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CONGRESSMAN MAHON WILL ADDRESS OLD SETTLERS AT DICKENS - MOTLEY REUNION

Hon. George Mahon, of Colorado City, and congressman from this the 19th district, has accepted an invitation to deliver the principal address at the Motley-Dickens counties annual reunion at Roaring Springs, Thursday and Friday, August 27 and 28, according to information given the Times this week by C. C. Haile, president of the Old Settlers Association. The congressman will speak at 2:30 o'clock the afternoon of Thursday, Mr. Haile stated.

Bits o' Nothing

Borrowed 'n' Otherwise.
By EARNEST E. HAYLEY

NOTE: This week's column of Bits O' Nothing is written in Claude Callan style and offered with pardons to the noted columnist.

Our office boy only wants to do the easy things, and of course there is nothing easy about anything that requires work.

Our cousin, who lives in Dallas and whom we haven't seen since he married several years ago, keeps writing us that he and family are expecting us to stay with them when we visit the Centennial. His persistent actions prompt us to believe one of two things: He either thinks we might spend all our money in Fort Worth rather than Dallas or else he wants to show us just how much better conditions are with them now than they were when we last visited there.

We have an uncle who produces all his own "groceries" in the sandhills of East Texas. He used to write us often telling of the plight he and family were in so that we could send them our old clothes, but Roosevelt started teaching the alphabet and we haven't heard from him since.

We used to believe in seeing our dentist twice a year, but for the past year or five visits he has been telling us that some of our teeth need working on. We are about to become discouraged and afraid sooner or later we'll weaken and let him have his way.

Our mother has a neighbor who doesn't have much sympathy for the sick because she has never been seriously ill herself, but she will quickly establish a lasting friendship with a car wreck victim, since she collided with a truck last winter.

Our boss used to like to take us out to the golf links and hand us a good beating. Sometimes we wonder if he didn't enjoy it more just because he knew it would remind us again of his superiority.

Dad sometimes advises son that when he was son's age he was married and settled down. What Dad fails to remember is that his father furnished him with buggy and horse, furniture and a section of land to work when he married mother, while Dad now lives in a rented house, with a small lawn and a job with an oil company. What does son have to gain by getting married?

It is always better for a man to just promise his wife a new car to keep her from leaving him than to actually buy her one. Once she gets the new automobile she would always be finding places to go and never be at home any way.

Our grandmother, who voted an exemption ballot, says she doesn't mind losing a few votes, because she didn't pay anything to try and elect her candidates anyway.

Our younger brother, who is a senior in high school, is very industrious. Latest indications in that direction are pointed out by his expressed desires to quit school and start making his own way. However, mother has about persuaded him to loaf at least another year toward his diploma before he goes out into the cold, cold world to start at the bottom of the ladder.

Our banker is two-faced. He heartily endorsed the Rotary club speaker who said that everyone should take lots of time to play and enjoy life and then demands a deposit when we give an over-draft for our vacation money.

When we take a crack at a big man like W. R. Hearst we always spell his name wrong. Last week we spelled the big newspaper man's name "Hurst" just so he couldn't sue us for slander, or something. (It's a good alibi, whether it sticks or not.)

Spur Troop Take Second In Water Events

Spur Softball Team To Enter Littlefield Tournament Aug. 26

A Spur softball team composed of the outstanding players of the various city teams of the local league will enter the Littlefield Big League tournament in that city August 26th to 28th, according to announcements made here this week.

The tournament is to continue for the four days with the two winning teams throughout the bracket-system of eliminations being matched for the tournament championship on the last day.

Plans will be worked out here, it is understood, with acceptance of the invitation being made the Littlefield officials before Saturday, August 15, final day for entering.

Old Man Sol Rules County and State; Crops May Suffer

Old Man Sol continued to reign over Dickens county and the entire of Texas this week as temperature climbed to new records in various sections. The new high for the week, if not the season, was reached Wednesday at Spur when the mercury climbed to 112 in the shade. Ends were forced out of the smaller thermometers when placed in the direct rays of the sun. Monday the unofficial readings in the shade in Spur were 108, while at the same time Wichita Falls accounted for 111 and Seymour 116. McKinney reported the record in the state for the day with a reading of 117.

A shower Monday stopped a softball game at Dickens for a few minutes to bring relief from the heat for about as long. Crops in various sections including McAdoo, Duck Creek, Afton, Highway, Dickens and Spur are reported beginning to show effects of the drought.

This county has not been officially marked as being in the new drought areas of Texas, and as yet crops have not suffered severe damage, but the need for rains is becoming more expressed as the temperatures continue to climb each day. There is one consolation, there have been no high-dry winds as is oftentimes the case during drought periods in West Texas.

Church of Christ At Girard To Hold Two Weeks Revival

The Church of Christ at Girard will begin a revival meeting Friday night, August 14, to extend over two weeks, according to announcements from R. E. Beaver of that city this week, and to be conducted by Elder Cleo E. Wallace of Austin.

Elder Wallace is recognized as one of the Church of Christ most able ministers and citizens of Girard and the area have been extended invitations to attend. Services are to be held under an old-time brush arbor where it will be cool and pleasant and there will be plenty of seats and lots of good singing the announcement states.

Last Rites Held For Frank Mullins

Last rites were held for Frank Mullins from the Mullins home near Afton last Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock, with Kinney Funeral home in charge. Bro. McCommerie, pastor of the Littlefield Church of Christ, officiated.

Mr. Mullins died Friday morning at 1:40 in a Lubbock hospital, from meningitis. The body was returned to Spur by Kinney and from here to Afton where interment was made in the Mullins cemetery.

He was 44 years old, born August 6, 1892. He is survived by his wife and six children.

TO GO TO WICHITA
Mr. W. D. Starcher, editor and publisher of the Times, who has been ill for several months, will return to Wichita Falls Saturday for examination. Editor Starcher recently spent two weeks in the Clinic Hospital in that city but his return Saturday will only be for an examination period.

WILL HOLD REVIVAL



Dr. H. G. Lindsey

Dr. Lindsey of Covington, Tenn., will conduct the services of the revival meeting beginning at the Spur First Baptist Church Sunday night. The meeting is to continue two weeks.

Two Weeks Revival Begins At Baptist Church Here Sunday

The Baptist of Spur will launch a two weeks revival Sunday night with Dr. H. G. Lindsey of Covington, Tennessee, doing the preaching and Mr. Mark Short leading the singing.

Dr. Lindsey's coming to Spur to lead in a revival meeting is regarded as a treat by the Baptist people. Although a Tennesseean Lindsey received his Th. M. Degree from the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary at Fort Worth. Later receiving his Doctor's Degree from Union University. Having rendered a conspicuous service as pastor of the First Church of Covington for the past seven years this servant of God comes prepared to lead Spur people in a successful way.

Mr. Mark Short needs no introduction to the people of Spur, since he has been here before to aid in revival work. He is popular wherever he goes and the demands for his services are constant.

Services will be conducted each morning at 10 and the evening services will be conducted on the outside. A most cordial invitation has been extended to the town at large and surrounding country to attend these services.

Lights Installed At New Spur Pool; Night Swimming Is Popular

Lights were this week installed at the new Spur municipal swimming pool, adding greatly to the commercial value of the recently completed WPA project. The night swimming program has already been heavily endorsed by the working public.

The municipal pool, which has been opened less than two weeks, attracted approximately 300 swimmers the first week, before night swimming was inaugurated. Diving platforms have been built and other work toward total completion has been continued uninterrupted in spite of the heavy patronage of the pool.

Whitford Services Held Last Friday

Funeral services for F. C. Whitford of the Highway community, were held at the Kinney Funeral Home here last Friday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock with Rev. Lorraine of Roaring Springs officiating. Interment followed in the Spur cemetery.

Mr. Whitford, 52 years old, was born December 10th, 1884, in the state of Arkansas. He died at his home on the Adams place in the Highway community Wednesday, August 5th. He is survived by his wife and several children.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sampson of Claremont, were here Saturday doing some trading and reported their cotton is looking good.

6 Fight, All Lose

Six fighters entered the "ring" during a dance at Dickens Tuesday night of last week, but the county won the decision in the first round, according to Sheriff Koonsman.

A fight between a drunk and a dancer grew into a gang contest involving six would-be pugs before the county stepped in with so many "charges" to retain the championship and win the "money." It is understood the sluggers will be disqualified hereafter.

Work Is Begun On Installation New Spur Water Mains

Actual work of installation of the City of Spur's new \$60,000 water works system has already begun with laying of new six-inch pipes in the western sections of the city.

The new six-inch mains will replace all the old four inch pipes and four inch mains will be placed in use in various other sections of the city, including the colored addition south and west of the city, it is understood.

New fire hydrants are being planned for various points and copper service pipes will connect each individual piece of property, according to plans previously announced.

The work is expected to require approximately all winter to reach completion which will result in a lower price insurance key rate. The project is a WPA undertaking.

County Ginners To Collect \$4,452 From Federal Government

Ginners of this area are due to receive approximately \$9,000 from the federal government for expenses incurred in administering the Bankhead Act in the processing of 1935 cotton crop, according to announcements made this week.

Payment is to be made on the basis of 25 cents per bale, counting round bales as half bales. Applications have been filed by Dickens county ginners on the basis of 17,808 bales. Ginners for the three counties of Dickens, Kent and Motley totaled 35,704 bales.

Ginners and payments to be made to ginners in this area are to be as follows: Dickens county with 17,808 bales due \$4,452; Kent county with 6,626 bales due \$1,656; Motley county with 11,268 bales due \$2,817.

VISITS MRS. SOL DAVIS

Mrs. Sol Davis of this city has had as her guests her niece, Miss Virginia Forbis of Lubbock, and her son, John of Philadelphia. Both visitors left for their respective homes Wednesday of this week. Miss Forbis is a teacher in the Lubbock school, while Mr. Davis is employed by the Sinclair Oil Company.

Dr. Hale Turns To Physiology For Sense Of Humor Descriptions of "Loafers"; Address Before Rotary Club "Exceeds Expectations"

Dr. B. F. Hale, in the outstanding address at the regular luncheon hour of the Rotary Club last week, illustrated that the priceless ingredient in a human being is a sense of humor even in the most serious moments. The subject of his talk was "Loafing" and the results were hearty approvals from every club member present.

The local physician, through his study of and dealings with the processes, activities and phenomena incidental to and characteristic of life, has become quite a philosopher and student-master of physiology. His descriptions of various local figures, recognized in Spur as typical loafers, were so perfect as to need no naming. The humor with which each was pictured might be classed as being of the late Will Rogers style.

The doctor's own words are well suited in classifying his address: "Gentlemen, I have quite exceeded my own expectations," he said when he had concluded. The lesson derived from his text was that there are many types of loafers, those who spend their time kicking everything that comes up and everyone who comes along; those who just idle away the

Lorenza Scouts Win First; Crosbyton 3rd In District Meeting

Boy Scout Troop 35 of Spur was declared second place winners in the Eastern District of the South Plains Council water events meeting held at the local municipal swimming pool Tuesday of this week. Troop 27 of Lorenza was first with 162 points; Spur second with 130 points; Crosbyton third with 85 points; Matador took 34 points while Ralls accounted for 3 points.

More than a half hundred scouts from the five troops, representing as many towns of the eastern district, entered the various individual water events included junior, intermediate and senior divisions. Business at the pool thrived as diving, plain and fancy, swimming, all styles, and relay contests were conducted in clock-work style.

