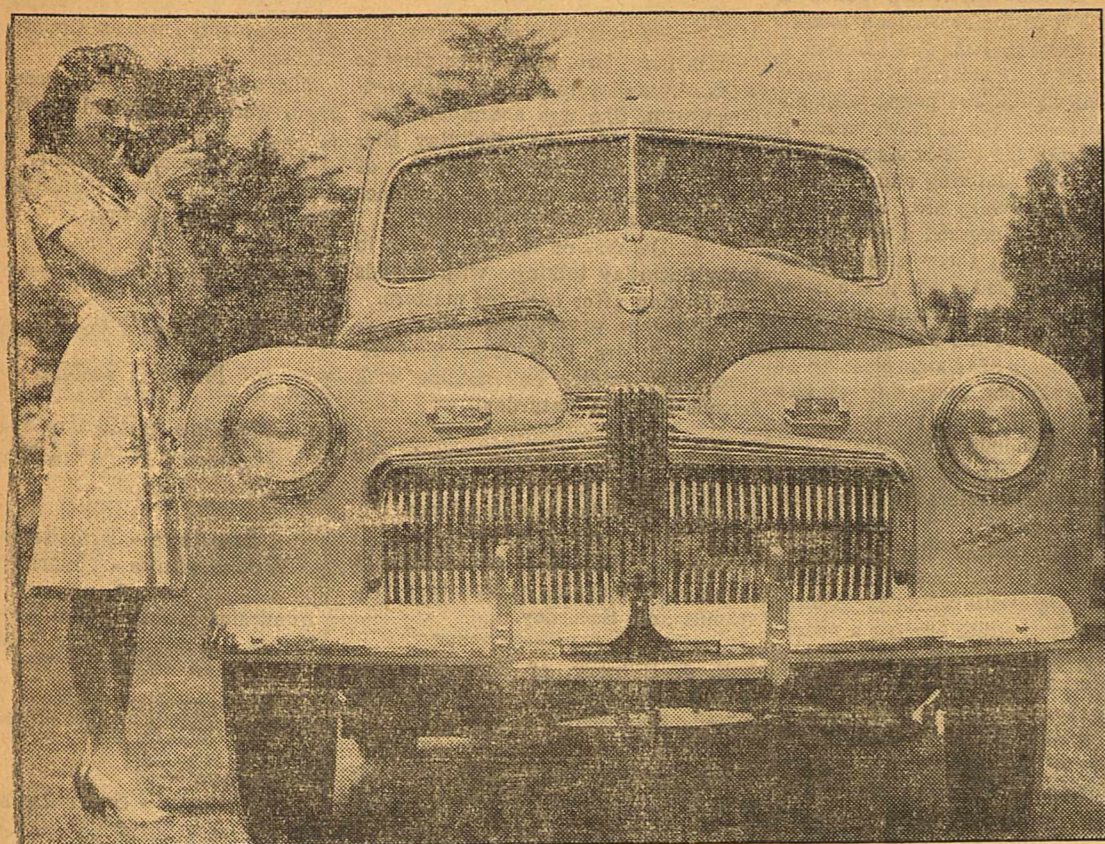
MRS. ROSE ELKINS

Will Teach Art Here

Mrs. Rose Elkins, who is well known in our community, has announced that she will teach lessons in art and painting in Spur this year. Mrs. Elkins has studied with some of the best artists in America and has plenty of work to prove her ability. She will make her home with Mrs. Alf Glasgow and people may contact her there.

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Here's a Preview of 1942 Ford



DEARBORN, Mich.—A distinctive frontal design sets the style for the new Ford passenger car line for 1942, introduced recently at a preview for the nation's automobile editors. The new Fords will be shown to the public soon in all Ford dealers' show-rooms. A rustless steel radiator grille blends gracefully with an entirely new front contour which fea-

tures a new arrangement of headlights and parking lamps. Offered in three lines—the Super DeLuxe, DeLuxe and Special, the 1942 Ford has a distinctive trim for each series of cars. Engineering improvements emphasize comfort and safety. The Super DeLuxe and DeLuxe lines are offered with either the famous V-8 or the new Ford "60" engines.

