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## Two Farmers From Dickens County Go To Washington

Representative farmers from every state in the Union have assembled in Washington to express our gratitude for what has been done. Dickens County is being represented by two delegates, Joe M. Rose, who is Chairman of the Dickens County Cotton Committee, and Roy Arrington, who is also a member of the County Cotton Committee, were on the special train which left Texas Sunday, May 12, and arrived in Washington Tuesday at 9:00 A. M. Returning the train left Washington at 6:01 P. M. Wednesday, May 15 and will be back in Texas, Friday, May 17. Citizens of each community in Dickens County showed their appreciation of the movement by contributing funds for the expense involved in sending these delegates.

During the past three years the national government has made its first real attempt to place agriculture on an equal footing with industry. This is being done through benefits and parity payments to farmers on the products they produce to offset the high protective tariff industry has enjoyed for more than fifty years. Special interests are fighting the whole program by attempting to kill the processing taxes, and by preventing the passage of a group of A. A. A. amendments, designated to improve and strengthen the program.

Over \$88,000,000 has been paid to Texas farmers as rental and benefit payments in the past two years. All of these funds, as well as the funds for the \$630,000,000 that has been paid farmers in the United States, have come from the processing taxes. The abolition of these taxes means the destruction of the Agricultural Adjustment program.

Up to now, the farmer has been content to receive the benefit payments in his condition, and has said nothing. This condition can no longer continue without the positive support of all farmers, and we must go in a body to Washington, and express personally our appreciation for all that has been done by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, and insist that no radical change be made that would destroy the effectiveness of the program. That was the purpose of the several thousand farmers in Washington the first of this week.

## Dr. Lawler Examines Eyes Of Children

Dr. Harold H. Lawler, optometrist, examined the eyes of the school children at the East Side school Monday. A number of children were found with defective vision.

Dr. Lawler has rendered excellent and valuable services to the schools in the county. He has been in every school in the county, giving his services in examining the eyes of the children free. Through this service a great many boys and girls in the county have learned about their defective vision and probably will be saved of much injury to their eyes in the future by having corrections made at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Cole, of Amarillo, were in our city Tuesday for a short time. Mr. Cole is a representative of Electrolux, Inc., and sells those fine sweepers.

## ATTENDS CONVENTION IN SAN ANTONIO

Webber B. Williams left early Monday for San Antonio where he is spending a few days attending the Undertakers and Embalmers Convention. Mr. Williams makes a business of keeping up with the latest methods in his work, and at these conventions there are demonstrations of the latest and most scientific methods.

## DOING GOOD IN FRUIT BUSINESS

B. E. Dye, who bought the fruit stand of Clyde Perry, stated this week that he is enjoying a very nice business. He is installing an ice box and says he expects to extend his business to include all kinds of fruits and vegetables. He is carrying a very nice line of fruits and vegetables at this time and most any one can secure whatever they need in that line at his place. He is located on the way to the post office and people can stop in and make their purchases as they go after their mail.

Ed Hemphill, of Croton country, was looking after business affairs here Tuesday.

### Big Concert

FRIDAY NIGHT, MAY 17  
EAST WARD SCHOOL  
with Echols Singers, Campbell Sisters quartet, Vo-de-o-do-girls quartet, Cousins Quartet.  
Special Local Talent  
Good Class Singing  
10c-15c Admission

## BACK HOME AGAIN AND HAPPY OF IT

Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols, who have been in South Texas for several weeks, arrived back home Tuesday night and stated they are very glad to be back among their friends again. Dr. Nichols is opening his sanitarium again and is ready to receive patients. He spent some time in Galveston at John Seely Hospital and at Scott & White Sanitarium in Temple where he did some post graduate work and hospital observation work. Both the Doctor and Mrs. Nichols are looking fine and say they are young folks again with plenty of pep to go forward in their business.

## Wheat Referendum Next Week; May 25

Less than two weeks time until we must vote on the Wheat Referendum, says G. J. Lane, County Agent. The importance of getting everyone to vote that is interested in the wheat program cannot be stressed too much. It would be well for every community in the county to have a special meeting in their community within the next ten days for the purpose of creating an interest among the farmers in the importance of showing a desire for the wheat program for the next four years. The goal has been set in this district to obtain 99.44% completeness in the vote cast, and if such a goal is obtained it behooves everyone to do his best to see that all farmers with a wheat base will cast a vote. Ballots have already been received by the county agent, and in the event that it is necessary for voting to be done, those who cannot go to the various voting boxes in their respective communities, their vote may be taken by the county agent.

## Graduation Exercises For Girard School

The graduating exercises for the school at Girard will be held this week. Rev. E. L. Yeats, Pastor of the First Methodist Church at Spur, preached the sermon to the high school graduates Sunday evening. The Seventh Grade graduate exercises were held last evening. There were 33 pupils promoted to high school from the Grammar School. This is a very large class for a school the size of Girard. John Smith is Grammar School Principal. Louis Kellett was salutatorian and Verlene Cooper was valedictorian. O. L. Kelley, principal of the East Side school here, gave the address to the class. The high school graduates will hold their exercises tonight. Supt. Sam Z. Hall, of Spur Schools, will give the address to the class.

## Palace To Be Air Conditioned

Lea and Everts, operators of the local playhouses and who are ever on the alert for new conveniences to add to the comfort of theatre patrons, announce a new Air Conditioning plant will be installed in the Palace Theatre within the next few weeks. The plant is known as the Carrier Air Washer and is being built by the Buffalo Engineering Works located in Buffalo, New York. It will be approximately twelve feet square and eighty spray nozzles and the water is forced through the nozzles at the rate of two hundred gallons per minute, under high pressure which makes a fine mist. The blowers pull the air through this mist, circulating it through the cooling plates and forcing it into the theatre at the rate of 40,000 cubic feet per minute at capacity. The air which is brought into the theatre can be controlled for temperature and humidity, and it is completely washed which means every particle of dust, odor and impurity is removed.

This plant when installed will enable the Palace to handle the largest crowds on the hottest days and keep the temperature at 68 to 70 degrees. It is the same type equipment as is used in large theatres throughout the country and the management is to be complimented on their foresightedness in contracting for it at the start of the summer season, especially when the crowds have been so large on Dime Nights.

## BAPTIST NOTES

Something different and very interesting in the way of programs will be given at the Baptist Church Sunday morning, May 19th, at the 11 o'clock hour. The program follows: The Attractive Church Scripture Reading—Walter Gruben. Attractive Building—Joe Long. Attractive Atmosphere—O. F. Priest. Attractive Music—Mrs. Violet McKnight. Attractive Pulpit—D. L. Granberry. You are most cordially invited to attend this program. The night service will be dismissed for the school exercises.

The following Wednesday evening, May 22nd, the deacons will have charge of the Prayer Service. This service also has the promise of being very interesting and helpful to all who attend. The church with a compassionate heart welcomes you.

Robert L. Yates, barber at Simpson's Barber Shop, left Saturday for Longview where he will make his home.

## P. T. A. Meeting Held Tuesday

The Spur Parent-Teachers Association held their last meeting of the school year at the East Side School auditorium Tuesday night. The president was in charge and called for the reading of the minutes of the last meeting.

The nominating committee made a second report on nomination for officers for the next year. Officers had been elected at another meeting but all of them refused to qualify. The nominating committee asked that all retiring officers be re-elected, and this recommendation met with an unanimous vote favorable. Mrs. W. R. Weaver will serve another term as president. Mrs. Jack McCully, vice president; Mrs. W. R. King, secretary, and Mrs. Jack Rector, treasurer.

Mrs. Weaver made a report on the district convention which met recently. She announced that Spur's P. T. A. received very favorable mention in their year book. It was the first one ever used in Spur. Also, that Spur would entertain the next District Conference of 24 counties held next spring.

Miss Annie Mae Lassetter was introduced and discussed the subject of "Preparing the Child for School Next Year." Miss Lassetter, who is one of the primary teachers, brought out some excellent points in child training. F. F. Vernon, principal of the Junior High school, could not be present to give his discussion on the subject.

A very interesting book review was given by Misses Pauline Buster and Sarah McNeill. These young ladies gave a synopsis of a book and exemplified some very fine points of character, and showed how these points dominated throughout three generations of one particular family.

Mr. Neilson, principal of the Junior High school, made a few very interesting remarks. He stated that he hoped the Spur P. T. A. and Spur schools would go on to greater accomplishments and that he had enjoyed working in Spur. Mr. Neilson is not expecting to teach next year taking out for a year to rest up. He has been in Spur schools the past five years and has been very loyal to the P. T. A. work.

The meeting adjourned until next fall when the organization will take up the work again.

## Three Programs At Lower Red Mud School

Three programs have been scheduled at the Lower Red Mud school for this week end. Tonight (Thursday) will be a school program consisting of readings, drills and recitations by the students and coached by Mrs. Sherer, the assistant teacher. Friday night there will be a play entitled the "Daughter of the Desert" which is being coached by the school principal, Herman McArthur. This play will be about two and one half hours long and will contain some excellent interludes.

Saturday night the Cross school will visit Lower Red Mud and give a program. This program will be under the direction of the teacher, Miss Berne Bowington.

Everybody is extended an invitation to attend all these programs. There will be no admission charges, and there will be plenty of room for all since there will be an open air stage.

## PATTON SPRINGS RECEIVES FURTHER AFFILIATION

A communication this week from Miss Sue B. Mann, Deputy State Superintendent to Supt. O. C. Southall of the Patton Springs school conveys the information that the Patton Springs School has been granted affiliation in English IV. This additional credit in English brings the number of credits of affiliation held by the Patton Springs school to 17. Further credit of 1-1-2 units in Vocational Agriculture is practically assured the school by the supervisor of that work, who visited the school last week. The school expects to end the current year with a total of 18 1-2 units of affiliation.

## ATHLETIC SHOW FRIDAY NIGHT

The Future Farmers Club of the Patton Springs school will present an athletic show at the gymnasium Friday night of this week, featuring boxing, wrestling, and other interesting features of an athletic nature. Admission of 10c and 20c will be charged. The show is being given to raise funds to further the activities of the F. F. A. Club of the Patton Springs School.