Following the water events approximately 125 scouts, their parents and scout workers were the guests of the Spur Rotary Club at a barbecue supper in beautiful Swenson Park.

The court of honor which followed in the evening at the Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium was in charge of Judge Wicks, of Ralls. The evening meeting was opened with invocation being offered by O. L. Kelly; Bill Lane of the Spur troop directed the scout oath. Larene Lanier, of the South Plains Council office, led the scout songs of "Pink Pajamas" and "Johniver Beck." George S. Link announced the individual winners of the various water events as they were presented ribbons by M. C. Golding.

Scout executive McClure, of Lubbock office of the South Plains Council expressed appreciations to those responsible for the success of the meet here, before the court of honor was turned over to Judge Wicks who in turn announced various awards of

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Absentee Voting Will Begin In This County Today, Closes Aug. 19

Absentee voting for the second primary in Dickens county, which has been held up pending instructions from the State of Texas, will get under way Thursday of this week announcements from the county clerk's office indicate. This will give absentee voters of this county, a one week period.

There are already approximately one hundred applications on file at the court house and these will be filled promptly this week. Deadline for absentee voting in person is August 19th, while by mail the closing date is August 20th.

GOING TO DALLAS

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Everts of this place, left Thursday of last week for a vacation visit in Dallas where they will also attend the Centennial.

McAdoo

Mr. C. L. Loyd of Dougherty was in McAdoo the past week visiting with old friends and acquaintances.

Mrs. Lee Parker and baby of Spur, spent several days here last week with her father, C. C. Neely and family and other relatives.

Miss Eugena Butler, who has been in Dallas for sometime visiting with relatives has returned home.

Mr. Joe Evans of Snyder was here last week to see Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Harvey. Mr. Evans is Mrs. Harvey's cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark have relatives from Oklahoma visiting them.

Miss Mable Doris Van Leer, who has been working in Paducah is at home visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Van Leer.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Barton returned to their home in Arkansas, Sunday, after spending five or six weeks here visiting with their daughters and brothers, Mrs. Frank Biggar, Mrs. Jackson, Mr. H. Barton, Mr. Norris Barton and Mr. Jack Barton and their families. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eggar and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and family accompanied them home. Mr. Eggar's mother lives in Arkansas and other relatives and friends live there whom they will visit. The Jackson and Eggar formerly lived in Arkansas before moving to McAdoo.

Mrs. Bradford Bass is in Spur sanitarium, having undergone an operation at that place Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Robertson, Jimmie Nell and Doris Ruth have gone to Fort Worth. Mr. Robertson, who has been ill for sometime was taken to a specialist at Fort Worth for treatment. They will probably visit the centennial while there.

Miss Marjorie Lee Aull is here visiting relatives.

Miss Dortha Johnston, a former teacher in McAdoo school was at McAdoo Friday to see friends. Miss Johnston's home is in Crosbyton.

"Sonny Boy" Edwards, who has been in a CCC camp in New Mexico came in last week for a few days vacation here with relatives and friends.

Mrs. Kate Bates and children from Fisher county spent last week with C. C. Neely and family and other relatives, who live here.

Mr. Charlie Barker returned home Friday from Carlsbad, New Mexico, where he had been to see his brother.

Mrs. H. G. Whatley and baby from Afton spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Harvey. Mrs. Harvey is an aunt of Mrs. Watley.

Mr. Frank Barton and daughter of Morton, Texas, were guests of relatives and friends here this week end.

Mr. J. P. Meek, Childress, was here this week end.

Miss Mary Christopher, daughter of Mrs. J. C. Christopher of Afton and Mr. Lilburn Harvey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Will Harvey of McAdoo were married Saturday, August 1. Rev. Dennison, Methodist pastor of Matador read the ceremony. Mrs. Harvey was the youngest daughter of Mrs. Christopher and has lived near Afton all of her life. Mr. Harvey has been living at McAdoo for a number of years and is a former student of McAdoo high school. Mr. and Mrs. Harvey have many friends at Afton and McAdoo who are wishing them a happy successful married life. At present they are making their home at McAdoo.

Mr. Jud Smith of Afton was a business visitor at McAdoo last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dozier and family and James Lee Johnson visited relatives near Spur one day the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Parker and Mrs. J. T. Parker spent the week end at Paducah. Both of the Mrs. Parkers' parents live at Paducah. Mrs. Scott, who has been here for several days visiting in the Parker home returned to her home at Paducah with them. Mrs. Scott is an aunt of Mrs. J. T. Parker.

Word has been received that Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Everett are the proud parents of a baby boy, David Edward. Mr. and Mrs. Everett have been at Brownwood for some time, but they are expected to return home within a short time. Mr. Everett is principal of McAdoo high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nickles and Mr. and Mrs. George Potts have gone to Marlin Wells. Mr. Nickles has been in ill health and was taken to Marlin for treatment.

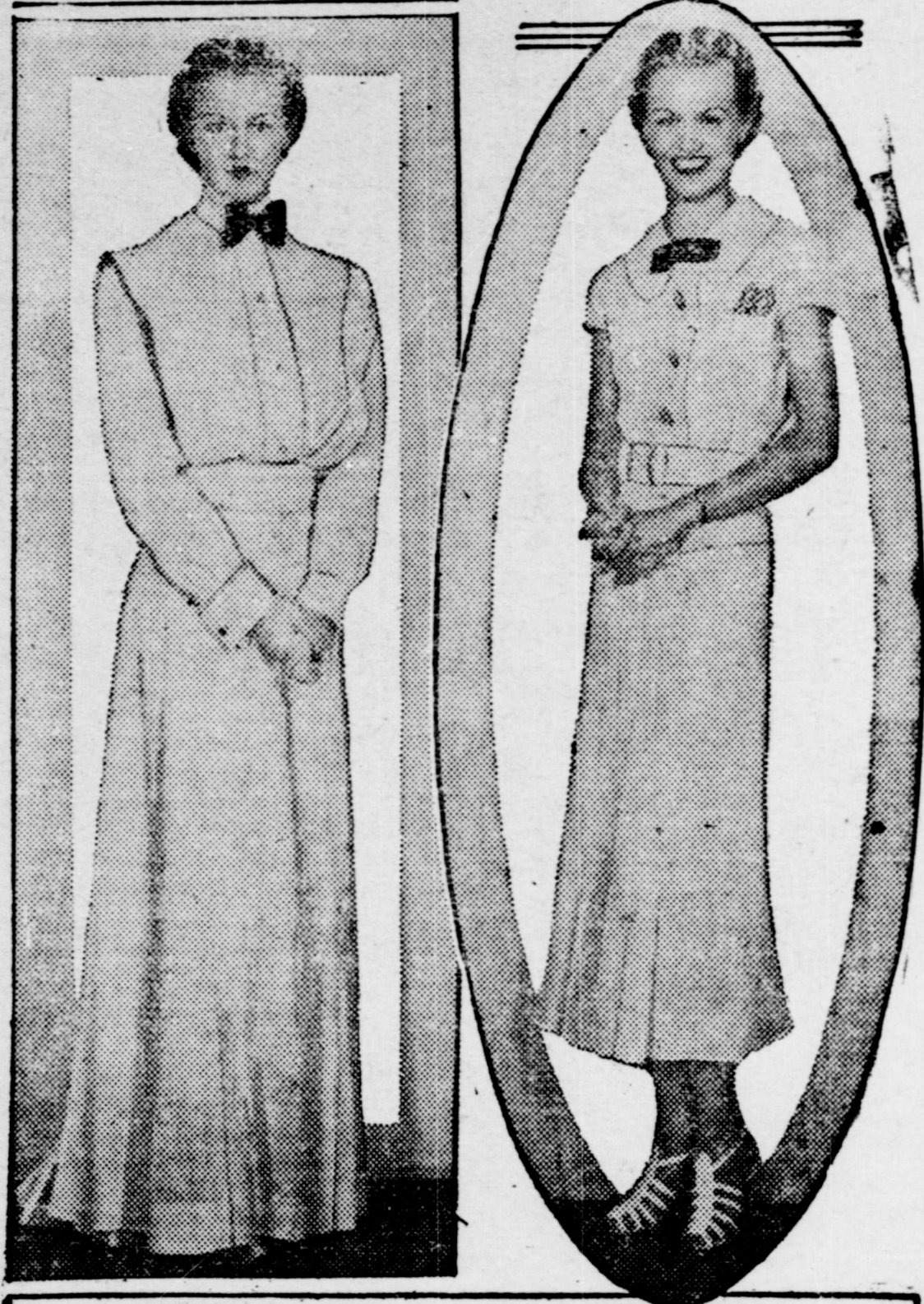
Miss Wilma Griffin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Griffin of Wake, and Mr. Lyle Pascall of Wake were recently married at Matador. Rev. Frank Beauchamp performed the ceremony. Miss Griffin was a 1936 graduate of McAdoo high school. Both these young people have lived in the Wake community for several years, and will continue to make their home there. Their many friends extend them congratulations.

Mr. Henry Elder and the F. F. A. boys left Sunday morning for Eagle Lake, New Mexico, where they will spend a week's vacation. They went in one of the school buses, with Mr. Harold Hardy doing the driving.

Mr. W. I. Moore, Mr. Charlie McLaughlin, Mr. John Alexander and Dock Cooper accompanied them on the trip. Mr. Elder is vocational agriculture teacher of McAdoo high school.

Mr. Gilmore of Wilson was here during the week end to see relatives and friends.

Which Did Mother Wear?



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Uniform styles at Texas State College for Women (CIA) have changed with the prevailing fashion, and the demure miss of 1916 bears little resemblance to the trim young modern of today. Miss Joy Hawley of Denton models the uniform worn by her mother two decades ago, and the uniform she will wear this fall.

Crops are badly in need of rain on the East Plains. The vegetation is beginning to droop during the day and some of the crops are even burning. If rain does not come with in the next few days, crops will be damaged greatly.

A daughter was born to Rev. and Mrs. Frank Beauchamp Saturday, August 8 at the West Texas hospital, Lubbock. Mother and baby are getting along fine.

Two weeks revival was started at the Methodist church Monday, August 10. The public is cordially invited to attend. Rev. Dennison of Matador will do the preaching.

Rev. Piikins of Matador preached at the local Methodist church Sunday. The local pastor, Rev. Beauchamp, was at Matador holding a revival. A large crowd was present for services, with a hundred and thirty in Sunday School.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Sirecy and little Mona Kate of Alamogordo, New Mexico, came in Sunday to see Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McDonald and family. Mrs. Sirecy is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McDonald.

HERE FROM BRENHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dickey of Brenham far down in south Texas, were week visitors in the W. T. Andrews' home recently. The Dickeys once called Spur their home and have many friends here.

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Mr. and Mrs. Pat Levens and Patie Lou of Spur, visited in Rotan recently, according to a personal appearing in the Rotan Advance.

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

To those indebted to or holding claims against the estate of Joseph H. Reynolds (also known as J. H. Reynolds) deceased:

The undersigned having on August 3, 1936, during a regular term of the County Court of Dickens County, Texas, for probate business, been duly appointed and qualified as Independent Executor of the will and estate of Joseph H. Reynolds (also known as J. H. Reynolds), deceased, by the Judge of the County Court of said County, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present the same to the undersigned executor at his residence in Dickens, Texas, where he receives his mail, within the time prescribed by law.