Funeral Services For Johnny Young Friday

Funeral services for Johnny Albert Young were conducted at the Afton Primitive Baptist Church Friday afternoon at three o'clock. Elder Lawrence of Afton, T. A. Dunn of Crosbyton and Manuel Welch of Manitou, Okla., were in charge of the services. Interment followed in Afton cemetery with Campbell's Funeral Chapel of Spur in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were: B. E. Haney, Jesse Powell, Carl Randolph, Luther Stark, L. J. Fullington, and E. J. Offield. Flower bearers: Bettie Randolph, Joice Bell, Margie Nell Haney, Jimmie Dean Offield, Doris McDorman and Dorothy Perryman.

The deceased is survived by his widow, Mrs. Ethel Varnell Young; three children, Wilmer, 13; Marvin, 12 and Kenneth, 6; his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Young; one brother, Newman Young; and one sister, Mrs. Mattie Speights.

Mr. Young had been suffering on account of appendicitis for several

days. He underwent an operation at a local sanitarium Monday of last week, but the appendix had burst and general peritonitis was fully developed. The poison had scattered all through his body and had affected his heart. He passed away Thursday.

Mr. Young was born at Afton October 12, 1907, and had spent his life in that community. He was engaged in farming and just last year had bought a nice little farm home and was just getting it arranged for a real home. He had taken quite a lot of interest in farm cooperative work and was a member of the Board of Directors of the Afton Farmers Co-operative Society.

He was married to Miss Ethel Varnell November 18, 1927. Three children were born into the home.

Mr. Young was a professed believer in Christianity but never affiliated with any church. His preference was the Primitive Baptist. He was a young man of sterling character and was loved by all who knew him. He was never solicited for any community interest but what he gave his best to the cause if it was right. His neighbors say he was a citizen who will be missed greatly in the community.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—
VISITED RELATIVES HERE

Frank Brittain, Mrs. Jessie Hayes and Mrs. Joe Butler, all of Clifton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Lewis and other relatives here over the week end. Mr. Brittain is a grandfather to Mrs. Lewis and is quite active at the age of 83 and reads without the use of glasses. Mrs. Hayes is the mother of Mrs. Lewis and Mrs. Butler is her aunt.

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CLUB DAUGHTERS HOLD MEETING

The Daughters of the 1933 Study Club met Wednesday, September 24, in honor of Ouida Lisenby. There was a short business session and the roll call, amusements for children.

The subject for the program was Child Welfare. Shirley Powell, Elizabeth Ramsay and Louise Ince were on the program.

Delicious refreshments were served.

—REPORTER—

HAVE A NEW GRANDSON

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGaughy have been visiting their son, Porter McGaughy, in California recently. Mr. McGaughy returned last week and reports a new grandson in the family. Mrs. McGaughy remains in California and will return to Spur later.

First Presbyterian Church

John C. Ramsay, Minister

This is the occasion of our annual Rally Day in the Sunday Schools at Spur and our outpost mission. Every man, woman and child is asked to attend, the not a regular attendant, in the hope that his attendance may inspire him to come regularly. A special program has been prepared.

Following the Sunday School program at the morning preaching service the Elders and Pastor will officiate in the Quarterly Communion Service at which time any who desire to unite with the church will be invited. The program for next Sunday follows:

Rally Day exercises, Cap McNeill in charge at 10 a. m.

Morning Sermon and Communion at 11 a. m., "Laying Use's Foundations".

Outpost Sunday School Rally Day Exercises at 3 p. m.

Kingdom Highways League, Mrs. Pete Robinson, Adult Adviser at 6:45 p. m.

Evening Worship and Sermon at 7:30 p. m., "The Future Life".

Everybody is most cordially invited.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Mesdames C. S. Kearney, Floyd Smith and Willie Smith, were in Abilene Saturday visiting relatives and friends.