## RAIN AT JAYTON TUESDAY

L. F. Wade, editor of the Jayton Chronicle, was in our city Tuesday afternoon and said there was a good rain fell at Jayton Tuesday morning. He said conditions at Jayton are looking much improved and that cotton and feed are popping through the ground. He said, "We are going to grow a crop in Jayton country, and we need it, too."

He said the rain extended up nearly to Girard and just a light shower from there on toward Spur.

Mrs. W. A. Bell left Saturday for Lubbock where she is having her baby, Joe Neal, treated by Dr. Overton, a baby specialist.

## Good Program At East Side School Next Tuesday

The closing exercises of the East Side school will be held in the East Side auditorium next Tuesday evening. The characterization of a "Royal Court Scene" will be the main theme of the program.

The girl making the highest record and the boy making the highest record in the High Fourth grade are to be the queen and king respectively. Then the attendants will be the boys and girls making the highest records in the low and high third grades and the low fourth grade. There will be ladies and knights in waiting and pages for every occasion.

All grades are to have a part on the program. In fact, the lower grades are to furnish the entertainment for the king, queen and their entire Royal Court. Every child in school has been given an opportunity to take part on the program which will start about eight o'clock Tuesday evening. At the close of the program Promotion Certificates will be awarded. Also, honor certificates and perfect attendance certificates will be awarded the same evening.

## Invitation Recital At Methodist Church

Misses Grace Foster and Lillian Grace Dickson will give a recital in music at the First Methodist Church tonight (Thursday). Persons favored with an invitation only are expected to attend. There will be about 100 invited guests.

These young ladies will render eight individual numbers each and then both will appear in a piano duo. They are piano students of Miss Kathryn Curbey and are very efficient in their work.

Misses Billie Louise Powell and Helen Hale will act as ushers.

## Workers' Meeting

The Dickens County Baptist Association will meet at the Duncan Flat Baptist Church, Thursday and Friday May 23 and 24, for the regular Workers' Meeting.

**THURSDAY**  
8:30 P. M. Sermon—Rev. Earnest Lee.

**FRIDAY**  
9:30 A. M. Devotional, Charlie Brooks.

10:00. Why Should We Pray? Rev. Terry, pastor Dickens Church.

10:20. When Should We Pray? Thomas Cobb.

10:40. How to Pray an Acceptable Prayer. Wayne Grizzle.

11:00. Does Prayer Change the Attitude of God? Rev. A. P. Stokes.

11:30. What Are the Effects of Modern Sins that are being Practiced by Christians in their Homes and in Social Gatherings? On the Church and on Sinners. Rev. J. V. Bilberry. Noon—Lunch.

1:30 P. M. Women's Work arranged by Mrs. Cap Ellison, Crosbyton. 3:00. Ordination of Deacons. Come and help us and enjoy the hospitality of the Duncan Flat people. W. B. BENNETT, Pastor.

## MUSICAL CONCERT FRIDAY NIGHT

Pupils of Odis L. Echols who is conducting a normal in vocal music in Spur at this time, will give a concert at the East Side school auditorium Friday night. Two visiting ladies' quartets will feature in the concert. These are the Campbell Sister and the Vo-Di-o-Do Girls who have been singing together for some time. See the advertisement announcing this concert in this week's issue of the Times. You don't want to miss this treat.

## WILLIAM BINGHAM DIES IN LUBBOCK HOSPITAL

William Bingham, 23, died at 7:30 o'clock Sunday evening in a Lubbock sanitarium. He suffered an attack of acute appendicitis Monday of last week and was taken to Lubbock for an operation which was performed Tuesday. Complications set in which proved fatal.

Campbell Undertaking Parlor transferred the body from Lubbock to Spur Sunday night and arranged for burial. Funeral services were held here Monday afternoon with a minister from Jayton in charge. Interment followed at Spur cemetery.

Mr. Bingham is survived by his widow and baby, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Bingham and brothers and sisters.

## RAIN FELL WEDNESDAY MORNING

A very nice rain fell over Spur country Wednesday morning. The Spur Experiment Station reported 64-100 of an inch and it is reported heavier in other places. With rains in other sections this country is becoming wet again.

## Times Will Be In New Location Next Week

The Dickens County Times will move the last of this week to the K. of P. Building second door east of the post office. The business will be conducted on about the same plan as it is now, carrying office supplies and a retail line of paper and envelopes. The Times will occupy the first floor of the building.

## "Wear A Poppy" Saturday, May 25th

"Wear a poppy." This request will be made of all of us on Poppy Day, Saturday, May 25th, and who, understanding the significance of the little red flower, can refuse?

The poppy is the flower that gave the only touch of life and beauty to the World War battle fields and cemeteries. It is the flower of the war dead, those gallant young men who gave their lives in the country's service, and we are asked to wear it in their memory.

When obtaining our poppy, we are asked, too, to make a contribution for the welfare of the disabled World War veterans, the widows and the children left fatherless by the war. None of us with a dime to our names and a touch of human kindness in our hearts can refuse this request, either. We can only honor the dead, but these living victims of the war are still with us. We can still help them.

The Poppy Day requests will be made to us by the women of the American Legion Auxiliary, the wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of men who served in the war. They have had the poppies made for us by needy and disabled veterans, providing employment for hundreds unable to do other work. They will take the contributions we make, and, with understanding and sympathy, turn every penny to the service of war disabled and dependents.

Yes, we will "wear a poppy" proudly and gladly. We have not forgotten and we are not ungrateful. For one day this blood-red symbol of highest patriotic sacrifice will blaze on our coats, and our coins will be given to help through the coming year those who are living a life of suffering and sacrifice because of service to the nation.

## MATADOR WINS OVER SPUR GOLFERS

In the second league game of the Cap Rock Golf League Sunday afternoon, Matador golfers won a big victory over the Spur team. The game between Crosbyton and Spur's second team was postponed and will be played next Sunday afternoon on the Spur course.

The Spur-Matador game resulted as follows:

Matador	Spur
Pipkin 36-36-3	Caraway 41-41-0
Burleson 39-34-1	Culbert 35-35-2
Stearns 33-36-3	Andrews 40-39-0
Harp 39-40-1-2	Williams 38-40-1-2
Glenn 38-40-2	Powell 42-37-1
Groves 41-41-1	Neilson 42-37-2
Patton 41-38-3	Simpson 44-40-0
Brandon 40-38-3	Ensey 46-41-0
Totals 16 1-2	7 1-2

Rev. Fred Cairns, of the First Presbyterian Church here, delivered the graduation sermon to the 1935 Class of the Jayton High School last Sunday evening.

Rev. E. L. Yeats, of the First Methodist Church here, will deliver an address to the County Seventh Grade graduates at the Patton Springs school auditorium at two o'clock next Saturday. Examinations were held Monday for county promotions into high school.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Golding returned Tuesday evening from Dallas where they had been making a selection of new merchandise for the firm of B. Schwarz & Son here. They stated the markets are rather busy at this time.

Mesdames R. E. Dickson, J. C. Payne, Lula Glasgow and L. R. Barrett returned Tuesday from College Station where they had been visiting their sons Mothers' Day. They report that the boys are doing fine and could not be treated better than where they are.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Addy and children spent Sunday and Monday visiting relatives in East Texas.

Acie Bailey, who had been confined to his room on account of pneumonia last week, is able to be out again. He went to his store, The Bailey Food Store, Monday and has been able to direct his business since.

Rev. Sam Young, Presiding Elder of the Stamford District, preached at the eleven o'clock hour Sunday at the First Methodist Church in Spur.

FOR SALE—\$105.00 equity in new or used car at a bargain at Spur Motor Company. Call 615 at Times Office. D. M. Jones, of Paducah, was in our city Tuesday attending to business matters. Mr. Jones owns some farms in Dickens County in the Dumont community.

## Junior High Exercise Thursday Of Next Week

The closing exercises for the class at the Junior High School will be held Thursday night of next week. A very nice program has been arranged. In this class there are about 50 going to the high school for work next year and the contest for first honors has been rather interesting.

Margaret Mae Weaver scored high point with 93 13-14, and is valedictorian of the class. Mozelle Arthur was second with 94 4-7, and is the salutatorian. Mae Barnette Johnson stood third with 94 2-7 and will give the class history. Grace Foster was fourth with 93 5-7 and will give the class prophecy and will.

Rev. Fred Cairns will give the address to the class. The program will be at the East Side school auditorium and will start about eight o'clock in the evening.

## Shelter Belt Men Visit In County

Further interest in the Shelter-Belt Tree Planting program has been shown by the United States Department of Agriculture officials of the Forest Service through the visit of W. P. Trice and Mr. Kemp of the Wichita Falls office. While in Dickens County they discussed plans for starting the work in the very near future, and left some application blanks for signatures at the county agent's office, where interested farmers may avail themselves of the opportunity of filing applications, which will be given immediate attention upon the arrival of Administrative forces. Only six of these Shelter-Belt projects will be undertaken this year in Texas, one of which is to be in Dickens County.

## SENIOR PLAY SATURDAY NIGHT

The senior class of the Patton Springs School will present the three-act comedy, "Where's Grandma," at the school auditorium, Saturday night, May 18. An admission charge of 10c and 20c will be made. The proceeds of the play will be used to defray the incidental expenses of the graduation exercises.

## ROARING SPRINGS CITIZEN PASSES AWAY

E. B. Gober, for many years a citizen of Roaring Springs, died Monday afternoon. Mr. Gober had been ill for sometime and the past ten days no hope was entertained for his recovery.

Funeral services were held at Roaring Springs Tuesday afternoon and interment followed in Roaring Springs cemetery.

Mr. Gober once engaged in farming in the Afton country. Then he went to Roaring Springs where he engaged in the blacksmith business. He was a citizen held in high esteem in his community.

## REVIVAL SIGN SEEN IN MACHINERY INDUSTRY

Figures compiled by Government agencies show some of the long-dormant industries supplying capital or durable goods are displaying signs of a revival.

Stirrings toward recovery apparently have been pronounced in those producing electrical equipment and machinery and in residential building. Further substantial recovery also has been recorded in motor and farm equipment lines, but many statisticians are reluctant to classify them as durable goods.

On a percentage basis, the most impressive gains in employment, as shown in the Labor Department's figures, have been in some of the durable goods industries, particularly machinery.

