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Bits o' Nothing

Borrowed 'n' Otherwise
By EARNEST E. HAYLEY

Wall Street is going to be very disappointed this fall when Dickens County's crop yield results in the removal of those Republican dollars from their musty vaults.

About another week now and many candidates will be left wondering what prevented so many of the "promised voters" from going to the polls.

We don't play politics much but isn't that squeek we hear coming from one of the party's platform planks?

Candidates we like in the county judge's race: Austin C. Rose, Jim Cloud, Robert Reynolds, A. B. Hogan, G. W. Bennett and Marshall Formby—and we gotta vote for one.

Candidates we are going to vote for: L. D. Ratliff, Jr., for County Attorney; Fred Arrington for County Clerk; Mrs. Nettie Littlefield for District Clerk; Mrs. Alice Murphree for County Treasurer, and H. H. Terry for County Surveyor—and you'll do the same, we bet.

They are working to "democratize" the Townsend pension movement. Wonder if even an M. D. could restore the word to its former meaning.

They tell us that local filling station and garage people are almost down on Rev. Yeats, who last week invited others to join him in a resolve to leave their cars in the shed and walk at home so that they may travel abroad.

Manager Gartside of the local Palace Theatre must be trying to start a body of "Fighting Marines" here in Spur by releasing 50 balloons, with free passes attached to each, next Saturday morning. At least there will be some fighting, and scrambling for the free duckets.

We used to hear lots about Spur's Golf team, but for some reason they have sorta dropped out of sight. It couldn't be that they are winning.

It is Aux Cayes (dollar word meaning O. K.) by us if the Spur Security Bank wants to hold any of our cheques over until next first.

Every time we see that sign on Gruben's Jewelry Store window, which reads "R. R. Watches" we want to laugh out in a Lucrezia Agujari soprano. What do we need with a railroad timepiece? We only have one train per day, and its a freight.

Then there is the Spur bridge player who would have trumped her opponent's ace but she didn't have the heart.

Every year someone starts the same old stories and newspapers print them. This week it is the report that a farmer's pop corn field popped out in this hot weather and livestock, thinking the white grains were snow, froze to death. Cut off our fan, please. It grows cooler.

The Dallas News says, "The most acute problem is not how to pay old age pensions, but how to get one." However our opinion is one can quickly acquire the age limit by staying in the weekly newspaper business for a few years.

A few minutes waiting in the lobby of the offices of Drs. Hale, Alexander and Brannen with a library of such works as "Practical Orthodontia" and "Dental Pathology and Therapeutics" is enough to leave a bad taste in the mouth of any patient.

Albert Power, candidate for sheriff, says the only kind of hoe handle he would like would have to have a rubber cushion on one end and an arm rest on the other. What, no umbrella?

This department would appreciate, in fact, almost offer a reward for the capture of O. C. Thomas—the hardest man in town to contact.

Just when we thought perhaps the depression was lifting so men could find jobs without building and going into the filling station business the state highway department comes along with awards for the best looking and kept station in each section of the country. Watch contracting business boom!

J. C. Paison of Calgary, was in Spur Saturday and reported crop conditions very good.

REVIVAL TO BEGIN AT CROTON JULY 22

Revival services, under the conduct of Bro. R. C. Tinnison, will open at the Croton Baptist church Wednesday, July 22, according to information given the Times early this week.

Bro. Tinnison is well known as a spiritual director and much good is expected of the meeting to which the public has been extended an invitation to attend.

New \$60,000 Water System Gives Spur Lower Key Rates

Work of installation of the new \$60,000 city water works system, which is expected to begin within about two or three weeks, according to City Manager L. R. Burrow, will require practically all winter for completion if present plans are carried out.

New six inch mains will replace most all four inch equipment now in use and four inch mains will be placed in use through other sections of the city including the colored addition of the city of Spur.

New fire hydrants are being planned for various sections of the city and cooper service pipes will be connected to each individual piece of property at a cost of only \$15 to the owners. The completed project, work of the WPA, will place Spur in a lower priced insurance key rate schedule according to Manager Burrow.

Fort Worth Show To Open Saturday

The Fort Worth Frontier centennial opens in that city Saturday, according to dispatches from the officials and an advertisement on page four of this newspaper.

Final dress rehearsal performances will be given Friday evening with newspaper editors of Texas as special guests, according to a letter and invitation received by this publication this week. Dinner will be served visiting editors in Casa Manana, the largest open air cafe-theatre in the world. Special performances, including the Last Frontier, and Billy Rose's sensational Jumbo will be presented just as they will when the show opens Saturday.

Many Spurites are expected to attend the big show this week end.

STAMPS ECHOLS SINGING IN ABILENE NEXT SUNDAY

A big Sunday afternoon singing is scheduled for July 19th at the South Side Baptist Church in Abilene, according to announcements this week.

The affair is being sponsored by Frank Stamps, Gunshaw, North Carolina, and Odie Echols of Abilene. The public has been invited to hear what is promised to be many good quartets, trios, duets and solos.

RETURNS FROM FUNERAL

Seals Ernest has returned from Pottotoc where he attended the funeral services of four relatives killed in a head on car collision with Dr. Woody of San Antonio. The dead were Mrs. Ruth Needman and her two children and Ben Ferguson. They were enroute home when the accident occurred near Burney.

DICKENS GIRL HONORED

Johnnie Lovell, daughter of W. T. Lovell of Dickens, made the spring semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of B.

H. T. Harris of Whiteflat, was in Spur Tuesday assisting with arrangements for the J. H. Reynolds funeral.

Dickens Baptist Meet Results 8 Additions

Revival services at the Dickens Baptist church closed Sunday night, after a dozen additions had resulted from the splendid services conducted by Bro. A. V. Bradley, according to church pastor, J. J. Terry. Eight of the additions were made by baptism.

Rev. Terry was this week expressing the church's thanks to the Roaring Springs pastor who delivered the sermons, and to the other churches of the city for the way in which they gave of their fine fellowship.

Motley-Dickens Counties Old Settlers Reunion Is Included In Centennial Ads

The Motley-Dickens Counties Old Settlers Reunion, to be held in Roaring Springs August 27-28, is being advertised throughout the state via Texas Centennial newspaper advertising. Last week this publication carried an advertisement including the announcement and date.

The Texas Centennial's newspapers advertising campaign carries the dates and announcement of all major centennial celebrations being held in Texas this year. This is being done to point out the many "side shows" offered Texas visitors this year, in addition to the regular Centennial attraction in Dallas and the Fort Worth Frontier show in Fort Worth.

Officers and directors of the Motley-Dickens counties reunion have been called for a special meeting at the Traveler's hotel in Roaring Springs Monday for the purpose of ranging a tentative program, according to announcements coming from reunion president, C. C. Haile.

Everyone interested, whether officer or director, has been invited and urged to be present at the meeting to help formulate plans to make this year the biggest and most successful reunion ever held by the association, the president has announced.

The Motley-Dickens Counties Old Settlers Reunion is an annual affair for this section and always attracts hundreds of West Texas pioneers and others, who enjoy a general good time.

Church of Christ Meeting Is Closed

The Church of Christ meeting conducted during last week closed Sunday after a most successful revival, under the directions of Rev. Jno. M. Rice, of Abilene.

Services were reported well attended, in spite of the weather conditions existing during the early part of the week. Evangelist Jno. M. Rice, formerly pastor of the Church of Christ of this city, delivered many splendid spiritual sermons which were enjoyed by the invited public.

DICKENS BOY JOINS NAVY

James Herman Harkey, son of D. J. Harkey of Dickens, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy at recruiting station in Dallas according to announcement from that city this week. He has been transferred to Navy Training Station at San Diego, California, for training, after which he will be transferred to a ship of the fleet where he will serve during the remaining time of his enlistment.

B. F. Johnson attended a special meeting at Whiteflat last week and reports wonderful services.

8 POUND BABY GIRL

An eight pound baby girl arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Kimmel, Dickens county citizens living about eight miles northeast of Spur, Wednesday morning, July 15th, at 6 o'clock. Both mother and baby are reported doing well.

EUROPEAN VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford B. Jones have departed on what is planned to be a six weeks vacation in New York and Europe.

ELECTS NEW TEACHER

In a school board meeting held last week, Mrs. Oscar McGinty, formerly of Childress and Vernon schools, was elected to head the public speaking department of the local school next year, according to information furnished this paper.

Foodway Celebrates 1st Year of Business

The Foodway Store, local grocery establishment is this week celebrating its first anniversary and will hold "open house" to the public Saturday, July 18th, according to the management.

