

### Home tration News

#### PRATT Demonstration Agent

#### CONTRIBUTION

...el a ry issue of the Pro-  
...farmer under the title, "A  
...man's Contribution to Her-  
...ty" is a story of the work  
...vements of Mrs. Ben An-  
...ho is president of Texas State  
...Demonstration Association. Ev-  
...e should secure a copy of the  
...and read the interesting story.  
...rs. Anthony and her husband  
...ed to a little hilltop farm in Smith  
...n in 1928. "If you were a col-  
...graduate who had never lived  
...really small town, and who since  
...graduated from college had  
...out nine years teaching in  
...ns, until your marriage and  
... had lived in one of the  
...s of your state; if later,  
...nd's business had gone  
...ears of straining and strain  
...yourself deposited in  
...n little house on a  
...verlooking five acres  
...hat became impass-  
...and situated about  
... county seat, in a  
... of an East Texas  
... would you do?"  
... article begins,  
... to read it?  
...ired from the  
...ation of the near-  
...ion club. It was  
...eir home but Mrs.  
... joined this club  
...teristic zeal and en-  
...whole soul into the

1931 encampment that  
...elected president of  
...e Demonstration Asso-  
...the following autumn,  
...resident of the Smith  
...il of Woman's Home  
... Clubs, to which she  
...in 1932. She has served  
...of the Providence club  
... besides her classes in  
... teachers a class in  
... Those are some of the  
...graphs from the story

#### LETY TO

#### YOUR CANNING

...ety is the spice of life  
...d variety to your canning  
... Instead of canning just  
... example, why not put up  
...n varieties of meat from  
... Last week from the hogs  
... butchered in the demonstra-  
... the experiment station, ten  
...ferent products were canned. They  
...ere loin roast, rib roast, sausage,  
...two kinds of mince-meat, liver paste,  
...fried liver, scrapple, headcheese, and  
...pickled pigs' feet.  
... With such a wide range of meat,  
... and one can have nearly as many  
... from beef, the planning and prepara-  
... of meals need not be the same  
... monotonous round day after day. This  
... year in the canning work we shall  
... strive for quality products canned in  
... various ways instead of stressing  
... quantity. Now that we know the value  
... of planning our canning to fit the  
... needs of the family we can give more  
... time and thought to improving the  
... quality and serving it in different  
... ways.

#### COUNTY COUNCIL TO MEET

The County Home Demonstration  
Council will meet Saturday afternoon  
in the home agent's office. At this  
time blank reports will be given to the  
clubs to make their monthly report to  
Council. This year each club is ex-  
pected to turn in a definite written  
report on some phase of the work each  
month to the Council Secretary. The  
Expansion committee will outline their  
plans for securing their reports on  
expansion work to be carried out this  
year. Let each Council member be  
present and on time.

#### PROGRAM FOR YOUNG PEOPLE'S MEETING OF STAMFORD DISTRICT

The following is the program of  
the Young People's Meeting meeting  
of the Stamford District, Methodist  
Church, which will be held in Spur  
next Sunday, January 29th. The ser-  
vices of the church will be held as  
usual, Sunday School at 9:45 and Rev.  
Yeh of China, delivering the sermon  
at the eleven o'clock hour to the young  
people and regular congregation.  
Sunday morning:  
9:00, Registration.  
10:00, Devotional by Rev. Joe E.  
Boyd.  
10:15, Announcements.  
10:25, What is Young People's Day?  
Miss Beckett, McAdoo.  
10:35, Why is the Epworth Hi-  
Road Important? Med Wade, Jayton.  
10:50, Recess.  
11:00, What Missions have done for  
China, Rev. Yeh, China.  
12:00, Lunch.  
1:15, Song service.  
1:30, Why Missions, Rev. Yeh.  
1:45, Reports from the local chap-  
ter Directors.  
Songs and Games.  
Business Meeting—President  
League Benediction.

Robertson, one of the fine  
of McAdoo, was in our city  
attending to business and  
friends. Mr. Robertson states  
health is much improved. He  
confined to his home most of  
since last fall.

### Nichols Sanitarium

Mrs. Joe McDonough, of Red Mud  
community, is in the sanitarium for  
medical treatment.

Mrs. B. Castro, of Aspermont, who  
has been in the sanitarium several  
weeks on account of empyema and  
pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Marvin Thannisch, of Wichita  
community, underwent an operation  
Monday and is resting very nicely.

Mrs. G. T. O'Guinn, northeast of Spur,  
underwent an operation Monday and  
is resting fine.

Demman Aiding, of Roaring  
Springs, underwent an operation Tues-  
day for empyema and seems to be  
getting along all right.

Noah Clifton, of Roaring Springs,  
underwent an operation Saturday for  
appendicitis, and is getting along fine.

Mrs. W. R. Cornelius, of Red Mud  
community, who underwent an opera-  
tion two weeks ago, continues to im-  
prove.

V. M. Hanson, of Roaring Springs,  
underwent a noperation last week for  
empyema and is getting along fine.

Mrs. W. W. Elkins, north of town,  
who underwent an operation two  
weeks ago, continues to improve.

Wiley Stark, of Afton, who has  
been in the sanitarium for treatment  
for double pneumonia, is getting a-  
long fine.

Mrs. W. M. Bumpus, city, is im-  
proving nicely at this time.

Clyde Beam, of Claremont, still  
continues to improve, his limb is heal-  
ing nicely.

### at the movies

#### PASSION PLAY TO BE PRESENTED AT PALACE

"CHRISTUS" which is the Latin  
term for Christ, opens at the Palace  
Theatre for a one day run Thursday,  
January 26th. The picture is on the  
same order as the play which was  
given in Wichita Falls some time ago.  
In the original the life of Christ is  
depicted by a time ago. In the original  
the life of Christ is depicted by a  
foreign cast who speak in native ton-  
gue, making it difficult for one to  
understand and enjoy it as one would  
were it in English. The picture was  
actually filmed in the old country.  
Thousands of persons have traveled  
to Oberammergau to view the original  
Passion Play which is presented by  
a picked native cast every ten years  
in the little village of Oberammergau.  
To participate in this play is one of  
the highest honors a Bavarian can be  
paid, since it is purely an act of wor-  
ship and with little or no pecuniary  
gain to be realized from the play.  
"Christus" opens with the birth of  
Christ in an humble manger. When  
he is born the old tumble down stable  
is diffused with a heavenly glow, and  
the Star in the East guides the shep-  
herds to the new born Saviour, Christ's  
early life is pictured in detail, where  
he amazes the sages with his profound  
wisdom. His miracles are shown and  
His betrayal by Judas, who forsakes  
his friend for thirty pieces of silver.  
The picture follows him from pure  
childhood to perfect manhood, showing  
his trial before Pilate, his crucifixion,  
his resurrection and his being  
raised from earth to heaven. It is the  
play sublime—the picture of all time.

