

## Spur-Dickens Well Spudded in Monday

### Spur School Board Elects Four Other Teachers; One Post Still Vacant

At a meeting of the Spur School Board Monday night four additional teachers were elected to fill existing vacancies. The election of these teachers fills all vacancies in the Spur Schools except the position as head of the English Department. This place was left vacant by the marriage and resignation of Miss Nina Landers.

Don T. Martin of Stamford was elected to teach in the Junior High School. Mr. Martin graduated this spring from East Texas State Teachers College. He has taught two years in the Lipscomb Schools. Mr. Martin was one of the most outstanding athletes on the Teachers College Campus.

H. U. Butts of Quanah was elected to teach History in the Senior High School. Mr. Butts is a graduate of Texas Technological College, and has been teaching in the McAdoo Schools. Before coming to McAdoo he taught in the Bovina Schools.

Miss Blanche Dabney of Blanket was elected to teach Language Arts in the Junior High School. Miss Dabney graduated this spring from Howard Payne College with the highest scholastic record for Seniors in that College. She was also valedictorian of her high school graduating class. For the past two years she has been selected as the representative of her college for "Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities." Among other things her outstanding record includes: President of College Pep Squad, Secretary of Student Body, Secretary of Senior Class, and the author and speaker of the winning college oration. Miss Dabney is also an accomplished musician.

Miss Alberta Sturgeon of Snyder was elected to teach Language Arts in the Junior High School. Miss Sturgeon graduated this spring from the University of Texas with high honors. Her scholastic record includes: valedictorian of Snyder High School graduating class, most outstanding student in high school graduating class, member of National Honor Society, and Secretary of Judge Lattimore's Sunday School Class of 400 members.

Miss Chrystell Scudder of Slaton was approved by the Board to teach piano and voice in the Spur Public Schools. Miss Scudder graduated this spring from Texas Technological College with outstanding honors in music. She is a graduate pupil of both Misses Mary and Myrtle Dunn. Miss Scudder is one of the most talented young ladies who has ever graduated from Texas Tech. Her many friends will remember her as a niece of Messdames Webber Williams and Dewey Granberry.

At a meeting last week the School Board elected Miss Marguerite Herren of Fort Worth to teach Commercial work in the Senior High School. Miss Herren is a graduate of North Texas State Teachers College, and has taught this past year in Rochester, Public Schools where she made an unusually good record. She secured affiliation in typing, business arithmetic, and bookkeeping for that school last year. Miss Herren has also made frequent appearance in song on radio programs.

### Gives Report on Scout Activities

Troop 35 under the leadership of G. B. Wadzeck, returned June 5, from having spent a very enjoyable week in the out-of-doors. The activities were swimming, hiking, basket-making, leather work, passing merit badges and other tests, and playing games. Tent inspection was held once a day and table inspection was held every meal.

Mr. G. B. Wadzeck, Jeff Smart, Bill Laine, and Eugene Taylor passed the Life-Saving Merit Badge, considered one of the hardest merit badge tests in scouting. Troop 35 won the Court of Honor and has a very good chance of winning the camp. All reports have not been finished determining the best troop in camp for the week.

Trooper, minus his hopping company, took to camp life readily, and proved worthy of his name. All the boys had a very happy time and plan to return next year.

Fike Godfrey.

H. L. Underwood, of Lost Lake country, was transacting business and talking with friends in our city Saturday.

### Forty Carloads of Wheat Are Shipped From Spur Station

At the close of business Tuesday thirty cars of wheat have been shipped from the local station. Last year between thirty and forty cars were shipped from Spur. It is estimated by grain dealers and other officials, that the present crop will yield at least one hundred and fifty cars or more than two hundred thousand bushels of wheat for the Spur trade territory.

The average yield has been from fourteen to thirty bushels per acre, with some of the best yet to be harvested. If the weather is favorable, this week and next week will prove to be busy weeks for wheat and activity in the wheat section.

The average price for wheat has been around 90c per bushel. A number of buyers and dealers are on the grounds to take care of the local market demands. Also there is ample loading facilities to handle all the wheat that comes to Spur. Fourteen cars went out of Spur Monday and six more cars were moved out Tuesday, making a total of about forty thousand bushels that have been shipped from Spur.

### Bank Night to Be Suspended Here

The people of this community appreciate the good shows and entertainment Mr. C. H. Hardwick, manager of the local theatre has brought to Spur. Also those interested in the bank-nite that has been sponsored by the Theatre note with regret the ruling of the courts, as handed down by the Supreme Court of Texas.

Since the Bank-nite has been outlawed by the courts, the Palace theatre will withhold indefinitely the Bank nite Award until the legal interpretation is made final.

Mr. Hardwick was of the opinion there might be other learnings of higher courts relative to whether the bank night drawings constitute lotteries.

Johnnie Hopkins assistant Mgr. states they will continue to give the same high class entertainment and ask each and every one to make the Palace for comfortable and enjoyable entertainment.

### Jacob Scott Will Probated by Court

The County Court of Dickens County was in session about all day Friday in probate of the last will and testament of the late Jacob Scott.

The will was contested on the ground that a son, Billy Scott, was left out of the will. However, this child has been provided for in a former settlement and has an endowment of \$500. annually. He is 15 years of age at this time.

### Commissioners of County in Meeting

The County Commissioners' Court was in session Monday to attend to business for the county. Also, they converted the session into equalizing taxes, and became the County Board of Equalization in the afternoon.

There were few people who had to appear before the Board on tax adjustments, and every one who did appear complimented the Board for their very fair consideration in the matter.

H. V. Nettles, of McAdoo, was attending to business affairs and meeting friends in Spur Saturday.

### Spur Rotarians Host To Rotary-ans In Thursday Meet

The Rotary Club of Spur held an open meeting at the Spur Inn Thursday night and the Rotary-ans were guests of the Club. The meeting was called to order about eight o'clock with District Judge Alton B. Chapman serving as master of ceremonies.

The invocation was pronounced by Grady Lane and the members and guests engaged in group singing with M. D. Ivey acting as leader. A very fine repast was served by the Spur Inn and when the dinner was served the good time began.

The Baptist Quartette composed of James B. Reed, Mrs. W. F. Godfrey, L. W. Langston, and M. D. Ivey, rendered some selections which were greatly enjoyed by those present. Mrs. Midge Alexander presided at the piano.

Jim Wilson, of Floydada, past District Governor of the 41st District of Rotary International, was introduced and made a very fine talk on Rotary and its influence on world affairs. Mr. Wilson appealed to the membership to carry on and try to assist all parts of the world to gain a clear understanding of each other.

Fred Wemple, of Midland, present Governor of the 41st District of Rotary International, was introduced. He was making his official visit to the local club. He gave a short outline of what should be accomplished by the Rotary Clubs in the 41st District and outline his plan of work.

Judge Chapman expressed the appreciation of the Club for the guests of the evening. He then asked the audience to stand and President Larry Burrow dismissed them.

### Spur Tailors In New Home

The Spur Tailors, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. John A. Moore and their son is now located in their new building on East Harris Street. The moving program was begun Saturday night, and by rushing the work from early morn Monday until late in the afternoon, they were able to set the burners and fire up the boiler Monday night.

There was some extra arranging of equipment that had to be made Tuesday morning, but the crew divided with part placing the furniture and other equipment where it should be, and the other part started getting out the large amount of work which had accumulated during the moving period. The new home is neat in appearance and seems to be adequate to house the business. At this time the work is going on as usual and the long list of customers is receiving service in a grand way.

An office room at the west end of the building will house the insurance agency of H. P. Gibson which has been at the Chamber of Commerce office for several years. Mr. Gibson will move his business into the new home within the near future.

The new home of the Spur Tailors is located diagonally across the street from the post office, and just east of the city offices.

### Soft Ball Tournney Held Last Sunday

A tournament of soft ball was held at the soft ball park at Spur Sunday afternoon. Five teams were represented in the tournament with a bracket of four games. In the first game Jayton played Kinney Buccaneers of Spur and won over them to the score of 6 to 3. This was a very closely contested game.

The second game was equally as thrilling and was played between Girard and the Terrell Hale Grocery team. Girard was victor to the score of 12 to 11, but it seemed anybody's game all the way through.

Stamford defeated Dickens team to the score of 16 to 4 and then played Jayton, winning the score of 7 to 1. Stamford was awarded the honors of the tournament.

The Kinney Buccaneers played at Rotan last Friday evening the score being 13 to 12 in favor of Rotan. They went to Post Tuesday night and enjoyed a very lively game. Post was winner with a score of 6 to 2.

### Old Settlers of Dickens County Will Hold Picnic and Reunion, July 22 - 23

### Powell Field Teacher Moves To Barnhart School

I. N. Adams, who with Mrs. Adams has taught in the Powell Field School, Crockett County the past two years, last week was elected principal and science instructor in the Barnhart High School.

No action has been taken by the Crockett County School board to ward naming successors to Mr. and Mrs. Adams. The board is understood to be considering the question of making an arrangement for transferring pupils of the Powell Field area to Big Lake schools and abandoning the school. The matter probably will be worked out during the summer. —Ozona Stockman

Mr. Adams is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Adams of our city and is spending this summer in the Teachers' College at Denton. He will receive his degree at the close of the summer term of the Teachers' College in August.

### Soft Ball League To Build New Park

A number of fans and players of soft ball held a meeting Monday afternoon for the purpose of organizing a league in soft ball. There are two active teams in the city at this time and two others are under way for organization and hope to get their lineups within the next few days.