ROBERT R. REYNOLDS, Executor, Estate of Joseph H. (J. H.) Reynolds, deceased. 8-9-4t

TEXAS MAN'S YEARS OF MISERY QUICKLY STOPPED BY GREAT GAS-TONS TABLETS

Mr. E. S. Nelson of Shallowater, Texas, says that he spent eight long years a sufferer of stomach disorders. He states that during the eight years of suffering he went to any number of doctors and that three of them told him he had gastric ulcers. A short time ago Gas-Tons Tablets were recommended to him and after taking them for two months he gained 15 pounds and for the first time in eight years is able to do his regular farm work and is back to normal weight again and for the good of humanity wants to unconditionally recommend these tablets to any one suffering with severe stomach pains, gas or colitis, indigestion and other stomach disorders. GAS-TONS tablets are on sale at City Drug Store. 25 tablets \$1, 100 tablets, \$3. Ask City Drug Store to explain to you what this remarkable compound is doing for others and also ask about the iron clad guarantee which says you must be satisfied or your money back. CITY DRUG STORE 8-13-5t

BACK FROM WELLINGTON

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dillingham and children have returned from a vacation trip which carried them to Wellington, among other places, where they visited with Mr. Dillingham's mother, Mrs. J. H. Kelso.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

If you need Hemstitching, Peccoting, Button hole making, or any kind of sewing see Mrs. Edna Jones at Hemp Collets.

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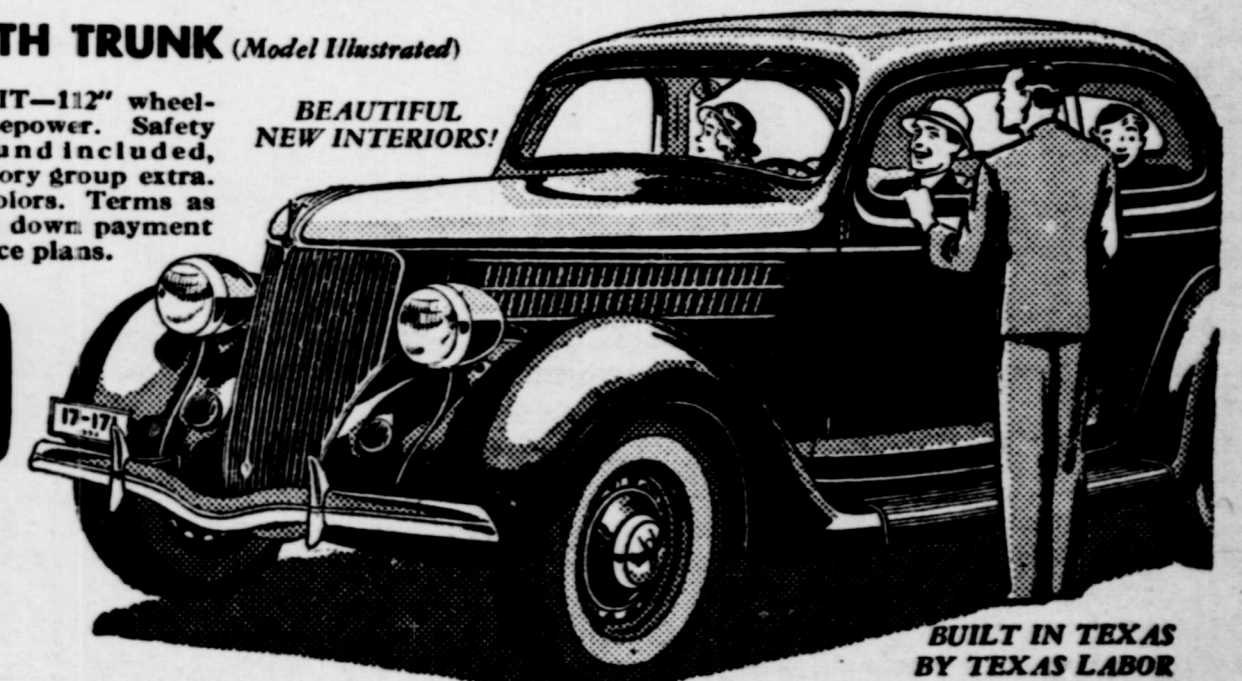
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Dickens

Gill Green has entered a Temple hospital where he will undergo treatment. He has been ill for several weeks.

Granddad Lusk has returned from Eastland county where he spent several days visiting friends and relatives.

Dr. Quinn is in Dallas this week attending the centennial.

Reports are that crops of this community are beginning to show dire need for rains.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hall and children of this place were in Spur recently where they greeted friends.

Betty Jean Anderson and uncle were in Spur last of the week.

A number of citizens of this area are reported as being on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Price and Billie Anderson enjoyed a fishing trip last Friday night. They reported a good time.

Spur Takes Second In Cap Rock Golf League Team Play

Matador Wins Season Play With 90 Points; Floydada 3rd

Final results of the Cap Rock Golf League matches for the season recently closed finds Spur seated as second place winners under Matador, according to announcements made here.

Spur's team play for the season totaled 73 points to top Floydada with 64 and Crosbyton with 61, while Matador carried off first honors with a score of 90 points.

FROM ROTAN ADVANCE
Miss Evelyn Ivey of Spur is visiting her friend, Miss Hazel Jim Gray—says the Rotan Advance.

SPUR HIGH GRID TRAINING CAMP TO OPEN AUG. 24TH: BOYS MAY REPORT MONDAY

Although Coach Blackie Wadzeck of the Spur High School Bulldogs had not returned from Fort Worth, where he attended the Texas High School Coaches Association's coaching school at T. C. U. last week, early this week Principal O. L. Kelley was under the impression that fall training camp for

Spur Grid Dates!

The following is the grid schedule announced for the Spur Bulldogs' 1936 season.

- Sept. 11 Snyder, here.
- Sept. 18, Rotan, here.
- Sept. 25, Slaton, here.
- October 2, Roscoe, here.
- Oct. 9, OPEN
- October 16, *Matador, here.
- October 23, OPEN
- October 30, *Floydada, there.
- Nov. 6, OPEN
- Nov. 13 *Paducah, here.

*NOTE: These are the only conference games Spur will play this year due to the division of district 4-B into South and North loop. The winners of the two divisions will play the championship game on Thanksgiving Day.

Former Jayton Man At Sanders-Chastain

Mr. H. H. Bilberry accepted a position with the Sanders and Chastain pharmacy last week and assumed his duties as prescription clerk last Saturday.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Bilberry were formerly citizens of Jayton and already have many friends here. The new Spurites will be at home here as soon as convenient living quarters are located.

the Bulldogs would begin about Monday, August 24th. Coach Wadzeck is to return about the 17th, it was understood, and will begin on that date a special training conduction for those desiring additional instructions and attention, although the regular camp does not open until one week later. Boys who plan to play football this year and have nothing further to do next week are urged to contact Coach Wadzeck upon his return.

Fall training camp in at least one district 4-B school has already gotten under way in the south half with Matador opening camp last Friday, August 7th. The three week training period is being conducted under the direction of Coach Terrel and two assistants.

The Matador squad, although composed largely of new material, boosts the heaviest starting line-up the school has had in years. Reports in last week's Matador Tribune carry out the indication by stating that each man would average 170 pounds. The camp is being conducted at the school grounds with meals being served at the school cafeteria and beds being made on the gymnasium floor. The enrollment was expected to reach 30.

The Spur Bupldogs open season here this year with the Snyder Tigers on Friday, September 11th, according to schedules worked out late last Spring. The Snyder Times Signal of last week reported that grid work in that city would begin Monday, August 17th, under Coach W. W. Hill.

"Since the first game will be played in September with the strong Spur aggregation at Spur," the Snyder paper stated, "and Colorado will come to Snyder on the following week end for a non-conference tilt, the training camp will be pushed through in double quick order. Ten games are on the schedule for 1936."

The Snyder Tigers have five letter men returning this season with at least a dozen reserves from the 1935 squad, and former grammar school prospects lend additional hopes to the school's 1936 gridiron outlook. The Bulldogs expect approximately six letter men to report for fall training when the camp opens late this month with a number of prospects from last Spring's training period sandwiching in to formulate a comparatively strong team. However, most of the material will have to come from last year's reserves and B-team and without waiting for the squad to gather in fall camp most of the drug-store quarter backs are predicting very little in store for the Bulldogs in 1936.

The game with Snyder here on September 11 will open the non-conference season for the local school while the conference tilts will begin when Matador visits Jones Stadium Friday night, October 16th.

Chevrolet Build 12th Million Car, '36 Model

Spurred by a record-breaking demand continuing month after month, the production of Chevrolet cars and trucks have passed the 12,000,000 mark, the last million of that all-time total having been built in almost exactly eight months. The announcement was made by M. E. Coyle, president and general manager of the Chevrolet Motor Co. The number of cars and trucks built since introduction of the 1936 model is now 1,182,000, he said.

Achievement of the 12th million-car milestone in the company's history was hastened, Mr. Coyle stated, by the sustained demand which these products are enjoying all over the country, and the increased production facilities which, installed a year ago, have enabled the company to keep pace with that demand. Even with those facilities, he said, it has not been easy to build cars and trucks as fast as they were wanted in the field.

The steady acceleration of Chevrolet's manufacturing operations is shown by production figures from 1912, the company's first production year, down to the present time. It took until 1923, eleven years, to build the first million units. The second and third millions were reached at two-year intervals thereafter, and the fourth and fifth millions in 1928. The sixth, seventh and eighth million were attained in the three years succeeding, the nine in 1933 and the 10th in 1934. The 11,000,000 car was built in December, 1935, and like the 12,000,000th, just completed, was a 1936 model.

Number 12,000,000, Mr. Coyle announced, will be displayed in Detroit and at the Great Lakes Exposition in Cleveland prior to being driven to Dallas for exhibit at the Texas Centennial.

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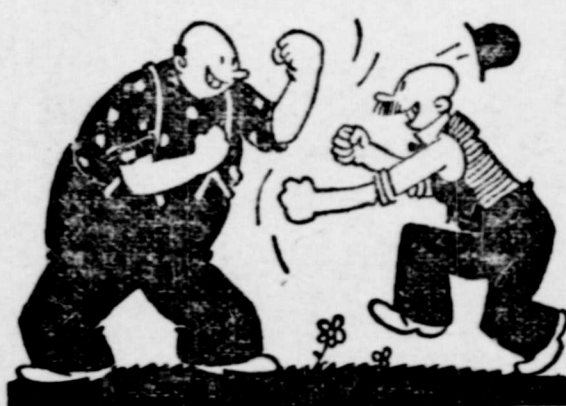
No Change In Total Levy Nor Component Parts Made

The automatic tax board looked into the future, considered revenues and expenses and fixed an ad valorem state tax rate of 62-cents for the next year.

The action by Governor Allred, Comptroller Sheppard and Treasurer Charley Lockhart, board members, was in line with expectations.

There was no change either in the total rate of its component parts from last year. The constitutional maximums of 35 cents for general revenue and seven cents for Confederate pensions were retained as was the 20-cent rate for available school fund.

Call all news stories to Times—30.



The Morning After Taking Carters' Little Liver Pills

Building Permits In 33 Cities Increased

Reports to the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research from the secretaries of chamber of commerce in 33 Texas cities show total building permits values at \$5,283,000, an increase of 111 per cent over June last year and 5.5 per cent over May of the current year. Aggregate permits during the first six months of 1936 totaled \$33,848,000, an increase of nearly 120 per cent over the corresponding period of last year, the Bureau's statement said.

