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BRUNO GETS 2-DAY STAY

Saturday Night Car Wreck Injuries Fatal To One McAdoo Boy

Thursday Dollar Day In Spur

Spur's Biggest Trade Day Opens Thursday; Big Crowds Expected

Featuring the gift of a new Chevrolet two-door sedan, the local Chamber of Commerce, in cooperation with Spur Motor Company, Palace Theater and Spur retail merchandising firms, last night completed plans for the biggest Trades-Dollar Day sponsored in this city in months, and announced official date of Thursday, April 2. Beginning at eight o'clock Thursday morning and continuing throughout the day until nine o'clock that night every business firm in the city is offering specials in the dollar range.

The trades day Thursday marks the first official all-city Dollar Day this city has sponsored since last November, when hundreds from over the trade area swooped down upon Spur for the occasion. Visitors and shoppers from as far away as Matador, Paducah and Crosbyton were reported business visitors, on that date, and a like representation is expected on Thursday.

Local business houses are offering such values as: "50 pounds of spuds for \$1." "Two sacks 20 pound cream meal for \$1." "Fourteen bars of soap for \$1." "Twenty-five cans of pork and beans for \$1." "Four boxes of .22 shells for \$1." "Your choice of any \$1.20 merchandise for \$1" and many other such values, which are very attractive money-saving specials.

The Palace Theater is showing in conjunction with the free Chevrolet, the feature "Lady of Secrets" starring Ruth Chatterton and Otto Kruger along with an all-star supporting cast. The program is to be completed with shorts and comedies, it is understood.

Plans for business firms to remain open until nine o'clock were made in order that late arrivals may be permitted to complete their shopping, it has been announced.

Many firms have already engaged additional clerks and helpers to better care for the predicted business boom next Thursday and the expectant customers and shoppers from out of the county may be assured of prompt service. Ample stock of advertised goods is on hand at the respective firms which carry the standard quality item offered at the featured price in quantity number, managers of the various business houses have announced.

"Out of town visitors and shoppers are extended a cordial welcome to our city Thursday," Chamber of Commerce Secretary, D. L. Granberry "just as they have always been on every regular business day."

County Baptist Associational Meet Sunday

The first meeting of the Dickens County Baptist Association Sunday School will be Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the Dickens Baptist Church. All pastors, Sunday school workers and members are expected to attend.

The following is the program for the meeting:
8:00—Song service led by Fred Grabtree, Dickens.
8:10—Devotional by George Hicks, Afton.
8:20—What we propose to do, Clara Pratt, associational superintendent.
8:30—Special Music, L. W. Hardcastle, Plainview.
8:35—Inspirational Address, M. F. Ewton, Spur.
4:00—Get acquainted conferences, by department superintendents.
4:20—Business.

W. B. Ford, of Calgary, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Spur Wins Class 'A'; Dickens 'B' Meet Highway Takes Rural Championship

According to tabulations of points secured throughout the entire county meet, held in periods over the past two weeks, Spur High School turned in a total of 170 points for Class A county championship, while Dickens walked off with the Class B championship with 122½ points. McAdoo accounted for 109 points and Patton Springs 50, in the Class B division.

The Spur ward school lead the Dickens and McAdoo schools with 119½ points while the two latter schools were chalking up 86½ and 75, respectively.

Highway captured the rural school championship with 107 points. Dumont was second with 95 and Espuela third with 39.

These points represent the total number made by each school in all literary, playground, tennis and field and track events throughout the county interscholastic league meet, and it is upon this total the county championship of each division is determined. Cups are to be presented this week.

Local Palace and Ritz Theaters Change Hands

A business deal of much interest to local citizens was closed last week and became effective today (Wednesday, April 1) wherein the Palace and Ritz theaters changed ownership. C. F. Hardwick, of Hereford, purchased the two movie houses from J. C. Parker, owner-manager since last September.

"There will be no change in general programs or business policy," Mr. Hardwick told the Times tonight. "I intend to continue operations along the same lines Mr. Parker has been conducting business for the past several months." If there are any changes made they will be for the best the new management stated, but then added that it did not seem possible to make any improvements over the programs and service the old management has been offering.

Mr. Hardwick is a pioneer in the theatre business, having been interested in a number of show houses for years. He is a native of Clovis, N. M., where he was once interested in a theatre at that place. He and Mrs. Hardwick, however, come to Spur from Hereford where they purchased the Palace there from Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parker several months ago.

"We are sole owners of the theaters here," Mr. Hardwick stated, "and we expect to make Spur our home where we will conduct our business strictly as individual interest." Plans for the future had not been made by either Mr. and Mrs. Parker nor Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeViney, but it was expected that both families would remain here for the present.

In discussing the deal Mr. Parker told the Times, "We hate very much to leave Spur, since we have been received so cordially by every one, and have made many friends in the short time we have been here. I wish it were possible to see each individual and thank them for the nice way in which we have been patronized and cooperated with."

The old management expressed himself as believing Spur was the best little town in West Texas and that the new management were expert people who could be depended upon to continue giving show-goers the best in the way of picture programs.

It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Hardwick have accommodations at the Spur Inn until further housing arrangements can be made.

24 Hours Ahead!

Again, as usual, the Times is ahead. Publication hours were moved up twenty-four hours this week in order to give advertisers better circulation on featured articles offered for Dollar Day, Thursday.

This paper is always pleased in giving the advertiser the best in the way of a distribution medium—ahead in the field—and such an occasion as this is no exception.

Times advertisers get the most consideration.

County 4-H Boys Agr. Students In Lubbock Show

Vocational agricultural students, and 4-H Club boys from Spur, McAdoo, Patton Springs and other parts of the county are attending the sixth annual Plains quality meat show underway in Lubbock the first three days of this week. The show will close tonight (Wednesday).

A total of 98 animals in various divisions have been entered from Dickens County, but no reports as to honors won had been received by this paper at press time last night. The local high school has as their representatives in the live stock team judging contests, Wilson Garner, Roger Harrison and Woodrow McArthur.

Features of the show, other than competitive exhibits, included the exhibitor's dance Monday night and the official banquet last night.

The livestock sale today (Wednesday) will not only mark the close of the show but is considered the major event of the week, proving failure or success in the feeding projects.

Afton Co-op Gin Pays \$8,500.00 In Annual Dividends

At a meeting of the directors last Wednesday, March 25, total dividends of \$8,500 were paid members of the Farmers Co-operative Gin No. 1, at Afton, it has been announced.

This represents the profits obtained from the 1936 business season just past, and the amount has been divided among ninety-seven individuals, all farmers of the Afton community.

Each member received on an average of better than eighty-five dollars, according to figures on the total dividends.

Work for the 1937 season is already being outlined, and plans calling for equipment overhauling are being considered, it is understood.

STATED THEY DID NOT

Last week the Times reported that Espuela school won second place in choral singing. Mr. Benefield, the principal stated Saturday that this was a mistake as they did not enter choral singing, and that Dry Lake school won second honors in that contest. We thank Mr. Benefield for the information and are glad to state it was an error unintended. Mr. Hargis is principal at Dry Lake and his school is due the honor of second place.

Henry Lester, of Croton country, was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

Services Are Held Monday; Others Bruised, Injured

Chester Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Clark of McAdoo, died in a Lubbock sanitarium from injuries received in a car collision in Crosbyton about twelve o'clock Saturday night. Mr. Clark was accompanying Morris Harkey, of Dickens, and Frances McLaughlin, of McAdoo, to Crosbyton, when the accident occurred.

Young Harkey was driving the car, and after passing over the railroad tracks at east side of Crosbyton he side-swiped a car which was parked on the side of the highway in such a position that Harkey could not see it until too late. Harkey's car seems to have turned over injuring the three boys. McLaughlin walked to a service station nearby but was so dazed that he could not make a report. People become alarmed and followed down the highway and found the other two boys.

Clark was rushed to a Lubbock sanitarium where first aid and other medical attention was given. He lived until about eight or nine o'clock Sunday morning. Rix Funeral Home took charge of the body and prepared it for burial. Funeral services were held at McAdoo at three o'clock Monday afternoon with a very large number of people present. Interment followed in McAdoo cemetery.

Markey and McLaughlin received many bruises but none of their injuries were considered serious. The car was badly wrecked.

The young men are of the best families in our county and were sober and careful. It was just one of those sad incidents that at times cannot be avoided.

B. E. Pettijohn Found Dead In Guthrie Store

B. E. Pettijohn, 43, was found dead in his place of business at Guthrie, about 4:15 o'clock last Saturday. A brother, R. L. Pettijohn, living in Spur went to Guthrie early in the morning to see his brother and discovered him on a cot with a bullet hole through his body. According to an opinion rendered by a physician Mr. Pettijohn had been dead some three or four hours when found.

Three shots had been fired from a pistol. There seems to be some difference in opinion as to the type of gun used, some reporting a .380 automatic and others a .310 automatic special. Only one of the shots took effect, the bullet entering the right side and ranging across and backward, leaving the body below and a little behind the left arm. Reports Tuesday stated that two persons had been taken into custody for the act.

Just what was the motive for the deed is not known. R. A. Bussell, a son in law, left the store five minutes before twelve o'clock midnight Friday night. Mr. Pettijohn was reading a story at the time and said that he had another page or two and as soon as he finished it he would turn in. He was found dead next morning while on the cot but it seems he had been up when he was shot and had made it back to the cot and sat down on it, then fell over on his side.

Sometime during the evening before a man came to the store and contracted for some merchandise, making a payment. Statements to that effect were found on the counts. During the night members of the family heard some shots but supposed a car was backing, and then they heard some drive off. None of the family went to the store to investigate.

Campbell Funeral Home here took charge of the body after the inquest and brought it to Spur by ambulance.

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SAVED BY SECONDS!



ACCUSED—BRUNO RICHARD HAUPTMANN

Guilty or not guilty—the world may never know the inside truth, but last night Bruno Richard Hauptmann was granted a 48-eight hour reprieve, to allow further investigation by the Mercer county grand jury into the confession of Paul H. Wendel.