#### THRILLING TALE OF A CHAIN GANG FUGITIVE OPENS SUNDAY AT PALACE THEATRE

"I am a Fugitive from a Chain  
Gang", a Warner Bros. picture star-  
ring Paul Muni, which opens at the  
Palace Theatre Sunday, is a strikingly  
picturesque and realistic picturiza-  
tion of a wellbred man's experiences  
as a convict on a chain gang, with all  
the attendant thrills of two escapes  
in which the prisoner is pursued by  
armed posses and bloodhounds.  
Not only is it said to carry more  
thrilling and sensational episodes than  
most screen dramas, but it presents a  
triple romance of strange and glamor-  
ous loves. The picture is based on  
the novel by Robert E. Burns which  
caused so much comment recently, be-  
cause of the incredible revelations of  
chain gang prison life.  
Driven to desperation by the tor-  
tures of the whipping post and other  
outrages, the fugitive, portrayed by  
Muni, makes his escape and crosses  
to another state after almost unbel-  
ievable hardships. He made good  
under a new name only to be betrayed  
by a woman. He is returned to the  
chain gang only to escape again in  
one of the most exciting man hunts  
the screen has recorded in years.  
There is no more touching figure  
imaginable than this fugitive, yearning  
for love and home, skulking from  
place to place, a man without a coun-  
try. Paul Muni, the famous "Seafarer"  
of the screen, and noted for his fine  
interpretation of character on the  
stage, is said to give his best perfor-  
mance as this fugitive.  
Glenda Farrell, who made such a  
hit in "Life Begins", plays the role of  
the woman who betrays Burns, while  
Helen Vinson, is his real love. Preston  
Foster, Edward J. McNamara, Sheila  
Terry, Allen Jenkins and David Lan-  
dau head a supporting cast which is  
one of the largest ever seen on the  
screen.

#### Mrs. David Burns Died Saturday

Mrs. David Burns of this city died  
in a Lubbock hospital at 2:10 O'clock  
Sunday morning after being in the in-  
stitution six days. Mrs. Burns first  
contracted flu-pneumonia, both lungs  
being affected. The pneumonia was  
checked and her lungs cleared up, but  
the disease created a toxemia which  
affected the blood stream and leakage  
of the heart developed. She was taken  
to Lubbock Monday of last week.  
Before her marriage Mrs. Burns  
was Miss Willie Mae Green, daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Green, of Hill  
Street. She was born in Scurry Coun-  
ty, April 5, 1905, and moved with her  
parents to Jayton, where she lived at  
the time of her marriage to Mr.  
Burns June 7, 1924. She and Mr.  
Burns would have celebrated their  
ninth wedding anniversary next June.  
One child, Tippy, six years old, is in  
the family.  
When she was eighteen years of age  
she made a profession of the Christian  
religion and became a member of the  
Methodist Church. She took much in-  
terest in the church and was extreme-  
ly interested in having her little  
daughter attend Sunday school and  
other church services. She stated be-  
fore she passed away that she was  
ready to go when the time came.  
The body was prepared by the Rix  
Undertaking department at Lubbock  
and was brought over land to Spur  
Sunday. Funeral services were held  
at the First Methodist Church at  
three o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev.  
Joe E. Boyd, pastor, read the funeral  
rites. Interment followed in Spur  
cemetery.  
The deceased leaves her husband,  
her little daughter, her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. L. D. Green, two sisters,  
Mrs. W. C. Shull and Miss Vesta  
Green of Snyder, and one brother,  
Carl Green, of Spur.  
Among friends from other points  
who attended the funeral services  
were: Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Williams,  
Mr. and Mrs. Chalk Brown, Mr. and  
Mrs. J. O. Stinson, Mrs. J. G. Hicks,  
Mrs. T. L. Lollar, Mrs. W. D. Beggs,  
Mrs. Woodie Scarborough, Mrs. Cleve  
Blackard, Mrs. Ed Deakin, Mr. and  
Mrs. W. B. Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs. H.  
L. Vann, Misses Bertie Belle Brown,  
Lil Jo Wilson, Gwendolyn Gray and  
Mary McClinton, all of Snyder, J. W.  
Kennedy and son, Robert, of Lubbock;  
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jones, Mr. and  
Mrs. Frank Ewell, Dr. and Mrs. R. L.  
Alexander, Mrs. S. A. McCombs, Mrs.  
Marvin Fuller, Cal Cade and son, Joe,  
Mrs. Edgar Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. J.  
H. Montgomery, Miss Bernice Alex-  
ander, all of Jayton;  
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Green, an uncle  
and aunt; Mrs. Hubert Robinson, an  
aunt; Mrs. C. D. Green and son, Deaton;  
Mrs. Clarence A. Moore, a cousin,  
all of Goreau.  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. McGlothlin and  
three daughters, Misses Inez and Ila  
McGlothlin, and Mrs. Clarence Greer;  
H. Sampson, an uncle, and J. H. Morris,  
a great uncle, all of Plains;  
Mrs. Bailey Bingham, Mrs. Houston  
Bingham and Clyde Bingham of Asper-  
mont; Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sampson,  
an uncle and Mrs. Mark Caves,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Cathey and daughter,  
Miss Margaret, and "Rosie" Craw-  
ford of Claremont.  
Possibly there are many other whose  
names were not secured who attended  
the services Sunday.

#### FORMER OKLAHOMA GOVERNOR DIES

Lee Cruce, second Governor of  
Oklahoma, died at the home of his  
daughter, Mrs. H. J. Norris, in Los  
Angeles at 8:55 o'clock Monday morn-  
ing of last week. Governor Cruce suf-  
fered a paralytic stroke several days  
ago while visiting his daughter and  
never was able to rally from it.  
He was governor of Oklahoma from  
1911 to 1915, and it is said that dur-  
ing his four years in office there was  
never a criminal in the state given a  
death penalty execution. Mr. Cruce is  
the first man who served as governor  
of Oklahoma to pass away. The other  
seven men to serve in that office still  
are living. Charles N. Haskell was the  
first governor of the state. Cruce was  
second an d was succeeded by Judge  
Robert L. Williams. The other in or-  
der are: J. E. A. Robertson, J. C.  
Walton, M. E. Trapp, Henry S. John-  
ston, W. J. Holloway, and the present  
incumbent W. H. Murray.