The meeting went into organization and elected officers and directors. Bill Kinney was elected president of the league and Jephtha Craig of the Texas Spur, was elected secretary and treasurer of the organization. The board of directors consist of Ernest George, M. C. Golding and Lester Ericson.

A nice soft ball park has been arranged just outside the city limits east of the Farmers Cooperative Gin on the highway leading out on Sixth Street. The park is being lighted for night games and it is expected that many tournaments will be held during the summer. The new park has been named Burlington Park since it is located near the Stamford and Northwestern railroad which is a branch of the great Burlington system. It is hoped to have the park lighted by Friday evening of this week and it will be opened with a big tournament in soft ball if all arrangements work out.

### Miss Blair Becomes Bride Last Thursday

Miss Lucy Blair and Wayland Lee were quietly married last Thursday, June 10th at Ft. Worth.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Blair, east of Spur, and has been reared in this community. She is a graduate of the Spur High School and holds a B. A. Degree from the West Texas Teachers' College at Canyon. Miss Blair also attended McMurry College one term. She was a College favorite at both places. For the past two years she has been teaching school at Dickens where she enjoyed excellent success in her profession.

Mr. Lee is a son of Mrs. A. E. Lee, one of the pioneer families of that section. He was a student at Texas A&M College and a graduate of a commercial College. He has had several years experience in the business world. He was associated with the sheriff's department of our county for some time, and is at present assistant manager of the Dickens Lumber Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee will make their home in Dickens where Mr. Lee will continue his work with his present employer. Their many friends join in wishing them much success and happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Williams and children, of the Cedar Breaks community were in our city Tuesday doing some trading and greeting friends.

### Terms of Contract Are Met by Drillers Progress to be Rapid

The drilling rig of the firm of C. P. Morris and Son arrived in Dickens County and the Litchfield-Combs Harris No. 1 of the J. F. Morrissey Company contract in the Spur-Dickens Block, was spudded in Monday afternoon. This rig had planned to be on ground two weeks before it arrived but on account of the heavy rains, it could not get here. Mr. Morris and his crew did the remainder of rigging up Tuesday morning to get everything in condition for drilling. They had been able to bring the main part of the rig and get on the ground to meet the conditions of their contract. Much of their other equipment and tools had to be left at Olney.

L. W. Bilberry was secured and left Wednesday morning with two of his large trucks to bring back the remainder of the equipment, tools, etc. together with the surface pipe. He will arrive sometime tonight with the two loads. The surface pipe will be set Friday and Saturday and Mr. Morris stated that he hoped drilling would proceed without further delay. Upon being questioned as to the depth his rig would drill a well he stated he did not know, they had not found one too deep yet for them to drill.

There have been much guessing and many opinions passed in regard to the rig on the block. People seem to be more or less curious as to how deep that rig can carry a well. If they will wait a few more days until every thing gets going they may have the privilege of going out and watch the rig work. The contract calls for 5,000 feet or the production of oil or gas in commercial quantities. The people who are in charge have not fallen down on a contract yet in all of their years as operators and developers. It is thought by those who have worked so long to get this project started, that no better people could be secured, because any firm is judged by its past record. If oil is discovered in the Spur-Dickens Block, it is going to mean a great deal to so many farmers and land owners in that block, and here is hoping they will reap a good bounty for the good spirit of cooperation they have given.

### Supt. Rogers To Visit In California

Supt. and Mrs. Paul S. Rogers, of the Girard school, left Wednesday morning for Los Angeles, Calif., where they will be for the next six weeks. Mr. Rogers will complete his required work for a Masters Degree in the University of Southern California. In addition he will do some work in visual education during the time.

Mr. Rogers has been head of the Girard school for the past four years and is reelected for another year. Under his leadership the school has grown and fully affiliated with the state work in every respect. Other teachers in the school elected are:

Principal — E. H. Boedeker who will teach History and Social Science. Commercial Department — Miss Opal Whiteside, who will also coach the Girls basket ball.

English — Miss Margaret Dunlop. J. H. Smith, who has been Grammar School principal, will become a full time High School teacher, and the Seventh Grade work will be associated with the High School.

Sixth Grade — Robert King, of Anson, a new teacher, and will coach basket ball.

Fifth Grade — Mrs. E. H. Boedeker.

Fourth Grade — Mrs. Hubert Balch.

Third Grade — Mrs. Margaret Waggoner.

Second Grade — Miss Zuelene Rose enburg.

Primary — Mrs. George Spradling.

Mr. Rogers stated that it may be possible that another teacher will have to be added to the system later on to help take care of the work.

### Election Abolishes Independent District

The people of the Prairie Chapel Independent School District met in an election last week, and by their votes expressed a desire to become a common school district. The vote was 21 for annulment of the independent district to 12 against annulment. H. E. Bennett served as election judge during the election.

Mr. Berry reported 38 present for the occasion which included brothers and sisters and their children. The members of the immediate family included T. P. Berry of Cooper, Mrs. Ida Sargent of Irvin, Joel H. Berry of Houston, Mrs. Ruby Apperson of Fort Worth, J. E. Berry of Spur, G. L. Berry of Dallas, Bester Berry of Paris, and Judge Charles E. Berry of Greenville, and their wives, husbands and children. Two members of the family were unable to be present. These were Mrs. C. H. Perry of Glendale, Calif, and Mrs. W. F. Terry of Lueders who was in Houston at the time and could not attend.

Mr. Berry stated it was one of the most enjoyable time he had ever experienced.

### McAdoo Section Has Hail and Rain

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The heavy rain was injurious to the young cotton and row crops that had just been planted and coming out of the ground.

### GARTSIDE DAUGHTER ARRIVES

Announcement reached here early Thursday morning from Burkburnett, Texas of the arrival of a baby daughter born late Wednesday evening.

This is the first grandchild of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gartside of this city, who with the aunt, Miss Floris Gartside are rejoicing over their first baby girl.

—Tipton Tribune, issue of June 11.

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LEGAL ADVERTISEMENT

RECEIVER'S NOTICE OF SALE TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Pursuant to authority of the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States, the undersigned Fred B. Cable, as Receiver of the City National Bank of Spur, Texas, will offer at public sale to the highest bidder for cash, at Spur, Texas, on June 18th, 1937, at 2:00 o'clock P. M., the remaining assets of the City National Bank of Spur, consisting of real estate, bills receivable, judgments, overdrafts, and other choses in action and chattels, less such items (or articles) as may be paid or otherwise disposed of prior to the said date of sale herein mentioned. A descriptive list of the remaining assets so offered for sale may be inspected by prospective purchasers at the Spur Security Bank, Spur, Texas, and at the office of the receiver of the City National Bank of Spur, Paducah, Texas, on all business days up to and including the date of the said sale between

the hours of 9:00 A. M. and 3:00 P. M. According to law said remaining assets cannot be sold otherwise than without recourse and without warranty of any kind or character, and subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States and subject to confirmation by a court of record of competent jurisdiction. FRED B. CABLE, RECEIVER, City National Bank of Spur, Texas.

NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DICKENS

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Justice Court of Precinct No. 7, Dallas County, Texas, on the 26th day of March, A. D. 1937, by Tom King, Justice of the Peace, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 2nd day of December, A. D. 1935, in favor of McConnon & Company, a corporation, and against W. T. Wilson, in the case of McConnon & Company vs. W. T. Wilson, No. 18911 upon the docket of said Court, I, J. L. Koonsman, Sheriff of Dickens County, did on the 12th day of May, 1937, at 10:30 o'clock A. M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situate in the County of Dickens, State of Texas, as the property of the said W. T. Wilson, to-wit: First Tract: 160 acres of land, being the NW 1/4 of Survey No. 191, H. & G. N. Ry. Co., Abstract No. 102. Second Tract: 18 1/2 acres of land out of Survey No. 204, Abstract No. 632, A. Fritz, Original Grantee. Third Tract: 200 acres of land, being a part of the East 1/2 of Survey No. 191, Abstract No. 102, H. & G. N. Ry. Co. Fourth Tract: 334 acres of land out of Survey No. 153, Abstract No. 83, H. & G. N. Ry. Company. Fifth Tract: 83 1/2 acres of land, being the NE 1/4 of the East Half of Survey No. 163, Abstract No. 659, F. M. Kelsey, Original Grantee. And on the 6th day of July, 1937, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A. M. and 4 o'clock P. M., on said day, at the courthouse door of said County of Dickens, in Dickens, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said W. T. Wilson in and to said property. Dated this 9th day of June, 1937. J. L. KOONSMAN, Sheriff of Dickens County, Texas.

Judge H. A. C. Brummett, of Dickens, was in our city Tuesday attending to professional matters.

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Crops in this part of the county are progressing with the summer weather. From early in the morning until late in the evening the farmers are seen at work. The crops are their care every day.

Mr. Bill Partridge of Hobbs, New Mexico, visited the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Partridge, last week.

Mr. Doyle Middleton was taken to Lubbock for medical treatment last Tuesday. His father, Mr. B. F. Middleton, took him to that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Haney were in Lubbock Tuesday on business.

Mr. Jim Offield, Claud Bennett, and Ollie Blakely attended an American Legion meeting at Spur Monday night.

Mr. H. H. Goodwin was at Lubbock last Wednesday to sell a load of hogs. J. C. Rogers and Claud Bennett were in the Wichita community last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Young visited relatives at Dickens last Thursday. Will Smiley left last week for an extended trip in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Winkles and family of Corpus Christi are visiting Mr. Winkles' sisters, Mrs. Newt Alexander and Mrs. O. T. Day, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alldredge and family visited in Levelland the past weekend.