District Court Called Session Dickens Monday

The district court for Dickens County was called in session Monday with Judge A. J. Folley as presiding judge. The grand jury was empaneled and set to work under the direction of District Attorney Chapman, assisted by County Attorney Ratliff. Just how much work there is before the court is not known, but some seem to think there is not a very heavy docket this term.

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Crippled Children Apply For Aid

According to reports received from authentic sources a number of crippled children in the county are applying for aid at the county superintendent's office and with Mrs. W. R. Weaver in Spur. Just a limited amount of funds has been designated for this work and people needing this assistance are trying to get it. Those who have not applied for the aid and expect to do so, should make their applications at once before the funds have become exhausted.

Our efficient county superintendent was able to secure this aid for these children, and while the amount may be inadequate to take care of all in need of it, yet there will be some who will be helped by the movement.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Newberry, who have been living on the Plains the past several months, are moving back to our city this week. All are glad to have these good people back with us.

Mrs. Granville B. Whittle of Cleburne, and Mrs. Lee A. Sanders of Albany, arrived here the last of the week and spent a few days visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Bowman. They returned home Monday.

Miss Nellie B. Albin of Aspermont, was here the first of the week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Albin.

Mrs. Carl Proctor and baby of Plainview, are here visiting relatives and friends this week.

Last Minute Request Of Grand Jury Gives Bruno 48-Hours More

With the execution time only fifteen minutes off, at exactly 8:05 last night, Bruno Richard Hauptmann was granted a 48-hour reprieve, to give the Mercer county grand jury, now in session, further opportunity to investigate the repudiated "confession" of Paul H. Wendel, disbarred lawyer, to the kidnaping and murder of the Lindberg baby.

The accused man had already been prepared for the "last mile walk" and witnesses and newspapermen were already on hand. The executor was in his chamber. Every thing had been made ready for the final switch when the notice of the two-day reprieve reached the death cell. Hauptmann's spiritual advisor was beside him, to who he was reported to have said, "I have reconciled myself with God." Hauptmann's first statement after the telephoned request from Freeman, jury foreman, was "I am very grateful."

Wendel, 48 year old disbarred Trenton attorney, has been held in the Mercer county jail since Sunday, without bail. Murder charges have been prepared on the basis of a written "confession," which the attorney has already repudiated. He says that he was tortured and made make such a confession, by gangsters. Hauptmann's reprieve was granted with the hope that perhaps one or the other of the accused men could reveal some facts presentable before the Mercer county grand jury.

The second application for clemency made by Hauptmann and his attorneys since being sentenced to die for the murder of the Lindberg baby, March 1, 1932, was denied by the court of pardons of the state of New Jersey, late last Monday night. At that time Governor Hoffman, who has more or less fought for Hauptmann's life for several months, refused to discuss the case further, other than saying that he would not grant a further reprieve.

Various "excuses" and "confessions" had broken into print during the past few months either from defense arrangements or unbalanced individuals. Each one had been received by officials, other than Governor Hoffman, as "hope points" favoring Hauptmann.

Warden Col. Manco Kimberling of the New Jersey state prison now holds the "hour-fate" of Hauptmann in his own hands. It is within his power to set the execution time anytime not later than 8:20 Saturday night, it is understood.

Laundry Installs New Equipment

The dry cleaning department of the Spur Laundry this week has installed a new Hoff-Max, Model V, press of the latest built, as an effort to give patrons even better service from that department.

The new machine is of the latest construction and modern features. It is to be manned by Donald Davis, experienced dry cleaning manager of the department.

Mr. Davis recently came here from Lubbock and Matador to take over the management of the local plant, and since that time has done much to improve the service offered. A line of tailored samples have been recently added and he reports nice business resulting from spring and Easter suit orders.

Mrs. J. J. Hall of Throckmorton, is visiting friends in our city at this time. Mrs. Hill once lived here and still has property in our city. She says she still likes Spur.

Scouters University To Be Held in Lubbock April 13-17

Chairmen and Instructors are Announced for Training Department

The organization for the Scouters University is being completed this week according to Dean J. M. Gordon, general chairman. The general chairman of each of the divisions is completing his organization for the promotion of attendance at the Scouters University April 13-17. It will be held at Texas Tech College each evening from seven to nine during that week. The divisional chairmen of the executive committee are as follows:

Rev. W. R. Vivrett, chairman of the committee on churches.

K. E. Oberholtzer, chairman of the committee on Public Schools.

J. H. Murdough, chairman of the committee on Professors and Students at Texas Tech and Draughon's Business College.

H. D. Woods, chairman of committee on American Legion, Legion Auxiliaries, Veterans of Foreign Wars and Auxiliaries.

J. A. Fortenberry, chairman of committee on promotion of attendance among Troop Committeemen.

M. B. Hilburn, chairman of committee on promotion of attendance among Troop Committeemen.

M. B. Hilburn, chairman of committee of Civic Clubs.

Dr. J. O. Ellsworth, advisor to Scouters University Faculty.

The following courses are to be offered and it is urged that everyone who plans to attend register as soon as possible:

Minimum Course designed especially for the new Scout leader to acquaint him with the essentials of Scouting—W. H. Crenshaw is the instructor.

Approved Course is devoted to developing methods for promoting troop morale and advancement. Sam A. Henry, Jr., instructor.

First Aid course will cover fifteen hours of instruction in First Aid. Dr. Allen T. Stewart is the instructor.

Patrol Leaders Training Course covers an outline of the Patrol Methods used in the troop. J. L. Kennedy is the instructor.

Troop Committeemen course is especially arranged for familiarizing troop committeemen with the program of Scouting. Carroll Thompson will be the instructor.

Cubbing, Elements, Part I is arranged to cover essentials of organizing and training of leadership in a Cub Pack. Dr. C. C. Schmidt will be in charge.

Den Chiefs course is a special course arranged for training scouts to become familiar with Cubbing in the Dens. B. L. Manire will be in charge.

Den Mothers course is arranged to help Den mothers develop Cub programs for the Den. Mrs. C. C. Schmidt and Mrs. J. I. Kilpatrick will be the instructors.

Elements of Sea Scouting will be offered to men interested in dealing with older boys. Dr. B. F. Stephens will be in charge.

Handcraft courses will be offered in three divisions of special instructions in Woodwork, Leathercraft, and metal craft. E. E. Key, M. K. Foster, and J. C. Cox will be in charge.

Training certificates will be awarded to all those completing any one of the ten courses offered in the Scouters University. For additional information, write Boy Scout Headquarters, City Hall, Lubbock, Texas.

Results of Literary Events Announced

Results of the literary events, held in conjunction with the regular county meet here last week-end are given here. However, in some cases names of the contestants are not given due to the fact that various teachers failed to turn in the names of the entries in their division.

BOYS DEBATE—First, D. Lee and B. Sizemore, Dickens; Second, C. Pope and Elmer Adams, Spur.

GIRLS DEBATE—First, Nell Arthur and Billie B. Hisey, Spur; Second, Loise Mae Speer and Pauline Green, Dickens.

SR. BOYS DECLAMATION—First, Carl Arthur, Spur; Second, Carl Patton, Spur; Third, D. W. Hughes, Patton Springs.

S. GIRLS DECLAMATION—First, Nedra Hogan, Spur, Second, Mary L. Lisenby, Spur; Third, Lois Ragland, Patton Springs.

JR. BOYS DECLAMATION—First, Tom Stephens, Dickens; Second, Jerry Hahn, Spur; Third, McAdoo.

JR. GIRLS DECLAMATION—Marion Hale, Spur; Second, Mozelle Arthur, Spur; Third, McAdoo.

RURAL SR. GIRLS DECLAMATION—First, Ruby Morris, Dumont.

RURAL SR. BOYS DECLAMATION—First, Albert Peak, Prairie Chapel; Second, Carl Jones, Dumont.

WARD BOYS DECLAMATION—First, Roy Allen, McAdoo; Second, Steve Crockett, Spur; Third, James F. Lavery, Spur.

WARD GIRLS DECLAMATION—First, Belva Swann, Spur; Second, Mary Lee Harkey, Dickens; Third, Sara Ann Crider, Spur.

RURAL JR. GIRLS DECLAMATION—First, Margie Nell Russell, Dry Lake; Second, Elaine Neavers, Espuela; Third, Regina Draper, Highway.

RURAL JR. BOYS DECLAMATION—First, Truman Cowan, Wichita; Second, Weldon Draper, Highway; Third, Tracey Daniel, Prairie Chapel.

NUMBER SENSE—First, Dickens, and Spur tie, A. J. Harvey, Mary L. Harkey, Dale Scott; Third, Tom Condon, McAdoo.

MUSIC MEMORY—Ward—First—Leona Harris, McAdoo and Alicia Butler.

MUSIC MEMORY Rural—Regina Draper and Marda Vey Shaw, Highway.

TYPING—Jane Godfrey and Melba Joe Hael, Spur; Second, Nell Williams and Ruth Flippin, Patton Springs; Third, Vera Chester and Opal Lee Sprayberry, Dickens.

READY WRITERS A. & B.—First, Illa Mae Stamford, Dickens; Second, Wilma Griffin, McAdoo; Third, Edith Baxter, Patton Springs.

READY WRITERS Rural—First, Robert Morgan, Highway; Second, Winnell Watters, Steel Hill; Third, Opal Hale, Prairie Chapel.

READY WRITERS Ward—First, Jane Murphy, Dickens; Second, Alicia Butler, McAdoo.

PICTURE MEMORY Rural—First, Margie Nell Russell and Mary Helen Draper, Dry Lake; Second, Eldon Reedy and R. A. Hollar, Dumont; Third, Bettie Gene Morgan and Ross Glenn Holman, Highway.

PICTURE MEMORY A. & B.—First, Billy Dale Noland, Winona Reynolds and Polly Harvey, Dickens.

Second, Rosemary Buckner, Virginia Gunn, Kyle Butler and Weldon Brumley, McAdoo; Third, James Allen, Bettie Barnett, Gladys Brewster, Ouida Lisenby and Ida Lee Golding, Spur.