#### MRS. COWAN'S LETTER

This week we are beginning the re-  
production of a letter written by Mrs.  
E. J. Cowan, which in a way, is her  
prophecy of members of the Twen-  
tieth Century Study Club. You will ob-  
serve that the letter is dated May 1,  
1952, which is twenty years in advance  
of the times. It describes the posi-  
tions and duties which the various  
members of the club will be perform-  
ing twenty years hence. The letter is  
addressed to Dr. Josephine Crockett  
who is supposed to be in charge of a  
new language in Columbia University.  
Mrs. Crockett today is known as  
one of the most dutiful housewives  
found in our city, and at one time  
was a very successful teacher. We feel  
that the letter of Mrs. Cowan will be  
of interest to our readers, and of  
special interest to all club members  
in our city.  
The letter being rather lengthy we  
will have to give it in different divi-  
sions, but we hope all of you will  
keep up with the story.

### School Notes

DICKENS COUNTY  
Madge D. Twaddel, Supt.

#### IMMUNIZATION

150 children have been given the  
diphtheria toxoid serum lately in the  
Prairie Chapel and Afton schools.  
Many of the schools are planning im-  
munization clinics. Diphtheria, always  
one of our most awful and dreaded  
diseases, has become a real menace in  
Dickens County lately. The preven-  
tion is so simple and harmless that it  
seems almost a crime against child-  
hood if we neglect the use of the life  
time serum, toxoid. The American  
Medical Association, State Depart-  
ment of Health, and the other authorities  
recommend this prevention as being  
safe.

#### VISITORS PROJECT

The schools of the county are keep-  
ing a registration book for visitors.  
The school in the county with the  
greatest number of visitors, judged on  
a percentage basis, will receive a  
framed picture for the school room.  
This is the permanent property of this  
school. Each month during the remain-  
der of the year there will be another  
picture given.

The attendance is not very good in  
many of our schools as yet. During  
the period of snow and Spanish in-  
fluenza attendance became worse than  
it has been in two years. Some schools  
closed until after the holidays. The  
remaining cotton is being gathered  
now which further hampers the at-  
tendance. We are looking forward to  
a period when the children can all  
come to school. The best results can  
not be attained until that time. Some  
of our schools may have to close dur-  
ing this year. Because of that we  
want all children to be present as  
much as possible.

Every school district large enough  
to have a school is big enough to  
have a Parent Teacher organization.  
If we do not stand behind our educa-  
tional program 100% in these perilous  
times childhood is going to suffer.  
Let us all renew our P. T. A.'s and  
go on whole heartedly with the ones  
that have not died. One of our best  
teachers said, "We can't interest peo-  
ple in our school this year. Everybody  
is having such a hard time until the  
usual interest is waning." A good live  
organization of teachers and parents  
will help to overcome that condition.  
Each Saturday at 3 p. m. the  
leaders and any other members who  
want to attend are urged to come to  
the Spur Chamber of Commerce to a  
P. T. A. Council meeting. Ideas, mat-  
erials, programs, etc. can be ex-  
changed with much profit. The next  
session of P. T. A. Council will be held  
Saturday, January 21st.

#### OFFICE DAYS

I have established Tuesday and  
Saturday as office days. Occasionally  
some urgent business may take me  
away from the office then, but usual-  
ly you can depend on these days. Of  
course at such other times as I do  
not need to be out in the schools I  
shall be in the office. If as convenient,  
I should prefer having Saturday as  
teachers day and Tuesday as the time  
for other business transactions. The  
reason for this is that the teachers  
have so much business on Saturday  
and having others come on another  
day would save time spent in waiting.  
However, if Saturday is more con-  
venient come to the office then.

#### Worswick Family Moves to Arizona

Last week Miss Virginia Worswick  
left for Phoenix, Arizona, to join her  
mother and sster, Miss Benny, where  
the family will make their home.  
Mrs. Worswick and Miss Benny have  
been in Phoenix some time. Miss Vir-  
ginia remained here to complete her  
term as Clerk of the District Court  
of our county. She closed her duties  
in the office the first of January and  
spent a few days arranging business  
before she left.  
Dickens County has lost some very  
fine citizens in the person of Mrs.  
Worswick and her two daughters.  
Mrs. Worswick came here with her  
husband, the late Judge B. G. Wors-  
wick, and were among the early set-  
tlers. Judge Worswick served the  
county as County Attorney continuously  
for thirty four years, and no family  
held the love and respect of the  
citizenship of this county more than  
did Judge Worswick and his family.

#### ALEXANDER'S CONDUCT BIRTHDAY SALE

Henry Alexander & Company started  
a birthday sale last Friday, it hav-  
ing been just one year of business life  
to that firm in our city. Since com-  
ing to our city Mr. and Mrs. Alexan-  
der have made many friends and have  
enjoyed a good business. In his ad-  
vertisement Mr. Alexander designed  
a cut showing a small baby ascending  
a stairway and had just made the sec-  
ond step, representing that his firm  
had just reached the second year of  
business in Spur. One fine feature of  
the picture is that they have outlined  
many more steps to reach, and their  
friends hope they will remain in Spur  
and reach every step in the business  
stairway.  
They report a good business during  
their sale. Last Friday closed the first  
year of their business, and their many  
customers were very kind to respond to  
their anniversary sale.

#### ESPUELA GOLF CLUB Holds Meeting

Members of the Espuela Golf and  
Country Club held a meeting at the  
directors room of the Spur National  
Bank Friday evening to make arrange-  
ments for the approaching golf sea-  
son. A representation was present  
and much pep and fun enjoyed.  
The question of dues first came  
before the meeting. It was voted that  
the membership fee be placed at  
\$15.00 plus the ten per cent federal  
tax. Dues to members for the year  
was set at \$10.00.  
The following committees were ap-  
pointed:  
Greens Committee: Harvey Holly,  
chairman; Webster Williams, T. H.  
Dickey, T. C. Ensey.  
Membership Committee: L. E. Lee  
Chairman, E. L. Caraway, and C.  
Ensey.  
Tournament Committee: V.  
terson, Chairman; W. T.  
and M. C. Golding.  
Ladies Tournament: Mrs. W. F.  
Godfrey, Chairman; Mrs. W. T. An-  
drews and Mrs. Roy Stovall.

#### Wright Randolph Resigns As Minister At Church of Christ

Wright Randolph, who has  
ministered at the Church of Christ  
in the past two years, tendered re-  
signation to that church last Sunday  
become effective February 1. He has  
been called by the church at Floydada  
and states that under conditions he  
feels he should accept the call, feeling  
that greater opportunities will be  
furnished him in the new field.  
Since taking charge of the church  
here Bro. Randolph has had a suc-  
cessful success. The church mem-  
bership has been increased  
cent, and he and Mrs. Randolph  
acquired a great number of friends  
who appreciate them and their  
ing of his going Bro. Randolph  
that he and his wife  
better people ever  
found at Spur, and  
their many friends here  
that a greater opportu-  
nity is afforded in the new  
field. Reason he is accept-  
ing. Randolph will pre-  
mon in Spur next Sun-

### Pioneer Woman Passes Away

Mrs. Georgia V. Luce, known to all  
in our city as Grandma Luce, died at  
her home in north Spur at 10:45  
last Saturday evening. Mrs. Luce had  
been in poor health the past two or  
three weeks before her death.