SPUR HOMEMAKING NEWS

Miss Louise Ince and her instructor, Mrs. McArthur, will leave for Dallas Friday where they will attend the executive and council meeting of the Future Homemakers of Texas. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss and formulate plans for the state program. The meeting will be held in the Texas Hotel in Dallas. Miss Ince and Mrs. McArthur will return sometime Saturday night.

The second year classes in home-making have been doing some canning of vegetables and making jellies. During this week, they took lessons and laboratory work in making pickles of different types.

The first year classes are studying personalities and grooming and the third year classes are studying family relationships.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

ENJOYED VISIT HERE

Mrs. E. W. Mays and daughters, Patricia Ann and Helen Virginia, of Wichita Falls, visited friends in our city Saturday and Sunday. Mr. Mays recently was the resident highway engineer of our county and is now with a construction company in Wichita Falls. Mrs. Mays stated that she likes her Spur friends better.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Mrs. Dan McMahan and little son of Eastland visited relatives and friends in our community the last of the week.

Misses Lucille Henderson and Aline Morrow, students at Draughon's Business College at Lubbock, visited their parents here the last of the week.

Mrs. Ela Thomas and daughter, Miss Jeffie of Aspermont, were in town Saturday visiting friends and trading. Mrs. Thomas stated that she has a warm feeling for Spur.

FREE TICKETS

This is one of a set of five baby heads which will be distributed at the theatres, to your homes . . . and some of them will be published in the Dickens County Times. Save this one . . . look for the next one . . . collect them . . . trade with your friends when you have duplicates.

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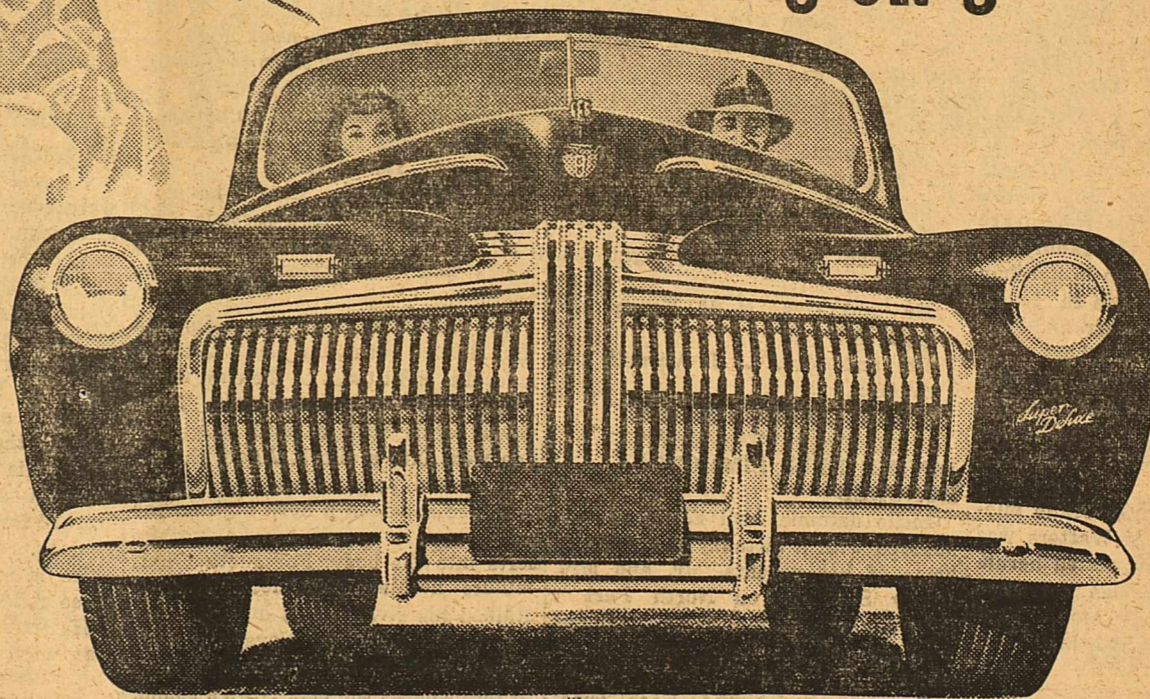
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Cline Hancock Married In California