The Foodway store was established in Spur one year ago by M. H. Costlow and Tolbert, with the latter's interest later being purchased by Jimmy Dunlap and the firm managed jointly by Costlow and Dunlap. They have enjoyed good business and have expressed themselves as being thankful and appreciative of the patronage given them.

Their celebration Saturday will be joined by the public by being served cold drinks free all day.

SCREW WORM STOCK TO GET FEDERAL AID

The Federal government, through its Screw Worm Supervisor will conduct a campaign in Dickens county against the most serious pest affecting both livestock and man, according to information in the hands of the County Agent Lane.

"I shall be glad to assist any farmer or ranchman, in order that they may learn how to protect livestock from the screw worm," L. L. Brock, district Screw Worm Supervisor, has advised the county agents office. "How to recognize and successfully treat the screw worm will be illustrated," he said.

The campaign is being conducted in this county in order that farmers and ranchmen may learn to protect their livestock against the pest. Those needing the supervisors assistance should see the agent, so that he may get in touch with the district supervisor, it has been announced.

Funeral Services For J. H. Reynolds Held

Funeral services for J. H. "Shorty" Reynolds, 78 year old pioneer of Dickens county and West Texas, were held at Dickens Wednesday afternoon with Bro. A. P. Stokes of Afton and J. J. Terry of Dickens conducting. The interment was made in the Dickens cemetery.

Mr. Reynolds died at Glen Rose July-12 after suffering ill health for the past 18 months. Heart trouble was believed to be the chief cause of death.

"Shorty" Reynolds was born November 25, 1857, at Etowah, McMinn county, Tenn., and came to West Texas 52 years ago in 1884. The past 48 years were spent in Dickens, Lubbock, Floyd and Childress counties. The early years of his Texas life were spent riding on the Spur ranch and the Milliron ranch near Childress. He served for twelve years as postmaster of the city of Dickens. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge. He was among those who assisted with the organization of Childress county.

He is survived by one sister, Mrs. Lebbey Reynolds Derrick of Athens, Tenn., a 76 year old pioneer of her own right who attended the services at Dickens, and a brother, Horace Reynolds of Etowah, Tenn. Another sister, Mrs. Virginia Kate who formerly lived here in 1906, died last May at the age of 87 years. He was never married.

Besides the sister and brother the well known and loved pioneer is survived by a number of nieces and nephews: Mrs. Mary Dunn of Dickens, Mrs. Bob Alley of Gail, Texas, Mrs. H. T. Harris of Whiteflat and Robert Reynolds of Dickens.

CATTLE RAISERS OFFICER

W. O. Finley, formerly deputy sheriff in Spur has accepted a position with the Cattle Raisers Association as special officer, according to information furnished the Times this week. Mr. Finley will be stationed here in Spur it is understood.

Local Stores Offer Feature Specials In Times' Advertising

Many of Spur's leading firms this week are offering special feature values through the advertising columns of the Times.

B. Schwarz and Son is conducting a Summer Clearance sale and Henry Alexander and Company is announcing a Midsummer Clearance. Both dry goods firms are offering outstanding values in ready-to-wear and other merchandise.

Bryant-Link grocery department returns to the Times advertising columns for an announcement medium regarding many attractive prices on foods for the week end and Monday. Foodway announces their first anniversary. Safeway Store carry an extended advertisement regarding a special Canned Foods sale being conducted at the local store.

Plan New Theatre For Spur; To Make Palace Changes

C. F. Hardwick, owner of the local Palace Theatre, was in Spur this week from Olney where he recently opened the new Westex theatre in that city, and reported plans were pending for remodeling and improvement work to be done on the local Palace as well as plans for a new 500 seat theatre to be opened on Burlington avenue, in this city.

The plans, as they are now being formulated, call for new Western Electric wide range sound equipment, new projection machines and installation of both men's and women's rest rooms at the Palace.

Plans for the new 500 seat theatre to be opened on Burlington avenue have not been completed as to location, or other plans, according to Mr. Hardwick, however, machines and equipment from the present Palace will be used in the new house, which will be operated at low prices and with second class pictures, if announced pending plans work out.

Spur Summer School Closes 7 Week Term

The seven week summer school, under the direction of Principal O. L. Kelly and Odie Martin, closed last week with an above average report.

Twenty-one students, representing numbers from Patton Springs, Jayton, Dickens and Spur, were enrolled in make-up or advanced work. "The class average work done by the students was comparatively high" O. L. Kelly, principal of the Spur high school said.

Most of the enrolled students were taking advanced work for additional credits, while some were making up lost work.

Hot Weather Calls For Healthy Living

Keeping cool and standing the heat during the hot summer months is in a large measure dependent upon the individual, health authorities agree. Over indulgence in food or exercise may cause much suffering.

"The clothes we wear and the food we eat play an important role in keeping us comfortable during the hot season," said Dr. John W. Brown, State Health officer.

"Summer clothing should be light in weight and color and of a porous texture. White clothes reflect the rays of the sun and therefore are cooler. Frequent change of clothing, particularly of that next to the skin, is especially conducive to comfort.

"The summer diet should consist of light, nutritious, and easily digested foods. Fresh fruits and vegetables are particularly desirable as hot weather foods because of their ease of digestion and wide range of variety in the manner they may be served. Meat and heavy pastries should be eaten sparingly. A balanced diet may be maintained without these foods. Do not eat when you are tired.

"Exercise should be taken in hot weather but good judgment must be used in the amount that is taken. Swimming is fine exercise and is more refreshing than other forms of exercise. If sun baths are to be indulged in, care should be taken to body for short periods in the beginning.

"Plenty of rest is necessary during hot weather. Sleep a sufficient number of hours and eat at regular meal times. Acquire regular habits of living and develop a cheerful outlook on life, and you will find that it will help you to spend a comfortable summer at home or on vacation."

MORE CHECKS

Approximately 120 more subsidy checks, totaling \$6,892.22, have been reported received by the county agents office.

Boles Orphans To Present Program

Approximately 25 children from the Boles Orphans Home near Greenville, will be present in a musical and song program at the local Church of Christ Sunday afternoon at 3:00, according to announcement coming from the church this week.

The program is to be free and the public has been extended an invitation to attend. Musical numbers including quartets, solos and sing-songs are announced as parts of the program.

JULY CCC ROLL IS FILLED TO QUOTA

The quota for the July CCC enrollment for the state of Texas allotted only 100 colored applicants and no whites and the colored quota for districts 16 and 17 have already been filled according to announcements.

However, another call is expected in October, so young men desiring to enroll for CCC work are advised to place their applications with the county Case Worker now so that due consideration may be given next fall.

More Than Million And Half Pounds Of Ice Sold Here

According to the Matador Tribune, the Leon Independent Ice Company plant in Matador has trucked more than 1,500,000 pounds of ice to Spur since the present owner acquired the property in February. The ice is moved to the Leon plant here in Spur by means of independently owned trucks.

The storage vault here in Spur holds 180 tons and the demand in this section has required constant trucking to keep a supply on hand it was declared. The Matador plant has been operating at full capacity, which is about 11 tons every 24 hours, since the 15th of April and has manufactured near 530 tons for the Spur distributing station besides supplying Matador and neighboring communities.

Services Held For Father Local Man

Funeral services for Rev. I. D. Hull, Baptist minister in West Texas for the past 48 years and father of A. C. Hull of this city, were held at Snyder Wednesday morning.

The veteran minister succumbed Tuesday to a heart attack. He was ordained at Rising Star in 1883 and served as pastor at Jayton, Big Spring, Gorman, Carbon, Breckenridge, Ranger and Eastland.

Surviving, besides the local man, are: Arthur and Dee Hull of Lamesa, A. T. Hull of Floydada and four daughters, Mrs. Algie Smith of Breckenridge, Mrs. J. D. McBride of Floydada, Mrs. Jack Inman of Snyder and Mrs. Leslie Stripping of Carizo Springs. Six brothers, thirteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren also survive.

A. C. Hull and family attended the services at Snyder.

Jack Alfred Show In Tent Here This Week

The Jack and June Alfred's Comedians test show opens a three day engagement in Spur tonight under the auspices of the Boyd Williams Post of the American Legion.

The Alfred comedians visit Spur each season and always bring good clean wholesome entertainment. Their tent will be located on the block opposite Godfrey & Smart, it is understood. Cash prizes are being offered local amateurs Friday night.

FROM LOCKNEY PAPER

Miss Ruby Ray Williamson of Spur and Miss Royce Parks of Canyon, and Melvin Alexander of Lakeview were guests of Miss Eunice and Wayne Coleman over the week end. Miss Coleman and Mr. Coleman, who are attending West Texas State Teachers College in Canyon, were home visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Coleman, over the holidays.—Lockney Beacon.