Mrs. Luce was born in DeSoto  
County, Miss., February 24, 1848, and  
grew to womanhood in that country.  
Her maiden name was Miss Georgia  
V. Dadds. She was married to Elihu  
Luce May 18, 1866, and spent about  
eleven years of her married life east  
of the Mississippi River. Five children  
were born into their home, three of  
whom still survive. Those living are:  
John Luce of Spur, Mrs. J. E. Glenn  
of Wichita Falls, and Mrs. A. E. Dav-  
ies of Lubbock. The two that preceded  
are: Mrs. Mary Ella Ringo and Mor-  
gan Luce.  
Mrs. Luce and her family moved to  
Texas in 1877 and settled in Tarrant  
County. A year later the family moved  
to Dickens County in 1886 and have  
lived here ever since. She and her  
children have been citizens of Dickens  
County for forty six years, coming  
here when this section of the state  
was in a very primitive condition.  
When about nineteen years of age,  
Mrs. Luce made a profession of the  
Christian religion and became a mem-  
ber of the Church of Christ. She lived  
a devoted member to her church from  
that time on. People who knew her  
everywhere respected her devoted  
Christian attitude. She had many  
friends who looked upon her life as an  
example.

#### STAMFORD CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

R. L. Hellums, 61, died at his home  
in Stamford at 12:30 Sunday morning.  
He had been suffering for sometime  
of heart trouble and for the past three  
weeks his condition had been consid-  
ered serious.  
Mr. Hellums was a brother to Mrs.  
J. H. Grace of our city. He had many  
friends in Spur. At one time he trav-  
eled for the Stamford Mill & Elevator  
Company and was in Spur every four  
to six weeks.  
Funeral services were held at the  
First Christian Church in Stamford  
Sunday afternoon. Rev. M. B. Harris,  
the pastor, and once pastor of the  
First Christian Church here, read the  
funeral rites. Those attending the ser-  
vices from Spur were: Mrs. J. H.  
Grace, a sister; Mrs. R. E. Dickson  
and Miss Helen Grace, nieces, Mr.  
and Mrs. P. A. Ramsey, Mr. and Mrs.  
W. R. Jimison and W. C. Ramsey,  
old friends of the family.

#### JUDD CITIZEN HURT FRIDAY

Alex Calahan, manager of the Tan-  
kersley Gin at Judd, was injured in  
Spur Friday. It appears that the gin  
at Judd had borrowed equipment from  
the local office of the West Texas  
Utilities Company and Mr. Calahan  
was returning it. The head on a large  
crane came loose during the period  
of unloading and fell on Mr. Calahan,  
cutting two deep gashes in his  
head and cracking the outer sector of  
the skull.  
He was treated at the Nichols Sanitar-  
ium here, and after resting for a  
time seemed able to return to Judd.  
However, he will be unable to work  
for sometime on account of the wounds

#### PERSONAL

John Hardin, of Vernon, was in our  
city the first of the week visiting  
friends.

W. E. Putnam is reported on the  
sick list this week, nursing a case of  
laryngitis.

Little Patsy, daughter of Mr. and  
Mrs. Clark Lewis, is very ill of pneu-  
monia at this time.

Miss Bertie Belle Brown, of Snyder,  
is in our city this week visiting  
relatives and friends.

Mrs. Tracy Gorham, of Amarillo,  
is here this week visiting her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Love.

S. W. Weatherall, banker at Roaring  
Springs, was in our city Wednesday  
attending to business matters.

Wilton Horner left Monday for Col-  
lege Station where he will continue  
his studies in the A. & M. College.

Prof. C. N. Kennon, superintendent  
of schools at Girard, was in our city  
Monday looking after business mat-  
ters.

H. L. Skinner and E. H. Ousley, of  
Ablene, are in our city this week  
transacting business and greeting  
friends.

Pike Nichols, who is attending  
school in Abilene, is here this week  
visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. P.  
C. Nichols.

Mrs. W. H. Putnam, of Vernon, is  
in our city this week visiting her son,  
W. E. Putnam, and her sister, Mrs. S.  
H. Kelsey.

Mrs. W. D. Starcher spent the last  
of the week in Abilene visiting her  
parents, Rev. and Mrs. T. Z. Cagle,  
and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Reese McNeill were  
in Turkey Tuesday with their baby  
consulting with Dr. Sanford. The little  
one has pneumonia.

L. A. Sanders, of Albany, was in  
our city the first of the week looking  
over the business of the Sanders Phar-  
macy here and visiting his brother,  
Ray Sanders.

V. V. Parr, executive manager of  
the Pitchfork Ranch, left the last of  
the week for St. Louis where he will  
attend the annual business meeting of  
the Pitchfork Land & Cattle Company.

R. L. Yaws and daughter, Miss  
Sylvia, Mrs. Kyle Rogers and Mrs.  
Onna Tracy, all of Donna, Texas, are  
guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Rickels  
and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rogers this  
week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Johnson, of  
Deer Lake, are the proud parents of  
a new boy born January 7. The little  
one has been named Billie Joe, and is  
the first grandson of Mr. and Mrs. A.  
J. Johnson of Spur.

Miss Naomi Fortson, of Beaumont,  
arrived here Sunday and is spending  
a few days visiting her sister, Miss  
Neal Fortson, our County Clerk. Miss  
Fortson is manager for the Western  
Union Telegraph Company at Beau-  
mont.

#### JACKSON'S CONDUCT CLOSING OUT SALE

Jackson's instituted a closing out  
sale the last of the week which is  
still in progress at this time. Mr.  
Jackson started into business here  
about one year ago and enjoyed a very  
nice business. He is offering some  
excellent bargains which will be in  
effect all this week. People will do  
well to visit that store before buying.

THE DICKENS COUNTY TIMES

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THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS

There has been much said in regard to certain recommendations to be made by the legislative committee in regard to certain colleges of Texas. As long as we confine our institutions of learning strictly to liberal arts courses we are not going to secure the most benefit from our state.