Word was received by friends here of the recent marriage of Lt. Curtis Olin Hancock to Miss Lucille Kowatch, at Carson City, Nevada. The bride, daughter of Mrs. Katherine Kowatch, of Stockton Calif., was attended by her twin sister, Miss Lillian Kowatch; while the groom was attended by Lt. William I. Lonigan, stationed at the Salinas Army Air Base in California.

The bride wore a poudre blue wool suit with pink accessories, and her flowers were gardenias and bouvardia. Her sister wore a beige and green suit with gardenias.

The bride is a graduate of Stockton Junior College and attended the College of the Pacific for a year. She is a member of the Epsilon Lambda Sigma and a number of her sorority sisters attended the wedding. Lt. Hancock attended Texas A. & M. College.

The groom is a son of Mrs. I. A. Hancock, of Jayton, Texas, and is stationed at the Army Air Base at Salinas where the newlyweds will make their home.

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Jeff Smith and family, of Dry Lake, were in town Saturday trading and visiting friends.

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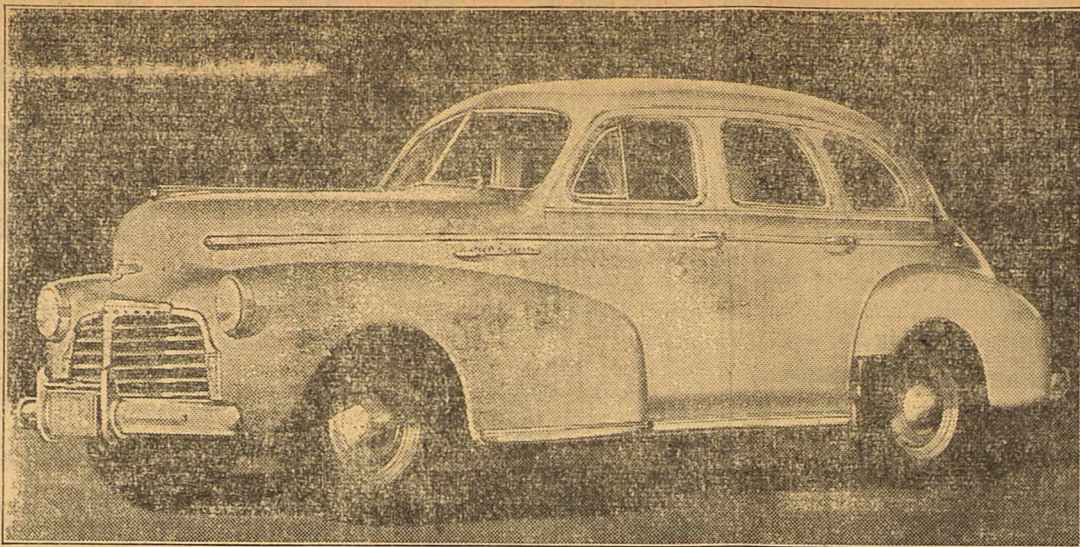
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President Jones Adds To W. Texas Museum

Saga of the early West is retold by a collection of firearms, riding equipment and other articles recently presented to West Texas museum on Texas Tech campus by the college's president, Dr. Clifford B. Jones. The miscellaneous collection ranges from hand forged wire stretchers to a Haynes buggy brought to West Texas in 1908 by his father, the late Chas. A. Jones, first resident manager of the S. M. Swenson and Sons ranch near Spur.

An 1886 powder pouch for muzzle-loading guns is a one-pound combination leather and metal container made of pressed cowhide. A steel dagger point, French cartridge shell, frontier army style pistol, old buffalo gun barrel, French shell clip, early day army cap and ball revolver, and an Indian mallet head are further reminders of early fighting days.