F. L. Byars, who has been in the Spur Sanitarium the past two weeks with blood poisoning, returned home Sunday.

Miss Earlene Slayden of Detroit, Michigan, is now visiting relatives and friends here. Earlene formerly lived here and went to school at Patton Springs.

The school election at Prairie Chapel on June 9 carried in favor of the abolition of the independent school district, which naturally leaves the district a common rural school district. The vote was 12 against abolition, and 21 for abolishing.

Some time during July another election will be held at Prairie Chapel and Patton Springs districts, the question to be voted on being the consolidation of these two districts.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Randolph and family returned home from an extended tour of the northern states, Canada and the eastern states. Mr. Randolph purchased a new car at the Ford plant in Detroit, Michigan, and on the return trip a fender of the new car was torn off.

Jack Fite returned the last of the week with a load of peaches from East Texas. Mr. Fite states that the most of the orchards of that part of the state were completely destroyed by hail and that fruit was very scarce in that district. Those orchards that were destroyed will have to be re-set and matured before any more fruit crops in that section of the state can be harvested.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Legg were in our community last week. Mr. Legg is attending Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Offield and family spent Sunday with Mr. Offield's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Offield.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Willmon and children, and Mrs. Walter Willmon and baby, spent Sunday with Mrs. Clarence Bowman and family of Duncan Flat community.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dozier visited in Oklahoma the past week.

A group of young people were in a car accident near Afton last Sunday. No one was seriously injured, but Gordon Chisenhall received minor bruises and cuts, and one car was slightly damaged.

H. E. Bennett and Claud Bennett were business visitors in Dickens last Thursday.

Club girls of the Prairie Chapel club who attended the lawn party at Spur last Saturday were Ada Lou and Melba Robinson, Jean and Adaline Byars, Doris Galloway, Emma Mae Bennett, and Cassie Marie Offield, with their sponsor, Miss Merle Bennett. Those from Patton Springs were Jackie Young, Pauline Ford, Della Dean Baxter, and Mabel Blakeley, with their sponsor, Mrs. Clark Forbis. All of the girls reported a very

nice time.

The quarterly conference of the Methodist church was held at the Afton church last Sunday. Preaching services were held in the morning, lunch was spread on the grounds at noon, and the conference business was attended to in the afternoon.

D. W. Simms made a business trip to Lubbock last Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hale were in Spur last Saturday.

Mrs. E. D. Chambers has as her guests for the summer two nieces of Clarendon.

DUST PROOF DRAWER IS FEATURE OF STORAGE.

A dust proof drawer built into the shelf space of the closet was one of the features of storage for clothing observed on the tour of the Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Jean Day, and the club cooperators to the homes of the 4-H Club wardrobe demonstrators in the Patton Springs community last week. Della Dean Baxter, with the help of her father, made this improvement in her closet after she had built in all the shelves she needed and it is one place in the house where dust and sand do not penetrate so readily.

Monez Woods, a Patton Springs demonstrator living in the vicinity of Duncan Flat, exhibited a huge closet about three and one-half by five feet with ample shelf space, hanging rod, and shoe rack.

Jackie Young, of the Afton community, and Pauline Ford, living near Midway, both use a dresser drawer for storing folded clothing, cosmetics, and accessories. These drawers are partitioned off so that the different articles can be kept in place easily. Jackie used ingenuity in providing a shoe rack, which is made from a foot rest from the back seat of an old car. Fastened to the back wall of the closet, it makes a long, convenient rack that will lift up to make removal of shoes easier.

Delicious refreshments were served during the morning, and the tour proved delightful as well as profitable.

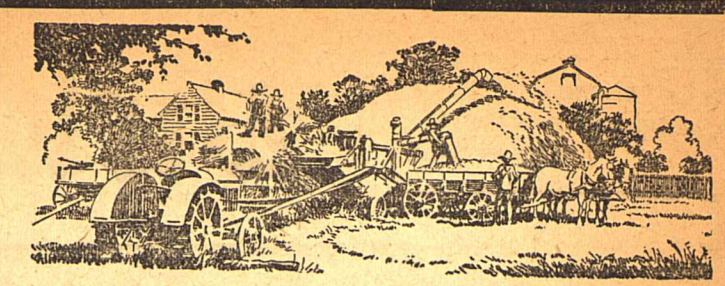
CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this opportunity of expressing my appreciation to the people who befriended me during my illness and brief period of time which I spent at the Lubbock Hospital.

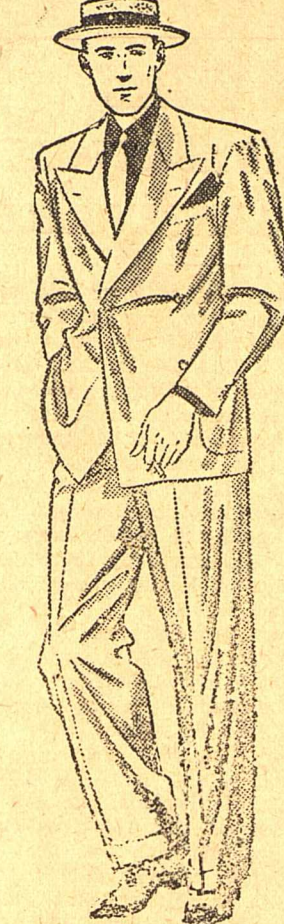
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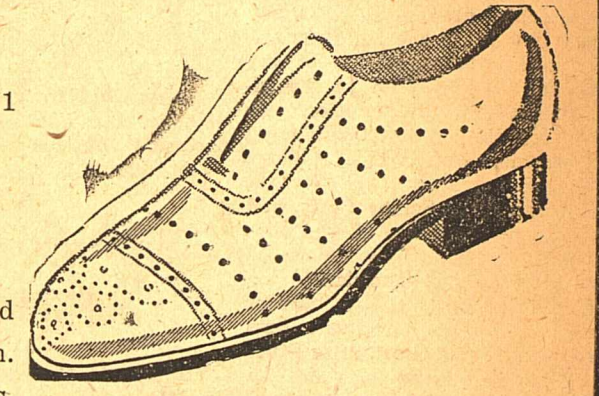
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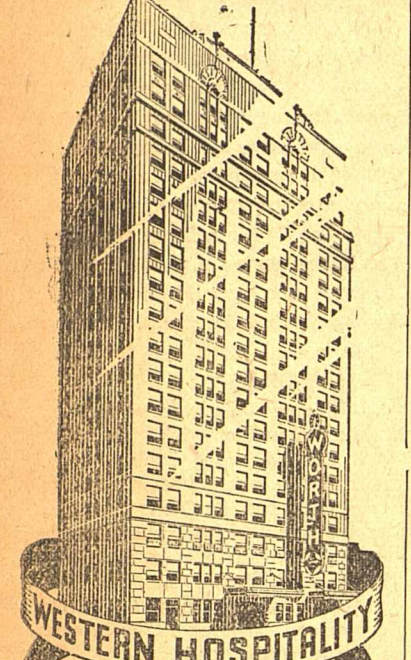
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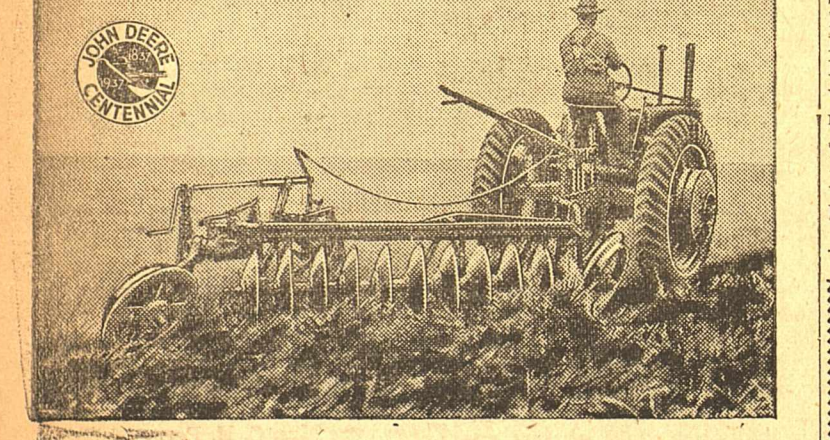
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The Santa Fe Railway has offered 61 educational prizes to members of 4-H Clubs in the territory served by its lines, as follows: Texas, 19; Oklahoma, 16; Kansas, 12; Missouri, 5; Illinois, 3; New Mexico, 3; Arizona, 2; and Iowa, 1

Winners of these prizes will be the guests of the Santa Fe on a visit to the Sixteenth National Congress of 4-H Clubs in Chicago next fall.

Contests for prizes in each state is under the direction of the state club leader, who is an official of the state agricultural extension service. Several thousand youthful farmers are eligible to compete in the contests, and deep interest prevails, according to J. F. Jarrell, manager of the Santa Fe's agricultural development department.

MRS. R. R. WOOTEN OF McADO OENTERTAINS.

Members of the 1925 Bridge Club were guests of Mrs. R. R. Wooten Wednesday of last week at one o'clock in her home at McAdoo for a delightful bridge luncheon.

Roses and larkspurs formed the centerpiece of the long lace laid table when the meal was served family style. Mrs. M. H. Brannen and Mrs. Nellie Davis won prizes in games of

contract played during the afternoon. Others attending were Mesdames Cash Willmon of Stamford, M. C. Goding, A. M. Lay of McAdoo, W. T. Andrews, Hill Perry, Della Eaton, Frank Laverty, E. L. Caraway, Anna McClure, Ray Taylor and Misses Julia May Hickman, Lucille Lucas and Mary Wooten.