Mrs. Henry Alexander returned from Dallas Saturday where she had been purchasing new merchandise for the firm of Henry Alexander & Company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lee and son, Charles A., left for Galveston Saturday where Mr. Lee will attend a bankers' convention. From there they expect to go on to Louisiana where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lee, Jr.

John D. Hufstader, of Highway, was in town Monday and stated a good rain fell in that community that morning.

Misses Sadie and Ramza Gabriel and their father left Saturday for points in Virginia, Pennsylvania and New York where they will spend about two months visiting historical points. They expect to be in Washington, D. C. before returning.



**BRIEFLY SPEAKING**

**HOG NUMBERS REDUCED IN EUROPE AS WELL AS U. S.**

A marked reduction in the number of hogs in the leading European countries—Germany and Denmark—is reported by the Bureau of Agricultural Economics in its current statement on world hog and pork prospects.

**NATIONAL INCOME**

The national income, representing the net value of the goods and services produced by the United States, amounted in 1934 to \$47,600,000,000, according to the National Industrial Conference Board's annual estimate. This was a rise of 13.9 percent from the \$41,800,000,000 reported for 1933. The record was \$83,000,000,000 in 1929. The per capita income last year was \$377, according to the board, or \$44 above the figure for 1933. National income produced, the board points out, does not necessarily coincide with the combined income paid out or distributed to individuals as wages, salaries and other labor incomes, rents, royalties, interest, dividends, and with draws by proprietors and partners.

**RISE IN BUILDING ACTIVITY**

An abnormal rise in building activities throughout the United States last month, amounting to a value increase in building permits of 53.5 percent over February and 74.5 percent over March a year ago, led to Administration hopes that the durable goods industries may at last be starting on the upward grade. This activity in building operations, almost paralleling the revival of the capital markets last month may be further stimulated by the companion development as the anticipated new financing gets under way for the replacement of and additions to plants. The rehabilitation of the durable goods industries and the revival of capital financing have been two of the economic objectives most sought by President Roosevelt's advisers. Both have been slow in coming.—U. S. D. A. Digest.

**NEW TRADE AGREEMENTS**

Two new trade agreements have been negotiated recently, one with Belgium and one with Brazil. From the standpoint of agriculture the Belgian agreement is of particular interest since it is the first agreement concluded with one of the European industrial countries. The most significant concession made by Brazil directly on an agricultural product was its agreement to continue apples and pears on the free list. Thus the U. S. was assured in its own right of free entry into Brazil, while previously it had obtained this treatment by virtue of an agreement between Brazil and Argentina.—The Agricultural Situation.

**INDUSTRY BENEFITS FROM AAA PROGRAMS**

State figures showing increased car lot shipments of manufactured goods from 16 Northeastern states to 10 states of the agricultural Southeast were announced recently by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration. The figures were obtained through a study of waybills of four important railroads in the Southeast. The study was made by the AAA in an effort to ascertain the degree to which increases in agricultural purchasing power, brought about in part by Agricultural Adjustment Administration programs, is reflected in increased demand for factory goods produced in the industrial states. The study covers two successive periods of one year each. The first year, beginning July 1, 1932 and ending June 30, 1933, preceded the actual launching of the agricultural adjustment program and other recovery measures. The second year, beginning July 1, 1933 and ending June 30, 1934, covered a period when results of the recovery program had begun to be felt. The study shows that total car lot shipments from the 16 Northeastern industrial states to the 10 states of the agricultural South east increased 38 percent, from 2,104,585,201 pounds in the year before the recovery program to 2,920,887,439 pounds in the year when the results of this program had begun to be felt.—Information for the Press.

**AAA OPPOSITION LED BY ANONYMOUS ORGANIZATION**

"These amendments now before Congress (referring to AAA amendments) are being fought by every means the groups of middlemen can command. Leading the fight is an organization called the Agricultural Industries Conference. They have exerted pressure to stop the amendments; they have flooded the country with exaggerated and misleading propaganda intended to confuse farmers and get them working against their own interests. But just who makes up this Agricultural Industries Conference is not known. It is a powerful and an active group, working for the interests of the middlemen; but so far it has kept the identity of those it represents carefully concealed from the public. It puts out quantities of propaganda to the newspapers and elsewhere, attacking the A. A. A. amendments; but the propaganda is anonymous, as though those who put it out had something to conceal." "The attack on the A. A. A. amendments is actually an attack on the Act itself. It is part of a concerted movement against the whole farm program. That general movement includ-

es the attempt to knock out the processing taxes, which are the financial basis of the entire benefit payment plan of getting farmers parity prices. The movement against the amendments and the processing taxes—which are in effect the farmer's tariff—is fostered by the same processing and handling interests which sought to prevent adoption of the original Act. Some of those behind the great lobby fighting the amendments have opposed every important piece of legislation sought by the farmers for the past twenty years."—"A Plea for Equality".

**CURRICULUM CONFERENCE AT TECH JUNE 28-29**

The second annual curriculum conference at Texas Technological College will be held June 28 and 29, according to Dr. A. W. Evans, head professor of education. Dr. Henry Harap, Western Reserve University of Cleveland, Ohio, one of the foremost authorities on curriculum revision, is to be one of the main speakers.

Others appearing on the program include: Dr. F. C. Ayer, University of Texas; Dr. W. A. Steigler, director of the State Curriculum Revision work; State Superintendent L. A. Woods of Austin; B. B. Coob, executive of the Texas State Teachers Association; and C. N. Shaver, president of T. S. T. A. These men will be assisted by the leading educators in this portion of the state.

The general meetings will be held in the college gymnasium, with places of sectional meetings to be designated later. According to Doctor Evans 1,500 attended the conference held here last year.

**PROF. STREET TO READ PAPER AT ATLANTA MEET**

W. E. Street, assistant professor of engineering drawing, industrial engineering, and industrial education of Texas Technological College has been invited to present a paper on "Testing in Engineering Drawing" at a meeting on the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education in Atlanta, Ga., June 25. Professor Street was invited by H. M. McCully of Carnegie Institute of Technology, chairman of the drawing division of the S. P. E. E. The paper he will present was a part of the program at the Texas session of the S. P. E. E., and will be given with the papers of Prof. C. V. Munn, Missouri School of Mines, and Prof. Justus Rising, Purdue.

**Tech Coaching School Starts August 5th**

For the fifth year Texas Technological College is presenting as instructors the foremost coaches of college athletics in the United States at the annual coaching school. This year's school begins August 5 and continues through August 17.

Frank Thomas of Alabama and Rose Bowl winning fame will instruct his "Dixie-Howell" Notre Dame shift; Bernie Bierman, coach of the national collegiate champions, will discuss his system and tactics. Other headliners include: Pop Warner and his Temple University double wing-back formation; Dana Bible of Nebraska, will discuss his short punt formation; Art Kahler and his triple wing-back formation; Bernie Moore will bring Jack Torrance and Slat's Hardin, track combination, from Louisiana State University; Fritz Crisler of Princeton; Francis Schmidt, Ohio State; Bear Wolf, Texas Christian University line coach; Blair Cherry, the famed high school coach of Amarillo; Pete Perry, Arkansas' winner in scholastic football; and G. L. Hermance, physical education authority from Rice Institute.

The past four coaching schools have been attended by 1,670 coaches from many sections of the United States. This year's school is scheduled to break all attendance records, according to Head Coach Pete Cawthon and Line Coach Russell (Dutchy) Smith.

**183 Candidates For Degrees At Tech**

A preliminary list prepared in the president's office May 7 at Texas Technological College contains 183 candidates for graduation in June

this year. The exercises are to be held June 2 and 3.

These candidates and their degrees follow: 27 candidates for the bachelor of science degree in agriculture; 21 for the bachelor of science degree in engineering; 19 for the bachelor of science degree in home economics; 15 for the bachelor of business administration degree; 9 for the bachelor degree in education; 15 for the bachelor of arts degree in the social sciences; 42 for the bachelor of arts degree in language and music; and 6 candidates for the master of arts degree.

**FIRST TO WIN!**



Luther Malcolm of Brownfield, first person in Texas to win a college scholarship under the plan recently inaugurated by Montgomery Ward. Malcolm attends Texas Technological College at Lubbock.

**TRADING AT HOME**

There are any number of people living in this town who laugh at the idea that it is best to buy at home. They take the position that it does not matter where they spent their money if they get their money's worth. They subscribe to the doctrine that the only obligation they owe their home town is to get what they can out of it.

Our idea of trading at home does

**Chapman & Ratliff**

Attorneys-At-Law  
Spur Security Bank Bldg.  
Spur, Texas

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not include buying goods from merchants who attempt exorbitant profits. It does not necessitate the acceptance of worn, dirty or bedraggled goods from old time merchants who think that it is up to the community to keep him in business. It only means giving the local merchant a chance and then, to buy is he can reasonably meet other competition.

The local merchants, on their side have duties in regard to this trade at home idea. They must keep the buyer informed as to what they have to sell. They must stock new goods. They must be accommodating and render real service to the purchaser. They must refuse to push shoddy goods or sell to a customer something that is apt to be unprofitable. In short they must maintain at all times the confidence of the community.

The average citizen should, we take it, have pleasure in increasing the total volume of local business. Out of this sum, is taken the

prosperity of all of us. The larger it is the bigger the average share. Every citizen that spends his dollars at home helps that much in making the business of the community bigger. He helps the town expand, put on new growth and support new enterprises.—Turkey Enterprise.

**GIRARD CLASS ENJOYS PICNIC**

The Seventh Grade Class of the Girard school, chaperoned by their sponsor, Buddy Smith, his wife and Mr. and Mrs. Dobbins, spent Saturday at Roaring Springs picnicking. After enjoying a morning of bathing they ate lunch and started home. When they reached Spur, B. J. Kellett, a member of the Girard School Board, very graciously gave them a theatre party.

**RAIN IN CROTON COMMUNITY**

Elmer Rogers, of the Croton county, was in town Tuesday and stated

a nice rain fell there this week. There was a nice rain Monday and a light shower Tuesday morning.