A British army saddle with 12-inch seat, measuring 16 inches from the front to the back of the cantle, is of particular interest. The saddle was brought to Spur ranch by one of the English owners many years ago. The Spur branding iron, is also on display. It was used in 1885-86 to brand 65,000 head of cattle in Dickens County.

Other items in the collection are a copper plate used at Fort Sumner, N. M., when it was a fort, a piece of wood from the first capital of Texas at West Columbia, a 10-inch hatpin with the imprint of the Spur

ranch wax seal, one cut nail 2 7-8 inches long, a curved bar brass key, handcuffs, an early iron ring and well core, and an oil well drill line.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Farm Business Analysis Sheet

The Texas A. and M. College Extension Service has prepared a "Farm Business Analysis Sheet" for the convenience of farm families who desire a complete year-end analysis of their operations.

According to Tyrus R. Timm, extension economist in farm management, the sheet embodies a handy summarization of information necessary for quick reference in business transactions. It contains space for a check on field crops and feed, showing the several crops produced during year and how they were used. Another division provides a breakdown of livestock and poultry on the farm, and presents a numerical picture of the farm's livestock program. Space is provided for analysis of the distribution of feed and livestock, and also for recording of the distribution of feed and livestock, and also for recording the varieties of seed, kinds and amounts of fertilizers, spray, etc. used for comparisons with production results.

Under the heading "Capital Resources," is a classification of items banks will allow for collateral loans. A classified income and expense statement points out, when figures for the year's business are filled in, where the farm income came from and where it went. Closely related to these two divisions is the space for itemizing investments, expenses, and incomes included for both landlord and tenant, if the farm is not owner-operated, in order that a fair basis for rent may be established.

Timm points out that if the Texas Farm Record Book is used, sources of all summary items are indexed. The "Farm Business Analysis Sheet" is on strong paper, and both sides are used for tabulating the classified information. Folded, the summary sheet will fit into a manila folder.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Attends Loan Secretaries Meeting

James B. Reed, Secretary-Treasurer of the Spur National Farm Loan Association, who attended a conference of 17 NFLA Secretary-Treasurers in Lubbock, Monday, said that Texas farmers and stockmen are enjoying the highest price levels for their products since May, 1930.

Although crops are spotted, conditions are reported generally good. The Federal Land Bank of Houston reports improved collections this year. It has been able to reduce its inventory of real estate during the past 12 months due to a lively demand for farms. The land bank has made more than 40% more new loans thus far in 1941 than for the same period in 1940. This gain was said to be due largely to activity in land and refinancing under favorable terms and interest rates.

It was pointed out at the conference that the Federal Land Bank of Houston has extended a total of \$411,000,000 in long term farm mortgage credit through land bank and land bank commissioner loans in 24 years; more than a fourth of all borrowers have repaid their obligations in full, proving the success of the land bank system goal of helping farmers and ranchmen pay out of debt.

The Secretary-Treasurer expressed the belief that the land bank system has been a stabilizing influence on land values by holding the basis for loans to normal agricultural values and by judging repayment ability according to normal prices.

The associations and their land bank are advocating a plan which permits payments on obligations in advance to build up a cushion against

Organize New Club

Six girls met at the home of Maxine Adams to organize a club. They met last Monday, September 22 at 5 o'clock.

Officers were elected and Grace Thurston was chosen to be the sponsor.

The officers are: President, Jean Woodrum. Vice-President, Lou Emma Shugart. Secretary, Norma Thurston. Treasurer, Betty Weaver. Reporter, Maxine Adams. Scrap Book Keeper, Ida Ruth Daper. The name of the club has not been decided but will be before long. The club colors are blue and white. Refreshments were served.

—REPORTED.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Miss Nell Francis left Sunday for Austin where she will continue her work in the University of Texas for a Masters Degree. She has a leave of absence from Spur Schools and Mrs. Otho Barbee is teaching in her stead for the first semester.