Miss Ruth Cowan is in Lovington, New Mexico, visiting Miss Ruth Mathew.

Ruby Cowan spent the past week end in Lubbock visiting Joy Jackson, Wynelle McClure, who is attending band school, and Louise Sullivan. Louis Sullivan accompanied Ruby home and is her guest for this week.

Mrs. V. L. Patterson and children who have been visiting in East Texas were accompanied home Thursday by the lady's sister, Mrs. E. V. Day and husband and two sons, George and Robert, of Kaufman. The Days will remain with Mrs. Patterson this week.

.: SOCIETY and CLUBS :.

MRS. O. C. THOMAS IS HOSTESS

Mrs. O. C. Thomas entertained a number of her friends Thursday afternoon at her home with a bridge party.

Unusually attractive arrangements of flowers and tropical grass adorned the entertaining rooms.

A beautiful iridescent blue bubble bowl was presented to Mrs. C. L. Love who held high score. Mrs. Mott Dillingham of Munday made second high and Mrs. E. D. Engleman was lucky in cutting high. They received crystal bubble bowls.

A most refreshing salad plate was served to: Mmes. M. H. Brannen, E. D. Engleman, L. D. Ratliff, Pike Nichols, M. C. Golding, Bullock Tillotson, Buster Parrish, R. R. Wooten, Ray Taylor, A. C. Hull, James D. Smith, W. T. Andrews, G. B. Wadzeck, Sam Clemmons, Ermal Scott, Neal A. Chastain, Anna McClure, Dewey L. Granberry, C. L. Love, Jack Rector, Horace Gibson, Tyrus Allen, Matt Dillingham, Munday, Merwyn Jones of Jayton and Miss Nig Lisenby.

MRS. V. V. PARR HAS BLUE-BONNETT LUNCHEON

Mrs. V. V. Parr complimented her house guests, Misses Ruth Chambers and Anna Knobel of Wisconsin and Sara McDonald of Stamford with a bluebonnet bridge luncheon at her home at the Pitchfork Ranch headquarters Saturday.

The bluebonnet theme was cleverly used in the appointments for the bridge games, with the tallies being formed of small tiles with handpainted sprays of the Texas flower. The score sheets bore the same design.

A four course luncheon was served at the bridge tables which were centered with bowls of blue bonnets. Miniature sun bonnets of blue made unique nut cups.

In the bridge games table prizes of lovely bluebonnet handkerchiefs were presented to Mrs. Della Eaton, Mrs. Guy Karr and Mrs. Ermal Scott. The guests of honor also received dainty handkerchiefs.

The guests for this pleasant affair were Mmes. W. T. Andrews, Della Eaton, Neal A. Chastain, Anna McClure, Hill Perry, Guy Karr, Ermal Scott, Cash Wilemon, Misses Nig Lisenby, Ruth Chambers, Anna Knobel and Sara McDonald.

NEIGHBORHOOD BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Horace Gibson was hostess Friday evening to members of the Neighborhood Bridge Club and one guest, Mrs. Buster Parrish.

Pretty rose bowls, containing colorful roses were presented to the prize winners, Mrs. M. H. Brannen, high, and Mrs. B. C. Langley, next high.

A refreshment plate of frozen salad, wafers, olives, cake and punch was passed to the following: Mmes. C. L. Love, John Wylie, M. H. Brannen, Tom Johnson, B. C. Longley, Lawis Lee and Buster Parrish.

WEDNESDAY LUNCHEON CLUB

The Wednesday Luncheon Club met the past week at one o'clock at the Spur Inn, with thirteen members and two guests present.

Lovely summer roses formed the centerpiece of the luncheon table.

In the games of bridge Mrs. M. C. Golding made high score and received the silver fork. Mrs. Lillian Holt of Center, Texas, won the guest prize which was a linen handkerchief. Others who were present were Mmes. W. T. Andrews, Nellie Davis, Hill Perry, Louis Rochat, Anna McClure, W. R. Lewis, Bullock Tillotson, Ermal Scott, Buster Parrish, R. E. Dickson, O. C. Thomas, Horace Gibson and Miss Nig Lisenby.

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SPURITES ENJOY CALIFORNIA BEACH

Swimming in the ocean and a very tasty lunch on the Santa Monica (California) beach, were enjoyed by many Spurites and former Spurites on Sunday afternoon, June 28. Many former Spur citizens were working and unable to attend. Those enjoying the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harris, Mrs. Lonnie Harris and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Mac Watson, Mr. and Mrs. William Manning and children, Bill and Martha June, Mr. and Mrs. Dial Hindman, Mr. and Mrs. John K. Johnson, Buddy, Robbie, Ruth and Nina Mae Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Tunnell, Mr. and Mrs. Leland Jones and son, Jerry, Mrs. J. O. Harkney, Mrs. E. P. Taylor, Mrs. Hayden Pierce and son, Delbert, and Miss Frances Gipson, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Harkey, Mr. Carl Harkey, Mr. Raymond Harkey, Mr. H. P. Cole, Mr. Harold Wood Harris and Miss Willie Stafford.

TRIPLE TREY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Buster Parrish entertained the Triple Trey club and a number of guests with a morning party on Friday at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. P. Carson.

A modernistic theme of white was emphasized in the lovely prizes awarded at the close of the games. Mrs. E. D. Engleman, high club member received a flower bowl of white, Mrs. C. L. Love received a white card tray, and a white jewel case was presented to Mrs. O. C. Thomas for high cut.

The white motif was repeated in the refreshment plate passed to the following: Mmes. E. D. Engleman, L. D. Ratliff, G. B. Wadzeck, Tyrus Allen, James O. Smith, A. C. Hull, M. C. Golding, Cash Wilemon, C. L. Love, Lillian Holt, Ermal Scott, Della Eaton, O. C. Thomas and Miss Nig Lisenby.

WHERE IS MY WIFE?

We were secretly married. She did not get along with my father, mother and the servants and has disappeared. I want to effect a reconciliation with her.

For full details, please see "PRIVATE NUMBER" featuring Loretta Young and Robert Taylor. It's coming to the Palace Theatre real soon!

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Thursday Bridge Club met on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. W. T. Andrews.

The bridge table was arranged in the lovely garden at the rear of the home and a very pleasant hour was spent there. Mrs. O. C. Thomas made high score and received a pretty linen table cover.

A delicious ice course was served to Mrs. J. C. McNeill III, Mrs. D. L. Granberry, Mrs. O. C. Thomas and Mrs. Jack Rector.

Personal

Mrs. R. A. Ewton, of Spur, was a visit first of the week with her son, Buddy Wheeler, at the Seymour Hotel.—Seymour Banner. Mrs. Wheeler and Mrs. Ewton were in Spur Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Braddock, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hale, Charles Arrington, T. D. Hall, W. P. Cates, Rupert Harvey, and Mrs. and Mrs. M. K. Lawson of the Afton community were in town Saturday.

J. H. Gauge, W. B. Gauge, Jim Offield and J. M. French were among those from Prairie Chapel who were shopping and attending business here Saturday.

Robert Nichols and Leonard Comelies were here from McAdoo Saturday reporting crop outlook good for their community.

W. D. Robertson of Dry Lake was transacting business here Saturday. Mr. Robertson is a very progressive farmer in his community.

FROM CALIFORNIA

Mrs. T. C. Cooley and little son of Santa Anna, California, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gentry of Elton, Texas.

DIRECTS SLATON BAND

Burgess Brown, director of the Spur high school band and instrumental director in Texas Tech summer band school, conducted the Saturday night concert of the Slaton high school band last week, according to reports in the Slaton Slatonite. The program was composed entirely of new numbers played for the first time this season.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Morton and family of the Prairie Chapel community were shoppers in Spur Saturday.

Spur Man Is Buried In Lubbock Cemetery

Funeral services for J. H. Jones, 76, of Spur, who died in a Lubbock hospital last Friday morning at 6 a. m. after an eight weeks illness, were conducted in Lubbock Friday afternoon with burial in Memorial Park cemetery there. Rev. J. C. McCarty, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church of that place officiated at the services.

Mr. Jones was a brother of Mrs. A. C. George of Spur and had resided here for about four years. He came here from Roswell, N. M., where he had resided for 15 years previously and operated an automobile agency.

Mr. Jones had suffered a foot infection, which necessitated amputation of his right leg. Death was due to his weakened condition and an insufficient blood circulation attendant to age.