Cities showing gains in June over both the preceding month and June, 1935 were: Abilene, Amarillo, Beaumont, Brownsville, Corsicana, El Paso, Fort Worth, Harlingen, Houston, Lubbock, McAllen, Marshall, Paris and Wichita Falls.

TO RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long of this city are expected home today from a week's vacation in the Ozarks. They left Thursday of last week with intentions of being gone a week.

BELL'S CAFE

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SHORT ORDERS

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Wm. Starcher Joins B. Schwarz & Son

William Starcher has accepted a full time position with the B. Schwarz and Son local store. The assignment includes keeping of the firm's books. Mr. Starcher recently completed a course at Tyler Commercial College, and was graded highly as a book-keeper.

LOAFS ON VACATION

Joe Giddings, manager of the gents' furnishings department of the local Bryant-Link company store, is this week enjoying his vacation via loafing and taking things easy. Mr. Giddings and wife may take a short trip before the week is over but at least a part of the vacation period will be spent at golf, swimming and general goodtiming.

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ENTERTAINS VISITOR FROM TYLER

Frederick Malone entertained Monday evening at 8:30 with a lawn party in honor of his cousin, Miss Elizabeth Ann Howard of Tyler. Bridge was the diversion of the evening. Refreshments of iced watermelon was served to the following: Melba Jo Hazel, Earnestine Hale, Isabelle Campbell, Marjorie Burrow, Evelyn Ivey, and the honor guest, Miss Howard, and William Starcher, Jack Jones, Everett Martin, Kelly Marsh, Fred Kinney and the host.

BAPTIST WEST CIRCLE

The West Circle of the Baptist Church met with Mrs. J. D. Powell at 4 o'clock with six members present. Mrs. Cowan taught the lesson on Numbers. The circle is to be disbanded during the revival. Those attending were Mrs. E. J. Cowan, B. T. Moore, E. S. Smith, Draper and the hostess.

BAGBY CIRCLE MEETS

The Bagby Circle of the Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. A. M. Walker Monday afternoon at 4:00 o'clock. A lesson on the Bible was enjoyed. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Foy Vernon. Iced drinks were served to Mrs. Homer Cargile, John Hazelwood, W. B. Frances, Foy Vernon and Miss Jennie Shields.

NEIGHBORHOOD BRIDGE CLUB

The Neighborhood Bridge Club met with Mrs. C. L. Love Friday evening at 8:30. Three tables were arranged for games. Mrs. Tillinghast received high guest prize and Mrs. Sam Clemmons low. Refreshments of cake, peach salad and iced tea were served to Mrs. H. P. Gibson, M. H. Brannen, Weldon Grimes, Lois Lee, B. C. Langley, Sam Clemmons, Mrs. J. C. McNeill III, George Tillinghast, Buster Parrish, D. L. Granberry and Miss Julia Hickman.

G. A. S. MET

The Girls Auxiliary of the Baptist Church met at 4 o'clock at the church house. Mrs. Cowan was leader. The subject was "Living With One's Self." Four members were present.

FRANCES GIBSON ENTERTAINS

Miss Frances Gibson entertained a group of her friends with a picnic in Swenson Park on Thursday. Their picnic lunch consisted of sandwiches, cookies, fruit and punch. Afterwards they enjoyed swimming. They then went to the home of Miss Gibson where ice cream was served to the following: Robbie Ruth Cowan, Wynell McClure, Mozell Arthur, Joyce Koon, Lorelle Twaddell and Ruby Cowan.

BIRTHDAY PICNIC

Ruth Cowan entertained a group of her friends with a picnic in Swenson Park Thursday. After the picnic the group went to the Theatre to see the picture, "Gentle Julia." Those present were: Misses Dot Taylor, Dorice and LaJuan Woods of Carlsbad, LaFern Hazelwood, Billie Woods, Lois Jo Fallis, Opal McClathery, Mary Marsh and Marjorene Booth.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

There were seventeen present for Bible Study at the Church of Christ Monday afternoon at four o'clock. The lesson was the fifth chapter of first Thessalonians. Mrs. Stubblefield was leader, each one present read a verse and commented on the same. Mrs. John Luce lead the closing prayer. Those attending were Mrs. Howard Stubblefield, M. M. Young, Nixon, McKay, Joe Allison, Rickels, John Luce, F. N. Oliver, E. S. Lee, Oscar Kelly, W. R. Weaver, Susan Cross, E. L. Benson, Thurmond Moore, W. B. Lee and S. C. Boothe.

TUESDAY CLUB

Mrs. Roy Harkey entertained the Tuesday club this week. Three tables of bridge were arranged. A salad plate was served to members: Mmes. A. C. Hull, Cash Wilemon, H. O. Everts, Neal A. Chastain, Guy Karr, Bullock Tillotson, and guests, Mrs. C. L. Love, Anna McClure, M. C. Golding, Wetzell, Hill Perry and Dael Campbell.

EAST CIRCLE OF BAPTIST W. M. S. MET

The East Circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met at the church at four o'clock Monday with four members present. The lesson covered the first ten chapters of Joshua. Mrs. Dobbins dismissed with prayer.

TRIPLE TREY BRIDGE CLUB MET

The members of the Triple Trey Bridge Club with their husbands and other guests were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alton E. Chapman Friday evening at 8:30.

Four tables were arranged for the bridge games. Club prizes went to Mrs. George Tillinghast, for high, a set of heavy linen doilies, and to Mrs. E. D. Engleman, low, playing cards. Mrs. Dale Campbell received a jar of bath salts as guest favor. While Sam Clemmons received a key ring as high prize for the gentlemen. Refreshments of salad plate and punch were served to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rochat, E. D. Engleman, George Tillinghast, Dale Campbell, Sam Clemmons, O. C. Thomas, Buster Parrish, and Miss Sarah McNeill.

DICKSONS ENTERTAIN

Mrs. R. E. Dickson and Jack McCully entertained with "42" honoring Mrs. McCully's sisters, Mrs. J. H. Hardberger of Lubbock and Mrs. J. H. Miles of Dallas. The guests met at the home of Mrs. Dickson at 4 o'clock. The house was decorated with zennias. There were eight tables arranged for "42". Punch, cake and sherbet was served to Miss Sarah McNeill, Brazoria, Mmes. T. H. Dick-ey, Brenham, Clemmons, Dallas, W. S. Campbell, E. L. Caraway, T. H. Blackwell, A. M. Walker, W. R. Weaver, O. L. Kelly, Daniels, Horton Barrett, E. D. Engleman, Langley, G. L. Barber, Loyd Barber, L. R. Burrows, Gilbert, George Williams, M. C. Golding, Jas. B. Reed, W. F. Godfrey, Charles Whitmer, George S. Link and the honor guest. The hostesses were assisted by Misses Selbia McCully and Lillian Grace Dickon.

1925 CLUB

The 1925 Bridge Club met with Mrs. C. L. Love Friday morning at 9:30. Four tables were arranged for the Bridge Club. High club prize went to Mrs. R. R. Wooten. High guest prize to Mrs. Pake Nichols, Jr. and low to Mrs. J. R. McNeill. Refreshments of tomato aspic, cracker sandwiches, potato chips and ice tea were served to Mmes. Anna McClure, Hardwick, Stanley Gartside, M. C. Golding, Dale Campbell, Erial Scott, O. C. Thomas, Cash Wilemon, J. R. McNeill, R. R. Wooten of McAdoo, Ralph Lewis, Bullock Tillotson, R. F. Dickson, Pike Nichols and Miss Nig Lisenby.

BEGINS VACATION

Mrs. W. D. Starcher, manager and advertising manager of the Times, will leave today for a ten day stay in Abilene. The lady is to spend her time partly in vacationing and partly in receiving medical attention. She will return about the 23rd, if not sooner, so she says.

CHRISTIAN WOMAN'S COUNCIL

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met at the Church at 4 o'clock. The program was opened with the song "In the Garden." Prayer was by Mrs. Edwards. Business was conducted by Mrs. Prichard. Hidden answers were by Mrs. Prichard, who turned the program over to the leader, Mrs. Dollis Putman. Devotional, "Through Prayer," Mrs. Crockett.

Song, "Swing Low, Sweet Chariot", Miriam Reed and Lillian Grace Dickson. Reading, "The Heritage," by Marjorie Burrow. The Highway Past our Door, Mrs. McClathery. The Negro and the Church, Mrs. Edwards.

Those present were Mrs. Arthur Prichard, Dollie Putman, Edd Lisenby, W. L. Edwards, I. G. Van Leer, Ralph Gilbert, Cecil Addie, E. C. McGee, L. R. Burrow, W. F. McClathery, S. Ellis, O. L. Hale, Steve Crockett, R. E. Dickson, and Misses Melba Jo Hazel, Miriam Reed, Lillian Grace Dickson and Lois Patton, Lubbock.

WILL TEACH HERE

Contrary to a report issued recently, Odis Martin, instructor in the local high school last year, will continue as a member of the Spur school faculty. Mr. Martin became bookkeeper at the Spur Creamery, a few weeks ago, upon the resignation of F. F. Vernon and it was stated at that time that Martin would resign from the school faculty. Mr. Martin is visiting relatives in South and Central Texas before he returns to Spur for the opening of school.

W. H. Tackett and family returned to Cpo, Colo., where Mr. Tackett will engage in business. He had been in the drug business here.

Duck Creek

The Baptist meeting closed here Sunday night after one of the most successful revivals this area has enjoyed in some time. There were six additions to the church with four coming through baptism. Baptising was performed on Duck Creek Sunday afternoon with Bro. Bristow in charge. One lady from Girard was baptized.

Little Miss Marion Speer attended the meeting at Duck Creek Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Bilberry, Mrs. Hattie Turvin, Mr. and Mrs. John Adams, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Rash, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bennett, all of Spur attended the revival here last week.

A large number from Girard attended the church services one night. Expressions of thanks have been offered Mrs. Bristow, Misses Irma Jean Mayfield and Bobbie Williams for their cooperation.

There will be prayer meeting here every Wednesday night. Everyone is invited to assist.

A telegram has been received by Mrs. Jim Swarengen announcing the marriage of her son, Kerby to Miss Zena Davis, of Tucson, Arizona, Sunday, August 9. They will make their home in the Arizona city.

It is also reported that Ben Taylor, son of F. O. Taylor, has married Miss Allen, of Garza county.

Mr. and Mrs. Lofton Bennett are the proud parents of a baby girl, born August 10th. She weighed 9 pounds and has been named Gwynella.

A letter from Mr. C. R. Bennett, Monday, states that his son, Clyde, who is in a Cisco sanitarium, is improving every day.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Driggers took dinner with Mrs. Gay Sunday.

Mrs. Edgar Carlisle returned home from Lubbock Saturday after a two-weeks vacation with her sister, Mrs. Higgins of that place.

Mr. and Mrs. John Carlisle visited in this community last week end. Little Mary Lou Pickett entertained with a party last Thursday afternoon in honor of her eighth birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Bennett spent last week end with their daughter, Mrs. A. T. Bural.

Mrs. Bristow, of Girard, brought her group of girls from that community last Thursday night and put on a pageant, which was enjoyed very much.

Brother Lee, pastor of the local Baptist church is holding a revival meeting at Red Top this week. Bro. Holcomb will preach in his absence next Sunday.

Leonard Ward and mother of Catfish community was talking with friends and doing some trading in our city Saturday.

J. B. Goodall of Girard, was attending to business affair in our city the last of the week.

J. E. Willis and family of Antelope were trading and greeting friends in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Terry of Dickens were trading and greeting friends here Saturday.