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### Texas Tuberculosis Association Meet At Abilene Friday

The Mexican Ambassador, Dr. Francisco Castillo Najera, will be one of the guest speakers at the twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Texas Tuberculosis Association at Abilene Friday and Saturday of this week. Ambassador Najera, who has been active in the campaign against tuberculosis in Mexico, will address the convention Friday evening, May 17th.

Other distinguished guests of the association will be Dr. J. A. Myers, of Minneapolis, who will give a paper on "The Discovery and Care of Tuberculous Children"; Dr. Horton Casparin, Vanderbilt University, who will speak on "Our Individual and Group Responsibility in the Tuberculosis Program"; Dr. L. J. Moorman, Oklahoma City, whose subject will be "Some Historical Aspects of Tuberculosis"; Dr. Donato G. Alarcon, Mexico City, who will speak on "The Campaign Against Tuberculosis as

Carried on by the Public Health Department of Mexico" and Miss Jessamine Whitney of the National Tuberculosis Association, New York City, whose subject will be "Appraisal and Reevaluation of Tuberculosis Activities."

Speakers before the clinical section of the meeting and their subjects, will be Dr. R. S. Norris, Sanatorium, "Present Concepts of Tuberculous Infection and Disease, Their Principles and Application"; Dr. Frank Carman, Dallas, "Pneumothorax"; Dr. W. D. Anderson, Sanatorium, "Phrenicectomy"; and Dr. Felix D. Miller, El Paso, "Thoracoplasty". The paper by Dr. Norris will be discussed by Dr. R. E. Mann, El Paso, and Dr. Elva A. Wright, Houston. Participating in the discussion of the symposium on the surgical treatment of tuberculosis will be Dr. Louis Knoepp, Beaumont, Dr. L. J. Moorman, Oklahoma City, and Dr. Erle Sellers, Abilene.

There will be a luncheon Friday noon at which Dr. J. W. Laws, El Paso, will give "Some Reminiscences of the International Congress Against Tuberculosis in 1904", and Senator J. W. E. H. Beck, De Kalb, will speak on "The Campaign Against Tuberculosis Today."

Speakers before the sociological and health education sections, and their subjects will be: Dr. Frederick C. Elliott, Houston, "Community Cooperation for Health Education"; Dr. Edythe Hershey, Dallas, "The Evolution of Health Education in the Schools and the Place of the Tuberculosis Association in the Program"; and Dr. J. P. Gibson, Abilene Christian College, "Minimal Essentials for Health Service and Health Education in Colleges and Universities." Dr. Hershey's paper will be discussed by Mrs. Zula L. Powell, R. N., Fort Worth, and Mr. R. D. Green, superintendent of schools, Abilene. Dr. Gibson's paper will be discussed by Dr. Jessie L. Herrick, Texas State College for Women, Denton, and Miss Jennie M. Pinckney, University of Texas, Austin.

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The meeting is open to the public. Officers of the Texas Tuberculosis Association are T. W. Hugen, Port Arthur, President; M. C. Thomas, Beaumont, First Vice President; Dr. Austin F. Leach, Wichita Falls, Second Vice President; J. W. Butler, Galveston, Secretary, and H. A. Wroe, Austin, Treasurer.

### Summer Terms At Tech Open June 10th

The tenth summer session of Texas Technological College opens June 10. The first term closes July 19, and the second term begins July 22 and extends to August 29.

Expenses per term include: enrollment \$10; breakage deposit \$3; recreation fee, either or both terms \$1; medical service, either or both terms, \$2; board and room in the new dormitories for the full six weeks term \$32. The \$3 breakage deposit is returnable to the student, less library fines and other legitimate charges such as breakage of equipment in the laboratories.

Board and room outside the dormitories and light housekeeping apartments may be obtained at reasonable rates.

Twenty-four courses are being offered by the division of agriculture, 212 in the arts and sciences, 62 in the division of engineering, and 23 in the division of home economics. Besides these courses, the annual band school will be held for two six-weeks terms, beginning June 10. The fee per term is \$15.

The annual coaching school, featuring the foremost authorities in every phase of athletics, begins August 5 and closes August 17. The fee for the school is \$25. Besides these courses offered for residence work, 250 correspondence courses are given by the college.

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It is useless and may lead to serious infection. If your skin itches get a bottle of BROWN'S LOTION from your druggist today and get sure relief for ITCH, ATHLETE'S FOOT, TETTER, ECZEMA, RINGWORM, IMPETIGO, BARBER'S ITCH, and other itching skin irritations. First bottle with MONEY BACK GUARANTEE by The City Drug Store of Spur.

### RAIN AT McADOO MONDAY

E. C. Robertson, of McAdoo, was in our city Tuesday and reported that McAdoo country had enjoyed a good rain Monday morning. He stated that about 1-4 inches had fallen and that many fields are too wet to be worked at this time. Cotton and feed are being planted where the ground is dry enough.

### IF YOUR BREATH HAS A SMELL YOU CAN'T FEEL WELL

When we eat too much, our food decays in our bowels. Our friends smell this decay coming out of our mouth and call it bad breath. We feel the poison of this decay all over our body. It makes us gloomy, grouchy and no good for anything.

What makes the food decay in the bowels? Well, when we eat too much, our bile juices can't digest it. What is the bile juice? It is the most vital digestive juice in our body. Unless 2 pints of it are flowing from our liver into our bowels every day, our movements get hard and constipated and 1/2 of our food decays in our 25 feet of bowels. This decay sends poison all over our body every six minutes.

When our friends smell our bad breath (but we don't) and we feel like a whiffed balloon, don't use a mouthwash or take a laxative. Get at the cause. Take Carter's Little Liver Pills which get the bile flowing again. It is offered you don't buy it, but it may be a colonial (import) pill, which means high prices and possibly bad results in many people. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name and get what you get. —Carter, CINCINNATI.

S. B. Scott, Sr., who had been a patient in a Lubbock sanitarium, is now at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dave Taylor, and is doing nicely. Mr. Scott suffered an attack of appendicitis and underwent an operation.

Mrs. Floyd Barnett has accepted a position with Henry Alexander & Company as a sales lady. She will be glad to see her friends there.

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### MID-TERM GRADUATES

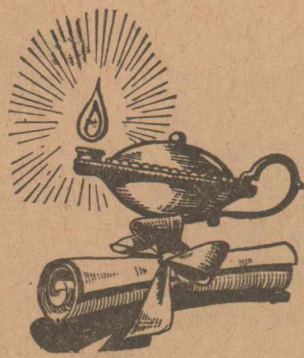
W. D. Blair	Dan Hisey	Viola Pickens
F. O. Brittain	Murl Howze	Miriam Reed
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Amza Lee Dunifan	Marie Karr	Billey Wilson
La Nell Fallis	Veona Karr	Pete Wilhoit
Dorothy Don Flynn	Ralph Leighton	Elizabeth Wolfe
Naomi Franklin	Woodrow McArthur	Inez Wright
Bill Haralson	Wynell McClure	

### MAY GRADUATES

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Chas. Dunlap	Eugene Taylor	Otis Finch
Ida V. Ellis	Howard Taylor	Edith Frye
Grace Foster	Ray Teal	Curtis Hisey
Marion Hale	Richard Thomas	Tommy Hisey
Curtis Holly	Raymond Tolbert	Henry Johns
Mae Barnett Johnson	Lorelle Twaddell	Spencer Lisenby
Ernest Kearney	Billie Jean Verner	Joe Ed. Mallory
Bobby Lawrence	Margaret Mae Weaver	Grady Morris
Reginia Lee	Ira Westfall	Bill Putman
Helen Lollar	J. R. Johnston	Ruth Turpen
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Gladys Brewster	Matthew Gruben	Herman Smith
Bryant Bristow	Leon Hale	B. C. Stapleton
Margaret Byrd	Pat Hogan	Ila Vell Suggs
Harold Cargile	Louise Ince	Bonnie Doyle Turpen
Margie Cole	Celesta Ray King	Bob Weaver
Cleo Denson	Norene Lewis	Gertrude Williams
Charles Ensey	Ouida Lisenby	Lynn Bussell
Joe Ericson	Sue Loe	R. A. Bussell
	Junior McLaughlin	



The Graduates Are Coming——  
 ——GOOD LUCK YOUNG PEOPLE

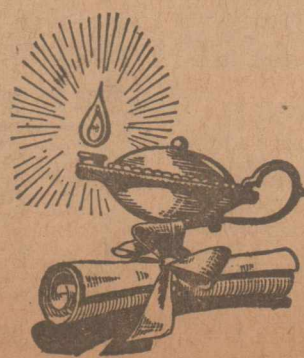
It is a real pleasure to be able to greet you on this event that means so much and to offer hearty congratulations for the completion of another period of your lives. Finishing school is an accomplishment of which you may well be proud. Entering upon a new stage of life you have much to look forward to. And in this message we hope you find heart and encouragement to continue to happiness and success no matter what your future endeavor.

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**New Opera Career for Farrar**



Her reign on the operatic stage over, Geraldine Farrar has moved across the footlights at the Metropolitan Opera House to start a new career from a microphone equipped box in the Grand Tier.

STARTING a new career in mid-life—that's the inspiring example for American womanhood set by Geraldine Farrar. Thirty-three years ago, as a girl of nineteen, Geraldine Farrar sang her first opera performance at the Royal Opera House in Berlin. Shortly after that she made the startling announcement that she would retire from the operatic stage when she was forty and from concert when she was fifty.

Twelve years ago last spring she stood on the stage of the Metropolitan Opera House in New York in the heyday of her beauty and glory and sang her farewell—while the audience stood and cheered through its tears. Ten years later, true to her 30-year-old promise, she gave up concert appearances.

But now, as radio raconteuse of the Metropolitan Opera broadcasts

over NBC networks each Saturday afternoon, Miss Farrar finds a whole new field of endeavor open to her. She discusses the operas and the singers, and entertains listeners between the acts with intimate, backstage stories of her own and the present day at the Metropolitan.

Seated in her own microphone equipped glass enclosed box 42 in the Grand Tier, she recreates the color and glamour of the scene for the invisible audience. From time to time, she sings bits of the arias from the opera being broadcast to explain a point.

It's a glorious job, Miss Farrar believes, and she's doing her part to bring the world's greatest operas to an audience unlimited by seating capacity or geographical location.