- 1 Model A Ford Pickup. 1 Chrysler Sedan 1 Used International Truck and Hobbs Van Trailer.

Complete Stock of Dempster Wind mill and Oliver Tractor and Implement Repairs.

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# HARVEST SALE

## Irish Linen

Sale our Best Irish Dress linen in both the Handkerchief and Heavier Quality.

## 39c Yard

Regular 59c and 69c Quality

Large assortment of every popular shade including plenty of White and Ecu, also pastels and Dark colors.

A Good Safe Place To Trade  
**B. SCHWARZ & SON**  
 SPUR, TEXAS  
 "The Store Of Little Profit"

# HARVEST DAYS

We will celebrate the Harvesting of the Greatest Wheat Crop this section has produced, with a Harvest Sale. This Sale will offer you A Big Premium for your Wheat Dollars, or any other Dollar in Extra Values in all types and kinds of Good Merchandise.

## Summer Selling of Ladies' Dresses

# 500

# 1-2 Price

# HARVEST SALE

All-Over Lace and Eyelet Embroidery

## 39c Yard

Value 79c to \$1.29 yd.

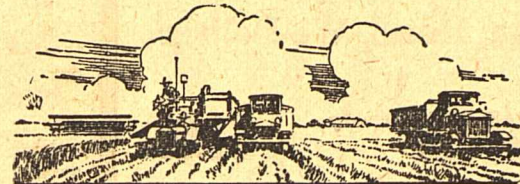
An Event that will interest every woman who intends to have a cool all-over lace dress for Summer.

The early shopper will find some very outstanding value in this sale.



Fresh, up-to-date spring and summer dresses at just half the former selling price. You will want to select at least two new frocks when they cost so little.

- \$22.50 Dresses ..... \$11.25
- \$19.75 Dresses ..... \$9.88
- \$16.75 Dresses ..... \$8.38
- \$12.90 Dresses ..... \$6.45
- \$9.75 Dresses ..... \$4.88
- \$7.90 Dresses ..... \$3.95
- \$5.95 Dresses ..... \$2.98



About 500 dresses included in this Sale and Sale includes every dress in the house with the exception of those dresses that we have received within the last week. All sizes 12 to 20, 38 to 44 with plenty of Dresses for the larger women.



**CLOSE OUT**  
 62 Late Spring Dresses

## \$2.98

One and 2 piece effects, in styles and types that are in demand at this time. Prints and solids that you will want throughout the summer months.



Be Ready For Summer With Cool Sheer Lace Dresses

## \$1.00

A grand assortment of smart cotton lace dresses, cool crisp and semmery. Sizes 14 to 44. All the new summer colors.



"Harvest" your "Crop" of Printed Linen Dresses

## \$1.49

We will sell 28 Ladies Printed Linen dresses at \$1.49. Regular \$2.98 values. Early shopping advised. If you contemplate buying a Printed linen dress, you can save Dollars by buying during Harvest Sale.

## Evening Dresses

## \$1.49

Worth \$2.98 to \$1.98. Organdie Evening Dresses in pretty pastel shades. Wide range of sizes, and priced for Harvest Days at \$1.49. You must see them to appreciate their real value. Come Early.

We Repeat By Popular Request

## COTTON DRESS LACE

# 10c Yard

Regular 19c and 24c quality. 36 inches wide. All the wanted colors and an Ideal fabric for Cool Summer Frocks.

## Early Spring Dresses

Dark Colors Long Sleeves.

## \$2.98

All Sizes. 14 to 44. Come Early

Our Entire Stock of

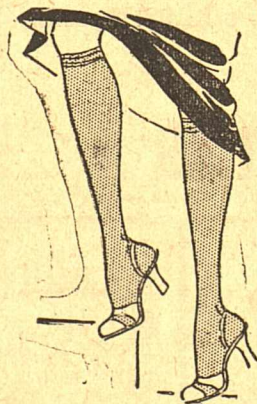


Ladies Novelty SHOES and SANDALS.

- \$3.95 Shoes ..... \$3.16
- \$3.50 Shoes ..... \$2.00
- \$2.98 Shoes ..... \$2.40
- \$2.49 Shoes ..... \$2.00
- \$1.98 Shoes ..... \$1.59

All other Ladies Novelty shoes not listed, Twenty per cent reduction.

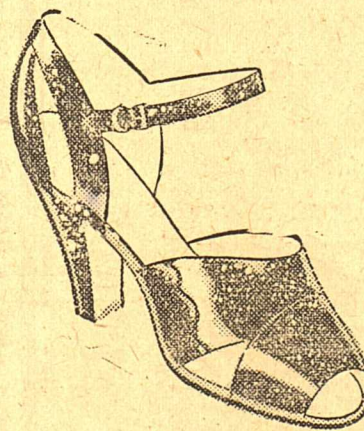
Harvest Sale and June Jubilee



## Allen A Hose 79c

Regular \$1.00 Value. Crepe, Chiffon Hose, sheer Ringless and mid-weights. For Beauty and Wear and only 79c. All the new summer shades.

One Special Group of Ladies Sandals



Blue  
 Pink  
 Yellow

## \$1.00

Regular \$1.98 Value. These shoes displayed on rack. All sizes.

All Ladies Summer



STRAW HATS

## 1-2 Price

Big Harvest Bargain in Ladies Straw Hats. About 200 Hats to select from. All stylish new spring and summer Hats.



**THE DICKENS COUNTY TIMES**

W. D. STARCHER  
Editor and Publisher  
MRS. W. D. STARCHER  
Business and Advertising Manager

Advertising rates uniform to everybody in Spur country  
Entered as second class matter at the Post Office in Spur, Texas, Oct. 30, 1924, under Act of Congress, March 3, 1878.

**Our Opinion Is**  
That if more of us would try to accomplish something instead of spending our time criticizing those who are trying, all of us might meet with more success.



A new son was born the Mr. and Mrs. Chas Hardwick Tuesday. The young son has been christened Charles Dean. The mother and son are doing nicely. It is presumed the young man will soon take over the local theatre as its manager.

Mrs. Pat Watson, who was in the Standifer Sanitarium at Elk City, Okla., was able to return to her home at Custer, Okla. She underwent an operation about three weeks ago and her friends will be glad to know she is doing fine.

**Sanitarium News**

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Fry, of the Catfish community are the proud parents of a son born at the sanitarium Friday night. Mother and son are doing fine.

Laverne Brantley of McAdoo, underwent an operation two weeks ago, continues to improve.

Mrs. J. W. Vickery, of Afton, underwent an operation Tuesday and seems to be doing fine.

N. P. Jones, of Croton community, underwent an operation for appendicitis Thursday morning and is getting along fine.

D. F. Ritchie, of near Dickens, who received severe burns about ten weeks ago, continues to improve.

Mrs. J. H. Boothe and baby, of Wilson Draw community, were able to return home Saturday.

Miss Helen Ritchie, of near Dickens, who underwent an operation ten days ago, was able to return home Tuesday.

Joe Browning, of Catfish community, was hurt by a tractor last Thursday. He was given X-Ray examinations and treatments at the sanitarium and was able to return home Monday. He suffered with several broken ribs and bruises.

F. L. Byars of Praire Chapel community, returned home Tuesday after being a medical patient for two weeks.

Mrs. O. Y. Epps, of Steel Hill country, was a medical patient in the sanitarium from Sunday until Tuesday night.

Baby of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith was in the sanitarium from Friday until Sunday being treated for gas asphyxiation. It seems to be doing all right now.

Alton Vaughn, of Afton, was able to return home Friday convalescing from an operation three weeks ago.

W. B. Lee, who is associated with the Gulf Petroleum Company, had to undergo an operation in the Memorial Hospital at Houston the first of the Week. Reports from the hospital at tendants received Tuesday stated that he is doing all right and indications are fine for an early recovery. Mr. Lee has many friends in our community who join in wishing him safe ground within the near future.

A CLASSIFIED AD WILL SELL IT.

**Another Country Boy Makes Good**

In the issue of the Star-Telegram of Monday this week appeared following news item from Borger correspondent.

"Rev. G. C. Alexandr conducts affairs of local police department here as desk sargeant—and his civic duties supplement his activities as a marrying parson.

He is a former pastor of a Baptist church in Abilene and came to Borger during the oil boom and officiated at more weddings than you can shake a stick at."

People of the Spur country will remember Rev. Alexander as he was a citizen of our city about twelve years ago. His wife passed away while he was living here and since that time he has had to officiate as a mother and provide for his family as a father. It is reported that he educated his children as best he could and at this time all of them have good jobs and are doing well. He had not married again at the last report.

It pays to Advertise. Try it!

**CHURCH OF CHRIST**

G. A. Dunn will fill his regular appointment at the local Church of Christ Sunday morning and evening. He has recently closed a two weeks meeting with the Las Cruces Church.

A cordial invitation is extended to any one that may wish to visit the local church.

Bible study at ten o'clock.

Preaching at eleven o'clock.

Young peoples class at seven forty five P. M.

Evening services at eight-fifteen o'clock.

The book review "Gone With The Wind" is to be repeated by request Rev. Fred Cairns will bring this program to the people in the basement of the First Methodist Church Tuesday night, June 21, at 8:30 o'clock. The program is given under the auspices of the Auxiliary of the Presbyterian Church. A small admission charge of 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Armstrong of Dill, Okla.; Mrs. G. O. Hines of Foss, Okla.; and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hall of Sentinel, Okla., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Armstrong and children Saturday and Sunday.

**Girard**

siting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ben Spraddling.

Randolph East was operated on last week in the Lubbock sanitarium.