W. J. Collier and daughter, Miss Eva Collier, were in our city Saturday doing some shopping and greeting friends.

Henry Stiles, of Girard, was attending to business matters and talking with friends in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paige E. Gollihar, formerly of Washington, but now at McAdoo, were in our city Saturday attending to business matters. They may make Spur their home for a while.

lean years and at this time they are able to permit an offset in interest on advance payments.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Koonsman, of Dickens, were in our city Saturday visiting friends and looking after business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Hand, of DuMont country, were in town Saturday meeting friends and doing some trading.

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SAN ANTONIO TEXAS

Knows Much of Early History

W. C. Kellum, of Gatesville, is here visiting his sister, Mrs. W. B. Bennett, and is enjoying a great time talking with the early settlers of our community. Mr. Kellum is of that pioneer disposition and remembers the days when Indians roamed over Texas. He enjoys talking over the events of early days, and every story he tells has the interest of a romance.

W. H. Allen, northwest of town, was in Saturday doing some trading and meeting friends.

Spur School News

Mrs. J. C. McNeill, director in the commercial department, stated this week that 45 pupils in High School are taking typing. This is all that the school with its present equipment can accommodate. There are 15 pupils taking shorthand and 36 taking book-keeping.

Miss Louise Ince, of the Home-making department, attended the State Council meeting of Homemakers of Texas Saturday. The meeting was held in the Worth Hotel in Fort Worth. The Council worked out plans and outlines of work for the year, and

the program is to feature Youth's part in National Defense.

Miss Ince reported that the boys organization of Homemakers had a representation in the State Council meeting this time. Fifteen boys and girls with four teacher directors attended the Council meeting. Miss Ince is the State recording secretary.

The next meeting will be held in Austin in February.

Miss Ince was accompanied by her teacher, Mrs. McArthur.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Parsons, of Calgary, were in town Saturday doing some trading and greeting friends.



THE FAIR STORE is

full of new fall merchandise—and our prices are still in the lower level than ever before attempted to save the shopper many, many dollars on their early fall shopping bill.

Mr. Gabrel, contends that the greatest number of people is served best when merchandise is sold at the lowest practical prices.

Mr. Gabriel—wants his old customers, those who have been with us since we started business in Spur—to participate in the special values we are offering. At the same time, new customers are equally welcome. We hope to demonstrate our merchandising supremacy in this territory.

FRIDAY, SATURDAY AND MONDAY

<p>Cotton</p> <p>DOUBLE BLANKETS</p> <p>Full size for double beds, medium weight, fleecy cotton in plaids or grey, with colored borders, size 66x76 inches doubled.</p> <p>SPECIAL PER PAIR—</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">98c</p>	<p>Extra Special</p> <p>Part Wool Blankets</p> <p>Part Wool, in block plaids of beautiful colors. Large size, for double beds. 66-inches wide, 80 inches long, doubled. A blanket we sell hundreds of every year.</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">\$1.98</p>
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LADIES NEW FALL DRESSES and COATS

New Fall Silk Dresses with their artistic feminine styling—and they are moderately priced. **\$1.98 AND UP**

LADIES COATS

A woman's smartest fashions in our new fall coats—plaids, solids and mixtures. You will marvel at their beauty. **\$5.95 UP**