Mrs. G. C. Pierce, May 31. Charter members are: Mrs. M. S. Lambert, Mrs. James E. Copass, Mrs. Roy J. Dunavant, Mrs. G. C. Pierce, Mrs. G. T. Ross, Mrs. Mollie Hamilton, Mrs. I. J. Hurley, Mrs. D. H. Dewees, Mrs. Earl Murchison, Mrs. W. A. Taylor, Mrs. J. L. Thannisch, Mrs. Marion Thannisch, and Mrs. Sam Bachman.

**DEMONSTRATION IS WELL ATTENDED**

"No matter how late you get in or how tired you are you should clean your face at night. You owe it to your complexion and to yourself," Miss Bertha Cooper, wardrobe demonstrator, said at a meeting of the Chandler home demonstration club Monday at the home of Mrs. Floyd Lerevre, when she gave a facial in demonstrating the care of the face.

Mrs. LeFevre, wardrobe demonstrator, Class I, gave a shampoo demonstration and told the members that expensive clothes do not make one well-dressed unless the hair is well cared for and neatly arranged. She used a castile soap shampoo made by pouring boiling water over castile soap that had been shaved fine.

Members present were: Mrs. Clark Forbis, Mrs. Frank Forbis, Mrs. Kate LeFevre, Mrs. Floyd LeFevre, Mrs. J. I. Turpen, Mrs. Fierce Goss, and Mrs.

Bertha Cooper. Visitors present were: Mrs. Walter Johnston, Mrs. Ben Williams, Miss Ola Seals, Mrs. Wallace Conoway, Mrs. Claude Sanders, Mrs. Guy Sanders, Mrs. Myrtle Sanders, Mrs. T. J. Johnston, Mrs. E. D. York, Miss Ida Johnston, and Mrs. Emmet Hasha. Bertha Cooper, reporter.

**HAIR SHOULD BE BRUSHED DAILY**

"To have bright, growing hair it needs to be brushed every day," Miss Dale Brewster, sponsor, told members of the Dumont Junior girls home demonstration club in a call meeting Monday at her home. Miss Brewster gave a shampoo and facial to two of the girls in demonstrating the care of the hair and face.

Members present were Captiola Bohner, Ila Mae and Leoma Hodgins, Elouise Jones, Theatus Rogers, Bame Nell and Geneva Smith, Edna Earl Thomas, Agnes Pense, and Alma Sunningham.

Elouise Jones, reporter.

**GIRLS WRITE CLUB STORIES**

Each girl of the Dumont Junior 4-H club in meeting Wednesday morning wrote a story of her club work for the year thus far. These stories will be filed until fall when the girls will complete the record of their year's work.

For the June meeting the girls are

to have a picnic in connection with their achievement program in clothing work. At this time all dresses, the fourth goal in clothing work, will be handed in. Three dresses have been completed already.

Members present were: Katherine Forrest, Ila Mae and Leoma Hodgins, Bama Nell and Geneva Smith, Captiola Bohner, Elouise Jones, Theatus Rogers, Edna Earl Thomas, Agnes Pense, and Miss Dale Brewster, sponsor. —Reporter.

**WE NEVER GET TOO OLD TO LEARN, IF INTERESTED**

The Red Top club ladies learned new beauty kinks last Wednesday afternoon, when they met with Mrs. R. F. Harrel, and Mrs. Buran Jones gave the demonstration on care of face, hands and hair.

Nine members were present for the demonstration and one visitor.

Those present were: Mrs. J. C. Childress, Miss Carrie Childress, Mrs. Jim McArthur, Mrs. Frank Smith, Mrs. Otis Garrison, Mrs. R. F. Harrel, Mrs. Matt Howell, Miss Mattie Howell, and leader, Mrs. Buran Jones, class I Wardrobe demonstrator. Mrs. Wallace Hinson, a visitor. We hope to count her as a member again. —Reporter.

**CLUB ENJOYS MEETING**

Mrs. G. E. Kissinger, our farm food supply demonstrator, gave some in-

teresting lessons on how to serve a platter meal. You should have your napkin folded and laying to where you can unfold them easy, she said to the Friendship home demonstration club Friday afternoon at her home. After names were drawn for those to be in the demonstration a most enjoyable dinner was served by the hostess.

Mrs. Carl Patton gave us a most interesting talk on how to serve meals classy way. Our next meeting will be with Mrs. A. M. Hoover, May 27.

Those present were: Mrs. T. B. Rape, Mrs. A. M. Hoover, Mrs. G. E. Kissinger, Mrs. J. B. Rape, Mrs. Donnie Pace and Mrs. Morton, Mrs. Carl Patton, visitor. —Mrs. Bert Cherry, reporter.

**WOMANS MISSIONARY SOCIETY**

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Methodist Church met May the 13th in the home of Mrs. Snider in a social meeting with Mrs. M. A. Lea, Mrs. Birl Hight and Mrs. C. B. Jones as joint hostesses. A beautiful Mothers' Day program was given and enjoyed by all. There was some good music by Mrs. Granberry. There were 19 present and we will meet next Monday, the 20th, in the church. —Reporter.

J. J. Barton, of McAdoo, was attending to business affairs in our city Tuesday.

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**Calumet BAKING POWDER . . . 1 lb. cans 22c**

**JELLO—All flavors . . . . . pkg. 6c**

**OXYDOL—large package . . . . . each 22c**

**RICE—fancy . . . . . 4 lbs. 25c**

**PINEAPPLE—Libbys crush. or slic. 3 flat cans 25c**

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**PARD—Dog Food . . . . . 3 cans 25c**

**MILK—Small Cans . . . . . 6 for 21c**

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**Home Demonstration**

**CLUB NEWS**

**CANS WILD GREENS**  
"I have canned 26 pints of lamb's quarter and mean to can more yet," reports Mrs. G. T. Ross, charter member of the newly organized home demonstration club at Wichita. "The greens are just right to can now for they are so tender and fresh. I can them as I do turnip greens except that I use fresh boiling water to fill the jars instead of the water in which the greens were blanched. I process pint jars at 15 pounds pressure for 60 minutes. I think lamb's quarter tastes very much like spinach, and we are very fond of it."

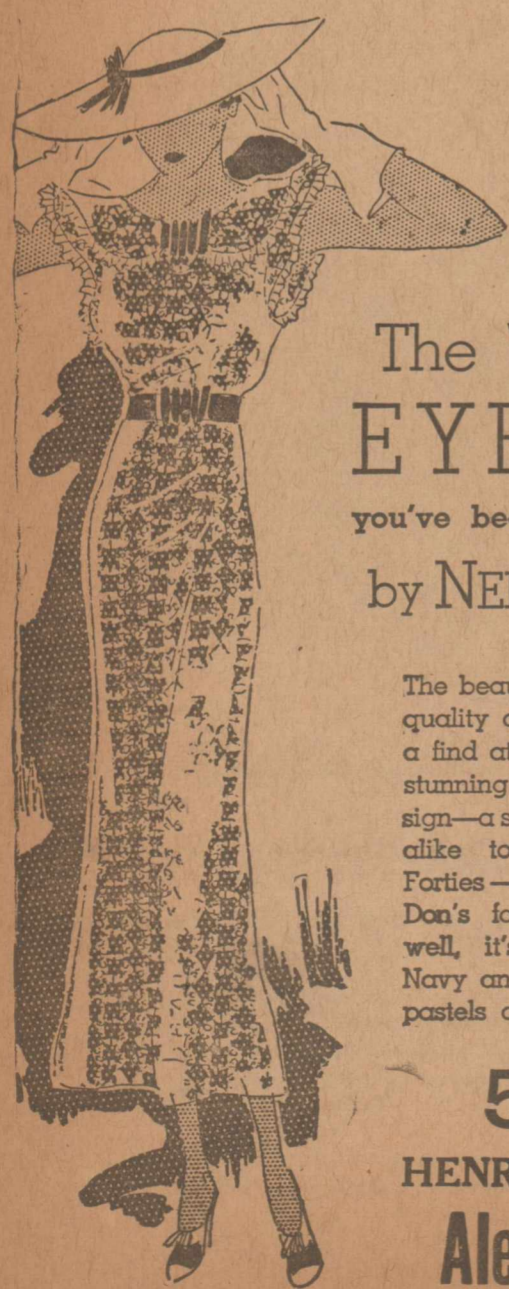
**DEMONSTRATION ON CARE OF FACE AND HAIR**  
"Use just enough powder to give a velvety transparent appearance to the skin," said Mrs. Jim Eldredge

when giving a facial to Juanita Rose while demonstrating the care of the face and hair to the McAdoo club girls Tuesday morning. She also gave a shampoo and told the girls to brush their hair every day.

Members present were Clara Rich, Juanita Rose, Wanda McLaughlin, Louise Dozier, Marcelle Miller, Vanal Medford, Ruth Ward, Lucille Ward, and La Rue Holmes.

**NEW CLUB ORGANIZED**  
A new home demonstration club was organized in the Wichita community Friday when the women met at the home of Mrs. Marion Thannisch to form the organization. Mrs. Marion Thannisch was elected president; Mrs. G. C. Pierce, vice president; Mrs. Roy J. Dunavant, secretary; Mrs. W. A. Taylor, reporter; Mrs. M. S. Lambert, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Earl Murchison, council member. Mrs. Sam Bachman enrolled as farm food supply demonstrator.

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**SPUR GIRL MAKES COLLEGE HONOR ROLL**

The last six-weeks period honor roll for the 1934-35 session in Abilene Christian College at Abilene was announced last week from the office of Mrs. Clara Bishop, registrar.

Two hundred ninety-five students earned grades averaging 90 or above during the middle six-weeks period of the second semester. This is a better record than the first period of the second semester, and corresponds to the best record of any six weeks period which was made in the second period of the fall semester.

Twenty-three students earned honor grades in the full college load of five or six subjects. Four of these, Sara Nell Rives, Throckmorton; Price King, Harold; Le Moine Lewis, Midlothian; and Batsell Barrett Baxter,

Abilene, have honor grades in six subjects. The honor roll was posted last week in the bulletin board of the Hardin Memorial Building. There were students from this community who earned the highest grades in one or more subjects: Miss Ann Lee, of Spur, made the honor roll in business administration.