A large crowd from Girard attended the ball games in Spur, Sunday afternoon. Claude Hull carried his team out to Solider Mound and were defeated.

Mr. and Mrs. Nuzer Spraddling of Sweetwater are visiting with their daughter Mrs. Ike Tyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Turner and baby are visiting with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Odie Gilmore and daughter of California are visiting with relatives.

Mrs. Ola Gofarth and daughter Flora, Miss Lena Longford all of San Angelo and another sister from Abilene are visiting with their brother Mr. and Mrs. John Longford and daughter Betty.

Wheat harvesting has begun in this community. It has been reported here that Mr. and Mrs. Emith Hollinghead of Abilene who formerly lived here are the parents of a girl, born May 25th.

**ERICSON'S GROCERY and MARKET**

Quality Groceries Nice Tender Meats.  
Phone 69. Service our Motto. We Deliver

FLOUR, 48 lb. TULIAS BEST, Every Sack Guaranteed. Net \$1.66

- BROOMS, Light and durable, each 25c
- SOAP, Fairy Toilet, 3 bars for 09c
- GINGER SNAPS, Nice fresh bulk 2 lb 25c
- BACON, Sliced, Nice lean 29c
- RIB'S, Calf, fine for barbeque, 2 lb. 23c
- MIXED SAUSAGE, None better, 2lb 25c
- GROUND MEAT, for meat loaf 2 lb 35c
- COFFEE, Chase & Sanborn, per lb. 29c

**The Fair Store**

GEO. GABRIEL, MANAGER

It's here! Bargains that Every One has been Waiting For. THE FAIR STORE is offering a complete selling of New, Fine Quality Merchandise. Be Here When the Doors Open Friday Morning. Also Saturday and Monday.



**Wash Dresses**

Spanking new Frocks. You will rave about them. Prints bright and original. Closing out,

**98c**

**Closing Out**

**Summer Hats**

in Straw and Felts.

Classic styles. You can wear them with everything in all shades and colors. \$2.00 value. Special,

**\$1.00**

**LACE CLOTH**

Value 98c. Closing Out. Shade, Yellow, red, rust, and navy. per yard.

**10c**

**Rayon Crepe**

Floral Crepe, Flaxon Bafiste. All in one big assortment. Value 79c per yard. Close out, per yard,

**25c**

**Ladies and Misses**

**SLACKS**

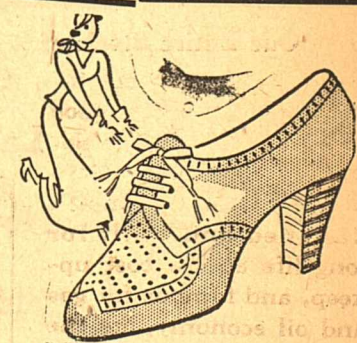
In all sizes. Special,

**79c**

**Ladies Footwear**

In Different colors. Value \$1.98. Special all widths and sizes,

**\$1.49**



**Men's**

Hinzes Twin

**Rib Undershirt**

Special

**25c**

**Ladies Gloves**

Summer weight. White Mesh. Closing out price per yard,

**19c**

**LADIES KID GLOVES**

White or Eggshell. Washable. \$1.50 value, Special,

**79c**

**Men's**

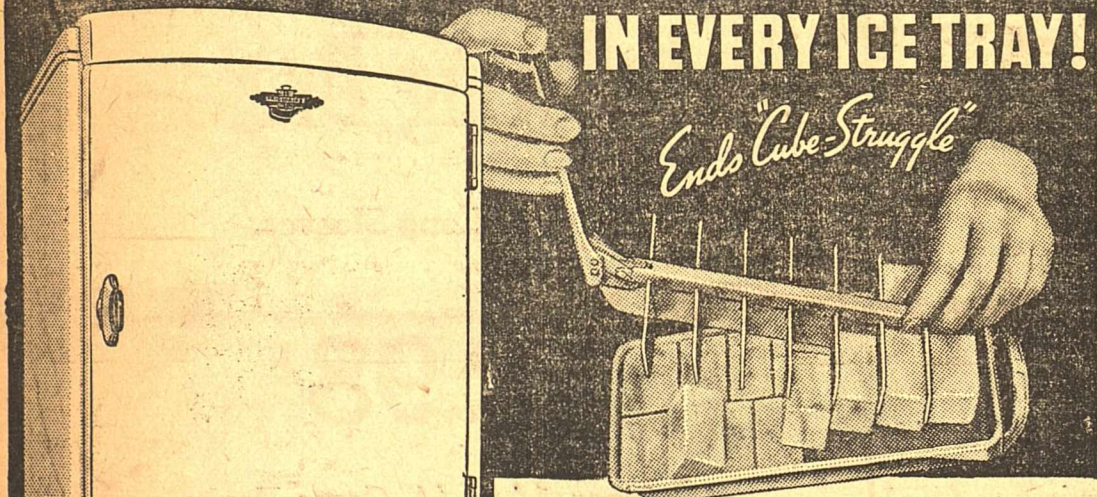
**Dress Shirts**

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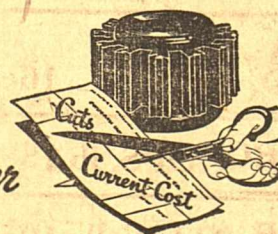
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CUTS CURRENT COST TO THE BONE! See an electric meter prove it!



**West Texas Utilities Company**



**Dickens**

It's a wonderful thing to possess a Dad,  
Who is a father and pal combined,  
For a father like you, the best to be had;  
It's a mighty hard thing to find,  
It's a wonderful feeling to have you near,  
And to share your love so true,  
It's a wonderful pleasure to wish good cheer  
To a father and pal, like you.

Let's remember Dear old Dad on Father's Day, Sunday, June 20.

Mrs. W. N. Burks gave the young folks a party Friday night. Games were played, after which cake, candy and punch were served. Everyone present had a nice time.

There was a good attendance at Sunday School last Sunday. You are invited to be back next Sunday and bring some one with you.

Harrel Ferguson went from Fort Worth to Paris to visit relatives last week.

Misses Belva Lou and Laverne Burks were in Spur the last of the week.

C. D. Elkins' father and mother left Sunday for Wichita Falls. The mother will remain in Wichita Falls for a while and the father will go to Mineral Wells to take treatment for his health.

Miss Juanita Slaton, of Detroit, Mich., is visiting relatives here.

Mrs. Atha Elkins and daughter, Betty Lou, visited Mrs. S. B. Parker Sunday.

It is reported that Morris Green has improved in health to where he can be brought home. He has been in a sanitarium in Lubbock.

Several farmers of this community are harvesting their wheat.

Mrs. Oscar Warren and children have returned from Eastland County where they had been visiting relatives and friends.

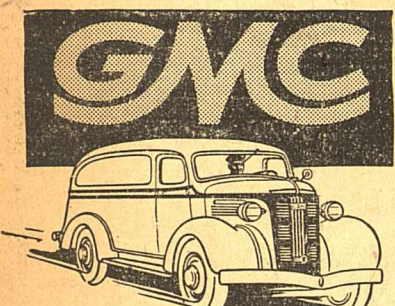
Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Beasley, of Lubbock, visited relatives in this community the first of the week.

Misses Bonnie, Pansy and Patsy Turpen left Sunday for Lubbock to spend two weeks visiting their uncle, J. M. Turpen, and family.

Laverne Brantley, little son of Mr. and Mrs. Leman Brantley was carried to Spur hospital Sunday where he was to undergo an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blair and son, of Amarillo, spent Sunday and Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Blair and children, east of town.

Mrs. Cash Wilemon and Son, Cash Caraway, of Stamford, are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caraway, and friends.



**ONE SURE WAY**

**TO LICK RISING COSTS**

Business men are becoming more exacting in truck purchases because operating costs in all departments of business are rapidly mounting. To pre-measure a truck's operating expenses is now good judgment and often avoids unnecessary losses. GMC, priced low at the outset, designed and built for long life at low cost up-keep, and famous for gas and oil economy, fits the careful business budget. GMC's wide line (1/2 to 12 tons) assures just the right truck for your service. GMC prices are now crowding the lowest!

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Time payments through our own Y. M. A. C. Plan at lowest available rates.