SPELLING A. & B.—First, Edna Futch and Cleo Edwards; Second, McAdoo; Third, Nadine Forman and Joyce Coons, Spur.

SPELLING 6th-7th grade—First, Spur; Second, Dickens; Third, Patton Springs.

SPELLING — 4th-5th grades—First, Spur; Second, Dickens; Third, Patton Springs.

SPELLING HI. Rural—Dumont, first with one entry.

SPELLING Rural 6-7—First, Dumont; Second, Highway; Third, Espuela.

SPELLING Rural 4-5—First, Dumont; Second, Twin Wells; Third, Prairie Chapel.

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING Girls—First, Jane Godfrey, Spur; Second, Illa Mae Stamford, Dickens; Third, McAdoo.

EXTEMPORANEOUS SPEAKING Boys—First, Bill Gruenen, Spur; Second, McAdoo; Third, Mack Kennedy, Dickens.

STORY TELLING—First, Roger Southall, Patton Springs; Second, Geraldene Hawley; Third, James Zachary, Spur.

CLUB NEWS

FASHIONS FOR SPRING

Correct color combinations and materials for spring was the subject of the program when the McAdoo Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. Dewey French, Tuesday. Navy blue and grey are the best colors for spring. Wash cotton materials are prettier than ever.

Miss Hazel Moore showed style trends in neck lines and sleeves.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. D. L. Woods for a Texas history pageant.

Club members present were: Mrs. H. H. Smith, Mrs. G. G. Allen, Mrs. J. T. Parker, Mrs. Dewey French, Mrs. Leonard Cox, Mrs. Roy Ward, Mrs. M. L. Vanderford, Mrs. T. L. Dozier, Mrs. J. E. Wooley, Mrs. Douglas Allen, Mrs. A. J. Allen. Visitors were Mrs. H. G. Watley, Mrs. Pearl Cox and Mrs. Ivey Brown.—Mrs. D. L. Woods, reporter.

COUNCIL TO FURNISH PRIZES

Each home demonstration club is to furnish three surprise packages to be given as prizes in the June clothing exhibit was the plan made in council Saturday afternoon.

The educational fund, consisting of five cents from each club member was turned in to council and will be forwarded to the district vice president to apply on the scholarship for the club girls.

Plans were made for attending the meat show this week and the dairy show in Plainview next week.

Those present were: Mrs. Floyd Barnett, council chairman; Mrs. Jno. Bachman, Mrs. W. A. Condon, Soldier Mound; Mrs. F. B. Crockett, Espuela; Mrs. Jim McArthur, Mrs. Matt Howell, Red Top; Mrs. Tom Gilmore, Mrs. Tol Merriman, Twin Wells; Mrs. O. S. Harvey, McAdoo; Mrs. Burran Jones, Red Top and Miss Elizabeth Williams, Twin Wells were visitors.—Mrs. J. L. Hagins, council reporter.

UPSIDE DOWN CAKE MADE

"To insure a good cake all measurements should be level." Miss Moore told the McAdoo 4-H Club girls Tuesday, March 24, 1936 at the home of Mrs. Amos Isaacs.

Miss Moore made and gave more good hints on making an upside-down cake. A punch was made from plum juice and spices.

Those present were: Wanda McLaughlin, Myra Nell Neely, La Rue Holmes, Mary Ruth Boyd, Clara Ruth Boyd, Clara Rich, Juanita Rose, Volla Finney, Mary Lee Brock, Frances Wooley, Alicia Butler, Leona Harris, Maudie Palmer, Winnie Bess Brister, Mrs. Amos Isaacs and Miss Hazel Moore, sponsor.

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Pure thread silk hose. 45 gauge. Sale price.

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Extra good quality. Special sale price only

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Rabbit Drive at Red Hill Success

The rabbit drive in Red Hill community last Wednesday seems to have been a very successful one. Just how many rabbits passed over the Great River on that day is not known and no one connected with the drive felt capable of making an estimate of the number. Some said hundreds, others reported the number in thousands and others just casually remarked "there was a great number."

The day's program furnished the neighbors an opportunity to enjoy a community service in common and to rid the neighborhood of many pests. In addition to the great rabbits slain, one coyote got the worst of the deal and the party reporting stated they thought there were two coyotes in the number. The ladies in the community made quilts during the day while the men were in the chase. Dinner was served at the old school house by the ladies, and there was plenty to spare. Those good people out there do things in a big way and enjoy a great time doing them.

Friends will regret to learn of the serious illness of Mrs. Blackwell, wife of Dr. T. H. Blackwell of this city, who is in a Lubbock hospital this week. Plans at press time last night called for an operation to be performed last night, but developments had not been announced to this paper.

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Rotary Entertains Many Early Settlers With A Big Banquet

The Rotarians at Spur were host at their last meeting Thursday night to a number of the early settlers in Dickens County. The hour of meeting was changed from noon until 7:30 o'clock in the evening in order to give all guests invited an opportunity to be present.

George L. Link was in charge of the program. Mr. Link extended a few words of welcome to the guests after President Ned Hogan had assured them of the great pleasure in having them present. Judge G. E. Hamilton of Matador, was introduced as the speaker of the evening. Mr. Hamilton related a number of incidents in early days and told a number of things that brought merriment to the audience. In conclusion Judge Hamilton stated that much was due the good women of the country for their part in developing this country and paid a high tribute to them.

District Attorney Alton B. Chapman being asked to speak paid a tribute to those early settlers who have passed on. He related how their lives had influenced the country and assisted in its development. Rev. E. L. Yeats spoke on loyalty to our country and government and stated he admired the early settlers in West Texas for the firm stand they took in making this section a free country.

There were a number of others who took part on the program. Among these were: W. B. Lee of the Spur Security Bank, R. L. Collier, Judge Hagins, Rev. J. V. Bilberry, C. D. Bird, J. J. Martin and others.

Music was furnished for the occasion by C. C. Haile, pianist; Bush Thornton and Willie Ricker, violinists; M. S. Moudy and B. P. Barelay, guitars.

Then a little historical feature entered into the program. Chairman Link wanted to know who present had been in the country the longest. C. D. Bird stated that he came to the county in 1881 which was quite a long time back. Judge Hagins stated he came to the county in 1889 and W. L. Hyatt said it was in 1878 when he arrived here. Mr. Hyatt was given the honor of being the oldest settler present.

Then came the problem of who was the ugliest man. Nominations included Dr. T. H. Blakwell, Dock Ellis, Johnny Harrington and Will Marshall. The vote gave Dock Ellis the honor, none but the guests being permitted to vote. Mr. Ellis was awarded a present and congratulations of the evening.

C. D. Bird was awarded a box of cigars for being the one present who had lived the longest in Motley County.

The next question that came up was who was the biggest story teller in the county 35 years ago. Nominations followed and Hamp Collett, J. A. Legg, J. M. Foster and R. L. Collier were on the list. The guests took a vote and the honor fell to J. M. Foster. However, Mr. Foster contended that he was selected because he was better known than J. A. Legg as Mr. Legg lived out in the rural section and did not come in contact with people as he had done and people did not know him. By virtue of this condition Mr. Foster insisted that Mr. Legg was the logical man and passed the honor on to him handing him a box of cigars which was the premium.

Then came the question of how many present cast a vote in the first election held in the county. Four stood up. They were C. D. Bird, W. R. Stafford, J. I. Greer and Judge Hagins.

A committee was appointed to select a speaker for this occasion next year. The committee recommended that Judge Joe A. P. Dickson of Seymour, be invited to address the meeting in 1937.

Among those present as guests of the Rotarians were:

C. D. Bird, Henry Pipkin and Judge Hamilton, of Matador; C. C. Haile, R. C. Forbis and W. R. Stafford, of Afton; Dick Sampson, B. C. Cairnes and Judge Hagins, of Clairmont; J. J. Martin, Ebb Fuqua and J. I. Greer of Red Mud; J. A. Legg, J. A. Blair, Gil Green of Dickens; W. C. Garrett of Peaceful; S. B. Scott of Kalgary; Dr. R. L. Alexander of Afton; J. E. Hagins, of Gilpin, A. E. McClain of Catfish.

Jim Gilmore, Hamp Collett, J. M. Foster, J. C. McNeill, Cliff Bird, L. W. Bilberry, Jim McArthur, Tom McArthur, Johnny Harrington, W. L. Hyatt, M. A. Lea, Will Marshall, Dock Ellis, Bud Morrison, Rev. J. V. Bilberry, Will Garner, O. L. Hale, M. L. Jones, Jephtha Craig, R. L. Collier, G. L. Barber, Ed McArthur, Dr. T. H. Blackwell, David Sisto and Geo. S. Link, all of Spur.

Three New Events Added County Meet

In the annual interscholastic league events in Dickens County this year three added specials commanded quite a lot of interest. One of these events was the reading contest in the first, second and third grades in all the schools in the county. One child for each grade from each school was permitted to enter this contest and it proved very valuable since here are so few events in which children in the primary grades are privileged to enter. Miss Minibel Johnson of Spur schools was chairman of the event.

The Texas history contest proved a very interesting number in the league program this year. It was the first time this event was held in the county. Due to the interest in the Texas Centennial all the schools have devoted much attention to Texas history this term. There were a number of fine history stories reviewed at this time. Miss Margaret Elliott of Patton Springs school was chairman of the event.

A third event added by the county committee was that of story telling. The state board provided for this to include the third grade only, and so far as district entries are concerned that is all that will be considered. However, the county committee extended the work to include all grades from the first through the seventh and honors were awarded for each grade. This was just the ruling of the county committee and extended only to the county events.

Attending Sorority Meet in Vernon Sat. April 4th

Miss Margaret Elliott, of Patton Springs school, and Mrs. W. R. Weaver and Mrs. A. M. Walker, of the Spur P. T. A., will attend a meeting of the Delta Kappa Gamma Educational Sorority at Vernon next Saturday, April 4. Mrs. Weaver will address the meeting, using as her subject the certification of teachers. Miss Elliott is a member of the organization.

W. F. Shugart left Sunday for Marlin to visit with Mrs. Shugart who is in the health resort there. Mrs. Shugart has been at Marlin about five weeks.