COTTON FROCKS

Be well dressed in our new cotton frocks, extra good styles. Only—

\$1.29 up

SILK HOSE

Full fashion—pure thread silk in all the new fall shades. Special

59c



<p>WASH SILK</p> <p>Perhaps the last time this silk can be bought for this price. All new patterns.</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">49c</p>	<p>PRINTS Fast Color</p> <p>Take advantage of this offer. New patterns in all colors.</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">15c yd.</p>	<p>HUMMING BIRD Nylon Hose</p> <p>All fall shades, 52 gauge guaranteed for long wear.</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">\$1.50</p>	<p>80-sq. PRINTS</p> <p>New fall patterns, ideal for that school dress. See our display.</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">19c</p>
<p>Men's Work Shoes</p> <p>One of the best work shoes on the market—full of hard wear.</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">\$1.98</p>	<p>Men's Gabardines PANTS</p> <p>Extra good quality —</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">\$1.98</p> <p>Shirt to match — \$1.98</p>	<p>Boy's All Wool JACKETS</p> <p>The newest style for sport or dress—all sizes</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">\$1.98</p>	<p>Boy's Dress Pants</p> <p>Extra good quality of worsted. Buy now and save.</p> <p style="font-size: 24pt; font-weight: bold;">\$1.00</p>

MEN'S SUITS

New styles, fabrics, colors and patterns in worsteds, tweeds and coverts—single and double-breasts—stripes and plains

\$19.95

Boys' Hawk Brand OVERALLS

Best on market, full of hard wear.

\$1.10



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GEORGE GABRIEL, Mgr.



DISCOVER

The Extra Advantage of Buying Produce by **WEIGHT**

You Get Full Value Every Time

<p>TOKAY GRAPES</p> <p>Pound 5c</p>	<p>APPLES, small size Jonathans, lb. 5c</p> <p>YAMS, East Texas, pound 3c</p> <p>CABBAGE fresh green, pound 3c</p> <p>PEPPER, Green Bell, pound 5c</p>	<p>176 Size Sunkist Oranges</p> <p>Pound 6c</p>
<p>FRESH CRISP CELERY</p> <p>Pound 6c</p>	<p>ONIONS, Fancy Yellow, pound 2 1/2c</p> <p>POTATOES, washed Cobblers, lb. 2c</p> <p>CRANBERRIES pound 19c</p>	<p>FRESH CRISP Lettuce</p> <p>Lb. 6 1/2c</p>

GROCERIES

<p>Ernest Corn Flakes, 2, 11 oz. pkgs 15c</p> <p>Sunnybank OLEO, 2 lbs. 27c</p> <p>Dalewood OLEO, 2 lbs. 29c</p> <p>Assorted Flavors Jell-Well, 4 pkgs 15c</p>	<p>Red Sour Pitted Cherries, 2, 16 oz. cans 25c</p> <p>Cherub MILK, 6 small cans 24c</p> <p>Cherub MILK, 3 tall cans 24c</p> <p>Gold Cove Chum SALMON, No. 1 can 18c</p>
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MEATS

<p>Quality Beef ROUND STEAK lb. 35c</p> <p>Short Loin—Rib Cut CLUB STEAK lb. 32c</p> <p>SHORT RIB Beef Roast, lb. 19c</p> <p>CHEESE Brookfield, Longhorn lb 29c</p> <p>WEINERS, skinless, pound 21c</p> <p>BOLOGNA, sliced or piece, lb. 15c</p> <p>DRY SALT BACON, lb. 18c</p> <p>Sliced Vacon bulk sugar cured lb 25c</p> <p>Sliced Bacon Maximum brand lb 35c</p>	<p>Airway COFFEE, 2, 1 lb. pkgs 35c</p> <p>Canterbury TEA 1/2 lb. package 27c</p> <p>Sleepy Hollow SYRUP, 26 oz. tin 29c</p> <p>Granulated Soap SU-PURE, 24 oz. pkg. 19c</p> <p>Washing Powder RINSO, 2, 24 oz. pkgs 39c</p> <p>Camay Toilet SOAP, 3 bars 19c</p> <p>Sugar Belle PEAS, 2 No. 2 cans 29c</p> <p>Highway Extra Std. PEAS, 16 oz. can 12c</p> <p>La Frontera CHILI No. 1 1/2 can 17c</p> <p>Hershey COCOA, 1 lb. tin 15c</p> <p>Purity OATS, 42 oz. pkg. 15c</p> <p>Pantry Pride Pancake Flour 20 oz pkg 5c</p> <p>Mammy Lou MEAL, 20 lb. sack 59c</p> <p>Van Camp's Pork & Beans 3 16 oz cn 20c</p> <p>Kitchen Craft FLOUR 24 lb sack 95c</p> <p>Kitchen Craft FLOUR, 48 lb sack \$1.75</p>
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SAFEWAY