GENERAL MOTORS TRUCKS & TRAILERS

Riter Hardware

CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS  
BALANCE SHEET  
APRIL 30, 1937

ASSETS			
<b>CURRENT:</b>			
Cash in office-drawer		\$ 20.00	
Petty Cash		300.00	
Cash in Bank-Local		6,479.75	
Cash in National City Bank, New York		35.64	
Accounts Receivable		17,154.16	
Taxes Receivable		27,489.51	
Notes Receivable		6,610.27	
Warrants Receivable		50.00	
Stores Inventory		4,694.71	
Rent Receivable		27.50	
			\$ 62,811.54
<b>FIXED:</b>			
Furniture & Fixtures	\$ 2,010.01	1,286.91	723.10
Auto & Trucks	610.00	122.00	488.00
Lands and Grounds	9,515.44		9,515.44
Buildings, Power Plant	7,131.42	1,561.64	5,569.78
Fire Station	2,000.00	440.00	1,560.00
City Hall	5,618.43	315.11	5,303.32
Jail	750.00	225.00	525.00
Waterworks	1,051.95	228.24	823.71
Machinery and Equipment			
Power Plant	68,037.86	24,454.70	43,583.16
Waterworks	8,672.68	2,881.02	5,791.66
Fire Department	11,219.00	7,830.37	3,388.63
Street	3,970.95	731.93	3,239.02
Distribution System:			
Electric	43,107.50	11,157.65	31,949.85
Water	81,744.56	15,049.07	66,695.49
Sewer	39,838.70	6,042.74	33,795.96
Water Tower Electric	1,498.50	330.49	1,168.01
Oil Storage Electric	844.07	211.00	633.07
Tools	1,753.87	1,267.23	486.64
Street Paving	6,668.37	1,353.52	5,314.85
Street Lts.	127.90		127.90
Water Wells	5,093.35		5,093.35
Park Investment	11,906.81	97.51	11,809.30
	\$813,171.37	76,186.13	236,985.24

OTHER ASSETS	
Bad Debts	14,354.56
Returned Checks	324.16
Prepaid Expense	457.15
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b>	<b>\$314,932.65</b>

**LIABILITIES**  
BALANCE SHEET

CURRENT	
Accounts Payable	\$ 1,701.97
Accrued Interest	
Electric Plant Notes	\$2,217.00
Public Imp Warrants	65.00
Waterworks Bonds	638.97
Waterworks Warrants	30.00
Sewer Bonds	589.76
Sewer Warrants	307.50
	\$ 3,848.23

ACCRUED INSURANCE:	
Electric	188.91
Water	64.20
Sewer	23.41
	\$ 276.52

METER DEPOSITS	
Water	\$1,155.00
Electric	765.00
	\$ 1,920.00

LONG TERM INDEBTEDNESS	
Warrants Payable, Waterworks	\$ 500.00
Warrants Payable Sewer	500.00
Warrants Payable, Public Imp.	3,500.00
	\$ 4,500.00

Bonds Payable, Waterworks	43,000.00
Bonds Payable Sewer	21,000.00
	\$ 64,000.00

Mortgages Payable, Electric Revenue	\$ 85,000.00
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SURPLUS	
Balance before closing for the year,	\$143,012.30
Net Gain for the Fiscal Year	\$ 10,673.63

**TOTAL LIABILITIES AND SURPLUS** \$ 314,923.65

COMMENTS ON AUDIT  
CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS  
MAY 1, 1936 TO APRIL 30, 1937

We found your records in very good shape and very well kept.

We counted the cash and verified the amounts on hand with the initial record indicating that the amounts were correct.

We made detail check of all records, noted all signatures, carefully inspected warrants, tax receipts, etc. The tax roll was balanced and unpaid taxes were traced into the lot and block books for delinquent taxes. Also all delinquent tax receipts were checked to this delinquent record. You will note that we have separated the funds, as to income and expense so that you can see the result in each case. All funds showed a profit except the swimming pool. This is much better than last year.

We are convinced that your records are clean of any carelessness or wrong-doing.

Your city is to be commended for good judgement in refunding your bond issues at lower rates of interest and more favorable payment dates. Also in the getting of the purchase mortgage notes in permanent shape. By careful watching you should now be able to keep up with these issues with minimum effort.

J. B. ALLRED & COMPANY  
By J. B. ALLRED  
Certified Public Accountant

Ab Frye, of Catfish community, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Miss Alice Wright of Monahans is in our city visiting friends. Miss Wright is a former teacher in our schools.

Miss Anna Mae Lassetter, who has been teaching in Monahans schools, arrived here Tuesday and will spend the summer at home.

Henry Alexander visited his father in Haskell last Sunday.

Mrs. Robert Speer of Brownsfield visited her sister Miss Gillie Slaton last Sunday.

Mrs. Hubert Cato who has been visiting her sister in Brownsfield, returned home Sunday.

J. Robinett, a progressive farmer of Kalgary was in Spur transacting business Tuesday.

Mrs. Webber Williams of Slaton was visiting with friends in Spur Sunday.

**Dickens Beauty Shop**

Permanents, \$1.00, up  
Shampoo and finger wave 40c  
Operated by a licensed

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COMETOLOGIST

Courteous consideration for your patronage.

HATTIE LOU WARREN  
NE Corner Square, Dicken, Tex.

**Grade Crossing Accidents to 332**

Fatalities resulting from highway-railroad grade crossing accidents in the first two months of this year totaled 332, an increase of 38 compared with the corresponding period of last year, the Safety Section of the Association of American Railroads announced today.

In the first two months this year, 1,017 persons were injured in such accidents compared with 996 in the corresponding period in 1936. Reports showed 874 accidents at highway-railroad grade crossings in the two months' period this year and increase of 41 compared with the first two months in the preceding year.

Miss Glenna Williams of Slaton is spending the week with relatives and friends in Spur.

Miss Mabel King, English instructor at Peacock, who has been visiting her mother Mrs. J. L. Rosemond left Friday for an extended visit in Dallas and Ft. Worth.

Mrs. Medford Wetzell was in Comanche the past week visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. E. L. Caraway visited relatives and friends in Goldwaite the past week end. Bill Caraway, who had been visiting in that country the past three weeks, returned home with Mrs. Caraway the first of the week. Mr. and Mrs. Dale Dillingham and children spent the week end in Wellington visiting her mother Mrs. Mahlie Kelso, and other relatives. Mrs. Kelso accompanied them back to Spur for a visit.

H. O. Albin, who is one of the large wheat farmers in this section, reported this week that his wheat is making a little strong 22 1-2 bushels per acre.

Mrs. Ernest Russell is home from Valley visiting with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Chas Whitner.

H. F. Dodge is home from school at Lawton, Okla. visiting his parents. Mr. and Mrs. John Huffstutler of Roaring Springs were shopping in Spur, Tuesday.

Miss Era Bell Hogan attended the opening of the Pan American Exposition in Dallas and returned home Tuesday.

Shop Here For Every Day Low Prices

**ATKEISON BROS.**

Clover Farm Store

THIS SALE FOR **FRIDAY AND SATURDAY** JUNE 18th 19th

Pure Cane SUGAR 10 Pounds	25 Pound Cloth Bag	\$1.28 53c	<b>Oxydol</b> Regular 25c, Only <b>19c</b> LIMIT
Armour's Vegetole SHORTENING	8 Lb. Carton	\$1.05	
FLOUR CLOVER FARM Bewley's Best	48 Lbs.	\$1.75	
	48 Lbs.	\$1.79	

**Fresh Fruits And Vegetables**

No. 1 White SPUDS, 10 lb. **23c**

Early Wheeler PEACHES  
Per Bu. Good Price

BANANAS, doz. **15c**

FRESH TOMATOES  
Vine Ripened  
Lb. **5c**

LETTUCE, head, **4c**

**Meats that Meet Your Needs**

BOLOGNA, lb. **10c**

TROUT FISH lb. **15c**

HAMS, picnic, lb **20c**

WEINERS, lb. **15c**

Pure Pork SAUSAGE, lb. **20c**

Pure Hog LARD, lb. **16c**

LAMBCHOPS, lb **15c**

LAMB STEW lb **10c**

Highest Prices Paid For Your **FRYERS**

WAPCO Tomatoes, **3 for 23c**

CLOVER FARM PORK & BEANS BLACK EYED PEAS 4 16 oz Cans **25c**

RED BEANS

COFFEE RED CUP, 1 lb. **19c**, 3 lbs. **55c**  
CLOVER FARM, lb. **29c**

CLOVER FARM TEA, **1-4 lb. 23c**  
1 Ice Tea Glass With Each 1-4 Purchase

MACRONI, 1 lb. CELO **9c**  
SPAGHETTI, BAG

Kelloggs CORN FLAKES or WHEAT KRISPIES, **2 for 23c**  
Bowl or Plate Free

CLOVER FARM PINEAPPLE JUICE, 12 oz. **3 for 25c**

White Swan GRAPE FRUIT JUICE, No. 2 can  
Campbell's TOMATO JUICE, large

BULK Vinegar  
DISTILLED gal 24c  
WHITE PICKLING gal 29c  
APPLE CIDER, gal 29c  
"Bring Your Jug"

Brer Rabbit Syrup, gal. **63c**  
Glendale Cocoa, 2 lb. **21c**

Clover Farm, 8 oz. 2 lbs. Salad Dressing **12**  
Crackers, **17c**

A NEW SUMMER DRINK Par-T-Pak Full Quart Six Flavors **10c**  
5c Deposit on Bottles

**USE COUPON BOOKS AND SAVE**  
2 per cent off for Cash on Coupon Books  
Highest Possible Price Paid For Eggs and Chickens.  
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# SOCIETY AND CLUB NEWS

Socials . . . Parties . . . Bridge and Study Clubs

MRS. DALE DILLINGHAM, Society Editor

## HALE SISTERS VISIT AT AMARILLO, ATTEND CONFERENCE.

Miss Ellnon Atwood of Amarillo spent a week here in Spur with the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hale, starting Friday, June 4, when she was met in Lubbock.

Miss Atwood's acquaintance was made at the Christian Conference last summer at Ceta Canyon by Ernestine Hale and other delegates from here. On Friday morning Ernestine and Marian Hale left for Amarillo and spent the week-end in Miss Atwood's home. Monday they left for the 1937 Christian Conference at Ceta Glen, with the delegates from the First Christian Church at Amarillo. On the following Sunday, June 20, the Hale girls will return to Miss Atwood's home for a night before returning to their home.

Miss Atwood will leave on July 1 for Los Angeles, California, where she will spend the rest of the season with the famed Mrs. Alta Turk, and take voice. Mrs. Turk has received many write-ups and compliments from large music magazines and she has been highly praised by critics in Los Angeles.

Plans for Miss Atwood's junior year at the University of Southern California have not been completed. If she does stay for the winter, Miss Atwood will remain with Mrs. Turk and continue voice.