Spring Football Practice to Carry Stricter Rules

Spring football practice will get under way at the Bulldog kennels this week according to head coach, "Blackie" Wadzech, when about six lettermen drop track activities to resume duties as the main stay of the 1936 Spur High Bulldogs.

"Work on next year's gridmen is to be conducted along much stricter lines than ever before in the past," Wadzech told the Times Monday. "We are going to have the strictest training rules ever exercised in this school, and they are going to be carried out if it costs us the championship."

In making this statement, Coach Wadzech said that some of the players of the past season were granted too much liberty that a bad reflection was cast upon other gridmen, which resulted in too few paying strict attention to orders and instructions of officials.

The spring season work is to consist of teachings of fundamentals "including the art of tackling" as well as actual game playing, according to announcements.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

We take this means of extending our deepest appreciation to our friends and neighbors for your expression of love and words of comfort during the illness and death of our beloved wife, mother, daughter, and sister.

Our hearts are bound closer to you for your kindly manifestations. In the spirit of Him whose we are and whom we serve, we ask for your continued love and prayers that we may be able to live a life that will reflect honor to the memory of the one we so dearly loved.—Luther Powell and Billie Louise, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Gruben, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Holleyman, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Gilbert, Miss Gladys Gilbert, Lanier Gilbert, D. J. Gilbert, Mrs. J. D. Powell and family.

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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, July 25, 1936.

REPRESENTATIVE, 118th DIST. L. C. (Clarice) HARRIS

LEONARD WESTFALL (Sec T.) JOE A. MERRITT

FOR COUNTY JUDGE: MARSHALL FORMBY JIM CLOUD (Re-election) A. B. (Shorty) HOGAN G. W. BENNETT AUSTIN C. ROSE ROBT. REYNOLDS

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR: R. L. (Bob) COLLIER ALBERT POWER F. L. (FORREST) EDWARDS J. L. KOONSMAN, (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER: MRS. ALICE MURPHREE

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1:

C. P. AWEILL WAYNE VAN LEER C. C. HALLE HORACE NICKLES VANCE HUGHES W. K. (WILLOW) STREET

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2:

W. F. (Forrest) RAGLAND E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON E. J. OFFIELD A. K. McALLISTER

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4:

C. E. BUTLER M. B. GAGE R. E. ROGERS CLARENCE LITTLEFIELD.

PUBLIC WEAIGHER PRECINCT NO. 1:

LAWRENCE FOX RAYMOND ELDRIDGE

PUBLIC WEAIGHER, PRECINCT NO. 2:

GASTON JACKSON (Re-election) G. W. CALVERT S. R. PEAK.

CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT: MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD

CLERK COUNTY COURT: FRED ARRINGTON

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3:

C. N. (Newt) KIDD W. F. (Walter) FOREMAN

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 3:

G. B. JOPLING

FOR CONSTABLE FOR PRECINCT NO. 3:

J. M. (Uncle Jere) REESE.

Dick Speer spent Sunday in Mineral Wells with Mrs. Speer who has been there several days.

Mrs. Charlie Fox of the Spur Bakery, is in Mineral Wells at this time taking a much needed rest.

State and Federal Workers Here; Soil Erosion Problem

Federal and state soil conservation and erosion workers visited the local Texas experiment station last Thursday for an inspection of the Dockum creek watershed, with a view of extending the research program in connection with water and soil conservation. Members of the group were favorably impressed with the opportunities afforded in the Dockum valley of working out many problems that would be applicable to entire western section of the United States, it was understood.

According to announcements from the local station, engineers will return at a later date to go over the watershed in detail and to determine whether the farmers and ranchers of this area are ready for a far reaching program in the use of storm water. A survey made by local citizens a year ago indicated 100 per cent cooperation on the part of land owners.

Cooperative agreements between the Texas experiment station and the soil conservation service are being formulated for an intensive study of the fundamental problems that have to do with the conservation of the rainfall and the soil and a more intelligent use of the rainfall in connection with ranching and farming, it is understood.

Those who visited and made the survey here last week were: A. B. Conner, director of Texas Agricultural Experiment Station, College Station; Dr. W. C. Lowdermilk, assistant director of the federal soil conservation service at Washington; Dr. H. V. Geib, director of soil erosion research of the western area; Dr. B. Youngblood, office of experiment stations at Washington; H. H. Finnell, regional director for the North Plains of Texas, New Mexico, Colorado and Kansas; and L. P. Merrill, regional director for Texas, Louisiana and Arkansas.

Plainview Show Men Here Monday

Representatives of the Panhandle-Plains Dairy Show were in Spur Monday of this week in interest of the show to be held in their home city, Plainview, April 6 to 9, inclusive. While here the group, composed of E. K. Hufstetler, B. B. Winkles, W. M. Tomberlin and Ed Bishop called on local business firms to encourage attendance to the ninth annual show. Mr. Bishop, show manager called on the Times while here and left catalog, premium lists and programs outlining many promises in the way of amusement. Plans were announced for rodeo, greyhound races with 32 dogs and horse show. On Tuesday evening an Easter parade and style show consisting of about fifty girls entered as queen's from the various towns of this section. The queen's ball will follow at the Hilton Hotel. The program for Wednesday includes the annual dairy association banquet to be followed with the official ball. "Entries in the show have already exceeded previous years," Mr. Bishop said. "And a carnival on the grounds throughout the week will add much to the entertainment features."

Mrs. Grace, of Abilene, spent a recent week-end with her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Dickson, of this city.

J. T. and H. C. Parsons, of Kalgary, were in our city attending to business affairs Saturday.

Dickens

L. C. Murphy was transacting business in Spur the first of the week. W. H. Anderson was called to the bedside of his uncle at Kellar. He will remain there and work until his uncle recovers.

Grandmother Carroll and son, Bill, who have had an attack of influenza, are improving at this writing.

Mrs. Don Gilstrip was visiting her sister, Mrs. Edd Adams, the last of the week.

Mrs. Willie Scott's health is improved at this time.

Mrs. E. C. Purser and daughter, Delma Carl, are in bed with influenza at this time.

Mrs. Earl Anderson had a letter from her husband recently which stated that he is feeling fine and hopes to return home soon.

—Reporter.

Senator Bledsoe Dies Monday

Ex-senator W. H. Bledsoe, one of the outstanding citizens and statesmen of West Texas, died at his Lubbock home about 11 o'clock Monday night of pneumonia which developed from a cold he had contracted a week before. It is thought exposure during a trip from Dallas home started the cold which grew worse until pneumonia set in.

Senator Bledsoe was author of the senate bill which created the Texas Technological College. It was through his untiring influence that the bill was passed and then he exerted all his force in getting the school located at Lubbock. He considers the establishment of this school in his home city as one of the outstanding events of his life.

He was author of the bill which created the Pythian Home at Weatherford and his assistance with many other legislative acts during his long period in office, all of which were for the general good of the people as a whole, made him one of the great men of Texas.

He was an able lawyer and was a member of the law firm of Bledsoe, Greenhaw & Dupree. He was one of the oldest attorneys in West Texas in point of service, having practiced law at Lubbock 27 years last Christmas.

The funeral rites will be read at the residence at 1812 Broadway, Lubbock, this (Wednesday) afternoon. Rev. Walter P. Jennings, of Plainview, and formerly of Lubbock First Christian Church and Dr. J. M. Lewis of the First Presbyterian Church at Lubbock, will be in charge.

He is survived by his wife, three children: Willis H. and W. Scott Bledsoe of Lubbock, and Mrs. Ernest Lee of Sweetwater.

CARD OF THANKS

The kindness and Christian fellowship that was shown me and my children during the short illness and death of our loving father and husband was very much appreciated. I shall always remember the loving words that were spoken and the kind things that were said and done. I wish to thank all of you who send flowers or helped in any other way. Large or small. May God bless all of you in my serious prayer.—Mrs. W. M. Randall and children.

Last Rites Held For Mrs Luther Powell

A gloom of sadness passed over our city last Friday when the death of Mrs. Luther Powell was announced. Mrs. Powell's health had not been good in two or three years, but she continued with her home duties and took care of her church responsibilities and no one thought her condition to be serious. She became ill Thursday evening and physician was summoned who treated her case and thought she was doing all right. Friday morning she was sleeping, and Mr. Powell went out on his mail route feeling that her condition would be all right when she awakened. When he returned at eleven o'clock he asked the physician to go up and see Mrs. Powell which he did and there was nothing apparent that should cause any alarm. She passed away at Campbell Funeral Home took charge and prepared the body for burial. Funeral services were held at the home at the corner of Miller Avenue and Granite Street at three o'clock Saturday afternoon. Dr. M. F. Ewton, pastor of the First Baptist Church, and her pastor, conducted the services. Interment followed in Spur cemetery, Webber Williams acting as funeral director.

Mrs. Powell's maiden name was Miss Beulah Gilbert and was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gilbert who lived at Spur a number of years. She had spent much of her life in Spur and she and Mr. Powell were married here June 2, 1920. In her work in various civic movements and in the church she came in contact with people and made many friends. She became a Christian when just a girl and has been a faithful member in the Baptist Church since. She was devoted to her church and to her family making these her main pleasures in life. She was rather reserved in her attitude, but could always be depended on for any duty that might come her way. Her place in this community will not be filled soon and probably never, although her work is done.

She is survived by her husband and daughter, Miss Billie Louise Powell, her father, D. J. Gilbert, who is in Alabama and did not have time to get here for the funeral services. Her mother passed away about four years ago. There are two brothers: W. P. Gilbert of Lubbock and Lanier Gilbert of Spur; and three sisters, Mrs. D. J. Holleyman of Gladewater, Mrs. H. C. Gruben of Spur and Miss Gladys Gilbert of O'Donnell.

Jim Offield, of Prairie Chapel Community was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Jim Crump and family, of Elton, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

M. B. Gage, one of the live candidates for county commissioner in precinct No. 4, was attending to business affairs here Saturday.