W. J. Elliott, Jr., of Girard was attending to business in our city Saturday.

E. A. Glenn, one of the good Duncan Flat farmers, was greeting his many friends here Saturday.

Miss Betsey Terry is spending ten days visiting her aunt, Mrs. Audrey Hulseay at Guthrie.

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A short feed supply is the greatest handicap that the average farmer has to contend with. As a result most of the dairying and stock farming is confined to seasons of abundant pasture. In the winter time when a cow needs food the most there is little to be had. The average dairy cow would be much better producer if she were properly fed. Trench silos will furnish much of the roughage feed that is so badly needed.

During the past winter dairymen who had silage to feed found that their cows held up in production in spite of the cold rainy weather. Records are available that shows that one herd of thirty cows made a gain of fifteen gallons of milk a day when silage was fed. This increase in production was maintained through all kinds of weather.

Trench silos have proven to be successful in all parts of the country and on all types of soil. A hillside is the most convenient location, since the trench can be dug in the side of the hill. This eliminates a lot of the lifting when it comes to getting the feed out of the ground by using a cable and pulley attachment.

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Most of the damage in silage is caused by air getting to the silage. Where the feed has been packed into the silo sufficient water added and properly covered with dirt so that the trench is sealed against air entering, there should be little loss in spoilage.

In planning your silo be sure to consider the amount of stock that is to be fed, a six in. of silage should be taken off daily. This is because the silage begins to spoil as soon as it is exposed to the air and cannot be left for much longer than a day at a time. The trench can be as long as you want it.

Some men have laid out trenches of proper dimension but decided that they looked too small for the amount of feed that they wanted to store, then when they enlarged them to suit their particular taste they found that they had much more trench than they had feed to fill with. Lay out the trench and dig it according to the best estimates of your needs. Locate the trench near the feeding place so that no extra handling will be required.

For detail information you may obtain Extension Service Bulletin B 84 from the County Agent's office.

John Youngblood of Croton was transacting business here Saturday. He reported cotton and late feed in good shape on his place.

A river becomes crooked by following the course of least resistance, so does a man.

It is unfortunate that too often the leaders in action are not the leaders in thinking. A thorough going individual who thinks things through logically and soundly but does not possess the quality of leadership is often not able to get his ideas accepted, but the rattle brain with marked qualities of leadership can often sell a half baked scheme to his public.

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First National AEF Reunion September 3

Major General B. B. Buck, national chairman of the A. E. F. Reunion Association has announced the first annual National Reunion of the American Expeditionary Forces in Dallas, Texas, September 3rd, through 13th, 1936, as a feature of the Texas Centennial. Every division that served with the AEF will have separate reunions and the gobs that served on ships will have Ships Reunions.

September 12th will be St. Mihiel Day and September 13th will be Pershing Day, a combined meeting of all the AEF military and naval forces being held on these last two days. Many splendid features are being planned for entertainment, such as Company and Regimental Luncheons, Divisional banquets and dances, in addition to the hundreds of attractions on the grounds of the great Texas Centennial Exposition.

"The finest attraction of all however is the fact that you will meet that buddy you went through hell with during the great war and relive the many happy memories of the AEF when we shared a common danger in the service of our beloved country," General Buck said.

"Thousands of the rank and file have already sent in Post Card registrations and we have letters from practically every Commanding General of the AEF. So load up your gang Buddy and let's all fight the war over again in our memories. Low rates on all bus lines and railroads," was the extension made.

Many Live Talents On Gulf Program

Texas has become the mecca for the radio and entertainment talent of the country.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cozby of White River community were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

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PERSONAL

Mrs. Horace Edwards of Crotch, was reported very ill last week.

W. C. Cornelius of McAdoo, was trading in our city Saturday and reported crops on the Plains need rain.

Atty. W. D. Wilson of Lubbock, was professionally engaged in our city the last of the week.

J. P. Koonsman, one of the early settlers of Wichita community was greeting friends in our city Saturday. Marshall Miller and family of Lubbock were visiting friends in Spur country the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cairnes were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Dickson last week. Also, Miss Minnie Crawford and brother of El Paso, and Mrs. W. J. Elliott and daughter, Miss Virginia were among the guests. Miss Crawford and brother are relatives of Mrs. Cairnes.

Mrs. J. J. Rogers and family of West Pasture country was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Reid and Mrs. J. W. Reid of Peaceful Hill community, were in our city the last of the week doing some shopping. They stated crops were in only fair condition in their community.

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Personal

J. W. Gaddy of Baileyboro, was greeting friends in our city the last of the week, and stated while here that crop conditions in his community were fair. He formerly was a resident at McAdoo.

C. L. Whit, of Croton, was transacting business in our city Saturday and talking with friends.

A. W. Watson, east of town, was in Saturday attending to business matters and talking over the political situation nationally.

S. P. Orand of Red Mud country, was transacting business and greeting friends in our city Saturday.

J. B. Richbourg of Munday spent the week end in our city visiting his daughter, Mrs. Jack Rector and family.

V. L. Graves, two miles north of town, was in Saturday attending to business matters.

J. T. Jones of Croton was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

M. M. Allison of Croton was transacting business in our city Saturday.

S. J. R. No. 3-a A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas by striking out Section 20 thereof; providing for local option on the question of the sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes; providing that spirituous liquors, or liquors composed in whole or in part of the products of distillation shall not be sold for private profit, except to the State; providing that the Legislature shall pass laws relative to the sale, possession, transportation and manufacture of such spirituous liquors; providing for the establishment of State dispensaries; providing for the manufacture, sale, transportation and possession of all liquors which are exclusively products of the fermentation process; providing that intoxicating liquors shall not be manufactured, sold, bartered, or exchanged for beverage purposes in any county or political subdivision where in the sale of intoxicating liquors had been prohibited by local option elections held under the laws in force at the time of the taking effect of Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas, until a majority of the qualified voters of such county or political subdivision shall determine such to be lawful at an election held for that purpose; providing for an election on the question of the adoption or rejection of such amendment and making an appropriation therefor; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and prescribing the form of ballot.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by striking out Section 20 thereof and substituting in lieu thereof the following:

"Article XVI. Section 20:
"(a) It is hereby declared to be the policy of this State that the open saloon shall not be reestablished. The sale of spirituous liquors, manufactured in whole or in part by means of the process of distillation and/or liquors compounded and/or composed in part of such spirituous distilled liquors, for private profit, is prohibited within this State except when such sale is made to the State. The State of Texas shall have the exclusive right to purchase at wholesale and to sell at retail such distilled spirituous liquors. Such sale shall be made only in unbroken packages and no such liquors shall be consumed on the premises where sold. The Legislature shall pass laws to prescribe regulations relative to the manufacture, sale, transportation, and possession of such spirituous liquors and relative to the establishment of State dispensaries; provided, however, the Legislature shall have the power to regulate the sale for private profit and possession of distilled liquors for medicinal, scientific and mechanical purposes.
"The manufacture, sale, transportation, and possession of all liquors, the alcoholic content of which is entirely and exclusively the result of the fermentation process is hereby authorized under such restrictions as may be authorized by law.
"(b) The Legislature shall enact a law or laws whereby the qualified voters of any county, justice's precinct or incorporate town or city, may, by a majority vote of those voting, determine from time to time whether the sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes shall be prohibited or legalized within the prescribed limits; and such laws shall contain provisions for voting on the sale of intoxicating liquors of various types and various alcoholic content.
"(c) In all counties, justice's precincts or incorporated towns or cities wherein the sale of intoxicating liquors had been prohibited by local option elections held under the laws of the State of Texas and in force at the time of the taking effect of

Section 20, Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, it shall continue to be unlawful to manufacture, sell, barter or exchange in any such county, justice's precinct or incorporated town or city, any spirituous, vinous or malt liquors or medicated bitters capable of producing intoxication or any other intoxicants whatsoever, for beverage purposes, unless and until a majority of the qualified voters in such county or political subdivision hereof voting in an election held for such purpose shall determine such to be lawful; provided that this subsection shall not prohibit the sale of alcoholic beverages containing not more than 3.2 per cent alcohol by weight in cities, counties or political subdivisions thereof in which the qualified voters have voted to legalize such sale under the provisions of Chapter 116, Acts of the Regular Session of the 43rd Legislature."

Sec. 2. Such proposed Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State of Texas, on the third day of November, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment, shall write, or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATE DISPENSARY SYSTEM HAVING THE EXCLUSIVE SALE OF DISTILLED LIQUORS, AND PROVIDING FOR LOCAL OPTION."

And those voters opposed to said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballot the words:

"AGAINST THE AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION PROVIDING FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A STATE DISPENSARY SYSTEM HAVING THE EXCLUSIVE SALE OF DISTILLED LIQUORS, AND PROVIDING FOR LOCAL OPTION."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast are in favor of said Amendment, the same shall become a part of the State Constitution.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for such election, and shall have the same published and such election held as pro-

vided by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand (\$8,000.00) Dollars; or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury to pay for the expenses of said publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD
Secretary of State.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following named persons have made announcements, as candidates for the various offices designated, subject to the action of the voters of Dickens County in the Democratic Primary, August 22, 1936.

- Representative, 118 District:
C. L. HARRIS
For County Judge:
MARSHALL FORMBY
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
HORACE NICKLES
W. K. (Willow) STREET
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON
E. J. OFFIELD
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
W. F. (Walter) FOREMAN
For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
M. B. GAGE
Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:
GASTON JACKSON (Re-election)
S. R. PEAK
For Constable, Precinct 3:
C. H. (Jack) McCULLY

Special BARGAINS


On the following used cars for the next 10 Days

1929, 1930, 1931 and 1934 Chevrolet Models

GODFREY & SMART

This Space Was Cleaned by
Spur Tailors

The Spur Hospital
John T. Wylie, M. D.
Surgeon in Charge
X-RAY and RADIUM

SWIM 
Rest of the Season for
\$2⁰⁰ and \$3⁷⁵

Season tickets now on sale. Children, under 17 years may swim any number of times every day during the remainder of the present season for \$2.00, while adults may enjoy the thrill of swimming in the beautiful municipal pool for the same period for \$3.75 per season ticket.

Get Your Tickets Now—For Longer Swimming Period



Announcing
FREE
Swimming, Diving and Life Saving Instruction

A group of four expert swimmers will conduct free classes in swimming, diving and life saving beginning Monday. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays swim classes for children (11 to 16) from 9 to 10 a. m. Younger children from 10 to 11 a. m. Older children from 11 to 12.

On Tuesdays, Thursday and Saturdays diving and life saving instructions given from 10 to 11 and 11 to 12, respectively.

Adult classes will be formed if demand is ample. Only charge for these class lessons will be admission to pool.

SPUR MUNICIPAL POOL
"In Beautiful Swenson Park"

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Our Opinion Is
That being revengeful is a loss of energy if any one will just consider the number of good people in the world to deal with and leave the others alone.



America's Youth Will Fight — But!

UNCLE SAM has issued notices to Spain's revolt-threatened popular front government that "American property" must be protected in that country, which brings back memories of the pre-war days back in the 'teens.

When American property was molested Uncle Sam cocked his gun and joined the fighting-forces "over there" in 1917-18. Results were, and are still, found in an unmentionable number of dead with even greater numbers returning with missing limbs or health.