**WILL ESTABLISH A HOME SOON**

Jack Hindman, of Borger, was here the last of the week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hindman. While here Mr. Hindman intimated to friends that he is going to have a home of his own very soon. He expects to be married Friday of this week, May 17. The bride to be is Miss Dorothy Young, a teacher at Borger. The ceremony will be in the Presbyterian Church at Amarillo with the pastor officiating.

Mr. Hindman is a graduate of Spur High School and since then he has been working for oil companies. He has been with the Phillips Petroleum Company the past three years and is making good at the job. The bride to be lives at Greenville and has been making her home with an aunt and uncle, Judge and Mrs. J. H. Nordin.

**MOVES TO BORGER**

Mrs. Dial Hindman and baby left the last of the week for Borger where they will join Mr. Hindman in making a new home. Mr. Hindman has been associated with the Alamo Refinery Company at Borger for the past few months, and his company decided he had better get his wife and baby there with him.

Their many friends here join in wishing them much success in their new location.

Mrs. John Smith and Mrs. Dobbins, of Girard, were in our city Monday doing some shopping.

**BROTHER KILLED NEAR TERRELL**

J. W. Davis, north of Spur, received a message Monday that his brother, Henry Davis, had been killed. The accident happened about noon. He was hit by an automobile, but the particulars had not been learned. He was a brother-in-law to A. C. Hindman. Mr. Davis and Mr. Hindman did not feel able to make the trip to Terrell and did not go.

Funeral services were held at Terrell at 2:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Interment followed in a Terrell cemetery.

The deceased is survived by his widow and one daughter, Miss Ethel Davis. Jeff Davis, of Terrell, is another brother; and Mrs. Mary Greenwalt, of McCurtain, Okla., is the only surviving sister.

It is reported that this is the fourth member of the family that has met with a tragic death.

**European Trip To Start July 24**

Dr. Alan L. Strout, associate professor of English at Texas Technological College, has announced a European tour this summer for West Texans.

The party will leave Lubbock July 24, will sail on the Montcalm from Montreal July 27, tour Scotland, England, Holland, Belgium, and France. The return trip will be from Cherbourg, on the Empress of Britain, to Quebec, arriving there August 29 and in Lubbock September 1.

Twelve days will be passed in Scotland and England. As the theme of the tour is literary, the party will visit sections made famous by Burns, Scott, Wordsworth, Shakespeare, and Keats. Doctor Strout, who has done research work in this area, is familiar with Scotland and England.

The tour will touch on the historical, with visits to Sulgrave Manor, ancestral home of the Washingtons, and the battlefield of Waterloo. The Hague, Amsterdam, Antwerp,

Brussels, and Paris will be among continental cities visited. On the return trip, a sight seeing tour of Quebec is planned. From Toronto, a side trip to Niagara Falls is scheduled.

Doctor Strout said cost, from Montreal to Montreal, would be about \$430. He is planning for a party of at least 20 persons.

**KALGARY PEOPLE GO TO DENTON**

Virgil Scott, Wade Scott, Mutt Rankin, Windell Grizzle and their coach, Floyd London left Thursday for Denton to enter the State Interscholastic League track and field meet for class B schools. Scott is entered in the mile run. He was first place winner in the Crosby County meet and second place winner for his class at the district meet at Lubbock. Windell Grizzle was first place winner in pole vaulting.

Mr. London taught in Dickens County two years and was an excellent school man in every way. He has been re-elected as principal of Kalgary school.

**APPLICATION FOR FUNDS FOR NEW TECH BUILDINGS MADE**

Dr. Bradford Knapp, president of Texas Technological College, presented to the Public Works Administration in Washington applications for improvements at Texas Tech of \$80,000 for a stadium; \$80,000 for a dairy

products building; and \$60,000 for a swimming pool. Dr. Knapp also presented a proposal for the creation of a rural community on a 4,100 acre tract near Ropesville, to the relief administration. He is a member of the board of directors of the Texas Rural Communities.

Preliminary work has been completed already with an allocation of \$107,000, and \$218,000 more is needed to round out a program designed

to care for about 60 destitute families. The land on the tract is all terraced and ready for planting, houses and barns to be built and wells to be dug.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Watson left Saturday for Clinton, Okla., where they will make their home. Mr. Watson has been at Clinton for some time. He came to Spur the last of the week and Mrs. Watson accompanied him home.

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*Henry Ford*

**T**HE map above tells only part of the story—the little-known story of the inter-relation of the Ford V-8 car and the farm.

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**WOOL** goes into upholstery, floor coverings, lubricants and anti-rust preparations.

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**HOGS** furnish lard oil, oleic acid and brush bristles.

**GOAT'S HAIR** (Mohair) goes into upholstery.

**BEEWAX** goes into electrical imbedding compounds.

**COTTON** goes into tires, batting, cloth, battery box, timing gears, brake linings and, not least important, into Safety Glass. (Every Ford V-8 car built this year will have Safety Glass in every window, at no extra cost to the car buyer... Cotton, in the form of cellulose acetate, is the central part between the two sheets of glass that make up every finished sheet of Safety Glass.)

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**SUGAR CANE** yields molasses for solvents, anti-freeze and shock absorber fluids.

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leather suitable for fumble seats, where real leather would be damaged by exposure to the weather.

**TUNG OIL** is part of the top material used in Ford cars and is also used in brake linings.

**TURPENTINE** is used in paints, adhesives and solvents.

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## Annual Junior-Senior Banquet Held Last Saturday Evening At Spur Inn; Seniors Honored

The Junior Class entertained the Senior Class of 1935 with a banquet at the Spur Inn Saturday evening. The spacious, dining room was beautifully decorated, conveying the appearance of a rose garden. Yellow and white were the dominating colors set off by daisies, the Senior Class flower. Hand painted daisy place cards were used and miniature seniors with caps and gowns served as plate favors. About 125 guests were present.

Norman Priest, president of the Junior Class, acted as toast master, and in a very pleasant manner conveyed the Junior spirit in an address of welcome which made the occasion a very happy one. William C. Starcher, president of the Senior Class, made the response.

During the evening other numbers appeared on a well outlined program. Miss Jennie Glasgow gave a whistling selection which was enjoyed very much. Miss Annie Laurie Lewis presented the Class History. Mrs. G. B. Wadzeck gave a vocal solo in a very excellent manner. The Class Will was read by Miss Gracie Vermillion and all requests stated. Miss Kathryn Curby, piano teacher, gave a number of piano solos and Miss Doris Arthur read a prophecy of the Class which it is hoped a portion may be carried out.

The Alma Mater, the school song, was sung by all present and the evening closed with the Seniors conveying to the Juniors their appreciation for the happy occasion.

The menu of the evening was:  
Fruit Cocktail  
Daisy Salad  
Butter Smacks  
Chicken A La King  
En Croutades  
Carrots Sauté  
Parsley Potatoes  
Buttered Peas  
Hot Rolls  
Butter  
Ice Cream  
Angel Cake  
Iced Tea

## Activities Of The Junior High Civics Class

This year's Civics Class has climaxed all other classes' accomplishments.

We have, according to our instructor, asked fewer questions and made better grades (considering the number of questions) than any previous class.

We have become so interested in campaigns, elections and so forth of our governmental-officials that we decided to have an election for president and vice president in our class. We organized two parties, Republican and Democrat. The nominees for both sides were good friends which made the campaign even more exciting. The boys of our class created a third party and called it the Socialist. The campaign promised to be very interesting but people cannot be bothered by enthused youngsters and the grand idea had to be called off.

Mr. Alton B. Chapman kindly offered his services in speaking to us on the subject of national and state conventions.

At his suggestion, we began an extensive search through all the "nationally-up" magazines for material for study.

We became interested in the sensational clown, Huey Long, and through reading and class discussions we came to organize a club which we presented to the public as "The Current Problem Club." We elected a committee which spent hours creating programs, times, arranging for speakers, gathering materials, etc. Our meetings have been as near a success as we had hoped and our visitors are very complimentary. In fact, a request for its adoption and federation next year by one of the study clubs has been made.

Our bulletin board is an object of pride to us. The small rectangle hangs on our front blackboard and shouts the news of the day to us. We think that above all, our bulletin board must be preserved, and changed with the news.

From this a desire for a magazine stand developed. We bought magazines from our home stocks and these proved very interesting in our leisure time.

We sincerely hope that our following class will enjoy civics as we have.

—Marion Hale.

## CLASS PROPHECY

I left school late one afternoon thinking of how I would miss old Spur High. Before I got home I was almost wishing I were a freshman in high school again. Once at home I went to the big chair by the fire place and smiled as I thought of some of the things that had happened at school. Sitting there watching the glowing cinders I grew drowsy, nodded, and fell into a deep sleep. The calendar of time was before me. Silently the pages dropped, one by one, and slowly simmered away with the red coals. Slowly they passed before my eyes until—Lo! fifteen years had passed and I beheld the year 1950. The wheel of time it seemed had sufficiently turned from the depressive days to the peak of prosperity. It seemed rather queer to see my old high school chums laugh at a mere dollar and dime out—"just keep the change, sister."

It was most astounding to see my dear friend James H. Cowan, President of the New York Utilities Company, being so extravagant with his money. I found that he had six fine cars and that he wore a different kind of perfume for each of his lady friends. For Mr. Cowan, mind you, was the most sought after bachelor in New York City. It seemed no less queer to note the way my dear friend Jennie Glasgow turned out. I could remember in my high school days, how she was totally against socialism, but she has become an avowed socialist. In fact, she was running for congresswoman on a socialist ticket.

Gracie Vermillion, however, stuck to her old ways. She still worries from morning until night. Her worries were quite different though. She was gray headed from worrying about the horses Mr. Clinton Barrett doctors. Yes, a horse doctor's is a hard life.

Of course, you will all remember Mr. Henry Scoggins. His life was quite a success. When we were in high school we all said that he would rise higher than a football player, but can you imagine Mr. Scoggins teaching tap dancing in New York City. It may be stranger than fiction, but it is true.

I found another of my friends in New York City. She was none other than Juanita Franklin. Miss Franklin was just another Kate Smith, famous for her playing and singing. There was just one other of our old classmates in New York City. We find Mr. Leroy Garrison a famous heavy weight champ training for the world's championship.