At this time our schools are too much time to theory, and too little to the practical. Our state university is doing too much of the same work as is being done in ordinary colleges. Why not place the University of Texas at the head of the educational institutions and advance its curriculum above that of the ordinary college? Why should a graduate of the University of Texas be on the same level as a graduate of a Texas teachers college? Make the matriculation point of the University on the basis of a bachelor's degree, or its equivalent, and the students in that institution be prepared to secure a master or doctor's degree.

Why should people have to go to Oxford or Leipzig to complete an education when it should be completed at the University of Texas? Our University is supposed to have a faculty of the most highly educated instructors, and these instructors are supposed to be paid salaries commensurate with their position as educators. Yet we are paying our university professors large salaries to do the work that instructors in the colleges will do at much less cost, and do it just as well. Then why shoot buck shot at snow birds?

By raising the standard of the university a number of instructors could be eliminated and save the people a great sum which is being paid to associate professors. Again, it would bring the university teachers into direct contact with the students they instruct. Too many teachers in our institutions of higher learning are drawing good salaries just on the positions they hold. They tell others what to teach, and the assistants do the work—the teaching.

It is estimated that it costs Texas between \$300 to \$400 per student per year to educate our young people in our institutions of higher learning, and at the same time only \$16.00 to \$17.00 is allotted to educating students in our rural and high schools where all the education of approximately 95 per cent of our citizenship is acquired. Why should the state allocate \$300 to one class of students because a favored few get the advantage of it and only \$16.00 per capita to the masses?

Again, when a student acquires his bachelor degree and goes on to the university to get his master or other degree, let him pay a minimum tuition for this higher classed instruction, \$100 per year would be a light tuition, and yet our state is educating many students from other states free.

LAME DUCK AMENDMENT GETS APPROVAL

The legislature of Missouri in session Monday approved the Lame Duck amendment to the Constitution of the United States, making the thirty-sixth state to ratify the amendment. The legislature of Georgia was in a race with Missouri to be the thirty-sixth state, but the Missouri legislature acted several hours in advance of the vote in Georgia, and the latter named state became the thirty-seventh to adopt the amendment.

The new amendment will do away with the short session of Congress which convenes the first Monday in December each year, and which is a session of the retiring representatives and senators. The amendment provides that Congress shall meet in January of each year and all newly elected members will serve in the Congress instead of waiting until March to take the oath of office as has been done in former years.

Another advantage is that the new session will be in session at the time the incoming President is elected, and in the event the House of Representatives should be called upon to select the President, the work would be done by those members of the house who had been elected by the party in power.

Senator George W. Norris of Nebraska states that in the Lame Duck session many laws are passed just to please a President and many times defeated members of Congress secure appointments to other offices as a compensation of their influence in securing the passage of these laws. He says it is taking the political life out of the law making body.

The new amendment has the staunch support of those congressmen who have always stood for the interests of the masses. Now if the new Congress will devise some method whereby the people can secure money with which to meet their obligations, our country will take a step forward in progress.

IN OUR CITY

W. P. Stephens, of our city last week. By means of their instead of waiting in the union and are able to get a geography of each out the chief characteristic of the people. Mr. Stephens had an exhibit of his pen on the windows of the Garage & Service Station. Stephens paints word p

tures in both rhyme and verse with hope that bring a feeling of joy to everybody.

Mr. Stephens stated they had reared a family of children, they all of them have homes of their own now, and that he and Mrs. Stephens are spending their times visiting over the country. He is a typical southerner and believes exclusively in the southern philosophy of life. He remarked that the people of New York state like the people of Texas, and that a Texan traveling through that state would be greeted by everybody in a very pleasant way.

HIGHWAY

H. J. Parks was in Spur Tuesday night with his daughter, Mrs. Bert Bilberry and little granddaughter, Alpha Jo, who was ill. Mr. Parks returned home Wednesday leaving Mrs. Bilberry and baby in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Vernon Powell took their little son, Billie, to Lubbock again this week for treatment. He has been ill for sometime, and we are very sorry to learn that he is now paralyzed.

Misses Novella and Della Campbell of Spur, spent the week end with Oneta Hahn.

The highway school girls played the outside boys a game of basketball Thursday and won the game by a score of 11 to 8.

Bro. Bilberry filled his regular appointment here Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night. Three good sermons were heard by large crowds.

There were 68 present at the Sunday school Sunday. 34 were in the young people's class.

Miss Lena Goodrich spent the week end at her home in Jayton.

AFTON

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gentry were in Spur this week.

Gus Martin was trading in Spur Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Slayton were in Spur Wednesday.

J. N. Scott was meeting with friends in Spur Saturday.

C. C. Haile was trading in Spur Saturday.

Ray Willmon and Bruce Slayden were in Spur this week.

The Afton boys were in Dickens this week end to play in the tournament for the championship.

Prof. C. W. Giesecke, Carrol Bateman, and Austin Proctor were in Spur Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Burns were shopping in Spur Wednesday.

John Stokes is here from Post, visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. A. P. Stokes.

Prof. C. W. Giesecke, Edward Hicks Ray Willmon, Tipton Stokes, Bascom Bateman were in Matador Saturday night.

Paul Baxter was in Lubbock Tuesday.

Estelle Dawson and E. L. Hooker were visiting in the Baxter home Sunday.

A little son of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence McCann is seriously ill at this time.

Rev. H. T. Harris filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

J. B. Willmon and sons were in Spur Saturday.

Mrs. Herman King, Misses Effie and Estelle Dawson were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Mr. Woods was in Spur Saturday.

O. K. Boswell was trading in Spur Saturday.

Herman Norris was home from Lubbock where he is attending school to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Norris.

Jack Barton was home from Lubbock Tech to visit his parents this week end.

F. C. Coker and family moved this week to eastern parts of Oklahoma, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Alexander are spending the week end in Spur with Mrs. Alexander's mother.

BUZZING AROUND WASHINGTON

Former Representative Charles R.

Crisp of Georgia, defeated for the Senate, given a recess appointment to the Tariff Commission by President Hoover, and failing of confirmation by the Senate, has resigned the office to become a Washington lobbyist for the Savannah Sugar Corporation.

Crisp has been very much in the forefront as a supporter of the public utilities, and his advocacy of the sales tax is held to have caused his defeat in the Senatorial race by Governor Russell. Crisp's salary as a lobbyist will be several times the amount of his salary as a commissioner.

This is the month when President-elect Roosevelt is expected to select the ten men who will become his official family. Washington buzzes with conjectures as to the identity of the ten. There is no end of guessing. One story has gone out that Hiram Johnson is slated temporarily for Secretary of Commerce, with a promotion to the Supreme Court bench as soon as a vacancy occurs.