That property in Spain, referred to, constitutes \$70,000,000 worth of investments by both American individuals and corporations, and includes Ford Motor Company and General Motors plants. Both Mr. Ford and the heads of General Motors made those connections in Spain while they were quite aware of the fact that they were then under Spanish rule, a government one and separate from American control. They went to Spain, as they do into other foreign countries, without asking Americans to okay their actions and with the sole purpose of making money for themselves. But, if harm comes to those plants without due compensation from Spain the heads of both those automobile manufacturing concerns will expect protection from Uncle Sam.

America's youth will fight today as bravely as their fathers did in '17 and '18, if the case calls for it. They will fight with the same respect for colors and respect for mother-land. In short they will fight if the need calls for it—but—

With all esteem for the fanufacturers America's youth asks "It is fair that we subject our lives for the protection of money-making enterprises engaged in operation under government controls other than our own?"

The young men of today sometimes wonder what resentment Uncle Sam would show should this country get into a revolt-revolution and receive a warning from Great Britain that her major oil company's property must be protected. America would likely answer, "Keep your oil company at home and it will not get hurt."

The Swimming Pool Pays!

THE DISTRICT Boy Scout meeting held at the new Swenson Park swimming pool and Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium Tuesday of this week further illustrated the benefits to be obtained from a rushed completion of the pool, as advocated in a recent Times editorial. As a result of this scheduled meeting Spur received publicity in at least a dozen exchange papers which reached the editorial desk of this publication this week.

The Boy Scouts from the six cities of the Eastern District of the South Plains Council paid a small admission to swim in the newly completed municipal pool, but the publicity which each troop's respective home-town paper gave the affair was worth more for the future of the pool than the total collection would have been had each scout been charged one dollar for admission. The visiting scout's praises for the pool will follow them home where the town-folk will hear the word-of-mouth description which in turn will result in swimming parties to Spur from far and wide.

Following fast upon the heels of the announcements that Spur was building an unusually nice pool in WPA projected Swenson Park, the Lubbock office of the South Plains Council issued booking notices to the effect that the Eastern District swimming meet would be held here rather than at another near-by pool. Had not the city officials seen the value of opening the swimming place last Saturday rather than the first of September, as previously announced, much free publicity as well as the public's good will would have been lost.

The WPA project is not totally completed yet, but thanks to a pronounced rush-action on the part of officials in seeing that revised plans were made regarding the opening this year rather than a season later. The Times is under the opinion that those responsible will never regret their last minute efforts to comply with the public's desire.

The opening this year will double the value of the project for another season, in which Spur is expected to become the picnic mecca of this area.

County Offices Under Civil Service

IN THE STATE of Ohio an experiment is being made with a plan of placing all county officers under civil service.

The is not a novelty, but is one that would do much toward solving the problem of "qualification" of each aspirant for each county office. Today the elected candidate is the one receiving the most popular vote and is not always elected on ability-merits.

A civil service rule covering county judges, county clerks and all other offices would require the aspirant to take a rigid examination. Those passing would thus pronounce themselves capable of holding the office should they be chosen by popular vote. This may not be the exact plan being used in Ohio, but it would place office holders indirectly under civil service.

The civil service plan of employment has proven satisfactory in federal government positions and why it would not do much toward improving the efficiency of county officers can not be seen.

After all the tax payer has as much right to know if his county officials are actually qualified as Uncle Sam has to know if his postal employees are efficient.

The chances are that the platforms of the 1936 Presidential candidates and their parties will play very little part in the actual campaign, aside from giving political spokesman opportunity to "point with pride" and "view with alarm". The candidates themselves are the great factor. It will likely be a contest between the plain Landon personality and the glamorous Roosevelt personality.

The trouble with most of the world today is that most of those who are running it were born "thirty years too soon."

VACATING TIME!



Thoughts of Other Editors

Unveiling Next On Program!

(Anson Enterprise)

The unveiling of the statue of Dr. Anson Jones will be the next step of importance for Anson and the county for the Centennial year. The location for the bust has been decided upon by a committee which met Saturday at the court house. The date of the ceremonies is not set. The sculptor to do the work has not been employed.

Dr. Anson Jones for whom the county and town were named reached the heights of success in later life, having never succeeded as a physician at the age of thirty-five, and was the third and last president of the Republic of Texas.

Anson should begin now to plan appropriate ceremonies for this important event.

Roosevelt Does What G. O. P.s Failed!

(Terry County Herald, Brownfield)

Those good Republican editors who are bewailing the fact that President Roosevelt has put all postmasters under civil service, are rather late as well as rather inconsistent. For twelve long years, while the Democratic party was in the minority, this was tried to no avail. It was tried again the first part of the present administration by recommendation of President Roosevelt, but was blocked. The GOP took advantage of recessed appointments and otherwise to fill well nigh all the first and second class offices with their adherents before they went out as head of affairs at Washington. Republicans in congress let it be known that they did not want to tie the hands of future Republican presidents. Now they say Mr. Roosevelt is using this as a political pull.

The Airship Menace

(Dallas News)

Commander J. M. Kenworthy, now Lord Strabolgi, formerly of the British Navy, has an article in Current History, entitled "Battleship's Doom." In this he discusses the much debated question as to whether or not the modern battleship has become obsolete. In his article he rapidly traces the growth of the battleship from the battle galley of ancient days, through the three-decker stage of oaken ships to the modern super-dreadnaught battleship of 30,000 to 40,000 tons, costing about thirty millions of dollars. He compares this development to the growth in weight of medieval knightly armor, finally becoming so heavy so as to withstand gunfire, that a fallen knight could not rise without assistance.

Similarly, Commander Kenworthy thinks that, though the battleship can be protected against the submarine with its torpedoes, it cannot be kept safe from aerial attacks. For this reason, he considers that battleships in narrow waters, like the Baltics and the Mediterranean, or within flight distance along the coast, have ceased to be of value since they can be sunk by large air force fleets from land bases. The British Navy, therefore, in the Mediterranean, though vastly superior to the Italian fleet, yet might possibly have been destroyed by Italian air forces if war had been declared. Against these, Great Britain had no adequate protection and hence did not dare to risk the destruction of its great navy by warring against Italy.

He concludes that, in place of battleship cost, an equal expenditure would put into the air a swarm of airplanes that "could obliterate a squadron of battleships and their attendant craft, if they approached within the flying-range of the land-based aircraft." He further asserts that, through the great battleship may still have its use in the broad Pacific, the chances are that within ten years the continuing speed of aeronautical development will render their usefulness doubtful. Governments, in his opinion, therefore should realize that they can get better value in aircraft for an equal expenditure of money on battleships.

This argument throws light on the tremendous interest in airship building programs shown at present by practically all nations. Russia, for example, is said to have already 5,000 aircraft and plans for 15,000. No wonder that Japan hesitates to war with Russia when a Siberian airship fleet, starting from Vladivostok, might bombard and destroy Japanese cities and return without stopping at comparatively small risk.

Teach Youth To Work!

(Lockney Beacon)

The reason why so many men do not care to work and would rather remain idle is often due to the fact in many instances that they are not trained to work when they were young. Work is a habit with the human race. Naturally man does not care to do hard work. The boy who is raised to young manhood without ever having had the incomparable discipline of hard work faces life at a distance disadvantage. He has been deprived of the most valuable part of his youthful training.

The newspapers have again proven themselves of value as files. A research worker has found 42 separate pieces—28 short stories, 6 sketches and 8 poems—in the files of the Houston Post where they were printed when O. Henry was employed by the paper during 1895 and 1896. These O. Henry stories are comparatively new since they were never read in any other medium. The newspaper files have preserved them all these years.

S. J. R. No. 18
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Section 48, Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing the establishment of Teachers' Retirement Systems, and making an appropriation for the election.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto immediately after Section 48, a section to be known as Section 48a, and to read as follows:

"Section 48a: In addition to the powers given to the Legislature, under Section 48 of Article III, it shall have the right to levy taxes to provide a Retirement Fund for persons employed in public schools, college and universities, supported wholly or partly by the State; provided that the amount contributed by the State to such Retirement Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum of the compensation paid to each such person by the State, and/or school districts, and shall in no one year exceed the sum of One Hundred Eighty (\$180.00) Dollars for any such person; provided no person shall be eligible for a pension under this Amendment who has not taught twenty years in the State of Texas, but shall be entitled to a refund of the moneys paid into the fund.

All funds provided from the compensation of said persons, or by the State of Texas, for such Retirement Fund, as are received by the Treasury of the State of Texas, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, the State of Texas, or counties or cities of this State or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States; provided that a sufficient amount of said funds shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payments of the amounts that may become due each year under such retirement plan as may be provided by law; and provided that the recipients of such retirement fund shall not be eligible for any other pension, retirement funds or direct aid from the State of Texas, unless such retirement fund, contributed by the State, is released to the State of Texas as a condition to receiving such other pension aid."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the next General Election to be held on Tuesday, after the first Monday in November, which is November 3rd, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"FOR THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING RETIREMENT AND THE CREATION OF A RETIREMENT FUND FOR PERSONS EMPLOYED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES SUPPORTED WHOLLY OR PARTLY BY THE STATE."

Those opposing said proposed

Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"AGAINST THE AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION AUTHORIZING RETIREMENT AND THE CREATION OF A RETIREMENT FUND FOR PERSONS EMPLOYED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND IN COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES SUPPORTED WHOLLY OR PARTLY BY THE STATE."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary Proclamation for said election and to have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expense of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD
Secretary of State



SPUR

SATURDAY

10c Bargain Prices 15c
Matinee & Nite

HARRY CAREY
HOOT GIBSON

—In—

"The Last Outlaw"

PREVUE SAT. NIGHT
SUNDAY - MONDAY

WARNER BAXTER

—In—

"ROBIN HOOD OF ELDORADO"

—With—
ANN LORING
BRUCE CABOT

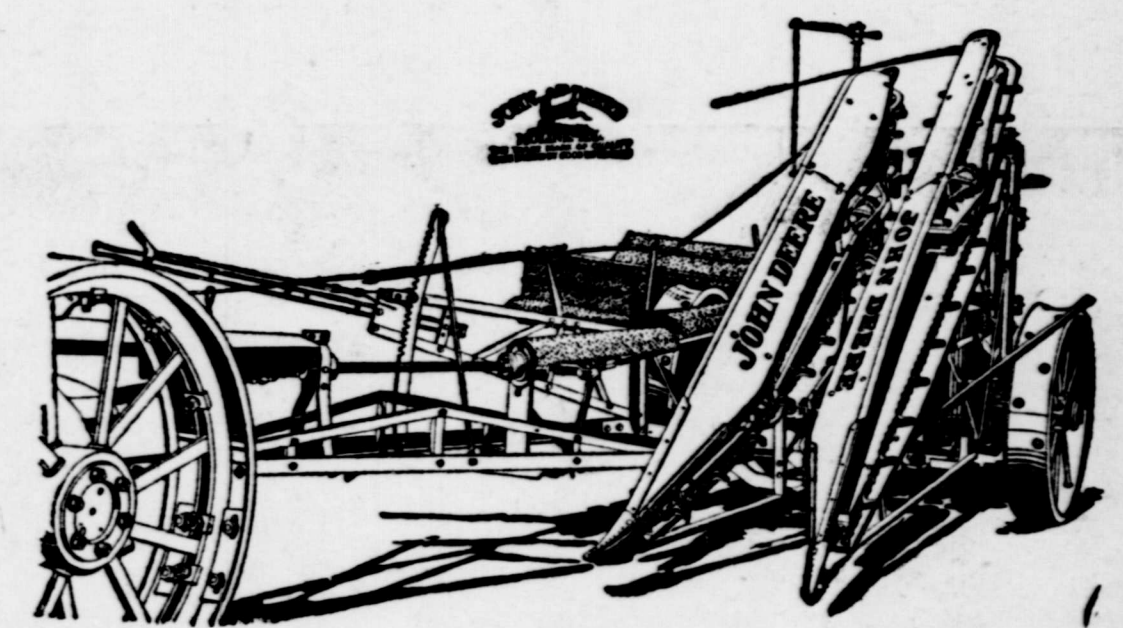
TUESDAY - WEDNESDAY

10c Bargain Prices 15c
Matinee & Nite

"Florida Spec"

With
JACK OAKIE
SALLY EILERS

John Deere Power-Driven CORN BINDER



They cut from 10 to 12 or more acres per day; power bundle carrier puts bundles well out of the way of the outfit and saves work.