It seemed that our class mates had scattered quite a bit. I found Oleta Dell Read in Chicago getting quite famous for her detecting. She had captured three gangsters by capturing their hearts.

Two other of our friends were in Chicago who are very good friends of Miss Reed's. They were outstanding for their infamous night club in Chicago. They went by their old names of R. J. Bell and Kit Hefner.

Lo! From Chicago to sunny California! where I learned that my good friend Bertha Carlisle was showing her screen talent. It seemed that our friend, however, found a better name than he knew her by for she went by the name of Brunilda Dupasquier. I noted that she never forgot her third year Spanish.

Who was that handsome fellow whom all of the ladies in Hollywood were talking about? He was none other than our old school chum Clifton M. Kimbrough. Mr. Kimbrough was married to a girl whom he had known in Lubbock, Texas. He called her "Peaches." But Mr. Kimbrough's being married did not keep him from having a particular fancy for those Hollywood beauties.

I walked into a millinery shop in Los Angeles, California. This shop was so exclusive that I felt stiff. I learned this place was known as Ensey and Foote Exclusive Millinery. Both of these ladies, I heard, were married and were making their husbands a very good living.

Perhaps my mind wandered quite a bit, but of course I could not forget our class president, Mr. William Starcher, a very pious old bachelor,

lived in Australia as president of a big concern. He was known there as just another Uncle Bim for he was quite liberal with his millions. I learned Miss Clytee Collier to be his private secretary and who was quite fond of Mr. Starcher and his millions. Since we are out of the United States, why not go to Africa? Africa is a strange place, but was not Luther Jones a strange person? We found him there making a picture in which he was starring as Tarzan of the Apes. His wife Walterena Russell, was starring as Tarzana. They said that they are quite famous for their acting. But so much for foreign countries, let us return to the U. S. and even to Texas.

In Houston, Texas, I found my two friends Uula and Zula Howard, to be partners at law. They have both been married, but were both divorced. They seemed to be quite sought after. I don't know whether it was their looks or their money.

Mr. Everett Martin lived in Houston and ran an exclusive Gent's Furnishings. His wife, Annie Laurie Lewis, was the leading social lady of Houston. They were often referred to as the best looking and most charming couple in Houston society.

I found Kelley Marsh was still in old Texas. I suppose the sand had gotten in his blood, because he still lived in West Texas. He was a prominent Baptist preacher in Stamford. His wife, June Lisenby, was not so carried away with the life. It seemed that she longed for a social life and was very ambitious for her two children.

Durward Pickens was one who stayed close to home. He was quite happily married to Hazel Williams and was very proud of his four children.

Our friend Gus Martin no doubt thought he had breathed enough sand in his early life for he was the manager of the biggest hotel in Colorado.

Idell James was quite successful as a teacher in Mexico. I learned that she received her degree from the Texas University.

There was Frederick Malone in Washington, D. C. I always knew that Fred could be a leader. He was a big political boss there.

It was rumored that Mr. Malone would be a candidate for president of the U. S. His wife, Zelma Aston, was a very influential woman. She was known as being very active. Her hobby was flying airplanes.

Those who liked to read the gossip and wise cracks about the big officials in Washington always turned to Edwin Earl Hight's column. He was also famous for his funny cartoons about the big officials. I was surprised to find that Mr. Hight was a much sought after bachelor. His last love affair was with a beautiful French actress.

I was pleasantly surprised to learn that Bernice Justice was dwelling in the same town with Mr. Malone, Mrs. Malone or Zelma Aston, and Mr. Hight. I was proud of the progress my friends Bernice had made. She was secretary to the President. Her husband, Harold Coal, would soon be famous for his writing.

I can remember back in my high school days how Jack Turner had a desire to be a lawyer. It seemed that his desire was fulfilled, because he was a lawyer in Lubbock, Texas. His wife, Alma Morris, was famous for her singing over the radio station in that fair city.

When we were all in high school, Wilson Justice always seemed somewhat harum scarum. His career in life was like this. He was a traveling salesman. He only got to see his wife, Winnie Blair, who lived in Baker Hotel Dallas, once a month. Winnie however, was kept busy with her social affairs and didn't seem to miss her husband much.

Ouida Fern Dobbins was quite successful as a teacher of foreign languages in Simmons University. Ouida was married to a gentleman who once taught foreign language. I never would have thought that Ouida would try to vamp a college professor. They both are teaching at Simmons.

Frances Walker and Charles Henze were teachers of girls and boys physical education respectively in Spur High School. You can not say that they didn't love the place.

Two others to stay at home were Jim McArthur and Raymond Butler. They were life guards at the swim-

## Rev. R. C. Brown To Deliver Bacalaureate Sermon At Palace Theatre Next Sunday Evening

## Will And Testament Of The Senior Class Of 1935

We the senior class of Spur High School in the year nineteen hundred and thirty-five, being very sound of mind and memory, do hereby make our will and testament with prejudice toward none. First, We the class as a whole will our good times to the Junior Class of 1935. We also wish to distribute our various personal talents and possessions among them.

I, William Starcher, will my ability as a president to Norman Priest. It's a job Norman.

I, Katherine Ensey, leave my job as secretary to Richard Ensey.

We, Zelma Aston and Winnie Blair, will our inseparable friendship to Julia Reed and Nedra Hogan.

I, Wilma Morgan, leave all my pep and energy as a yell leader to Winifred Bell.

I, Juanita Franklin, bequeath my beautiful voice to Hazel McMahan. You'll have to improve Hazel.

I, Kit Hefner, leave my perfect attendance to class meetings and my duty as vice-president to Jane Godfrey.

I, Leroy Garrison, leave my immense strength and height to my little brother, Heger, although he doesn't need it.

I, Wilson Justice, will to W. C. Presley, my school boy figure. Keep it that way W. C.

We, Oleta Dell Reed and Annie Laurie Lewis, leave our D's and F's to Oma Gorham and Nelta Pritchett.

We, Doris Arthur and Jennie Glasgow, leave our debating material to just anybody that feels capable of attacking it.

We, Inez Ball and Ouida Dobbins, bequeath our quiet attitudes to Mavis Ellis and Evelyn Ivey.

I, Edwin Earl Hight, leave my painting material to Kenneth Thatch. Can you use it Kenneth?

I, Clifton Kimbrough, leave my

ming pool, Gushing Springs, on the north side of Spur's little hill.

I always knew Polly Langford would be a success, but when I heard that she had married Herman Bostic, I knew the reason for her success. These two happy people were operating a beauty salon in Hidenhammer, Texas. If anyone should be in doubt as to the location of this place, just look on the map of Texas until you find it.

It is with regret that I say that Frances Lane had completely forgotten her old home town, for she was living up north somewhere. Francis had married, but it was whispered around that her money and title as America's greatest short story writer were quite sought after. I couldn't understand why Francis was so hard to please.

Ima Jane Grubbs also went North. She and her husband, whom I had never met, were running a small store in the suburbs of Cincinnati, Ohio. They seemed to enjoy going to a particular little night club in that fair city. The underlying reason was because Wilma Morgan, an old friend, was hostess there.

I had always thought that Seaborn South was little, but perhaps I was wrong, because I found that he held some kind of a wrestling championship, and that he was married to Inez Ball. He had quite a bit of money, but people said Inez had to manage all financial affairs.

Ora Henderson was another of these athletes. She was the tennis champ of sunny California. I was just thinking that Spur High School didn't turn out such a rotten bunch after all when all of a sudden I heard a pop. I jumped up, rubbed my eyes, and looked around. I was angry to think that I would let the crackling of a piece of wood in the fire place break in on such a pleasant dream, for it all seemed so real! So—let us all try to think this prophecy true, because we surely don't want to lose our faith in dreams. But—if there be one who needs consoling just remember this: "There was once a man who said, the future was just a bunch of fairy tales anyway."

The Commencement services for the Senior Class of 1935 of the Spur High School will be held in the auditorium of the Palace Theatre next Sunday evening. There is quite a large class of Seniors this year and quite an extensive arrangement has been made for the services Sunday evening. The program which starts about eight o'clock is as follows:

Processional—Miss Kathryn Curby.  
Invocation—Rev. Fred Cairnes.  
Chorus—High School Glee Club.

Sermon—Rev. R. C. Brown.  
Song—"Onward Christian Soldiers", Congregation.

Benediction—Rev. R. C. Brown.

Recessional—Miss Curby.

Reserved seats are being arranged for parents of the graduates and ushers will see that all parents will be cared for first.

Judge Chas. E. Coombes, of Stamford, will deliver the Commencement Address to the Class at the Palace Theatre, Friday evening, May 24. Judge Coombes is an excellent speaker and is well known to Spur people.

handsomeness and my many girl friends to J. W. Franklin, It's great to be popular J. W.

I, Henry Scoggins, will my strength and ability as an athlete to Lanier Gilbert.

I, Luther Jones, leave my best girl to Alton McCully and Ray Gene Bostic. Two for one boys.

I, Wayne Turner, leave my hit in womens clothes to Ivan Perkins.

I, Bertha Carlisle, will my ability as an actress to Oattie Mae Denson.

I, Gus Martin, leave my long legs to Max McClure. They are really handy when Mr. Neilson's after you.

I, Durward Pickens, give my secret of raising calves to W. T. Ince.

I, Herman Bostic, will my timidity to Bob Ed McAllister.

I, Alma Morris, will my bedroom eyes to Estelle Gibson.

I, R. J. Bell, will my red hair to Cecil Caplinger and Garlan Chapman.

I, Clytee Collier, will my old chewing gum to Kathleen Dolling. You won't ever have to buy anymore.

I, Raymond Butler, leave my wit in writing and reciting poetry to Ralph Hargrove and Billy Sadlin.

I, Lavada Hahn, leave all my energy to Theda Butler.

I, James Cowan leave my dancing ability to Jack Ensey and August Campbell.

I, Walterena Russell, leave my wit to Wanda Taylor.

I, Polly Langford, leave my curly hair to Rosa Nell Gilmore.

I, Frederick Malone, leave my little shoes to Homer Taylor.

I, Bernice Justice, leave my dignity to Lorene McArthur and Mildred Formby.