M. M. Allison, of Afton country, was attending to business in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Foreman and children, of Formans Chapel were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

Pre-Easter Services At Christian Church

Beginning next Sunday there will be a series of services at the First Christian Church in observance of the last week of the Savior's stay on earth. Services will be held each evening all week except Saturday evening, Saturday being the rest day. Sunday morning the pastor will give a sermon using as his subject the "Day of Triumph."

Monday evening Rev. C. V. Allen will bring a message using as his subject the "Day of Authority."

Tuesday evening Rev. J. Melvin Jones, of the Spur M. E. Circuit, will bring a message using as his subject the "Day of Controversy."

Wednesday evening Rev. C. V. Allen will speak again on the "Day of Retirement."

Thursday evening Reverend Edwards will bring a message on the observance of the Lord's Supper as it was observed in the Upper Room. This was the day of fellowship. Also, Friday evening Reverend Edwards will bring another message on the "Day of Suffering."

All services will start about 7 o'clock each evening. There will be no services Saturday evening.

There will be a sunrise service on Easter morning, April 12, starting about six o'clock. There will be several persons on the program that morning.

At least three different church denominations have stated their willingness to take part in these services. Other churches in the city may join in during the week. All services will be at the First Christian Church.

G. W. Calvert of Afton, was attending to business matters in our city Saturday.

County and Local Trustees Election Be Held Saturday

Next Saturday being the first Saturday in April is the day when the voters will elect school trustees in all districts. There are to be three members on the county board of education elected next Saturday. Those whose time expires now are N. M. Lawson for precinct No. 2, C. R. Bennett for precinct No. 3, and Joe Thannisch for precinct No. 4. The member of the board for precinct No. 1 was appointed recently and the term does not expire until next year.

There will be two members of the board for Spur schools to be elected next Saturday. A. M. Patterson, president of the board and V. L. Paterson go off the board unless re-elected. These are two very fine men and have done well with their duties and no doubt will be asked to serve another term.

All rural schools will elect one or more trustees next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Hinson, of Red Bud country, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

WELCOME TO SPUR ON OUR FIRST ANNIVERSARY

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Advertisement for City Drug Store featuring 'DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS' with a list of items like Kreso Dip, Kotex, and Toilet Tissue at \$1 each.

Advertisement for Magnolia Service Sta. featuring a photo of a man and text: 'We Extend to You WELCOME, BROTHER! Come in and See Us. We're Back Home! AFTER 7 YEARS ABSENCE I, O. F. McCombs, have taken over the filling station department of the Spur Motor Company, and am back home to stay. I find business is good here, but I haven't gotten around to see all my old friends so I invite them to come to see me . . . let's get together.'

Advertisement for Shirley Temple Styles featuring a photo of a young girl in a dress and text: 'JUST LIKE SHIRLEY TEMPLE'S! Dainty little Cinderella frocks—fresh and sparkling as Spring itself! With each comes an adorable photograph showing Shirley Temple wearing the very same style. Guaranteed fast-color fabrics with wide hems and full French seams. Sizes 3 to 12. \$1.00. SHIRLEY TEMPLE STYLES IN CINDERELLA FROCKS. Henry Alexander & Co. Better Dry Goods'

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MISS RUBY RAE WILLIAMSON ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

The Neighborhood Bridge Club members met on Friday evening at the home of Ruby Rae Williamson. Contract bridge was played by rubbers. At the conclusion of the games Mrs. John Wylie and Mrs. B. C. Langley were high ladies and received attractive hand painted pictures as prizes.

Mrs. Weldon Grimes and Mrs. Law- is Lee were lucky at cutting the cards and each received a novelty waste-paper basket.

Others present were Mesdames M. H. Branner, C. L. Love, Tom Johnson, and Miss Anna Mae Lassetter.

When the bridge hour was over the guests were refreshed with a plate containing chicken salad, ritz crackers, mints and punch.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL CLUB GIRLS

"Wild plum juice makes very good punch," so the Prairie Chapel 4-H Club girls learned last Friday, when they were given receipts for wild plum punch and apricot-prune upside down cake.

Sponsor, Mrs. R. C. Alexander was absent because of illness, however every club member was present. Next meeting will be held Friday, April 3.

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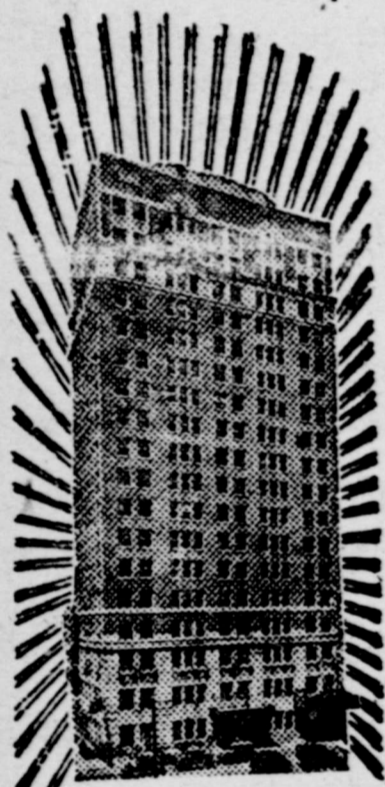
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MRS. J. C. McNEILL HOSTESS TO THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. J. C. McNeill III was hostess to members of the Thursday afternoon Bridge Club last week.

Several rubbers of contract were played and the scores totaled. Mrs. D. L. Granberry and Mrs. Sam Clemmons proved to be high ladies and each received an attractive novelty combination coat hangar and clothes brush.

Mrs. McNeill served lime ice and spiced muffins to the following: Mesdames W. T. Andrews, D. L. Granberry, Floyd McArthur, O. C. Thomas, W. F. Jennings, C. B. Jones, Sam Clemmons and D. H. Zachry.

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. E. M. Wilson entertained the members of Tuesday Bridge Club this week.

Four games of progressive bridge were played. When scores were totaled Mrs. A. C. Hull held high score for the club members, and Mrs. D. H. Zachry for the guests. Each received a piece of dainty lingerie.

Refreshments of congealed fruit salad, crackers, tuna fish sandwiches, olives, cream puffs, and iced tea were served to Mesdames L. B. Tilletson, Dale Campbell, Cash Wileman, R. C. Hull, H. O. Everts, Roy Harkey, Guy Karr and D. H. Zachry.

1925 BRIDGE CLUB

A prettily appointed party of last week was given by Mrs. Hill Perry on Wednesday afternoon when she had as her guests members of the 1925 Bridge Club.

A lovely color scheme was used, yellow being the predominating color. Handpainted tallies and score pads were used. These as well as the prizes given were purchased by the hostess during a recent visit to Hollywood, Calif.

Several games of progressive bridge were played after which Mrs. Wooten holding high score was given an attractive white elephant while Mrs. McClure who cut high, received a unique candlestick with perfumed candles.

The refreshment plate of pressed chicken, olives, Waldorf salad, bread and butter sandwiches, yellow cake and coffee was passed to Mesdames W. T. Andrews, Oran McClure, Nellie Davis, Eaton, M. C. Golding, F. W. Jennings, Frank Laverty, C. L. Love, J. C. Parker, V. V. Parr, Louis Rochet, Riley Wooten, Miss Julia Mae Hickman and the hostess.

FASHION NEWS STRESSES 1936 SLEEVES INSTEAD OF 1935.

That is what Mrs. Barns says, so it behoves all fashion fans to study the latest fashion news, was told the Red-top ladies in club Wednesday, at the home of Mrs. Wallace Hinson last Wednesday afternoon.

Five members were present, Mrs. J. C. McArthur, Mrs. Wallace Hinson, Mrs. J. C. Childress, Mrs. Buran Jones, Miss Carrie Childress. All joined in the games and were served a delicious plate lunch.—Reporter.

LANDSCAPE SPECIALIST VISITS DEMONSTRATORS

Miss Onah Jacks, extension specialist in landscape gardening, and Miss Lida Cooper, district home demonstration agent of district II, both of College Station, were in the county two days this past week for a conference with the county home demonstration agent on yard work and to visit yard demonstrators. Six demonstrators, Mrs. J. R. McArthur, Red Top; Mrs. J. L. Hagins, Duck Creek; Mrs. Floyd Barnett, Soldier Mound; Mrs. R. Y. Allen and Mrs. J. J. Griffin, McAdoo, and Mrs. F. B. Crockett, Espuela, were visited.

TRIPPLE TRAY CLUB

Members of the Tripple Tray Club were most delightfully entertained by Mrs. Marvin Vaughn on Saturday afternoon at three o'clock.

At a business session, Mrs. L. D. Ratliff was elected president of the club, and Mrs. Ty Allen was elected to membership.

After several games of progressive contract, scores were added. Mrs. G. B. Wadech having the highest score received a lovely bath towel as a token.

At the conclusion of the games ice cream and cake was served to Mesdames G. B. Wadech, E. D. Engleman, Burgess, Brown, Buster Parrish, George Tillinghast, Lewis Rochet, L. D. Ratliff and the hostess.

TUESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

A party suggestive of the approaching Easter season was given by Mrs. A. C. Hull on Tuesday afternoon.

Bridge was played and Mrs. Mack Wilson holding high score was given a box of Easter chocolates.

A delicious refreshment plate of egg salad, open sandwiches, olives, peach pickles, muffins and iced tea was served to Mrs. H. O. Everts, Mrs. Guy Karr, Mrs. Roy Harkey, Mrs. E. M. Wilson and the hostess.

MISSIONARY SOCIETY

Belle Bennet Missionary Society met Monday in stewardship program. Several interesting discussions were given. Eight members were present. Will meet next Monday at the church in home mission study.—Reporter.

CENTENNIAL CONTEST OF MUCH INTEREST

One of the most interesting contests of the year was the Texas Centennial note book contest. The grammar schools of the county were eligible to enter this contest and some very fine work was done.

The first prize in Class A and Class B schools went to the grammar school at Spur. The first prize in the rural school division went to Peaceful Hill. Steel Hill won second place in this division but prizes were awarded only in first place.