Mr. Jones was born in Bosque county near Meridian. As a young man he was engaged in the cattle business near Sweetwater.

Surviving him besides his sister, Mrs. George, is a brother, M. R. Jones of Artesia, New Mexico; a sister, Mrs. Bernice Akin of Roswell, and several nephews and nieces residing here and at Lubbock.

FROM COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. Brill Height, of Eagle, Colorado, were here the first of the week attending to business matters. The Heights have been in Colorado for the past year, where they filed on land which has proven to be of much value in gold deposits. Mr. Height was formerly manager of the Tri-County lumber company here.

TO MED CONVENTION

Dr. John Wylie, of the local hospital, attended a meeting of the West Texas Medical Association at Snyder Tuesday of this week. He appeared on the program.

McAdoo Man Enrolled In Tech Cotton School

C. A. McLaughlin of McAdoo was among those enrolled in the annual cotton classing school conducted in the engineering department of Texas Technological College, which began this week under the direction of Laverne Lackey of New Orleans, acting head of the textile engineering department. This school will continue through July 17.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Henry of Duncan Flat, reported, while shopping and attending to business matters here Saturday, that crop conditions of that area were far advanced over any stage they been in many years. The Henrys own many sections of land in that community and are very optimistic over the prospects as they now look.

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Mr. and Mrs. Mat Howell of the Cat Fish community were in Spur Saturday. Mrs. Howell was attending some club work business while here. She is a very interested club worker of her community.

Call all news stories to Times—30.

BELL'S CAFE

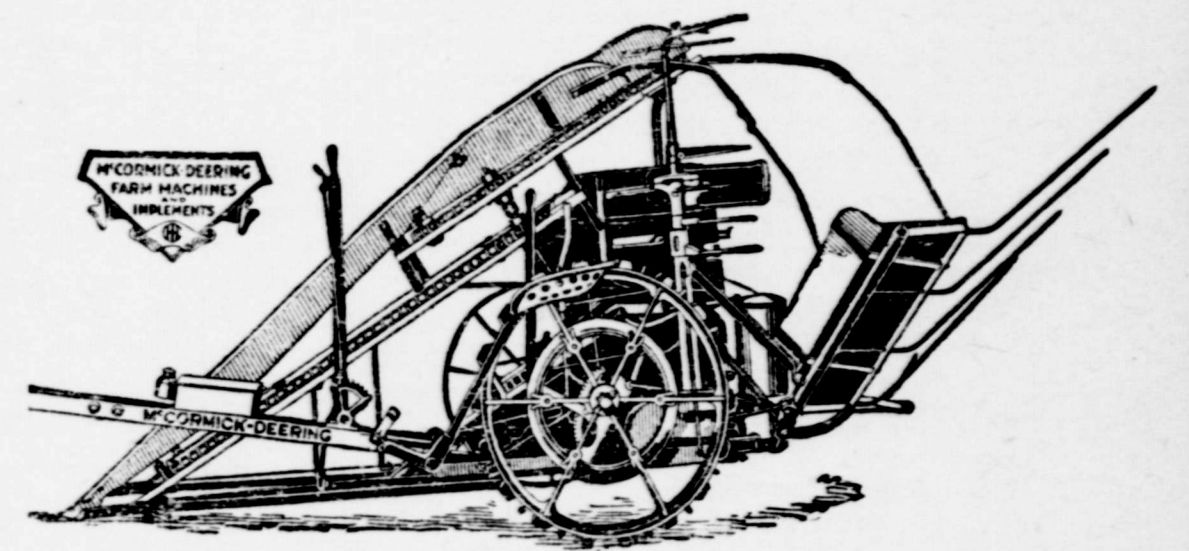
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ISLE OF MISSING MEN!

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HOW BIG AM I?

By GEO. S. LINK

"Once upon a time there lived a man in ancient Greece who wanted to do something to be remembered after his death. He tried to think of an achievement that would place his name among the immortals. Finally he seized upon the plan of destroying a great cathedral upon which had been lavished great work and art. That was an ignoble thing to do, but the urge to perpetuate ourselves to live on in mankind's memory after we die is inborn in the soul of each one of us" and we sometimes ask ourselves, How big am I? Me might answer that question by saying, "I'm as big as my opportunity will permit and my mental and physical powers are able to accomplish.

It is well for us to sit on the fence sometimes and watch ourselves pass by and use the same yardstick that we use for measuring the other fellow. Am I doing anything to add to the uplift of those about me so they may see more beauty and find more joy in the assurance that somebody cares? Would the community in which I live be better off or would they miss me if I passed on? Do I see any of the good in those who rule and those who serve? Do I carry a hammer to knock or a trumpet to cheer? Our lives are shaped for good or bad by our attitudes.

This is still a good old world and ours a great country here where the stars and stripes are still permitted to wave, the country where the cry of the orphan and call of the hungry and cold are heard by those who stand at the helm of state. We shall not go far wrong when we are trying to improve living conditions of those who have not enjoyed all the blessings and comforts that are here for all.

How big am I? Could I distribute the blessings God has provided just as they should be if I were in charge of this nation? Do I find myself

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condemning those in authority without an intelligent knowledge of what they have to do with and do? Are all the men in office bad and all those seeking to get in office good?

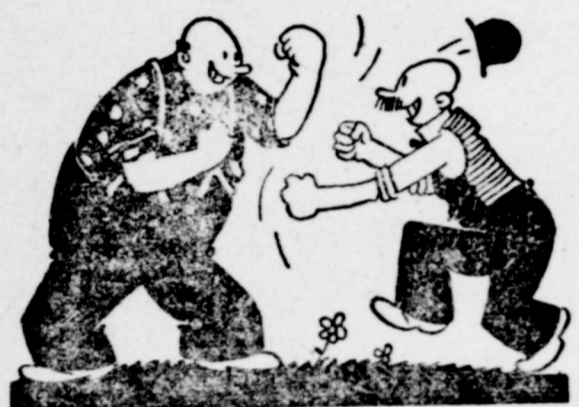
How big am I? Can I see God in the morning sunrise, in flowers and birds and trees? Or do I shut my eyes to the beautiful and think of life as something of little value?

How big am I? Do I really enjoy those things of real beauty and worth? We cannot all be great but we can all be good. No one has a corner on honesty. No one can get a corner on all the smiles. No one can distribute all the cheer this old world can use. We read in the papers about the "thugs and robbers" and they are too many but where there is one of them there are a thousand good men. They may be wearing overalls but they stand for something and are big men because they do not change with every wind that blows. Women, too, as great as our mothers whose breath is not tainted with nicotine or booze.

How big am I? Can I stand temptation and if I fall can I rise again, and aim at greater achievements. How big am I? God knows when the sparrow falls. Are we big enough to appreciate the beauty in the song of a bird, the prattle of little children at play? Are we living and enjoying now or are we looking to the future for wealth or honor to come our way to make us happy?

Help me to be big enough to enjoy every day and find some of the beauty that I know is all around me.

We were secretly married. She did not get along with my father, mother and the servants and has disappeared. I want to effect a reconciliation with her.



The Morning After Taking Carter's Little Liver Pills

McAdoo

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holmes and Roy Neeley went to Roby last week end to visit with relatives and had to remain until the middle of this week before returning home on account of rain and muddy roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Whately and family were in Paducah recently to see Mrs. Whately's parents. Bill, a sister of Mrs. Whately returned home with them for a visit. She will also visit her other sister, Mrs. Benard Parker and husband who live here.

Mrs. O. S. Harvey visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Z. T. McKnight of Dickens Thursday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John A. Allen were in Spur Thursday.

Miss Willie Pearl Bass came in Friday for a few days visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bass. Willie Pearl is working in Lubbock.

Jack McLaughlin who has been in Washington, D. C. for sometime, is at home now.

Dudley Wooten has been employed on the radio staff of KFYQ, The Avalanche Journal Station, Lubbock. Mr. and Mrs. Cager Wade and fam-

ily and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Johnson and baby of Spur were here Sunday to see Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dozier and family.

Mr. W. O. Cherry moved from McAdoo Tuesday. Mrs. Cherry has been visiting with her mother for several weeks. A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Cherry some few weeks ago. Mr. Cherry, former superintendent of McAdoo school, will teach at Bovina the coming term.

Mr. James Lee Johnson spent the week end with relatives at Spur.

A number from McAdoo attended the candidate speaking at Pansy Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker spent several days last week at Spur with their son, Lee and family. Mr. Parker helped Lee with his farming.

The past week an arbor was built on the south side of the Methodist Church. This will furnish a larger and cooler place for services for during the summer. The arbor will be used for revival services later in the summer and possibly some of the Sunday School classes and league will meet there at present.