One yarn concocted here is that Johnson's Senate seat vacant, Governor Rolph of California would resign. Lieutenant Governor Merriam would be sworn in as chief executive of that State and would in turn name "Sunny Jim" to complete Johnson's unexpired term. Rolph says it is a fantastic cock-and-bull story, and Hiram is keeping his well-known counsel.

We are reliably informed that Senator Carter Glass has been asked if he would take the Treasury portfolio. He is said to have declined it on the ground that he is not in the best of health and that the post should go to a younger and more physically vigorous man. Glass was seventy-five years old on January 4.

The offer of the post to this veteran legislator was a graceful compliment to the man who was most responsible for the framing of the Federal Reserve Act twenty years ago. Glass knows more about finance than anybody in the Senate, and when he talks nobody with any sense ever thinks of challenging what he says. They all arise to ask for information, and Glass, who is not a banker, but an editor who began his career as a printer at the case, has a ready answer to every question.

Mrs. T. W. Morgan, of Espuela, was in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

Miss Jewel Giesecke, a teacher at Midway school, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

S. H. Daniels, of Duck Creek, was in our city Monday looking after business matters. He stated that he expects to make a living on the farm first and then try to make money after that.

MRS. COWAN WRITES OF 20TH CENTURY CLUB MEMBERS

Spur, Texas, May 1, 1932 Dr. Josephine Crockett, Columbia University, New York. Dear Josephine—Surprising indeed have been my experiences of the past six months. The receipt of your letter links the chain of events into an unbroken circle, I now have seen or have heard from the entire membership of the 20th Century Club of 1931-32-33.

Your letter was a reminder of our secret pact of December 20, 1932. As I am the one living in Spur (or nearest Spur) it is my duty to write you the history of these friends.

As I've already mentioned I am living in Spur, that is at the present, but for this is finished I may be or have been in many and sundry places. Since my family "has grown up" and each has established a home of their own I spend considerable time, going or coming, as the case may be.

At first, while they were all in college I had more leisure than I really appreciated but I soon found my time crammed with duties, because I "took up law." You wonder why, I suppose. There were two reasons. First, I love and have always loved to argue. Second, Mr. Cowan during the past thirty years has acquired a very fine law library, and I thought it ought to be used. You can not possibly be as surprised at me being a lawyer as I am at your being the doctor of Esperanto in Columbia University. I never imagined our debate: "Esperanto vs. English as an Universal Language," would end in such a career for you. I, indeed, must have used some very convincing arguments. I cannot but envy you the trips abroad, the opportunities you have of attending the many international conferences and congresses.

I have had some very interesting cases, have also won some hard ones, and have made for myself a reputation, that perhaps may be to some extent, the means by which I may win a place among the politicians of our state.

I must not discuss myself now, but get down to the business of this matter. Until last winter, I had lost track of several of our friends, but your letter asking about each, caused me to wonder, "Just how can I find out about them within a short time." Then I thought of Myra Roberts, she is a regular bureau of information.

Several years ago Leslie and Myra opened a tourist landing field, aero auto hotel-affair. I know what I am referring to, they are twenty miles west of Fort Worth. This is the first aero-auto hotel in Texas. The sort that has a large central building, which provides hotel accommodations "De Luxe"—swimming pool, barber shops, dress shops, post office and telegraph, information of any and all points of interest, road reports and weather reports. The tourist cottages are built above the garage rooms or the hangar for the small aeroplanes. There is also the repair garage for auto and planes.

Myra is a charming hostess. She meets hundreds of people who filter through this place every week. Since you were in Texas the speedway from coast to coast and the Canada-Mexico have been finished, and this place is at the intersection of these two roads. Myra does not depend upon the great register, which holds the names and addresses of America's great, near great, fortunate and unfortunate, to hand out the whereabouts of any person, she has installed a card index system, and Betty Jane, who has this particular work in charge is very efficient.

Mail is received or forwarded to tourists, who use this means of getting service, where it is next, to impossible to get attended to promptly elsewhere. Whenever I want the address of a person, or want to locate someone in a hurry, I write Myra. However, it isn't the fact that Myra is a source of information as to the whereabouts of our friends, that I have seen or heard of them each and all but entirely a different matter made me anxious to get in touch with them.

In the winter I found it imperative to visit Austin in regard to a legal matter. Judge Chapman advised that I spend some time investigating some records, and as this gave me an opportunity to visit Madge Twaddell, who is State Superintendent of Education, I readily availed myself of the chance. Madge is still the same lovable woman. The golden hair is silver now, but the eyes are as bright as ever, and the smile makes everyone feel that they are welcome, when they enter her office.

Bobby is studying law at the University. After an excellent six o'clock dinner, Madge suddenly asked, "I've been wondering whether you've ever considered running for office?"

I gasped, "No"—I replied, "I've thought of almost every other fool thing—have even tried a few—such as being an actress, writing the book of the month, taking to the air, broad casting beauty builder programs, but never have I thought of running for office." Madge just smiled, and I could readily see I had not sidetracked her, so I inquired "What particular brand have you to offer?"

"With your reputation and ability to get what you go after—and also your faculty for making friends, I suggest you run for Congress-Woman at Large. You are just the type we need, this time."

I could but wonder, "Is she poking fun at me. Am I as large as all that (I'm sort of fat you know) and what does she mean by "the type.""

She seemed to be unaware that she had me guessing—but launched out into a one sided discussion of some changes that needed to be made, especially in reference to some educational laws.

I spent seven days in Austin, and the "pro and con" ability of even the best of even-gasted program Twaddell. At last and left Austin with mind fully made up. Congresswoman at Large.

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Spur, Texas

## CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**  
Wright Randolph, Minister  
Bible study in classes each day morning 10:00  
Preaching 11:00  
Preaching 7:00  
Young People's Meeting 6:00  
Ladies Bible Class, Monday 2:00  
Mid-Week Prayer meeting and study class, Wednesday 7:30  
Teachers Training class meets immediately following our Wednesday evening prayer service.

**BAPTIST CHURCH**  
Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.  
Preaching Services at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
B. T. S., Sunday at 6:15 p. m.  
Teachers meeting Monday evening.  
Prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30. —Reporter.

**ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH**  
The Assembly of God Church, holding services in the Lyric Theatre building just north of the bank, had their

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annual business meeting of the year last Sunday.  
Morning services as usual. Young people's meeting Sunday afternoon instead of Friday evening.  
Mid-week services at 7:30 p. m.  
Sunday evening services at 7:30.  
Rev. Whitlock, Pastor.