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CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of telling our neighbors and friends that we appreciate your assistance and kind words given during the illness and death of our beloved companion, mother and grandmother. We thank you for all you did and said to help us bear the great sorrow which came to us. Your kindness meant so much to us.—J. T. White, Mrs. J. E. Wilson, Mrs. Robert B. Bradshaw, Marion and Marvin Bradshaw.

B. E. Pettijohn Found Dead in Guthrie Store

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balance where it was prepared for burial. Funeral services were held at the home of R. L. Pettijohn at the corner of Keeler Avenue and Fifth Street Sunday morning at eleven o'clock. L. W. Bilberry, a neighbor, made the main talk. Interment followed in Spur Cemetery, Webber Williams acting as funeral director.

Mr. Pettijohn was born in Comanche County, October 11, 1892, and was 43 years of age last October. He married Miss Myrtle Sautler in December, 1913, and nine children came into the home, seven of whom survive. He moved to Spur from Jayton in the early part of 1934 and then to Guthrie where he resided at the time of his death.

He is survived by his wife and seven children: Mrs. A. R. Bussell, Misses Katherine, Geneva, Jo Ella, Florence and Jean, and B. E. Jr., all of whom are at home; his mother, Mrs. Kate Pettijohn, who lives on the old homestead in Comanche County; four brothers; J. A. and R. W. Pettijohn of Comanche County, Tom Pettijohn of California and R. L. Pettijohn of Spur. Besides these are the following: Woody Pettijohn, a nephew at Dallas. Mrs. Kency, a niece at Roby; Mrs. W. A. McClachey, apiece at Gustine; and two nieces and one nephew whose locations are not known at this time.

GLENNA WILLIAMS CELEBRATES 9th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Webber Williams entertained a number of children on Saturday afternoon honoring her daughter, Glenna, upon the occasion of her ninth birthday.

The children were led in various games by Bonnie Campbell. After the play hour on the lawn, all went into the house where the opening of gifts afforded much enjoyment to both the guests and the honoree.

A beautiful birthday cake bearing nine dainty pink candles centered the refreshment table.

After the refreshment hour the children departed wishing for Glenna many happy birthdays.

The guest list included Ida Lee Golding, Bobbie Parr, Billie D. Starcher, Mack Wilson Jr., Cash Caraway Wilemon, Betty Weaver, Billy Scott, Lane Erickson, Jimmie Vernon, Pete and Pike Dobbins, Ouida Lisenby, Cecilia Fox, Chasline and Shirley Powell, Mary Catherine and Elsie Patterson, Iris Maurine Smith, Evelyn, and Melba Lewis, Bonnie Campbell, Patricia Ann and Helen Virginia Marris, Allie Beth Arthur, Virginia Lane, Ruth Estelle Jones, Dorothy Jean Barker, Jacqueline Rector, Joe Boy Bumpus, Ernestine Berry, Gurdine Dillingham, Alberta Lynn Dunwoodie, James Zachry, Jean and Billy Granberry, Jane and Macky Brannon, Webber Williams Jr., and the honor guest.

Mrs. J. C. McNeill returned home the later part of last week, after an extended visit with friends and relatives in South Texas.

J. N. Lawson of Afton, was greeting friends and looking after business matters here Saturday.

W. E. Ball of Dry Lake community, was in Saturday attending to business matters.

A. B. Fry and family, of Red Mud, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

Willie Clark, of McAdoo, was greeting friends and looking after business matters here Saturday.

G. B. Goodall, of Girard, was attending to business and greeting his friends in our city Saturday.

R. L. Edgar, of Afton, was looking after business affairs in our city Saturday.

Craig Parsons and family, of Kalgary, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

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CIVIL PRACTICE ONLY

Woman Jailed As Suspect In Death Stamford Farmer

STAMFORD, Tex., March 30.—A 26-year old woman was under arrest in Dallas today as West Texas authorities tightened their investigation into the death of Bill Jackson, Stamford farmer, whose weighted body was found in the Clear Fork of the Brazos River on March 26.

Stamford authorities would not reveal whether the woman had been charged. It was considered probable she was held as a material witness.

C. C. Humphrey, previously arrested, has been charged with killing Jackson. He is in jail at Anson.

Jackson had been missing since March 13. Officers said Jackson's automobile was found March 27 in Taft, Texas, 15 miles north of Corpus Christi.

Dallas police said the woman had been in that city about three or four days and was staying with a relative.

Nine detours which were listed as difficult when wet but fair when dry, were reported in the Wichita Falls area Sunday by J. B. Early, maintenance engineer of the state highway department. One was on Highway 28, 23 miles from Matador to two miles west of Floyd County line, good in dry weather, very difficult wet but kept open with free maintenance teams.

L. B. Fuqua, of Lower Red Mud, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

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Who Will Get The Money?

The question, "Who will get the \$200,000 which the Supreme Court recently ruled must be paid back," has been going the rounds of a great number of people.

did not receive any of the \$146 to distribute the privilege to reduce the price of flour to his customers to make up for the tax.

Boys in Uniform Left Town

A few days ago two men were in our city selling small American flags at whatever price people wanted to pay for them.

post of American Legion took exception to these men going about under the condition of ex-service men and selling the flags under such situation.

Will Red Heads Be in Style Now?

In an eastern city recently a supposed beauty judge made all blondes back numbers. He stated emphatically that red headed women are the style now and that brunettes are second.

given the manufacturers a little time to have enough auburn dye in stock to take care of the demand. As it is a great number of the leading society ladies of our country will be out of style for sometime because there will not be enough red dye to go around.

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Says Pension Payments Should Be Going Out

Failure of the state administration to carry out the mandate voted in August, 1935, the payment of a monthly pension of \$15 to each Texas citizen 65 years of age and over has been a loss of \$90 to each of these old people they should have received from the state, F. W. Fisher, Tyler candidate for governor, declared recently.

Charging Governor Allred's announcement that first pension payments would be made in July "is merely a pre-election sop cast to the voters as bait nearly a year after pension payments were authorized by them," Fisher said that reliance upon liquor taxes alone for funds to pay old age pensions would allow only \$3.40 per year per eligible pensioner.

"To provide sufficient income at five cents a pint to pay our 300,000 aged their \$15 per month each, our young people must drink more than a billion pints of hard liquor per year," Fischer said.

Fischer proposes a tax levy upon natural resources which he estimates will bring the state an income of more one hundred millions per year, fifty millions of which would meet present needs for old age pension payments.

"Natural resources valued by the billions have been taken out of the state to enrich the Mellons, Rockefellers and other Wall Streeters who pay but a fractional part of the tax as compared to the Texas farmer, laborer, and small business men. The untaxed must be taxed and the overtaxed untaxed," Fischer declared.

Henry Bethel Poteet

A good man is gone. Born July 23, 1866, died March 4, 1936.

The ripe shearer must yield to the passing and changing seasons. The grandest and tallest oaks of the forest too must soon fall. It is even so in life. In spite of their laces we fill and the sacred obligations we owe, as the wise woman said, "we must all die."

Like pilgrims to a better country, we are passing on. And soon these places that know us now shall know us no more. In the midst of life we are in death. The going out of a good man or woman who has lived long and well among us, is like the passing of a fragrant rose.

Life work is finished, God removes them to nobler times. And through



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the influence of their noble years on earth we are now lured to brighter worlds. Indeed, the world's best asset is its noble men and women. They are the pivots upon which the centuries have always turned for better.

Such a man was Henry Poteet who passed away at his home Wednesday morning.

He was born in Tennessee. He was married to Miss Arnalinda Wallace in 1891 and to this happy union was born four children. Brother Poteet was a Methodist preacher. He was known by all as a man of strong convictions and steadfast in the integrity of his Christian character.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. O. A. Hood of Odalon, assisted by Rev. Bearichamp and Pipkin. The remains were laid to rest in the McAdoo cemetery at four o'clock Thursday afternoon.

tributes and the tears of the many loved and sympathizing friends, bespoke the love and esteem in which this good man was held by all who knew him.

Like, Abel, being dead, he will yet speak through his good life. The good we do lives on. Our brief years upon this earth and the open grave seem to teach us, that after all, the only reputation that lasts, is the reputation for being good and the only name that lives is the name written in the Lambs Book of Life.

"He died that we might be forgiven"

He died that we might be good; And go at last to Heaven, Saved by His Precious Blood." A Friend.

Mrs. Mattie Sizemore and mother, Mrs. Davidson of Croton, were in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

H. V. Nettles and family, of McAdoo, were here Saturday taking in the county track meet.

B. F. Middleton, one of the good Afton citizens, was looking after business affairs here Saturday.

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Spur High Wins County Field and Track Meet With 102 Points

Keep Up To Date And Gain Health

Miss Pratt told the Redtop Club ladies at the club the second Wednesday in March, that it was so much easier to keep healthy to eat plenty of vegetables, especially greens, than to take medicine, and as sulphur and molasses are out of date we do not want to follow that route either. Miss Pratt also gave demonstrations on cooking of vegetables, to 9 members who were present at the home of Mrs. J. C. Childress, also four visitors. Mrs. J. C. Childress, Mrs. Jim McArthur, Mrs. Buran Jones, Mrs. Wallace Hinson, Mrs. Tom McArthur, Miss Carrie Childress, Mrs. Curtis Childress, Mrs. Leonard Patterson, Mrs. Clyde Smith were present. Visitors, Mrs. Claud Hammonds, Mrs. Clark Jones and a sister of Buran and Clark Jones answered the roll call and joined in the games played.—Reporter.

WHY IS IT SO DIFFICULT TO TEACH THE MRS. TO DRIVE?

Now we're all set, just turn the jigger over and push on the hickey with your left hand and pull down on the other little jim-crack with your right, then press down the doodad with your foot and pull the thingumbob at the same time, and when it starts you push down on the doofunny with your left foot and yank the umptydiddy back, then let up on the footdingus and put your other foot on the hicmey-moodle; and don't forget to push down the hootanny every time you move the whatyoucaycallit, and you'll be hunkydorey, see?

Seales Ernest, of Croton, was doing some trading in our city Saturday.