Mr. Ben Eldredge has bought the filling station on highway 24, east of McAdoo. The station was formerly owned by Mr. Rush McLaughlin. Mr.

and Mrs. Jack Derr are operating the filling station at Spur. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pullen were attending to business and visiting Herbert McCarty, a brother of Mrs. Pullen, and family, in Amarillo recently. Mrs. McCarty and children, returned home with them for an extended visit. Mr. McCarty is a patient in an Amarillo sanitarium and will remain there until his health improves more.

HICKS-BROWN

Mr. Hilton Hicks and Miss Maybell Brown of Jayton were united in marriage Saturday night, July 11th at the home of Rev. M. F. Ewton, according to information obtained by

the Times. Mr. Hicks is connected with the Legg and Hicks filling station at the corner of Burlington and Hill streets and has resided in Dickens county for many years. Miss Brown is a citizen of Jayton and sister of Jeff Brown, employee of the Fed Front Drug company of this city.

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We invite every one to visit with us Saturday. We will serve cold drinks all day and there will be a gift given to some one every hour starting at 10 o'clocking a. m. until 4 o'clock p. m.

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SOCIETY

BAPTIST W. M. U. CIRCLES MET MONDAY

West Circle

The West Circle met Monday at the home of Mrs. M. D. Ivey with eight present.

Mrs. Geo. M. Williams led in prayer after which Mrs. E. J. Cowan conducted a Bible Study lesson on Numbers.

Bagby Circle

Mrs. W. M. Hazelwood entertained the Bagby Circle Monday afternoon. Mrs. A. M. Walker led the discussion on the first book of Samuel, which was completed. For next Monday the lesson will be the first 12 chapters of the second book of Samuel. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to Mes. Minnie Lewis, Shockley, Andrew Green, Homer Cargile, Foy Vernon, A. M. Walker and Lawrence.

GIRL'S AUXILIARY

The girl's auxiliary of the Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church at 3:30.

Mrs. M. F. Ewton led the program which was a mission study. Others present were Ruby Cowan, Louise Sullivan and Ruby Nell Young.

YOUNGER GROUP HAS SWIMMING PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dunlap chaperoned a group of young people on a swimming party to Roaring Springs Thursday evening of last week.

Those who enjoyed the outing were Isabel Campbell, Helen Hale, Evelyn

Ivy, Hazel Jim Gray of Rotan, Texas, Frances Morris, Noema Smith, Helen Parrish, Nedra Hogan, Helen Payne, W. C. Pressley, Richard Ensey, Bill Caraway, Joe Gilbert, Johnnie Nichols and W. T. Ince.

LADIES BIBLE CLASS

Mrs. Howard Stubblefield conducted the Bible lesson when the Ladies Bible Class met Monday afternoon at the Church of Christ in regular meeting. The study in the book of Colossians was concluded.

Among those present were Mes. G. W. Conn, John Luce, D. N. Loe, Thurmon Moore, W. R. Weaver, W. B. Lee, E. S. Lee, O. L. Kelly, S. E. Boothe, M. M. Young and Jess Pinkerton.

HELEN VIRGINIA MARRS CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Little Miss Helen Virginia Marrs entertained Monday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marrs celebrating her sixth birthday.

Games were enjoyed after which favors of "Cracker Jacks" were presented the little guests.

Fruit punch and cookies were served to Laurie Robert Burrows, Kenneth, Roland and Shirley Hairgrove, Girdline Dillingham, Jacqueline and Creola Rector, Iris Maurine Smith, Neola Chastain, Ann Hull, Doris Wylie, Doris Gibson, Jean and Billie Granberry, Autrey Nell Dyess, Jimmie Koon, Marion Speer.

WOMAN'S COUNCIL

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met Monday, July 13, at the church with sixteen members and four visitors present.

Mrs. Nellie Davis gave the devotional, followed by a special number, a vocal duet by Sammie McGee and Peggy Hogan, with Grace Foster accompanying them at the piano. Mrs. Dollis Putman led the program which was comprised of each member answering roll call with excerpts from the church magazine.

On next Monday the Council Members will meet in the various circles and have a Bible lesson on Matthew.

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* Our Opinion Is *

That one great objection to this machine age is that one city dude with a V-8 can monopolize the company of four or five young ladies and thereby hinder good, honest working boys from enjoying a pleasant evening.



About Swimming Pools!

THE DUBLIN PROGRESS in commenting on Swenson Park swimming pool here in Spur, says, "It has always been our contention that the only way for Dublin to have a swimming pool is for it to be built as a municipal project in connection with the City Water Works. In fact such a project seems altogether plausible and able to pay for itself."

"During a three-month season, an average of 40 customers a day at 20c admission would bring the gross receipts to \$720 a season. At this rate the pool could, within a few seasons, pay the initial construction cost at the same time it was paying upkeep."

"To supply water for such a pool would not endanger the city water supply since modern machinery, through filtration, makes possible repeated use of the same water for filling the pool. Many municipalities foster such projects. Some even provide a natatorium so that water can be heated and used the year round."

"This would be especially suitable for Dublin, since a swimming program would fit in with the well-organized physical education schedule at the school. Such a program would provide each generation of young people not only with a better balanced recreational program but with a valuable knowledge of water safety."

The Dublin editor's comments are quite true, perhaps, regarding swimming pools as a whole, but he does not understand the situation existing in Spur. Fosterers of the project here do not see the value of the completed pool as soundly as does the Dublin Progress. The problem here is not the upkeep of the pool, but rather—"When is it going to be opened?"

The pool and the entire of Swenson Park is a PWA project. Its incompletion is not only hampering the business and pleasure values of the pool proper, but is holding up work of other Federal aid grants, which can not be started until the park is 90 per cent completed.

The district PWA office has on records an approved street paving plan, for which the funds have been granted, which can not be begun, according to records, until the Park work has reached 90 per cent completion. This means that as long as work is held up on the pool the other projects can not be started.

Taking the figures of the Dublin Progress for estimation bases, this city should employ additional labor and rush completion of the pool allowing the gross receipts to help pay the additional construction cost. Under present conditions the pool will not be opened until September. September in this section of West Texas is an odd time to dedicate a swimming pool, receipts for the remainder of the season will be small, whereas with the proper advertising booster campaign, and rushed completion of the pool the receipts would almost pay total additional labor cost—and at the same time open the pool this year, not next.

Old Guards Passing Fast!

MORE than a quarter hundred of the original pioneers of this county have passed on since this date one year ago. Practically every week the columns of the Times carry reports of those who have gone on. The Old Guards are passing fast!

For two days, July 23-24, the city of Dickens will sponsor the annual Old Timers Picnic, while in August (27-28) Dickens and Motley county old settlers will meet in an annual reunion at Roaring Springs—how comparatively few their number now counts. What a different crowd assembles each year from the year previous.

Another ten years and the number of the original settlers of this comparatively new country will count less than the teens. These reunions and picnics do more each year toward reminding us of the fact that the Old Guards are passing fast, than anything else.

Celebrating, Not Politicing!

ACCORDING to the Texas Weekly, the people of Texas seem to be more interested in celebrating the Centennial than they do in entering political fights.

True, perhaps in some terms, but one tries to believe that at last even the politicians have learned that the old style cat-and-dog fights are not sound mediums for vote gathering. Like the preachers and churches have changed, the voters and politicians have changed. Both are educated today. The candidate is wise that the people are just about as wise as he and that this and that cannot be chucked down the throat of the voter just because he is lacking in political training.

Save perhaps one exception there has been little mud-slinging in state races this year—we believe its education, but the Texas Weekly may be right—we're celebrating, not politicing.

Claude Callan in his Cracks at the Crowd in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram says, "Father is a big man when he is sick in a hospital and has a pretty nurse, but he is a big baby when he is sick at home and mother is waiting on him."

Some of the voters here in Spur are wondering if Brooks and Sanderford are still in the race for Governor. Of course, Alred, Fischer and Hunter will make the Dickens County ballot, but the printers may have forgotten the other two gentlemen.

Spur is going to have a free carnival here sometime the latter part of August, but it isn't fair to tell too much about it now since it may prove fatal to the gate receipts at the Centennial and Frontier shows.

OLD AGE PENSION

WHITEWRIGHT EDITOR APPROVES OLD AGE PENSION

This editor, being a member of the Legislature which made provision for the payment of old age assistance to needy persons 65 years old and older, has interested himself this week in making inquiries among local citizens who had applied for such assistance.