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Chester White gilts, registered. Will give papers. See Negro Wolfe at Spur Cafe. 10-2-4tp

FOR SALE—Three farms. 160 Acres near McAdoo, \$32.50. Two section near Wake, price \$32.50 and \$37.50. O. L. Kelley, Spur, Texas. 1tc

WANTED—1,000 dozen eggs on subscriptions at the Times Office next week, Starting Saturday Two dozens for a years subscription.

FOR SALE—1941 model Ford tractor and full equipment \$900.00. John Deere Row binder, \$75.00. Terms. L. D. Cravey, P. O. Box 22, Spur, Texas. 9-11-tn

FOR SALE—164 acres mixed sandy land farm, 18 miles southwest of Spur; near church and school, 92 acres in cultivation, balance in grass. Plenty wood, good well of river water. Small house, barn and corral. \$22.00 per acre. Crop and 1-4 mineral rights reserved. Terms. L. D. Cravey, P. O. Box 22, Spur, Texas. 9-11-tn

FOR SALE—Farms in Spur trade territory, see Leonard Jopling, Spur. 8-28-tn.

FOR SALE—May-Tag washing machine with gasoline engine. Good condition and a bargain. See Mrs. G. W. Hutto. 9-25-2tp

FOR SALE—Seed Barley and Seed Wheat. Will plow and drill land. See Jack Gipson, Dickens, Texas. 2tp

FARM FOR SALE—150 acres 2 1/2 miles northeast of Spur known as the W. T. Garner home place. \$30.00 per acre with the rent. \$1,500.00 down, and terms. Wayne Carlisle, Littlefield, Texas. 9-25-4tp.

Gone to California

Mrs. Denton Graham, Mrs. Jack Ensey and her brother, Mr. Garr of Ralls, Mrs. Gene Taylor and Mrs. Collin Denson left Wednesday morning for California. Mrs. Graham, Mrs. Ensey will join their husbands and make their home in California. Mr. Garr will be employed there. Mrs. Taylor will visit her sister and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bain, a couple of weeks and then return to Spur.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

W. S. C. S. MEETING MONDAY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service held their regular meeting last Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church auditorium. The meeting was in celebration of the birthday anniversary of the organization and the program was rendered accordingly. Mrs. J. W. Henry rendered soft music, and the meeting was started with a song, and the invocation was given by Rev. Thurston.

A love offering was made in commemoration of the birthday of the society.

The minutes were read and approved.

Mrs. M. A. Lee was in charge of the devotional, and Mrs. D. P. Condit was in charge of the lesson.

Those present were: Mesdames C. H. McCully, G. H. Snider, J. W. Henry, H. L. Thurston, Mack Woodrum, Leland Wilson, D. P. Condit, Dee R. Haigrove, George S. Link, Clark Lewis, W. F. Gilbert, J. C. Payne, Miss Etta Fite and Rev. Thurston.

—Reporter—

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Dickens School News

The regular assembly program will be Friday morning at nine o'clock. Pupils will present a one-act play and Mr. Peach will be in charge of the program. Parents are asked to attend the assembly program.

The teachers are giving tests this week and preparing to close out the first six weeks of work. The report cards will go out next Tuesday. Parents should examine the report cards and if anything is wrong to report to the teachers.

The lunch room was started Wednesday. All primary grades up to and including the fourth were served hot lunches. A grade extra will be added each day until all in the school will have been served.

—BUY U. S. DEFENSE BONDS—

Mrs. Bill L. Cathey and Billy Robert are in Childress where Mrs. Cathey is receiving private lessons in portrait painting, and Billy Robert is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. F. C. Rickert.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Holly, of Steel Hill, were in town Saturday talking with friends and doing some trading.