**METHODIST CHURCH**  
The work of the Church is gathering momentum from Sunday to Sunday and we are counting on next Sunday being a day of unusual blessing. The young people of the West part of the Stamford District will be with us beginning their program and work at nine o'clock and closing out at three o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. Yeh, a young minister from China will speak at the eleven o'clock hour on "What Missions Have Done For China." We extend a hearty invitation to one and all to be with us in this service and hear what this man from China has to say about the Love of God as he has learned of Him through the Missionary message.  
The last of the services for the young people will be held next Sunday night. The following list of questions will be answered by the young people:

1. What's Right with the Church?
2. What do you expect from the Church?
3. How can it help you most?
4. In what respect, if any, is the church failing, in your judgment?
5. How has the Church helped this community?
6. Is any other agency doing as much for the community as the Church?
7. Would you be willing to live in

a community where there is no Church?  
8. If you do not go to church, will you please give the reason?  
9. Has the Church ever helped you solve one of your problems?  
10. What part of the Church's activities do you enjoy most?  
11. What is your attitude as to church attendance?  
12. How much should a Christian pay to the promotion of God's Kingdom? How much should a non-Christian pay to the Church?  
Joe. E. Boyd, Pastor.

### WHITE RIVER

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rankin and family were at Kelgery the past Tuesday night attending a play.  
H. C. Peterson was in Spur Wednesday greeting friends.  
Robert and Ross Cannon were visiting Cliff Byrd of Highway, one day the past week.  
Donnie Pace of Highway, was visiting in the Rogers home Tuesday.  
Don Tuckerman of West End, was in the community Thursday.  
Mr. Whitaker of Anson, father of Mrs. A. L. Walker, is here visiting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Rogers were transacting business in Crosbyton Thursday.  
Orle Smith and Velma and Ophelia Cozby and Ross Cannon were in the Red Mud community Saturday night.  
Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Rogers spent the week end at Dickens visiting relatives.

Clyde Smith was in the Highway community visiting his father, Troy Smith, one day the past week.  
A large number of people from this community attended the birthday celebration of J. T. Greer of Highway, Thursday night. All reported a very enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Rankin and Mrs. Ida Rucker visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rankin of Red Mud Sunday.  
Orle and Otis Smith of Peaceful Hill, were in the community Tuesday.  
J. T. Cozby returned home Wednesday from Spur where he has been working.

Mrs. J. J. Rogers was shopping in Spur one day the past week.  
J. T. Cozby has been on the sick list the better part of the week but is better at this writing.

Mrs. Cliff Bird of Highway, was visiting Mrs. Willie Rogers one day the past week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Norville Rogers were shopping and attending to business in Spur Wednesday.  
Orle Smith of Peaceful Hill, was in the community Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Rankin of Red Mud, visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Rankin Thursday night.  
Mrs. J. T. Cozby was in Spur Wednesday shopping.

Fred Reed was in the Highway community one day the past week.  
J. L. Battles, of Espuela, was transacting business with our merchants Saturday.

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10 lb Cloth bag 46c  
Red & White Strawberries, Fancy No. 2 can 25c  
Blue & White Cocoa, 2 lb. 25c  
TABLE SALT, reg. 5c box, 2 for 5c  
The Cracker With a Flavor  
CRACKERS Salad Wafer 2 lb. box 23c  
FLOUR, 48 lb. Sack Perfection 69c



- Salad Dressing Qt. Jars only 35c  
Pancake Flour Gold Medal, 15c pkg. 2 for 15c  
MUSTARD Quart Jar 15c  
SYRUP, per gal. 65c New Crop Georgia Cane  
PEANUT BUTTER Armour's Best Pt. Jar 15c

"Grain Fed Beef" MARKET SPECIALS "Grain Fed Beef"  
All Forequarter Steaks, lb. 10c Sliced BACON, best grade lb 20c  
Loins and T. Bone Steak, lb. 15c Cheese, per lb. 18c  
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### WICHITA-CROTON

Mrs. Reg Bullington and daughter are spending the week at Munday with Mrs. Bullington's mother. Our school has been dismissed a few days on account of diphtheria.

Misses Jewel and Claudia Mimms of Ralls, are visiting in our neighborhood this week.  
Mr. Rudd is teaching a singing at Wichita schoolhouse this week. There is to be a box supper at the same place Friday night.

Miss Jane Lovell is on the sick list this week.  
Mrs. Carl Murchison is spending the week at Highway with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sparks.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Perrin and Harley Winkler of Dickens, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert Friday.  
V. V. Parr is attending to business in St. Louis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Koonsman were in Lubbock on business Tuesday.  
There was an enjoyable party at the Pitchfork Ranch Saturday night.

Mrs. T. S. Lambert and Mrs. Lottie Murchison were shopping and visiting in Spur Thursday.  
Mrs. Dowell and daughter, Miss Mable were shopping in Spur Friday.  
Oliver Minix was attending to business in Ralls Wednesday.

### IN MEMORY OF TRUMAN PUCKETT

Gone but not forgotten, his face no more, we'll see. His laughing voice is still, God took and made him free. He was away from our community, but we looked for his return until the death angel came and took him home. We miss him, but we know that he is free from life's worries and cares.  
Truman your going has made us think.  
Death comes to one and all. It comes to us in the sultry summer. It comes to us in the snowy winter, in the hearts of Christian people. We must live, love and forgive. So we'll not forget you Truman the things you did shall live.  
By one who knew him. —A friend.

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### GIRARD

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Boland of Plainview, are here visiting relatives at this writing.  
Rob Goodall of Clairmont, was attending to business here Monday.  
Floyd Hale of Spur, spent Saturday and Sunday here with his mother.  
Miss Dean Poona spent the past week in Aspermont.  
Mrs. John Gregory of S... is here visiting her parents.

### Mrs. J. A. Boland.

George and Raldo Goodall were Jayton visitors Saturday.  
H. F. Harwell was trading in Spur Saturday.

Frank Gregory spent last week end in Aspermont with relatives.  
Girard and Jayton played ball Wednesday night. The Senior girls and Junior boys lost their games but the Senior boys and the outlaws were victorious.

Miss Zaida Bee Laird, who has been here since Christmas, returned to Lubbock Wednesday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boland spent Wednesday in the Red Hill community with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Watson.

Pete Sherer and Doris Hurst were trading in Spur Saturday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Skinner were Jayton visitors Saturday afternoon.  
Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Goodall of Clairmont, were attending to business here Saturday.

Mrs. M. Hargrove of Spur, was visiting friends here Sunday.  
Bro. Sifford filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Boland made a business trip to Jayton Saturday.  
G. W. Fincher and Evelyn were shopping in Spur Saturday.  
Miss Frances Hunter of Clairmont spent Saturday in Girard on business.

Miss Lucille Hargrove of Spur, is spending the week with Edith Harwell.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Boland were shopping in Spur Thursday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hargrove were visiting friends here Sunday.  
Oscar Thompson of Dickens, was visiting here Sunday.  
Joe McFall and Elwood Byrd of Aspermont, spent the week end here.