One man contacted said his application and that of his wife had been approved for \$17 each, making a total of \$34 per month to be paid the couple beginning in July. This man and his wife own their home, keep a cow, raise vegetables, and have managed to sustain life. With \$34 coming in monthly, he said they will be sitting on top of the world. He is perfectly satisfied with the amount allowed by the Old Age Assistance Commission.

Another man was approved for \$19 and his wife for \$17, the extra \$2 in his case being allowed for the purchase of medicine that he requires. An aged and practically helpless widow has been approved for \$30 monthly, the maximum amount possible to be allowed. Of this \$30, the State will pay \$15 and the Federal Government \$15. Other local applicants have been approved.

The Federal Social Security Act only joins the State in making payments to aged needy individuals, and the Federal Government will match State funds for this purpose only. Those who have made a study of the Texas Old Age Assistance law are now beginning to say that Texas has the most liberal old age assistance law of any state. In most of the States property owned by old people becomes the property of the State at their death, if they received old age assistance. And in other States if the aged person has children who are able to provide for them, they are denied assistance. No such provisions are to be found in the Texas law.

The Federal Government has already appropriated over \$1,150,000 to match the State in the July and August payments. This is more than was appropriated to any other state, some of which have a larger population than Texas, for July and August payments. The appropriation is larger because Texas is more liberal in its Old Age Assistance law—Whitewright Sun.

WHERE IS MY WIFE?

We were secretly married. She did not get along with my father, mother and the servants and has disappeared. I want to effect a reconciliation with her.

For full details, please see "PRIVATE NUMBER" featuring Loretta Young and Robert Taylor. It's coming to the Palace Theatre real soon!

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, 118 District:
C. L. HARRIS
LEONARD WESTFALL (Sec. T.)
JOE A. MERRITT
W. A. CRADDOCK

For County Judge:
MARSHALL FORMBY
JIM CLOUD (Re-election)
A. B. (Shorty) HOGAN
G. W. BENNETT
AUSTIN C. ROSE
ROBT. REYNOLDS

Clerk of District Court:
MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD

Clerk County Court:
FRED ARRINGTON

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. AWFILL
WAYNE VAN LEER
C. C. HAILE
HORACE NICKLES
VANCE HUGHES
W. K. (Willow) STREET

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
W. F. (Forrest) RAGLAND
E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON
E. J. OPFIELD
A. K. McALLISTER

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 3:
LONNIE LEWIS
C. N. (Newt) KIDD
W. F. (Walter) FOREMAN

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
C. E. BUTLER
M. B. GAGE
R. E. ROGERS
CLARENCE LITTLEFIELD

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 1:
LAWRENCE FOX
RAYMOND ELDREDGE

Public Weigher, Precinct No. 2:
GASTON JACKSON (Re-election)
G. W. CALVERT
S. R. PEAK

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3:
G. B. JOPLING

For Constable, Precinct 3:
W. T. ELKINS
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TECH HONOR STUDENT

Spencer Campbell, son of W. S. Campbell of Spur, made the spring semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of B.

VISITS CALIFORNIA

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Johnson returned Saturday from an extended visit with the latter's daughter, Mrs. William Harkey and other relatives and friends of Los Angeles, Calif.

Roy Scott, M. L. Blakely, Clarence McCaner, G. W. Bennett were among those citizens of Elton who were in Spur Saturday and reported crop conditions better than they have been in years.

Bruce Foul, Creig Parson and wife of Calgary community were shopping and transacting business here Saturday.

VISITS LOS ANGELES

Miss Frances Gibson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gibson of this city, returned from Los Angeles last week end where she had been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Hayden Pearce. Miss Gibson had been in California about a month.

The Spur Hospital

John T. Wylie, M. D.
Surgeon in Charge

X-RAY and RADIUM

FROM GIRARD

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Endwood all of Girard were shopping and attending to business here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Sizemore, C. L. White, C. C. Allison and Frank Mayo, Abe Swan and J. P. Koonsman all of Croton were shopping and attending business matters here Saturday. They reported crop conditions as being good for their area.

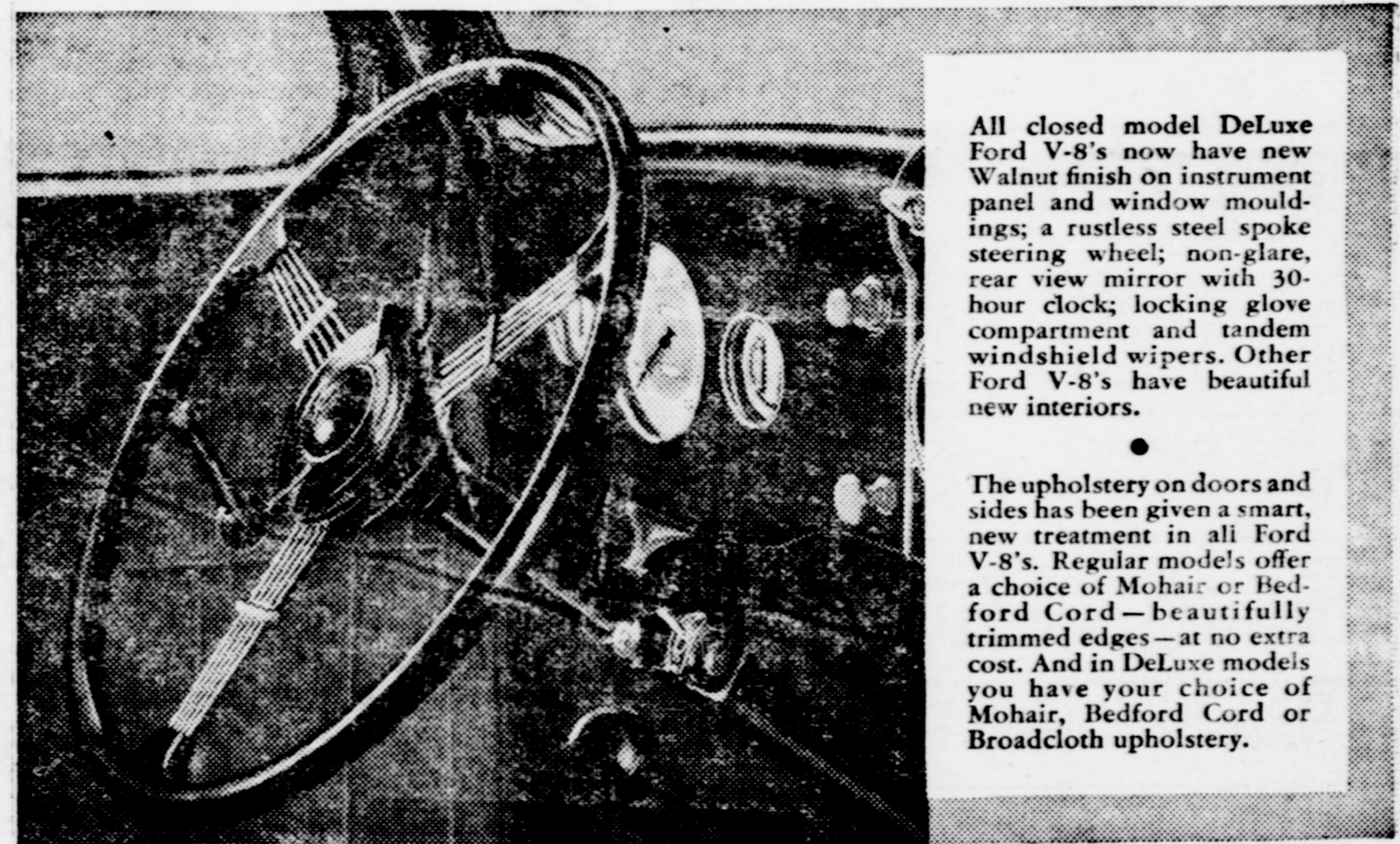
Why Gulf is the Gas for July



THE "DOG DAYS" start in July. Hot, sticky days that play hob with your car's mileage—unless you use a fuel tailored to the weather. If you don't want part of your gas to go out the exhaust unburned, wasted—get That Good Gulf in July. It's specially refined for summer driving—"Kept in Step with the Calendar." And that's why all of it goes to work, none of it goes to waste. Try it.

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All closed model DeLuxe Ford V-8's now have new Walnut finish on instrument panel and window moldings; a rustless steel spoke steering wheel; non-glare, rear view mirror with 30-hour clock; locking glove compartment and tandem windshield wipers. Other Ford V-8's have beautiful new interiors.