## LAWN PART YARD CLOTHING CONTEST HELD JUNE 12.

Twenty-two 4-H girls and approximately twenty visitors attended the lawn party and clothing contest June 12, at the Methodist Church, which climaxed the year's work in the wardrobe demonstration and ended the contest begun in October, 1936. Six demonstrators competed for first place in the county and a trip to Short Course, and three winning cooperators from the clubs competed for first place as cooperator who had done outstanding work.

Katherine Ward, demonstrator of the McAdoo Club, won first place as the demonstrator who had the best dress, the most complete record book and the most adequate storage facilities for clothing. LaRue Holmes, farm fruit plot demonstrator of the McAdoo club and cooperator in the clothing work, won first place as the cooperator in the county who had done outstanding work on her cotton dress and slip.

The other demonstrators entering the contest were: Dela Dean Baxter, Pauline Ford, and Jackie Young, all of Patton Springs; Melba Robinson of Prairie Chapel; and Maxine Sandlin of Espuela. The other winning cooperators were Ada Lou Robinson of Prairie Chapel and Virginia Crockett of the Espuela club.

Miss Ruth Grimes, home demonstration agent of Kent County, acted as judge for both groups.

Following the contest, the girls moved out on the lawn and played games under the leadership of the Home Agent, Miss Jean Day. Refreshments of lemonade and assorted cookies were served by the following sponsors of the 4-H clubs:

Mrs. Earl Murchison, Wichita; Mrs. F. B. Crockett, Espuela; Miss Hazel Moore, McAdoo; Miss Merle Bennett, Prairie Chapel; and Mrs. Clark Forbis, Patton Springs.

## THURSDAY CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Reese McNeil entertained Thursday afternoon at three o'clock with a bridge party for members of the Thursday club.

At the close of the contract ga-

mes Mrs. W. T. Andrews received a fiesta ware plate as high score prize.

The refreshment plate held orange sherbert and sponge cake. Those present were Mesdames Jack Rector, Weldon Grimes, W. T. Andrews and D. H. Zachery of Jefferson, Texas.

## TRIPLE TREY CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. TY ALLEN

Mrs. B. C. Langley and Mrs. Clarence Lane were prize winners in bridge games Saturday afternoon when Mrs. Ty Allen was hostess to the Triple Trey Club and three guests.

At the tea hour Mrs. Allen served ice cream and cake to Mesdames Langley, O. C. Thomas, and Jack Rector, guests, and to Mesdames Clarence Lane, Alton Chapman, E. D. Engleman, L. D. Ratliff and H. B. Thompson, club members.

## PARTY FOR MYRA ALICE RATLIFF LAST FRIDAY.

Mrs. L. D. Ratliff entertained Friday morning at ten o'clock with a birthday party for her daughter, Myra Alice, who was three years old.

Jean Engleman assisted directing games and making kodak pictures of the children. A decorated birthday cake was cut and served with ice cream. Balloons and rubber balls were favors.

The following children attended: Brooks Chapman, Christine and Bill Lane, Jimmie and Patsy Read, Genevieve and Thomas Taylor, Annette Lee, Elizabeth Clemmons, Jo Bob Barnhill, Nancy Lou Vaughn, Jean Engleman, and Mesdames Read, Barnhill, Marvin Vaughn and Sam Clemmons.

## BRIDGE LUNCHEON FOR CLUB

at the Spur Inn Wednesday at one o'clock members of the 1925 Bridge Club enjoyed games of Contract during the afternoon.

A maderia dinner Napkin was awarded Mrs. Della Eaton as high score prize.

The other payers were Mesdames M. C. Golding, Hill Perry, Ray Taylor, E. D. Engleman, Ralph Lewis, F. W. Jennings, H. B. Thompson, Nellie Davis, Adgate, Meadow, Williams, D. H. Zachry, M. H. Brannen, V. V. Parr, and Harvey Holley. Misses Lenora Lisenby, Julia Mae Hickman, and Selma Swenson.

## RED MUD HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Red Mud Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. B. I. Stoggin Friday afternoon, June 11. Miss Grimes gave a very interesting demonstration on cooking utensils.

We should buy the kind of utensils we need not what we think we might use but ones that we will save labor, and when we buy we should judge carefully the quality, or kind of utensils we are buying, buy ones that will last longer, and give better service.

After the demonstration a very delicious coconut cake and orange punch was served by Mrs. W. E. Butler and Mrs. U. S. Sinn.

Those present were Mesdames: T. F. Baze, J. Z. Smith, A. Q. Smeltzer, A. N. Fuqua, B. I. Scoggins, V. S. Sinn, H. B. Wood, J. N. Cravy, W. S. Hill, and visitor, Idalie Cravy.

Mrs. Joe Hickman and her daughter Rosamary of Muncie, Indiana, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miller and Mrs. Rex Wallace spent Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dozier.

# Nobody's Business

By JULIAN CAPERS JR.

Austin.—What effect the action of Con. Martin Dies, who obtained adoption by the national house of representatives of an amendment to the bill creating a new federal judgeship in the Houston district, that would require the appointee to be a resident of that district, upon the plans of Gov. James V. Allred to obtain the appointment as federal judge furnished grist for the political gossip mill here. If the bill is finally passed by the senate with the Dies amendment in it, it would mean Allred, a resident of the Wichita Falls district, could not be appointed federal judge, and the whole elaborate plan reported to have the secret approval of Senators Tom Connally, Morris Sheppard and Vice President Garner, would collapse. Friends of Allred here believe the Dies amendment will be taken out by the senate, under pressure from Garner and the two Texas senators. This will delay final passage of the bill, however, and keep the political situation in Texas in its present state of uncertainty and high tension for probably another four to six weeks.

## DIES MAD AT JIMMY

Dies offered and fought for the amendment because of his feud with the Texas governor, growing out of the candidacy of Clyde Smith, of Woodville, against Dies last summer. Smith, who startled the state four years ago by making a very creditable race for attorney general as an unknown was appointed assistant secretary of state under the Allred administration and Dies credited the Allred forces with encouraging him to run against Dies.

The delay in settling the matter is particularly irksome to friends of Lt. Gov. Walter Woodul, who are anxious to begin his campaign for attorney general, and can't very well do so until they learn whether he is going to serve a year as governor, as he would do if Allred resigns. Close friends of Woodul declare the latter would not seek election as governor, even if he served out Allred's term but would run for attorney general, leaving the gubernatorial field open to Col. Ernest Thompson and Atty. General Bill McCraw, now generally regarded as the chief contenders.

## PRESS OFFICIALS NAMED

Members of the Texas Press association at their annual convention in Brownwood named R. J. (Bob) Edwards, publisher of the Denton Record Chronicle, veteran Texas newsmen, as president, and Deskin Wells, brilliant young publisher of the Wellington Leader, vice president. Sam Harben, perennial secretary, was renamed for the 27th time and Uncle Ben Harigel, of La Grange, treasurer, Jo Cook, of Mission, another youngster whose achievements have won wide recognition, became chairman of the Young Publishers' section. The Belo award for the best weekly newspaper of the year went to the Kerrville Times, edited by J. J. Starkey.

## PRESS FREEDOM CURTAILED

Disregarding the plea of Texas newspaper publishers that the law was a direct attack upon the freedom of the press, Gov. Allred signed the bill prohibiting dentists from advertising last week end. Allred at first indicated he would disapprove of the bill, but it had the strong support of Secretary of State Edward Clark, whose recommendation to Allred apparently carried more weight than that of the press of Texas.

An interesting bit of gossip concerning this bill circulated here was to the effect that it was lobbied thru the legislature by ex-Sen. Carl Hardin of Stephenville on a contingent fee paid by the "ethical" dentists' organization. If the governor had not signed the bill, Hardin, according to the story, would have been paid nothing for his four months' work getting it thru the legislature. Certain large city daily newspapers are expected to support a legal test of the constitutionality of the act.

## STATE FINANCES

Some idea of the task confronting the legislature may be drawn from the final appropriation figures, after Gov. Allred had vetoed certain items and approved the big appropriation bills for the biennium. The total of the appropriations is \$74,569,803 to run the government for the next two years, an increase of more than \$10,000,000 over 1935-36. The state general fund deficit is about \$20,000,000 at the end of the year, which is the low point for tax collections. The legislature raised no additional revenue but cut off about \$450,000 a year, when it repealed race horse betting. The governor's vetoes eliminated more than \$1,000,000 from the departmental bills as passed.

Nobody expects the special tax session to balance a budget as far out of balance as this, but a substantial levy of new tax revenue is indicated by the figures.

## NOTES

Opening of the Pan American exposition at Dallas drew to the North

Day 125

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Night 101

# CAMPBELL'S MORTUARY

SPUR, TEXAS

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Yours most cordially,

# CAMPBELL'S MORTUARY

"WE HANDLE NATIONAL CASKETS"

## Uncle Jim Says



Title: Poor soil washing down on good bottom land has ruined many Texas fields.

Terracing, contouring, strip cropping, or reverting sloping lands to pastures has long been advocated by specialists of the Texas Extension Service as a means of controlling erosion. Best results are obtained, of course, when the land is still fertile and before erosion has leveled its toll.

In many cases, however, it pays to protect land that is so badly eroded that it will not grow profitable crops. The use of legumes may "bring the land back," but aside from this, protection of fertile lowlands often repays the expense of terracing barren hillsides.

Almost every farmer in the hilly sections of Texas knows of cases of rich land which has been ruined by a deposit of poor soil which covered fertile fields.