When equipped with bundle elevator, they are delivered directly onto wagons.

Easy adjustment permit setting the cutting mechanism as low as it is possible to cut—right on the ground—and as high as 12 to 13 inches. Proper balance of the machine is maintained, regardless of height of cut.

Come in and allow us to show you this time-saving machine.

Farmalls

We have a few used Farmalls that are in a first class condition. See them before you buy.

IMPLEMENT DEPARTMENT

BRYANT-LINK COMPANY

SOCIETY.

SPUR BOY IS MARRIED IN CALIFORNIA

On August 3, a very beautiful marriage ceremony was performed in which Miss Kathryn Tickle of Los Angeles became the bride of Mr. Roy Black, son of Mrs. H. A. Drury of this city. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Clarence Dunn in the Welshire Wedding Chapel. The charming bride and the groom were attended by Mrs. Willard Harkey as bridesmaid, Mr. Donald Peck, as best man, and Mr. Willard Harkey and Mrs. Leland Jones.

After the ceremony a dinner was enjoyed at the Rendezvous. They will continue to live in the West Coast city.

CLUB STUDIES HEALTH PROGRAM.

"People's Death Fight," was given by Mrs. Leonard Joplin; "Why Condition the Air," by Mrs. Floyd Barnett, and a playlet, "Shadows," was given by Mrs. Abernathy in the Soldier Mound Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. Floyd Barnett, Thursday, August 6.

The Club opened with recreation exercises with all members taking part. There was one guest.

Members present were: Mmes. Olive Hindman, I. E. Abernathy, Floyd Barnett, Leonard Joplin, and the guest, Mrs. A. Biggs.

MARY LOU PUCKETT ENTERTAINS AT GILPIN

On Thursday afternoon Mary Lou Puckett entertained a number of her friends with a party in celebration of her eighth birthday. Various games were played during the afternoon. Refreshments of ice cream, and cake were served to: Mary Pearl Hognu, Jean Bural, Doris Lee Clower, Robbie Lou Driggers, Ruthy Dell Lee, Louis Clower, Gwendolyn Driggers, Patsy Nell Bural, Melva Jo Swarengen, and Mack Farrell Driggers.

ATTEND FUNERAL AT ROTAN

In giving the names of the out of town friends and relatives who attended the funeral of Mrs. R. G. Maben of Rotan, the Advance of that city makes mention of two Spur families. A son, R. G. Maben and wife and son, Elmer, were among those present as were Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hall and son, all of Spur.

THEY RETURN HOME

Mrs. J. B. Whittle of Cleburne and Ray Bowen Sanders of Hubbard, left for their homes Thursday of last week after spending a week with the father and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Bowen of this city.

Trade in Spur and Save!

H. J. R. No. 23

A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to the Constitution authorizing the Legislature to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State, and authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of premiums on such policies of insurance; providing the State shall never be required to purchase insurance for any employees; providing for the necessary publication and election; making an appropriation to pay for same.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new Section to be known as Section 59, to read as follows:

"Section 59. The Legislature shall have power to pass such laws as may be necessary to provide for Workmen's Compensation Insurance for such State employees, as in its judgment is necessary or required; and to provide for the payment of all costs, charges, and premiums on such policies of insurance providing the State shall never be required to purchase insurance for any employees."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1936, at which election all voters favoring said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State."

And all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

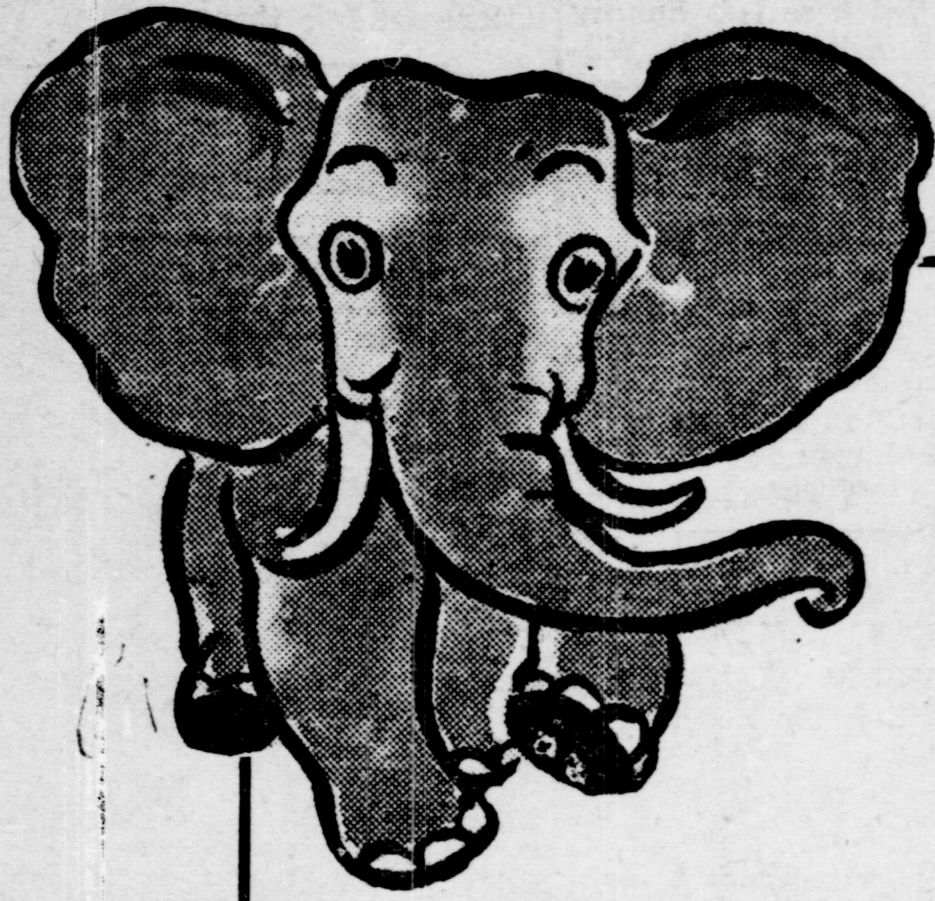
"Against the Amendment authorizing the Legislature to provide for the payment of Workmen's Compensation Insurance for employees of the State."

Section 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for Amendments.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand (\$5,000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

The above is a true and correct copy.

R. B. STANFORD
Secretary of State



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of our Many Faithful Patrons on the

Merits and Degrees of

Our Platform

Which Has Retained the Same Planks for the Past 12 Years

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and

A Better Newspaper

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CUT RATE JOB PRINTING

since we handle only quality papers and employ only skilled labor, we positively refuse to turn-out

WORK WHICH IS SHORT ON QUALITY

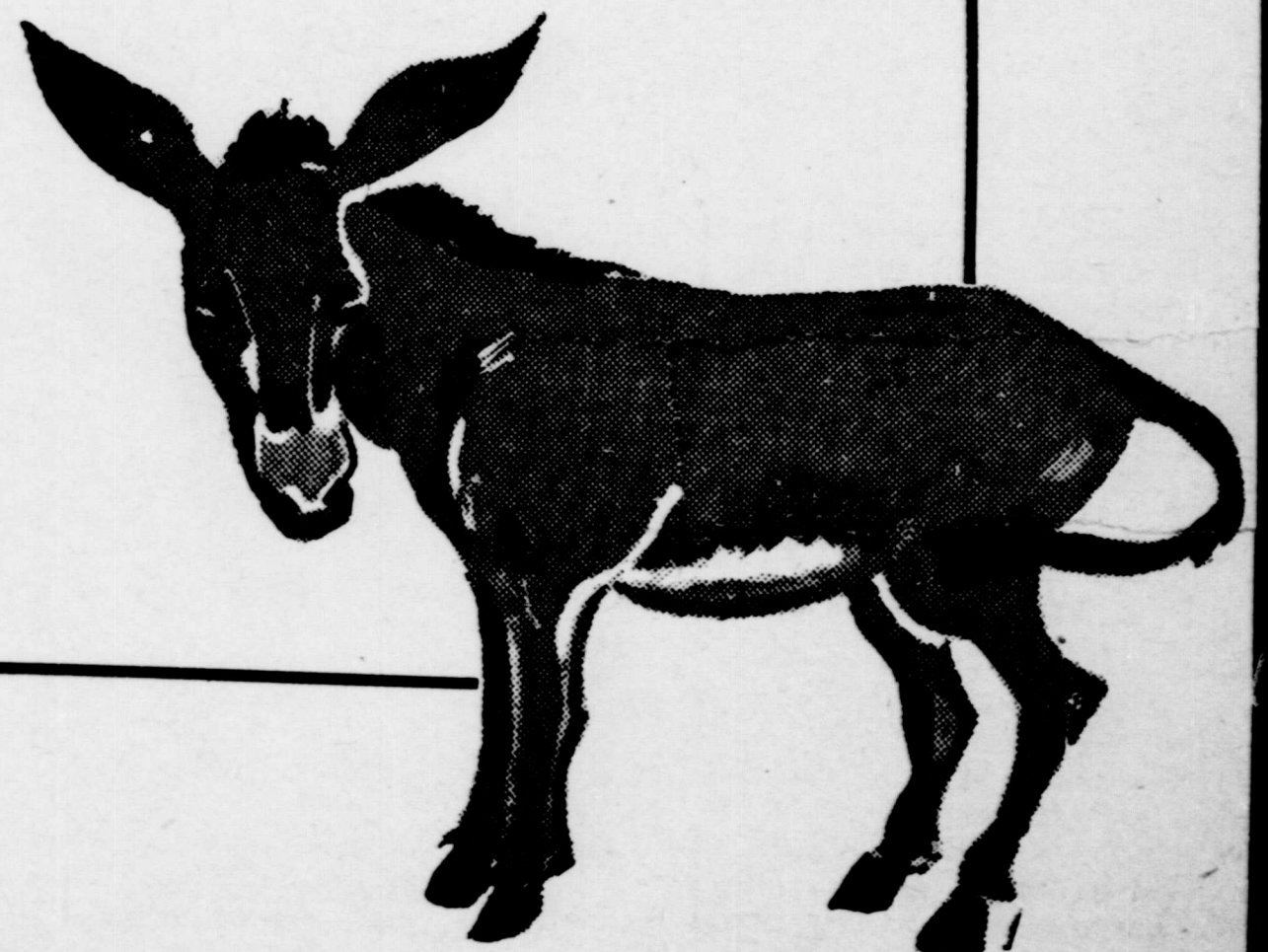
There is no money to be made from cut-rate operations, and frankly we are not in business for our health. We maintain our usual good quality in each order for printed material and haven't the slightest feeling of guilt when we present the bill because we know that dollar for dollar has been given. We solicit your continued good support and promise at all times, quality materials with quality work.