E. B. Shaw, of Wichita community, was meeting friends and trading Saturday.

McAdoo Chalks Up 60 Points to Win Class B Division; Dickens High Takes 2nd; Patton Springs 3rd; Dumont Victors in Rural Class

335 ENTRIES IN MEET

Spur high school with a total of 102 points was declared winner of the annual Dickens county field and track meet held at the local Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium last Saturday, while McAdoo high school accounted for 60 points to win the class B division. Approximately 335 entries were made in the total 32 events and their discussions according to a Times tabulation.

The meet, held under the regulations of the Texas interscholastic league, was perhaps the most systematically conducted event of its kind ever held in the county. Records were made as promptly as the events were completed and winners of each division were announced through loud speakers in rapid decisions.

Without competition in its class Spur high school was winner of the A division, while in class B McAdoo won first with 60 points to top Dickens with 38 and Patton Springs with 26 points. In the high school junior division Spur totaled 36 points for first place over Dickens with 13½ points as second place winners. In the same division Patton Springs accounted for 10 points to win third over McAdoo's 3½ points in fourth place.

In Ward school events Spur marked a total of 40 points while Dickens was chalking 6 points for second place and McAdoo was making 4 counts for third.

Rural school events, accounting for perhaps the largest percentage of entries in the meet, found Dumont winners of first place with 21 points, far ahead of Twin Wells, second place winners with 13 points. Espuela car-

ried off third place honors with 10 points while Wichita trailed close behind with 8 points to win fourth.

Aside from fair weather and systematic conduction, the meet was uneventful with no records broken, and only on few occasions were impressive decisions made in either field or track events.

Results in Field Events.

POLE VAULT—Senior high school—First, L. Cobb, Dickens; Second, P. Ballard, Spur; Third, Joe Edd Malory, Spur; Fourth, Gussie Meadows, Spur; Fifth, Hulsey, Dickens. Discontinued at nine feet.

JAVELIN—Senior high school—First, W. A. McCombs, Spur; Second, E. Robertson, McAdoo; Third, T. Haralson, Spur; Fourth, W. Garner, Spur; Fifth, Chisenhall, Patton Springs; Sixth, Stovall, Patton Springs, 146 feet 11 inches.

DISCUS—Senior high school—First, Gussie Meadows, Spur; Second, H. Perkins, Spur; Third, C. Powers, McAdoo; Seventh, W. Powell, Dickens, 94 feet 3 inches.

12-LB. SHOT PUT—Senior high school—First, Lanier Gilbert, Spur; Second, F. Bingham, Spur; Third, I. Perkins, Spur; Fourth, C. Powell, McAdoo; Fifth, B. Sizemore, Dickens; Sixth, D. Lee, Dickens; Seventh, Barrington, Patton Springs, 41 feet.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP—Senior high school—First, J. B. Haralson, Spur; Second, Gussie Meadows, Spur; Third, Bob Harrell, Spur; Fourth, M. Boucher, McAdoo, 19 feet 6½ inches.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP—Junior high school—First, B. Hahn, Spur; Second, P. Powell, Spur; Third, Goodson, Patton Springs; Fourth, Holt, Dickens, 17 feet 1½ inches.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP—Ward school—First, Floyd Elkins, Spur; Second, Joseph Harlan, Spur; Third, Alvin Baker, McAdoo; Fourth, F. Ballard, Spur, 16 feet 3 inches.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP—Rural school—First, C. White, Wichita. Sec-

ond, Billie Bob Saxon, Espuela; Third, H. Cunningham, Dumont; Fourth, J. H. Goolsby, Wichita, 14 feet 11½ inches.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP—Senior high school—First, Ira Hahn, Spur; J. B. Haralson, Spur; Third and fourth places split by M. Hulsey, Dickens and M. Boucher, McAdoo. Discontinued at 5 feet 6 inches.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP—Junior high school—P. Powell and C. Arthur, Spur; split for first and second places; Holt, Dickens and Campbell, McAdoo, split for third and fourth places. Discontinued at 4 feet 6 inches.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP—Ward school—First, second and third places split by Joseph Havlan, J. C. Bingham and Fletcher Ballard, Spur; Fourth, Brooks, Dickens; Split fifth and sixth by Floyd Rich and Eugene Brownlow, McAdoo; Seventh, split by Hahn, Goss, Ragland, all of Patton Springs.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP—Rural school—First, Kenneth Stanley, Espuela; Second, Jackie Bass, Dumont; three way tie for third place, H. Cunningham, Dumont; Billie Bob Saxon, Espuela, and C. Gothem, Dumont, decision going to Dumont, 4 feet and 8 inches.

PULL-UP—Junior high school—First, G. Hulsey, Dickens; Second, tie between B. Haralson, Spur and Franklin, Patton Springs; Third, Barrington, Patton Springs; Fourth, McIvrol, Patton Springs, 26 times.

PULL-UP—First, Merle Futch, Dickens; Second, Ellis Powell, Spur; Third, Buck Bullard, Spur; Fourth, Clifton Cornelius, McAdoo, 23 times.

PULL-UP—Rural school—First—Preston Smith, Highway; Second, Lester Ball, Espuela; Third, Billie Offield, Prairie Chapel, 19 times.

Results in Track Events.
100-YARD DASH—Senior high school—First, M. Boucher, McAdoo; Second, J. B. Haralson, Spur; Third, Lanier Gilbert, Spur; Fourth, Hamm, Patton Springs, Time 10.1.

100-YARD DASH—Junior high school—First, B. Hahn, Spur; Second, Dumont contestant; Third, Holt, Dickens; Fourth, G. Cobbs, Dickens; Fifth, P. Powell, Spur; Sixth, Dumont contestant, Time 11½ seconds.

100-YARD DASH—First, Alvin Baker, McAdoo; Second, Fletcher Ballard; Spur, Third, Joseph Harlan, Spur; Fourth, Bingham, Spur.

100-YARD DASH—Rural school—First, Charles Scott, Twin Wells; Second, Charles Gaylean, Dumont; Third, Charlie Gaylean, Dumont; Fourth, Aruil Adkins, Dry Lake; Fourth, C. White, Wichita, Time 11 and three-quarter seconds.

120 HIGH HURDLES—Senior high school—First, Wilson Garner, Spur; Second, tie, Thomas Haralson and W. A. McCombs, Spur; Third, W. Powell, Dickens; Fourth, M. Hulsey, Dickens; Fifth, L. V. Womack, McAdoo, Time 20 seconds.

220-HURDLES—Senior high school—Thomas Haralson, Spur; Second, J. B. Haralson, Spur; Third, M. Boucher, McAdoo; Fourth, Wilson Garner, Spur; Fifth, Hulsey, Dickens, Time 28 and three-quarter seconds.

440-DASH—First, Francie Bingham, Spur; Second, Ham, Patton Springs; Third, W. A. McCombs, Spur; Fourth, Barton, McAdoo; Fifth, M. Hulsey, Dickens; Sixth, L. V. Womack, McAdoo, Time 58 and three-quarter seconds.

220-DASH—Senior high school—First, Bingham, Spur; Second, Lanier Gilbert, Spur; Third, Cecil Barton, McAdoo; Fourth, Larrington, Patton Springs, Time 26 and three quarter seconds.

MILE RUN—Senior high school—First, E. Robertson, McAdoo; Second, Pete Hughes, Patton Springs; Third, Ray Teal, Spur; Fourth, Gregory, McAdoo, Time 5:25½.

880-YUN—Senior high school—First, M. Boucher, McAdoo; Second, Fred Kinney, Spur; Third, Red Garner, Spur; Fourth, Robert Green, Dickens, Time 2:16.

50-YARD DASH—Junior high school—First, P. Powell, Spur; Second, B. Hahn, Spur; Third, B. Haralson, Spur; Fourth, N. Rose, McAdoo; Fifth, Ragland, Patton Springs; Sixth, Holt, Dickens; Seventh, G. Cobbs, Dickens, Time 6 seconds.

50-YARD DASH—Ward school—First, Alvin Baker, McAdoo; Joseph Harlan, Spur; Third, Fletcher Ballard, Spur, Time 6 and one quarter seconds.

50-YARD DASHES—Rural school—First, Charles Scott, Twin Wells; Second, Charles Gaylean, Dumont; Third, Cunningham, Dumont; Fourth, C. White, Wichita, Time 6 seconds.

440-RELAY—Junior high school—First, Spur; Second, Dickens; Third, Patton Springs; Fourth, McAdoo.

440-RELAY—Ward school—First, Spur; Second, McAdoo.

440-RELAY—Rural school—First, Dumont; Second, Twin Wells; Third, Prairie Chapel; Fourth, Dry Lake, Time 57.

MILE RELAY—Senior high school—First, Spur; Second, Patton Springs, Time 4:13 and three-quarters.

"MY SKIN WAS FULL OF PIMPLES AND BLEMISHES"
Says Vera Schlepp: "Since using Adlerika the pimples are gone. My skin is smooth and glows with health." Adlerika washes BOTH bowels, rids you of poisons that cause a bad complexion. — CITY DRUG STORE. (Adv.)

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WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—
Without Calomel—And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning!
The liver should pour out two pounds of liquid bile into your bowels daily. If this bile is not flowing freely, your food doesn't digest. It just decays in the bowels. Gas builds up your stomach. You get constipated. Your whole system is poisoned and you feel sour, sunk and the world looks punk.
Laxatives are only makeshifts. A mere bowel movement doesn't get at the cause. It takes those good, old Carter's Little Liver Pills to get these two pounds of bile flowing freely and make you feel "up and up". Harmless, gentle, yet amazing in making bile flow freely. Ask for Carter's Little Liver Pills by name. Stubbornly refuse anything else. 5c.

SPUR MOTOR COMPANY
E. L. CARAWAY, Mgr.
1933 Chevrolet Truck \$350.00
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1933 Chevrolet Coach \$350.00
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1929 Ford Coach \$100.00
These cars are in good condition mechanically. See other cars not listed.