The upholstery on doors and sides has been given a smart, new treatment in all Ford V-8's. Regular models offer a choice of Mohair or Bedford Cord—beautifully trimmed edges—at no extra cost. And in DeLuxe models you have your choice of Mohair, Bedford Cord or Broadcloth upholstery.

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● 10% to 15% more miles per gallon... That's what today's stock Ford V-8's are showing over previous Ford V-8's in public gasoline tests now being run by Ford Dealers. The test cars are equipped with a see-for-yourself glass gallon jug so that anybody riding in

the car can check the results. Wouldn't you like to make a test run and see for yourself what a Ford V-8 will do? We invite you to take a ride with us.

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\$25 A MONTH after usual down payment, buys any new Ford V-8 under UCC finance plans of 1/2% a month on original unpaid balance. Safety glass throughout—at no extra cost. All models 85 horsepower, 112-inch wheelbase, 123-inch springbase. Prices, from \$510, F.O.B. Detroit, standard accessory group extra.

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National Housing Act Accounts for \$9,300.00 Loans Dickens County

Latest figures reveal that 19 loans amounting to \$9,304.96 have been made in Dickens County under the Modernization Credit Plan or Title I of the National Housing Act, according to a statement today by P. S. Luttrell, Associate Director of the Northwestern Texas District of the Federal Housing Administration.

The Northwestern District of Texas with headquarters in Fort Worth comprises 113 counties of north and west Texas. During the 20 months operation of the Federal Housing Administration, there has been a total of 9,610 loans amounting to \$3,241,505.08 made under Title I throughout this district, states Luttrell.

Title I or Modernization Credit Loans are made by banks and other financial institutions approved by the Federal Housing Administration; the loans are made for repairing, altering, modernizing and the improvement of real property. The obligation is repaid in small, equal monthly payments over a period of years not to exceed five. This particular section of the National Housing Act expired on April 1, 1936, but because of the demand for this type of loan, and the great benefits to property owners, building material dealers, and labor in the building trades, the Modernization Credit Plan was extended to April 1, 1937.

Information on the FHA plan of financing repairs, alterations and modernization of homes as well as for the construction of new homes may be had at any lumber yard, building material dealer, approved lending agency or by writing direct to the Federal Housing Administration office in Fort Worth, Texas.

WHAT HO! 118TH DISTRICT! LET THE TRUTH BE TOLD!

I have been over the six counties, and have found there is not much respect for office of Legislature.

They say: What is the use? All they go for is the \$10 a day and other things to be had on the side. Whose fault, dear voters? Yours, of course. The man shaking the most hands gets your vote.

Mr. Merritt has had the office four times, but can not point to anything of importance he accomplished.

Mr. Westfall? Well, I will leave it to you to find out. I could not.

Mr. Harris? Be it remembered you sent one young man from Scurry County. He drew his pay, rarely answered the roll call, and never returned to the District.

Dickens later offered a young man and he came near being elected.

Experience in life and accomplishment in Legislature should merit your consideration.

I helped to save the oil rights to schools of Texas.

I was first to propose the Parole law.

I helped to pass the law opening West Texas to settlement, and many other important measures.

The crowning ambition of my life is to help pass an old age assistance law that will not be a burden on anything or anybody—a law after two years trial will work so satisfactorily that no one will want to discard it. One that will be a consolation to the needy aged, as time goes marching on.

Respectfully
W. A. CRADDOCK
Candidate for the 45th Legislature (2)

MAKES HONOR ROLL

Era Belle Hogan, daughter of Ned Hogan, Spur, made the spring semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of B.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Putman and son, Bill Jr., visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Ward Chapman of Midland Sunday. They later drove on to Eunice, New Mexico, to visit friends, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Carson.

ON HONOR ROLL

Morris Laine, son of J. R. Laine of Spur made the spring semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of B.

Local Poets' Contributions

EDITOR'S NOTE: The poetic selections found under this heading are the works of Spur and Dickens county people. They, along with many others, have collected on the files at the Times office since being forced out, because of lack of space, for many weeks. Others will be run as space permits, though this publication does not encourage additional contributions because of the line space required.

SUNSETS

It is Heaven on earth to me,
When the evening sunset I see.
It is something georgious,
Something divine,
Something precious,
Something mine.
O clasp to my heart each memory
Of the colors that change and spread.
Gold, orchid and purple,
Pink, orange and flaming red.
A peaceful feeling enfolds me
And I stand in reverent awe,
Worshipping beauties of Nature
That was made by God's own law,
When I see the Sunset
It carries me far away,
To the land of realm and fancy
And a longing my heart does sway.
Perhaps there will come a day
When I'll write of the beauty about,
But now I must be satisfied,
And, oh, heart, please be stout!
—Contributed.

TEXAS ACROSTIC

T is for talent, which has developed
in this old state.
E is for energy which in Texas is
great.
X is for xylophone, which makes
music far and near.
A is for Allred, our governor this
year.
S is for our Lone Star State, which
this year its one hundredth birth-
day celebrates.
—Ardelle Pierce

Brother Local Woman Here From W. Virginia

Melvin Randall of West Virginia, brother of Mrs. Bill Kinney of Spur, came in last week for a visit with his sister whom he hadn't seen in 32 years. They enjoyed a very pleasant reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Kinney and Mr. Randall left Monday for Alma, Colo., where they will visit another sister, Mrs. H. Clark, who resides there. They will be gone a week.

They were accompanied to Colorado by Mr. and Mrs. Adrain Rickels and family who will also visit there.

WHERE IS MY WIFE?

We were secretly married. She did not get along with my father, mother and the servants and has disappeared. I want to effect a reconciliation with her.

For full details, please see "PRIVATE NUMBER" featuring Loretta Young and Robert Taylor. It's coming to the Palace Theatre real soon!

SPUR MAN HONORED

Bill D. Power, son of W. A. Power of Spur, made the spring semester honor roll at Texas Technological college with an average grade of B.

Joe Connett of Afton, was transacting business here Saturday.

Do you enjoy chapped hands? Like to save money? Do you enjoy luxury? Do you enjoy going to nice places without worrying about the cost? If you do—and haven't yet discovered "Spur Laundry Service"—give yourself a treat! Phone for the perfect answer to the problem of getting away from washing and ironing, and keep yourself in physical fitness to enjoy time for other things.

PHONE 344

SPUR LAUNDRY AND DRY CLEANERS

IN MEMORY OF GRANDMA PEARSON

There's a vacant chair, in the corner there,
And a voice we loved is still.
She walks no more through the cabin door,
She is resting on the hill.

The stars smile down on the little town
Where duty's path she trod.
Her soul winged home to the great White Throne,
Where she walks and talks with God.

Oh! Joy complete, safe at Jesus' feet,
Ever more to worship there!
She can wash his feet, anoint with oil so sweet,
Wipe them with her hair.

Walk in gardens fair, drink pure water ere there,
Sit at a table with His Son,
Not a pain or tear, just a glad new year,
She has come into her own.
Written by Mrs. A. T. Bural

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McBirney of Tulsa, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cornwell of San Antonio, Texas, returned to their homes Friday after visiting with their sister, Mrs. Luther Hindman, and family.

OF LOS ANGELES

Hawood Harris of Los Angeles, California, is visiting friends and relatives in Spur this week.

TO ARIZONA

Mrs. Dorothy Hinton has returned to her home at Fort Thomas, Arizona, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Marshall of the Duck Creek community.

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Chevrolet Breaks Truck Sale Record

Record-breaking sales of motor trucks during the first six months of 1936 are declared by W. E. Fish, manager of the Chevrolet Motor Company's commercial car department, to be an index of higher levels in business, industry and agriculture throughout the country.

"Chevrolet's first six months' business in trucks" said Mr. Fish, "set a record of sales that exceeded any previous first half in the history of the company, with a total of 119,294 new units delivered, as compared with the previous record of 102,321, which has stood since 1929. The increase over the corresponding period of last year is 26,971."

"Actually, the pick up in truck sales began late in 1935, and beginning with November every one of the last eight months has exceeded Chevrolet's best previous sales record for the corresponding month in all previous years."

"Every one of the nine regional territories in which Chevrolet has divided its national sales organization has shared in the upturn indicated by the new record of first half sales. The Eastern region, including many large cities and industrial districts, led with a 62.9 per cent gain, followed closely by the Southwest and the Pacific Coast region, which gained 58.5 and 58.7 per cent respectively. In the mid-west region, a 53 per cent increase was made. The Flint region, covering the northern central states and industrial cities such as Cleveland and Detroit gained 46.1 per cent, and the Atlantic coast region, which includes New York City and Philadelphia, 45.3 per cent. In none of the nine regions was the gain less than 37.2 per cent.