The Times as a newspaper is justly proud of the fact that it is "First in readers, first in news value, and first in advertising." It is a fact which is reestablished numbers of times each week when unsolicited expressions of approbation find their way to the various staff members from both leading advertisers and readers throughout the county. The subscription list, without the aid of any campaigns, has grown steadily in numbers for the past half year. Orders come by mail and staff members are stopped on the streets to take subscription money.

We are proud of these mentioned facts, which are undisputed, and each publication of the Times finds the employees striving toward an even better home-town paper.

The paper was established to serve not only Spur but the entire of Dickens county. News stories concerning Dickens, Afton, McAdoo or any other individual section of the county are given as serious consideration and as bold display in the Times as those concerning the city of Spur. We show no partiality and we only trust we may merit a continued good growth by giving Dickens county an even better paper from week to week.

The Times



Lorenza Scouts Win Official Ballots For First; Crosbyton 3rd In District Meeting

(Continued from Page 1)

promotion and wards of merit badges. Badges were presented to a dozen or more Tenderfoots, nine Second Class scouts and four first class scouts. Merit badges were presented to a half dozen scouts and two members of Troop 32, of Crosbyton, were presented Star Scout awards.

The individual winners in the order named of various awards, who will compete in the grand district meet at Lubbock Friday, August 21st are as follows:

Junior Division
20 yard back stroke: Tommy Davis, Crosbyton; Charles Christenson, Spur; Raymond Ince, Spur; 20-yard breast stroke: Charles Christenson, Spur; Bill Laine, Spur; Clennie Edwards, Crosbyton; 20-yard free style: Chas. Christenson, Spur; Max Gorman, Lorenza; Houston Pearson, Lorenza; Distance Plunge: Chas. Christenson, Spur; Bill Laine, Spur; Tommy Davis, Crosbyton; Bill Mayes, Ralls; Weight carry: Chas. Christenson, Spur; Carol Martin, Lorenza; Tommy Davis, Crosbyton.

Intermediate Division
20-yard back stroke: Morris Ray Dunn, Spur; Gerald Collier, Crosbyton; Eugene Taylor, Spur; 20-yard breast stroke: Eugene Taylor, Spur; Buddie Davis, Matador; Chety Maxey, Lorenza; 20-yard free style: B. F. Tunnell, Matador; Vaughn Horn, Crosbyton; Morris Ray Dunn, Spur; Distance Plunge: B. F. Tunnell, Matador; Chety Maxey, Lorenza; Murray Hefner, Crosbyton; Diving: Morris Ray Dunn, Spur; Buddy Davis, Matador; Chety Maxey, Lorenza; Weight Carry: Morris Ray Dunn, Spur; Eugene Taylor, Spur; Chety Maxey, Lorenza.

Senior Division
20-yard back stroke: Winston Robertson, Lorenza; James O'Rear, Lorenza; J. R. Terrell, Lorenza; 20-yard breast stroke: Winston Robertson, J. R. Terrell, James O'Rear, all of Lorenza; 20-yard free style: Winston Robertson, J. R. Terrell, James O'Rear, all of Lorenza; Distance Plunge: Winston Robertson, James O'Rear, J. R. Terrell, all of Lorenza; Diving: J. R. Terrell, James O'Rear; Winston Robertson, all of Lorenza; Weight Carry: James O'Rear, Winston Robertson of Lorenza.

Junior Relays
Medley Relays: Spur, Lorenza, Crosbyton; Free Style: Lorenza and Crosbyton.

Intermediate Relays
Medley Relays: Spur, Matador and Crosbyton; Free style relays: Spur, Crosbyton and Lorenza.

In the senior relays, both medley and free style, the Lorenza Troop 35 was awarded first place.

THANK YOU VOTERS

As Treasurer of the County of Dickens I announced for re-election, subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July, and on election day found myself without opposition. This I appreciated, but no more than I did the support voters of this county gave me at the polls. My thanks can not be expressed in so many words, neither can my honest desires to become the most efficient treasurer in the history of the county. Your kindness has prompted me to reach these desires that I might merit such a continued support.

Mrs. Alice Murphree

S. A. Anderson was in Spur first of this week attending to business.

Official Ballots For 2nd Primary Ready

The Dickens County Democratic committee this week received official returns instructions from the state of Texas and have completed the copy for the official ballots for the second democratic primary, which will be held Saturday, August 22nd.

The copy has been turned in to the job printing department of the Times and the first ballots will be rushed to the county clerk's office today where they will be used for absentee voting. The order calls for three thousand five hundred ballots. The copy of the ballot, as turned to the printer by the county committee, shows Ernest O. Thompson and Frank S. Morris in the run-off for railroad commissioner; George B. Terrell and J. E. McDonald for commissioner of agriculture; and C. L. Harris and Leonard Westfall for representative of the 118th district in the state races.

The county ticket will show: Marshall Formby and Jim Cloud for county judge; K. W. Street and Horace D. Nickels for commissioner, precinct one; E. J. Orfield and E. N. Johnson for commissioner of precinct two; G. W. Rash and W. F. Foreman for commissioner of precinct three; M. B. Gage and R. L. Mimms for commissioner of precinct four; and Gaston Jackson and S. R. Peak for public weigher of precinct two.

THANKS VOTERS

Permit me to express my thanks and appreciations to the voters of Dickens county for the way in which I was supported at the polls of the first Democratic primary. Though I was without opposition I appreciated each ballot cast in my favor as much as I would had I been faced with a fellow aspirant for the office of Clerk of the District Court. I trust I may merit, through better service, your continued good support and appreciations.

Mrs. Nettie Littlefield

GOES TO ODESSA

Elvis Holly, son of Harvey Holly of this city, has accepted a position with the Robert Lee Drug store in Odessa. He will work toward completion of his high school training in the Odessa school and at the same time continue with his employment at the drug firm, it is understood.

Virgil Lee of Houston, Walter Lee and E. S. Lee of Spur leave Saturday for a little brotherly vacation in the mountains. It is the first time since the last time the three brothers have had their vacation together. Too bad some one won't be along to watch them.

R. B. Ford of Kalgary, was in our city recently attending to business affairs. He stated that the wife and children had just left St. John for a vacation and would not be back for a month, and he was not looking too encouraging about doing his own cooking.

Little Misses Marguerite and Jeane Hulse of Guthrie were guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Elliott of Spring Creek. Also had their tonsils removed, Dr. Blackwell doing the work.

J. J. Martin of Catfish community was greeting old friends and trading in our city Saturday.

Merle Smith and family of Kent County, were in town Saturday doing some trading.

RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Miss Ruby Rae Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Williamson of this city and teacher in the East Ward school, is reported recovering nicely from a recent appendicitis operation at the local hospital. Miss Williamson says she is trusting that the operation will result in she being an even better teacher, or at least one without any excuses for not being.

Mrs. Mattie Sizemore of Croton community was in our city Saturday doing some shopping and greeting old friends.

Ed Fuqua of Lower Red Mud community, was greeting old friends and trading here Saturday.

E. D. Chambers of Prairie Chapel was attending to business matters in our city the last of the week.

VISITING PARENTS HERE

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams of Newark, N. J., arrived here last Sunday for an extended visit with Mr. Williams parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams. The Newark people will remain here two or three weeks.

MOVES TO PLAINVIEW

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Twaddell, who have lived in Spur long enough to be known as native pioneers, moved with their family to Plainview this week. They had resided here for the past 20 years. They left Tuesday.

Trade in Spur and Save!

H. P. GIBSON INSURANCE AGENCY
Insurance and Bonds
Phone 31 - C. of C. Building

Kenneth White of Croton was transacting business in our city the last of the week and stated crop conditions are fair there.

Students from Coahuila, Chihuahua and Nueva Leon, Mexico, have enrolled for University of Texas correspondence courses this summer, as did one or more from Louisiana, California, Oklahoma, New York, Minnesota, Georgia, Colorado, New Mexico, Arkansas, Mississippi, Kansas, Tennessee, South Carolina, Illinois, Arizona, Pennsylvania and the State of Washington.



Too often the old bus gets a dirty shirt and has to wear it for weeks! Your send your clothes to the laundry but send your car to our wash rack for a good cleaning up and grease job.

T-P Service Station
J. V. Bristow and W. C. Presley, Props.

SAFEWAY'S Old Enough to VOTE

CELEBRATING OUR 21ST BIRTHDAY!

We are naturally proud of our 21 years of distributing foods of quality at low prices and invite you to our Birthday Party.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

CANNED FOOD BALLOT

Vote for a Full Pantry. Take full advantage of these prices. Food prices are advancing.

BUY NOW AND SAVE

CREAM MEAL	20 Lb. Sack	60c
Vienna Sausage	2 Cans	15c
Potted Meat	3 Cans	10c
Corn	Fancy Country Gentleman 2 No. 2 Cans	25c
Our Favorite Peas	No 2 Can	10c
Green Beans	No 2 Can	10c
Fancy Spinach	No 2 Can	10c
Skinnners Macaroni	2 Lb.	25c
California Tomatoes	2 Lb.	15c
Potatoes	CALIFORNIA NO 1 5 Lb.	19c

SUGAR

25 Pound Cloth Sack **\$1.35**

Airway Coffee	3 Lb.	50c
EDWARD'S DEPENDABLE Coffee	Lb. Can	25c
Canterbury Tea	1/4 Lb.	15c
Distilled Vinegar	PINT	10c

Values for 5c

- PORK & BEANS, 16 Oz. Can
- TOMATO JUICE, No. 1 Can
- STANDARD TOMATOES, No. 1 can
- POTTED MEAT, 5 Oz. Can
- KIPPERED SNACKS
- SHAKER MUSTARD
- ATLAS SHOE POLISH

YOUR CHOICE — 5c

SAFEWAY STORES



SLICED
BACON
Fancy Lean Streaked
1b 29c

FLOUR
Harvest 48 Lb. Blossom Sack **\$1.49**
MAXIMUM
24 Lb. Sack **89c** 48 Lb. Sack **\$1.69**



Soap	Crystal White or P & G	6 Large Bars	25c
Compound	Pure Vegetable	8 Lb. Carton	98c
Silk Tissue		6 Large Rolls	25c
Prince Albert Tobacco		Pocket Tins	10c
Blue Ribbon Malt		Can	59c
Salt Jewels		LB.	15c
Bologna		2 LB.	25c
Cream Cheese		LB.	25c
Fresh Prunes		No. 10 Tin	29c
Carnation Milk		3 Tall Cans	25c
Standard Tomatoes		3 No. 2 Cans	25c

WANT ADS

WANTED TO BUY—Light 2-wheel trailer. Must be cheap. See Stanley Gartside at Palace Theatre. 8-6-2tc

FOR SALE: 4 room residence, bath and big sleeping porch. See Lester Ericson. 3t

FOR SALE—Fresh Jersey Milk cows. Fall terms. See E. S. Lee. 7-30tn

REAL ESTATE: List your property for sale or trade with me. If you wish to buy a choice home see O. L. Kelly. 1tc

WANTED—To buy a small place, half acre or less. Call Dickens County Times. 1tp

FOR SALE—A real bargain. House and lot in Girard. \$287 cash. Write H. W. Johnston, Bomarton, Texas. 8-13-1f

FOR RENT—Nice front bed room. Mrs. Fannie T. Johnson. Telephone 111.

MEN WANTED: for nearby Rawleigh Routes. Write today. Rawleigh's Dept. TXG-704-SB, Memphis, Tenn. 8-6 pd.

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