Welcome Dollar Day, First Monday Visitors, We Are
HAPPY TO SERVE YOU!
When you are back in town DOLLAR DAY, April second, or FIRST MONDAY, April sixth, stop by and let us check your car and refill with Conoco Bronze Gas or Motor Oils.
We Handle Only Popular Brand Motor Products
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DOLLAR DAY **FIRST MONDAY**
BATH BASEMENT ATTIC LIVING ROOM DINING ROOM PORCH
Spring Time is "HOME TIME" Paint-Up! Fix-Up!
It's Spring from Basement to Bathroom and Garden!

SPECIALS For Thursday April 2nd DOLLAR DAY
4 Boxes Shells .22 XL Longrifle \$1 25 Lbs. Nails Assorted \$1
Cups, Saucers and Plates, white, 1 set of each, all \$1
Tub One No. 3 Square \$1

Spring Time! Paint-Up! Fix-Up!
It is the time of year when the home demands the most attention. Basement, attic, living room, dining room, bed room, bath and porch must pass inspection by yourself, visitors and relatives.
We Can Supply Your Needs at a More Moderate Cost! Try Us!
Mops 25c up
Hammers 10c up
Paints, Varnishes 10c up
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Garden Hoes 50c up

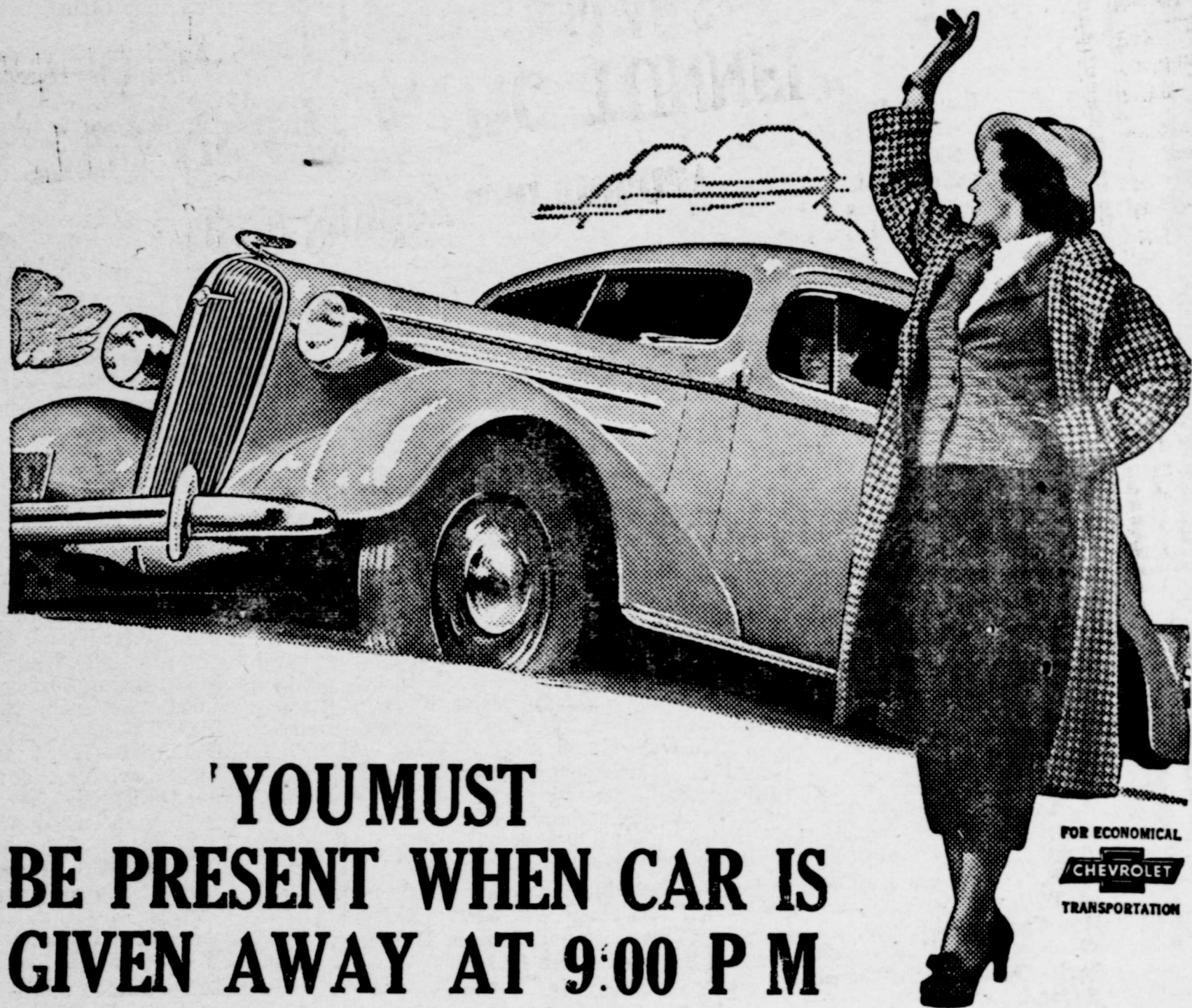
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Join the Parade to Speer's
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Your Choice ANY REGULAR \$1.20 MERCHANDISE \$1
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Other Items Offered As Specials For FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
SPEER'S VARIETY STORE
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Spur **PALACE THEATRE** Spur

1936 Chevrolet Free!

Thursday Night, April 2nd



'YOU MUST BE PRESENT WHEN CAR IS GIVEN AWAY AT 9:00 P M

—Also a Big Picture—

"LADY OF SECRETS"

With Ruth Chatterton and Otto Kruger

Comedy — Shorts — Complete Program

Friday Matinee and Night Only!

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"YOUR UNCLE DUDLEY"

A howling full length feature comedy with that funny Edward Everett Horton

Special for Saturday Night Only!

Myrna Loy in **"WHIPSAW"**

This picture will start at 7:00 p. m. Saturday and run until 11:30

ALWAYS A BIG SHOW ON SATURDAY

Preview Saturday Night

Again Sunday and Monday

"TRANSATLANTIC TUNNEL"

Richard Dix, Madge Evans and All-Star Cast

Movietone News and Vitaphone Musical Short

ATTEND THE PREVIEW SATURDAY NIGHT

Coming Tuesday "Voice of Bugal Anne"

Spur Entries Will Be Made In League Meet At Lubbock

District interscholastic league meeting, to be held at Lubbock, April 17 and 18, will attract about ten contestants in the field and track events from the local school according to plans now pending. "Only boys who can produce impressive times will be taken to the Lubbock meet," athletic director, Wadzech said this week. The county meet held here last week resulted in very non-impressive accomplishments, aside from a few events, in which not one single record was broken. With no better showing than has already been made only a few of the contestants would stand a chance at the district meeting.

Plans for district entries in literary events had not been made public last night, but it was believed that Spur High School would be better represented in that division than will be the case in field and track competition.

Besides Dickens County this district No. 3, is composed of Hale, Lamb, Bailey, Floyd, Cochran, Hockley, Lubbock, Crosby, Yoakum, Terry, Lunn, Garza and Dawson.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to take this method of thanking our many friends and our neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown during the death and burial of our dear husband, father, and brother.

And for the beautiful flowers sent and for the nice dinner which the women prepared for us on our return home and especially do we thank Mr. Bilberry for the nice talk he made. May the Lord bless each of you. — Mrs. B. E. Pettijohn and children, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Bussell all of Guthrie; R. S. Pettijohn and family of Spur, Texas; J. A. and R. W. Pettijohn of Gustine, Texas.

Adding Machine Paper at the Times.

EASTERN STAR

Spur Chapter meets on Thursday night just after the full of the moon in each month. Meeting hour eight o'clock. All members requested to be present. Visiting members welcome. — Mrs. Eula Joplin, W. M. — Mrs. Georgia Barrett, Secretary

"NERVES"

Here's a good way to quiet "NERVES"—A Dr. Miles' Effervescent Nervine Tablet, a glass of water, a pleasant, sparkling drink. Nerves relax. You can rest, sleep, enjoy life. At your drug store. 25c and \$1.00.



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FOR SALE: One young Percheron work horse. See E. S. Lee. 1tc

HONEY JUNE SWEET CORN SEED Texas best roasting and canning corn. An early drought resisting, and prolific variety bred for Texas. Two pounds 50 cents, five pounds \$1.00, postpaid. Write me for prices on larger quantities. P. W. Horner, 4111 W. 24th Street, Bryan, Texas.

FOR SALE—Maize, See William Nichols, at Smith's Chili King, Spur 3-19-tnc

PERCHERON Stallion Vern Registry No. 216761. Public service, April 1 to July 30. See Dad Henderson, Spur, Texas, Fee \$12.50—C. B. Meddleton, owner 3-19 to 4-9 pd

FOR SALE—My filling station and residence combined. Take car as part pay. J. J. Ensey. 3-19-3tp

FEED FOR SALE—Hagari bundles at two cents each, baled hegari at fifty cents, maize heads at \$15.00 per ton. All nice bright feed. E. D. Chambers, Glenn, Texas. 3-29tc

MEN WANTED for Rawleigh Routes of 800 families. Reliable hustler should start earning \$25 weekly and increase rapidly. Write today, Rawleigh, Dept. Tx-704-S, Memphis, Tenn. 3-26c

DON'T SCRATCH! Get Paracide Ointment, the guaranteed itch and eczema remedy. Paracide is guaranteed to relieve all forms of itch, eczema or other skin irritations or money refunded. Large Jar 50c at City Drug Store. 3-28-36pd

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Fresh Prunes Sometimes No. 10 29c
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Mex. Style Beans 3 Tall Cans 25c
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The Fastest Selling Coffee West of the Mississippi River

3 Pounds 49c
Edwards Dependable COFFEE 2 Lb. Can 47c
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Mother's Cocoa 2 Lb. Can 17c

Potatoes No. 1 Quality 10 LBS. 20c
Celery Jumbo Size 15c
Lettuce Large Head Each 5c
Texas Strawberries 2-1pt baskets 25c

SUGAR

10 Pounds 49c
Good Brooms, each 25c
Texas Spinach 3 No. 2 Cans 25c
Del Maiz Corn Cream Style Tall Can 10c
Libbys Pumpkin 3 1/2 Can 15c
Grape Jam MA. BROWN 16 Oz. Jar 15c

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