I, Jim McArthur, leave my good looks and stunning personality to Gus Meadows and H. D. Smith. It will take both of you to equal mine.

I, Ora Henderson, leave all my buddy tickets to Virginia Watson.

I, Everett Martin, leave my old current event reports to my little brother, Albert. You may get tired Albert before you get one of them read.

I, Odell James, leave my arguing ability to my little sister, Thelma.

I, Hazel Williams, leave my height to Estell Baker.

I, Seaborn South, leave my notes on the "Canterbury Tales" to Melvin Crouch and Clark Morgan.

I, June Lisenby, leave my house in care of Melbajo Hazel for the class parties.

We, Dorothy Foote and Frances Walker, leave all our note books to Fayette Smith.

I, Iva Jane Grubbs, leave my blond, curly hair Mary Rucker.

I, Charles Henze, leave my good grades to W. P. Foster and Clifton Pope.

I, Harold Cole, will to John A. Moore my sissy wals.

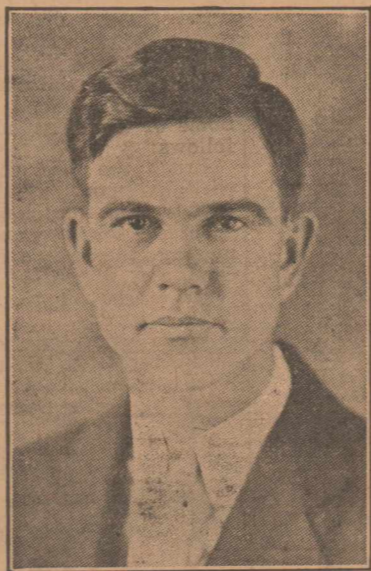
I, Kelley Marsh, leave my way with my teachers to Harold Spivey and Lawrence Purcell.

We, Ula and Zula Howard, will our likeness to Venita Briley and Lois Smith.

I, Frances Lane, will my boy friends to Neta Teague.

We do hereby appoint our faithful sponsor, Miss Buster, to be our executor of this our last will and testament. Made on May 11, nineteen hundred and thirty-five.

Signed: William Starcher, President and the Above Testifiers.



GEORGE MAHON

Congressman George H. Mahon, of the 19th Congressional District of Texas, has always been a booster for the public schools of our country. In a statement recently Mr. Mahon said, "I have not accomplished a great deal as a citizen of West Texas, but I am sure I could not have done even as well as I have had it not been for the Public Schools of West Texas. Our public schools are indispensable to free government and our public welfare, and I hope that our people will never fail to appreciate their value."

He was born in a little village in Louisiana which was named after his father—Mahon—thirty-four years ago. When just a lad he moved with his family to Lorraine, Mitchell County, Texas, and spent his boyhood days on the farm. His father still lives on that farm, and his mother spent her life in Texas on that farm until she passed away in 1931. He understands life on the farm and knows about growing cotton, corn, feed-stuff and cattle.

Mr. Mahon was graduated from high school in 1918 and entered Simmons University, receiving his degree four years later. He then entered the law department at the State University where he secured his degree in law. He located at Colorado where he began the practice of his profession and the paramount idea was that whatever he did as a young lawyer must be honorable. Those ideals were held out before him in his childhood. His father stated that, "He would rather Herman (his middle name) would be right than President of the United States. Of course, I am glad he is going to Congress, but

I don't want him to go up there and be just another Congressman. If he does nothing more however than leave a good moral influence I'll be satisfied."

In 1926 he married Miss Helen Stevenson, of Lorraine. They have lived in Colorado ever since he finished his school work. They have one child little Miss Daphne, age seven.

Under strong pressure from his friends Mr. Mahon made the race for County Attorney of Mitchell County in 1926 and was elected. His record was good and the next year he was appointed District Attorney for the Thirty-Second Judicial District, which embraced the counties of Nolan, Mitchell, Howard, Scurry and Borden. He was elected to the office on three occasions after that and was serving in the office when he was elected to Congress from the new 19th Congressional District last year.

His record in Congress far exceeds that of the average new member in the House. He has fostered many bills which are intended to help the masses and he has opposed many because he thought they were not intended for the best welfare of the country. In his race for Congress he made few promises to the people because he said he would be only one of 435 members in the House. He entered his duties with no promises to fulfill and therefore, is free to work for his country and the masses unfettered. Mr. Mahon is a typical West Texas citizen, believing that honesty should be the key-note to all government. He made his campaign on simplicity and believes that every man should have his rights as a citizen.





The Echols Quartet which lead a program of vocal music at a concert at the East Ward School Friday evening May 17.

McADOO

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker were business visitors in Spur Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gollihar have returned home after spending a few weeks visiting their son, Page Gollihar and family of Washington, D. C. And other relatives at Fort Worth. They report having had a wonderful trip.

Miss Johnnie Cherry of Lorenzo, visited her brother, W. O. Cherry and family, and friends here during the past week end.

Students of the senior class, accompanied by three of the high school teachers, Mrs. Hugh Gillam, W. O. Chery and wife, R. E. Everett and wife went to see the show, "David Copperfield" at Floydada Monday night. The seniors had read the book in English course this session, and enjoyed the show very much.

A plan of regular class programs has been sponsored by the school for the closing weeks of this term. Each of the high school classes have presented plays and programs and both the intermediate and primary departments are to present operettas and various programs within the next few days of school.

The Seniors presented their final play, "A Texas Ranger" at the high school auditorium Friday night, May 10. The play was well presented to an audience of more than three hundred

people.

Charlie McLaughlin was looking after business matters in Spur Thursday.

Jack Burrow, son of "Papa" Burrow, was painfully burned Thursday when trying to burn a snake with gasoline. Some of the fluid was spilled on his trousers, igniting and catching his clothes on fire. One of his legs was burned badly. He was carried to the doctor for treatment, and at this time is getting along as well as could be expected.

Mrs. Starley Dennis and Wanda Lou of Spur, were here during the week end, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clark, parents of Mrs. Dennis.

A program is to be presented at the auditorium Friday night, May 17. The Intermediate Sunday School class of the Methodist and Baptist Church were entertained with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Nettles Thursday.

Aline Allen, of Tech College, came home Friday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen.

Miss Annie Bateman of Afton, is visiting with her brother, Paul Bateman and wife.

Roy Ward was in Hill County the past week for a short visit with his parents and other relatives. J. P. Meek of Childress, was in McAdoo this last week visiting relatives and greeting old friends. Mr. Meek formerly operated and owned a store in McAdoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Bateman visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Vaughn at Roaring Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Henderson Bateman of Duncan Flat during the week end.

Rev. and Mrs. A. O. Hood made a business trip to Lubbock Saturday. Mrs. Medford of Rotan, is here visiting her son, Price Medford and family.

J. O. Morris received a message Sunday that his mother in California had died. Mr. Morris has the sympathy of his many friends at McAdoo during this hour of sadness.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blackwell had friends from Girard visiting them Sunday.

Little Jewel Valene, baby of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Robertson, has been quite ill with pneumonia, but is much better at this time.

Winston Wofford, principal of grammar school, was in Dickens Saturday helping with arrangements for county examinations. Mrs. W. O. Cherry, a former member of the McAdoo faculty, taught during his absence.

District Conference of the Methodist Church was held at Olton, May 9 and 10.

Rev. A. O. Hood, J. T. Parker and J. O. Morris attended the conference and reported a glorious good time. Fine sermons and some old time shouting was heard.

Leatrice Sparkman and Hazel Twaddell have been selected as delegates to the annual league assembly at McMurry College in June.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harris visited relatives at Vernon during the week end.

Jack McLaughlin of Lubbock, was at home this week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rush McLaughlin. Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Buckner and family were in Crosbyton Sunday, guests of Mrs. Elsie, mother of Mrs. Buckner.

The students of the sophomore class and their sponsor, Mrs. H. Gillam, entertained the seniors and the sponsor, R. E. Everett, with a picnic at Roaring Springs Saturday afternoon. The following Saturday night the senior and junior girls were entertained with a slumber party at the home of Clara Rich.

Our school closes May 24. The Commencement sermon will be delivered Sunday, May 19, at the high school auditorium.

C. C. Neeley and Joan, Mrs. J. T. Holmes and Mrs. Lee Parker are spending a few days at Roby with relatives and little Kenneth, son of Mr. Neeley.

A good rain fell in this section Monday morning, May 13. The rain put the country in excellent shape for planting. Pasture and grazing lands were greatly benefited and this is an inestimable value in view of the feed shortage.

The seventh grade students went to Dickens Monday to take county examinations.

Mrs. Ioma Bass was carried Friday to Sanatorium, Texas, where she will remain a few months in hopes of gaining her health.

J. T. Parker prepared the barbecue that was served at the annual picnic of Tech freshmen at Silver Falls Saturday. Mr. Parker is an old cowboy and is a real cook when it comes to preparing barbecue.

A night cream may be added to counteract the dryness caused by the soap. To thoroughly cleanse the face use two applications of cleansing cream. To keep the hands soft and smooth use mentholatum nightly. — Reporter.

J. A. Wade, one of the progressive farmers of Espuela community, was transacting business in our city Wednesday.

J. L. Karr, who had been in a sanitarium at Temple for clinical examination, returned home the first of the week and seems to be improving in health.

Guy Travis, of Lamesa, representative of the Brown County Life Insurance Company, was in our city this week looking after the interests of the local office.

G. Earle Woods, minister of the Church of Christ, returned the last of the week from a visit with relatives and friends in Tennessee.

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**BEAUTY HINTS**

At the meeting of the Twin Wells home demonstration club, May 3, to which Mrs. Tol Merriman was hostess, Mrs. Don Merriman and Miss Minnie Fae McMeans, wardrobe demonstrators, gave helpful suggestions on how to care for the hair, face and hands. Some of the outstanding ones are as follows:

Brush the hair thoroughly before each shampoo; for the shampoo, use a good soap that has been dissolved use three soapings and three rinsings; massage the scalp a few minutes each day; and give hot oil treatments twice a week if the hair is inclined to be very dry.

When massaging or cleaning the face always use the upward and outward stroke. Cleanse the face with a pure soap twice a week before retir-

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