### GIRLS SCOUT MEETING

The Girl Scouts met Tuesday afternoon after school. We decided to have a kind of contest; the patrol that has the most present at every meeting will spend the night at the Scout house on a picnic or have a party. Last

week Venita Briley's patrol stayed all night at the Scout house and Dot Taylor's patrol had a party. This week Isabelle Campbell's patrol had one hundred per cent. Every scout is busy passing tests or reviewing them. —Reporter.

Miss Jewell Morris, teacher at Prairie Chapel, was in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

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# SOCIETY

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## SO SUM CLUB ORGANIZED

On Tuesday afternoon, January 20 the So Sum Club was organized at the home of Mrs. J. M. Foster. Officers were elected as follows: President, Mrs. Leslie Roberts. Vice President, Mrs. B. F. Hale. Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. G. J. Lane. Reporter, Mrs. E. A. Russell. Ten members whose names are given below, compose the club: Mesdames W. S. Campbell, E. L. Caraway, J. P. Carson, J. M. Foster, B. F. Hale, G. J. Lane, Leslie Roberts, E. A. Russell, V. C. Smart and Roy Stovall. Mesdames Murley and Luther Powell were guests of the club for the afternoon. A very delightful as well as

profitable time was spent while the needle was piled, after which delicious home made candy was passed.

## SPUR CLUB MEETINGS

The Spur Club of Tech College met Monday night, January 9th, in Room 214, Administration building, to reorganize for the winter term. New members and old met together. Lanox Hazel was re-elected president by acclamation. Ruby Rae Williamson was elected vice president and social director. Hope McClain was re-elected Secretary and Treasurer and Dick Perrin was re-elected Sergeant at Arms. Velda Crouch was elected Reporter. Two meetings a month, one business meeting and one social, will continue as before. The club agreed to place a picture in La Ventura this year.

Mrs. Odie Holley had charge of the social given Friday night, January 13th, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Middleton, 1604 Avenue Y. New members were solemnly initiated and the rest of the evening was devoted to cards and forty-two. Sandwiches and punch were served as refreshments.

We have about ten new members, making our total enrollment attending Tech from Dickens County over forty. —Reporter.

## SENIOR B. T. S. ENTERTAINED

The Senior B. T. S. of the First Baptist Church enjoyed a Spanish social given at the church Monday night. Many games were played and refreshments of chili and crackers, hot tamales and Spanish bread, lemonade and cake were served to: Ester Lee Mitchell, Mona Lawrence, Estelle Ponder, Clara Pratt, Bonnie Lawrence, Nadine Westerman, Bertha Carlisle, Jessie Belle Suggs, Velma Howe, Matissa McKay, Jessie Lee Smith, Hattie Morrison, Truman Moore, Dick Lewis, Lynn Knouse, Jack Senning, Henry Scoggins, Soapy Mayfield, William Dozier, Raymond Denton, Mrs. W. R. Terry, Mrs. Rodgers, Mrs. Loyd Wolfe, Willis King and son, Dorothy Rodgers and our pastor, Bro. F. G. Rodgers. —Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Evans, of Duck Creek, were in our city Saturday trading and greeting friends. They are teachers in Duck Creek school.

## MAKES WOMEN LOSE FAT

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## PIE SUPPER AT TWIN WELLS

The people of Twin Wells community are giving a pie supper at their school house Friday evening at 7:30. The proceeds of the supper are to be used to build a stage in the school building. Everybody is extended an invitation to be present. Ladies to take pies and the men to have some money with them.

## A WORD OF APPRECIATION

We take this means of expressing our thanks and appreciation to ours and our dear mother's acquaintances and friends who so kindly and lovingly helped her and cared for her in her illness, and assisted us in her last illness.

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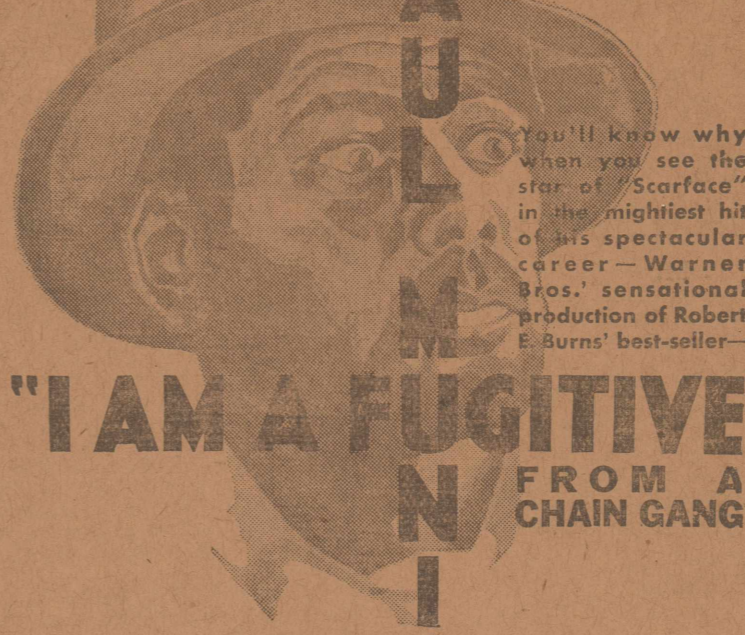
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## RESIDENCES

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- Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mitchell and family.
- Mr. and Mrs. Arthur James and daughter.
- Mr. and Mrs. Bill Alexander and children.
- Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Little.
- Mr. and Mrs. William A. Smith.

## NEW BOOKS ADDED TO THE LIBRARY THIS WEEK

- "Invitation to the Waltz", by Rosamond Lehmann.
- "Walking the Dusk", by L. J. Webb.
- "The Fountain", by Charles Morgan
- "Flowering Wilderness", by John Galsworthy.
- "Cover the Waterfront", by Max Miller.
- "Larry"—the diary and letters of

a modern college student—the unspoiled frank expression of a youth who faced life whole.

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## CARD OF THANKS

We take this means to let our friends know of our appreciation for the many things done and the many words of consolation extended us during the illness and death of our wife, daughter and sister. Especially do we appreciate the patient efforts of Dr. Nichols. We feel that he did all that he could have been done. Also, we thank those who so thoughtfully contributed flowers.

David Burns and daughter, Tippy. Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Green. Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Shull. Vesta and Carl Green.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Bennefield, teachers at Espuela, were in our city Saturday doing some trading and greeting friends.

Miss Willie Mae Durham, a teacher at Duck Creek school, was in our city Saturday doing some shopping. Judge C. B. Whitten, of Matador, was professionally engaged in our city Tuesday.

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