"Chevrolet sales of trucks in June were 20,500."

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

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

WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—

Without Calomel—And You'll Jump Out of Bed in the Morning! Eat! Eat! Eat!
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 bloats up your stomach. You get constipated. Your whole system is poisoned and you feel sunk and the world looks punk.
Laxatives are only make-shifts. 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. M.

Dickens

Crops and conditions are looking fine in this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Taylor are in Dallas attending the Centennial.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Harkey are visiting friends and relatives in Oklahoma this week.

Mrs. Madge Twaddell has returned from College Station where she had been attending school.

Billie Anderson has returned home after a visit with her sister in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Man Clark and children of New Mexico came through this week on their way to Dallas to attend the Centennial. Mrs. Joe Clark joined them here for the trip on the celebrating center.

Granddad Lusk was in Spur greeting friends last of the week.

W. J. Cathey was a Spur visitor last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morris and baby were in Spur last week end.

Adding Machine Paper at the Times

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We fit trusses and know how to apply them.
CITY DRUG STORE
Spur, Texas

J. FRANK NORFLEET WAS VISITOR TO COWBOY REUNION

STAMFORD, July 15.—Many distinguished persons are visitors at the Texas-Cowboy Reunion each year. One of the chiefest among the notables at the 1936 Reunion, just closed, was J. Frank Norfleet of Hale Center.

It was Norfleet's first visit. He joined the Old Timer's Association, renewed many old acquaintances, shook hands with everybody for everyone feels that he knows J. Frank Norfleet and general had a good time.

Because they knew him or knew about him, the old timers insisted that Norfleet make a speech. This he did by making two speeches, one on the opening day and one on the closing day of the Reunion. These talks were greatly enjoyed by the many who sat and listened, wide-eyed and with open mouth, as this famous West Texas cowman told of his travels over the world in search of confidence men framed him out of a good sized fortune and whom he personally determined to capture and see that justice was meted out.

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\$360 AND UP. List price of the half-ton chassis at Flint, Michigan. Special equipment extra. Prices quoted in this advertisement are list at Flint, Michigan, and subject to change without notice.

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LADIES FREE THURSDAY NIGHT

Jack and June Alfred's
Tent Show

Auspices Local American Legion Post

Prices — 10c

Prices — 25c

Girard

Mrs. Cliff Haines of Abilene and Mrs. Marvin Carlisle of Roby were Girard visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Ted Darden and her married daughter and baby of Muleshoe were visitors here last week.

Friends from Sweetwater have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carlisle this week.

Mrs. Buck Johnston of this place visited with her mother living near Spur last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hawley of San Angelo are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Rucker of this place this week.

Girard softball team defeated Jayton last Friday afternoon and Dickens Monday afternoon.

Mr. Alfred Smith, accompanied by his parents, enjoyed a fishing trip in East Texas last week.

Mrs. Leon Henderson of this city has gone to Cisco to spend a week with her mother.

A group of young married women accompanied by a number of young girls went on a chicken fry last Friday evening reported a good time enjoyed.

Mrs. B. J. Kellet and Mrs. Floyd Blackwell accompanied members of the local 4-H Club on a picnic on the Blackwell ranch last Monday afternoon.

Aggie Stephens of Abernathy, visited with friends here last week.

GIRARD BAPTIST CHURCH

The progress of the Baptist Church at Girard in on the "up and up." How thankful we are for our pastor and his consecrated wife. They both have the spiritual welfare of the entire church at heart, and how their hearts yearn over the dead-bones (spiritually dead) of our church and community. They are willing to spend and be spent in the Master's service. The progress of any church isn't just by accident; it takes prayer and hard work to make things go. David said "I will not offer unto the Lord that which costs me nothing" and so it is with them. They give out of their means, sacrificially, that the work may go on.

Sister Bristow took five girls to the Leuders encampments last week. The two older girls dedicated their lives to the Master. All report a wonderful time.

It's a joy to see how the young people are taking hold of the B. T. U. as Peter and John went up to the house of God at the "regular hour of prayer" so our church seems to be growing along that line.

We have new curtains of the same material and color to curtain off private rooms for the separate classes. We are also having our church painted.

We had wonderful services last Sunday morning and evening. The subject for the sermon Sunday morning was: "What So ever a man soweth that shall he also reap" and that evening: "What Zaccheus learned at the sycamore tree."

Our pastor leaves today for Riverdale to sing in a meeting conducted by Bro. McPherson of Jayton.

Everyone has a cordial invitation to be in each and every service.

—Contributed

WANT ADS

FOR SALE: A beautiful, well kept home. Priced to sell. See O. L. Kelly.

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

APARTMENT for rent. One block from town. D. Y. Twaddell. 5-21fc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—One Singer Sewing Machine for Typewriter. See Mrs. J. E. Berry. Tn

DON'T SCRATCH!

Try Paracide Ointment, the guaranteed Eczema and Itch remedy. Paracide is positively guaranteed to relieve any form of Eczema, Itch or other skin irritation or money refunded. Large jar, 50c, at City Drug Store. 9-10 pd.

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Brown's Lotion stops itch instantly. Quick, sure relief from Eczema, Tetter, Ringworm, Impetigo, and Chigger and other bites. Prevents infection. Satisfaction or your money back. 50c and \$1.00.

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Plant a Garden in your Pantry!
NO DANGER OF DROUTH OR CROP LOSS

Three Big Days
Friday
Saturday
Monday

CANNED FOODS SALE!

BUY NOW AND SAVE!

Drought conditions over the country indicate higher prices this fall and winter. We urge you to take advantage of this sale and stock your pantry.



Standard Corn	2 No. 2 Cans	19c	24 Can Case	\$2.00
Standard Tomatoes	3 No. 2 Cans	25c	24 Can Case	\$1.75
Standard Spinach	3 No. 2 Cans	25c	12 Cans	89c
Favorite Peas	2 No. 2 Cans	19c	12 Cans	\$1.09
CROSS & BLACKWELL Tomato Juice	3 Tall Cans	25c	12 Cans	89c

Fresh Tomatoes	Home Grown	3 Lbs.	10c
Cantaloupes	Rocky Fords		6c
Lettuce	Firm Heads, each		5c
Fresh Black-Eyed Peas	2 Lbs.		5c

Chum SALMON	Pineapple JUICE	Libby's PEACHES
TALL CAN 12c	3 NO 1 CANS 25c	2 2 1/2 Cans 35c

Stokely's Green Beans	2 No. 2 Cans	21c	12 For	\$1.19
Stokely's Sieve Peas	2 No. 2 Cans	35c	6 For	95c
Country Gentleman Corn	2 No. 2 Cans	23c	12 For	\$1.29
Libby's Spinach	2 No. 2 Cans	25c	6 For	69c
Phillips Delicious Pork & Beans		12	16 Oz. Cans	57c
Van Camp's Pork & Beans		6	Giant Cans	47c
Tomato Cocktail	Giant Can	10c	6 For	55c
Tomato Sauce	8 Oz. Can	5c	12 For	55c
Del Maiz Cream Style Corn			6 Cans	55c

Canterbury TEA	Toilet SOAP	A. Y. BREAD
1/2 LB PKG. 27c	VOGUE BIG BAR 5c	2 LOAVES 15c

Libby's Crushed Pineapple		2 9 Oz. Cans	15c
Libby's Fruit Cocktail		NO. 1 Can	15c
Green Gage Plums		2 2 1/2 Cans	35c
Standard Blackberries		No. 2 Can	10c
Van Camp's Vegetable Soup	Giant Can	10c	6 For 55c
Van Camp's Hominy	2 Giant Cans	15c	6 For 39c
Van Camp's Spaghetti	Giant Can	10c	6 For 55c
Morrel's Potted Meat		5 Oz. Can	5c
Libby's Potted Meat		3 Cans	13c

COFFEE

Airway, fresh ground, 3 lbs.	50c
Edwards Dependable, lb. can	25c
Maxwell House, lb.	29c
Folgers, Mountain Grown, lb.	29c

FLOUR

The market is very strong.

HARVEST BLOSSOM

48 Lb. Sack	\$1.49
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MAXIMUM

48 Lb. Sack	\$1.65
24 Lb. Sack	85c

FRUITS

No. 10 Tins — Sometimes called gallons

Apples, can	37c
Apricots, can	49c
Blackberries, can	45c
Red Cherries, can	50c
Prunes, can	29c

VINEGAR

Bulk Gallon	19c	Pint Bottle	10c
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SAFEWAY STORES
Visit a Centennial of Romantic History-on Parade in Texas