Texas metropolis the largest assemblage of state politicians since last year's Centennial celebrations . . . Sen. Conally, Gov. Allred, Lt. Gov. Woodul, were headliners, while many members of the house and senate attending the opening . . . Nudism which featured the Centennial last year is conspicuously absent this time, and opening day visitors were uniformly enthusiastic in praising the new Cavalcade, magnificent spectacle dedicating the establishment of liberty on the two American continents, written by Jan Isabelle Fortune, Dallas newspaper woman . . . A terrific protest went up this week at Gov. Allred's action vetoing two important measures, the soil conservation act and the Big Bend park purchase . . . Opposition to the tax remission features of the first, which he also said doubtful of obtaining federal aid because of its poor drafting, and a \$750,000 appropriation item to buy the park, were given by the governor as reasons for his veto.

## USE PROPER FLOUR FOR BEST RESULTS, IS ADVICE.

"In order to make biscuit dough of the right consistency and have light, flaky biscuits, use less hard wheat flour than soft wheat flour with the same amount of milk," was the conclusion reached after scoring demonstrations of biscuits and muffins submitted at the Highway Home Demonstration club June 10, in the home of Mrs. Ray George.

Hard wheat flour contains about two tablespoons more flour per cup

## More Men Unfit for Military Duty Through Neglect of Oral Hygiene



More young men would be rejected for military service today because of oral defects than were turned down in 1917, declares the Dental Institute of America. The United States Public Health Service says that of the 925,873 men found unfit for military duty by the first selective draft examination, "the second highest of all causes of physical rejections was that of dental defects."

Now the situation is worse, says the Dental Institute, because of economic pressure which began in 1930. "Men have been more negligent than women in mouth hygiene. As a consequence serious disorders have be-

come prevalent among those of military age." In a bulletin the U. S. Public Health Service says neglect of teeth in early life usually means an infected mouth later with abscesses at teeth roots, adding: "Such abscesses act as reservoirs of infectious material which may enter the blood stream, frequently causing rheumatism, heart disease, kidney trouble and other ailments. It has been said that one-fourth of all Americans who annually have their life shortened from five to ten years by the so-called degenerative diseases." Regular dental supervision says the Institute, would effectively cut "the appalling toll of life resulting from the poisons of infections teeth."

## FROM A SCOUT TO A SCOUT

While walking through the streets of Spur two very prominent business men were over heard discussing the fact that the Committee for Scout Troop 36 could not have selected a man more learned in the ways of outdoor life than Mr. Cecil Fox, as Scoutmaster. He is not only a taxidermist but an authority in bird study. Mr. Fox has devoted much of his time to scouting and to the members of his troop. Mr. Weaver has done much for the troop as Assistant Scout Master. The American Legion is doing their best to make an excellent troop of 36. Since the men are doing their best the rest is up to the boys.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Foreman, of Foreman Chapel community, were in our city Tuesday doing some trading.

W. D. Blair, east of town, was in Tuesday looking after business affairs.

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# Dickens County Times



### Tech Enrollment Now Totals 1400

First summer session at Texas Technological College had reached 1,447 near the close of the first week of registration and class work. Regular registration machinery was set up in classroom buildings Monday, June 7, and classes started June 8. First term of the summer session closes July 16. Second term will begin July 19, continue until August 25.

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### Colleges Report N. Y. A. Students Making Good

Reports from colleges and universities of Texas which participated in the National Youth Administration College Aid program last session tend to support the oft-expressed theory that students who earn part of their expenses make better grades than students who have all expenses paid. Sixty-eight of the 87 colleges participating in the program have already filed annual reports with J. C. Kellen, state NYA director. In 38 of the reporting colleges, students provided with NYA employment made better average grades than the entire student body. In 20 colleges the average grades of the two groups were reported to be approximately equal, while in nine colleges NYA workers were making slightly lower average grades than the student body. One school did not answer the question.

The reports that have been tabulated indicate that 66 per cent of the students employed were assigned to work which directly facilitated the teaching program. These students worked as clerks, teachers' helpers, library assistants, stenographers, and laboratory and shop assistants. About eight per cent of the students were employed on campus improvements, and seven per cent in the athletic department. The remaining students were assigned to various other jobs. About one-half the colleges reported that NYA employment was responsible for increases in enrollment.

The students employed on the College Aid program were selected by the college officials for employment because they needed assistance in order to enter or remain in school properly. They were assigned to socially desirable work under the supervision of the teachers and were paid a prevailing hourly wage rate. Their earnings were limited to an average wage of \$15 per month. During the month of May 8,336 students were employed in the 87 Texas colleges and universities participating in the program.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Dunlap and children, Mrs. J. Smith and Miss Noema Smith returned Monday from a several days visit with relatives and friends in Fort Worth, Abilene and other points.

### "SWING HIGH, SWING LOW"



PALACE, PREVUE SATURDAY NIGHT, SUNDAY AND MONDAY

### Bandeen Praises Fort Worth Fiesta

West Texas provided the greatest attendance of any section at the Fort Worth Frontier Centennial last year and no doubt will flock this year to the Fort Worth Frontier Fiesta by the tens of thousands, declared D. A. Bandeen, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

"We regard the show with personal interest and pride because it is presented in Fort Worth, the gateway into the West Texas empire," he said. "The development of Fort Worth into the amusement center of the Southwest means a great volume of tourist travel through West Texas cities."

Bandeen pointed out that the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Building last year at the Fort Worth Exposition was visited by 700,000 persons and an even greater number is predicted this season when the WTCC will present "West Texas, Old and New," with approximately 150 cities having displays in the building.

### REV. AND MRE B. B. HUCKABAY VISIT IN DICKENS

Rev. and Mrs. B. B. Huckabay and little daughter of Plainview were in Dickens Sunday.

Rev. Huckabay is pastor of the Dickens Baptist Church. He preached to a goodly number at both morning and evening services.

The children rendered a "Children's Day Program" at the morning service, which was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Blair and little son, Byron were visiting in the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Blair and other relatives and friends this week. Albert is postal clerk in the Amarillo post office.



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### McADOO

Farmers of this vicinity have been working from early morn until late at night replanting cotton and grain and knifing out the expected weed crop as a result of rain. For some time some of the farmers were unable to get into their field due to water standing.

The high driving winds and the sun shine the last few days has dried out the soil greatly and practically all the farmers are working with sufficient sub-soil moisture. Cotton planted late in June will be able to make a rapid growth.

The flow of golden grain from over the East plains is heading for the flour mills as the first combining of wheat in the community was started last week. By the last of this week harvest will be in full swing. Rains have added to the previous estimate of yield. Not only have yields been increased several bushels per acre but heads have been fied out. The average yield per acre here has been from 25 to 35 bushels.

Mr. Louie Gilmore and Billie Doris went to Breckenridge a short time ago to see relatives. Billie Doris will spend the summer with an aunt, Mrs. Tom B. Lanoar who lives at that place.

Miss Jewel Callihan and John Burrow were married Saturday, June 12. Jewel is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Callihan of Wake community. She was a student in McAdoo High School the past session.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bradfield Bass and James Edwin returned home from Moran Sunday. Oleta Norvelle, a niece of Mrs. Bass returned home with them to spend the summer.

Miss Buleah Mae Phifer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Phifer has enrolled as a student in West Texas State Teachers College at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hunsucker went to Fort Worth Monday. Mrs. Hunsucker who is in ill health will be under the care of a specialist while there.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Gollihar have been to Fort Worth recently visiting their son and daughter and their families. Two of their grand sons returned home with them to spend their summer vacation here.

Mr. Arche McDonald from Albuquerque, New Mexico and Heien McDonald nurse of Lubbock sanitarium are here for a two weeks vacation. A. W. McDonald.

with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Harriet Wheeler from Ardmore, Oklahoma and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dozier and Donald of Afton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Dozier.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Beauchamp and baby from Turkey spent the week end here with his brother, Rev. Frank Beauchamp and Mrs. Beauchamp.

Mrs. Marshall Aldridge from Littlefield returned home Sunday after noon after spending the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Gatlin are parents of a baby boy.

Mrs. Fred Norvelle of Moran has been here to see her sister Mrs. Iona Bass and her brother Mr. Jack Herring and their family.

Mrs. Winston Wofford spent a few days here recently with her mother, Mrs. E. C. Sparkman.

Mr. Herman Herring and Miss Dorothy Ioney of Littlefield were married in Lubbock last week according to reports. Dr. Fry of Lubbock married the couple. Herman is a brother of Mrs. Iona Bass and Jack Herring of McAdoo and has formerly lived here.

Rev. Frank Beauchamp left Monday for Dallas to attend a preachers' school that will be conducted at S. M. U.

Koy Neely went to see his sister Mrs. J. T. Holmes at Centerpoint Texas last week.

Miss Florence Sparkman, daughter of Mrs. E. C. Sparkman and Roy Isaac son of Mrs. S. Isaac were married at Ralls Monday, June 8.

After spending a few days at Lubbock the couple returned to McAdoo where they will make their home. Mr. Grant Robertson who lives in Chicago has been here to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Robertson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker and Shirley from Spur were here Sunday to see their parents. Shirley will spend the week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker.

F. Depkins, hustling ginner of Dobbs City, was in our city Tuesday looking after business matters and greeting friends.

### PALACE

SPUR, TEXAS

Thursday and Friday

### A SUPER SON-IN-LAW...

Peter B. Kyne's  
**The GO-GETTER**  
GEORGE BRENT  
ANITA LOUISE  
OUT-SMARTS FIGHTERS  
IMMORTAL HERO...  
CAPPY TICKETS!

### SATURDAY

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Dorothy Lamour  
Harvey Stephens  
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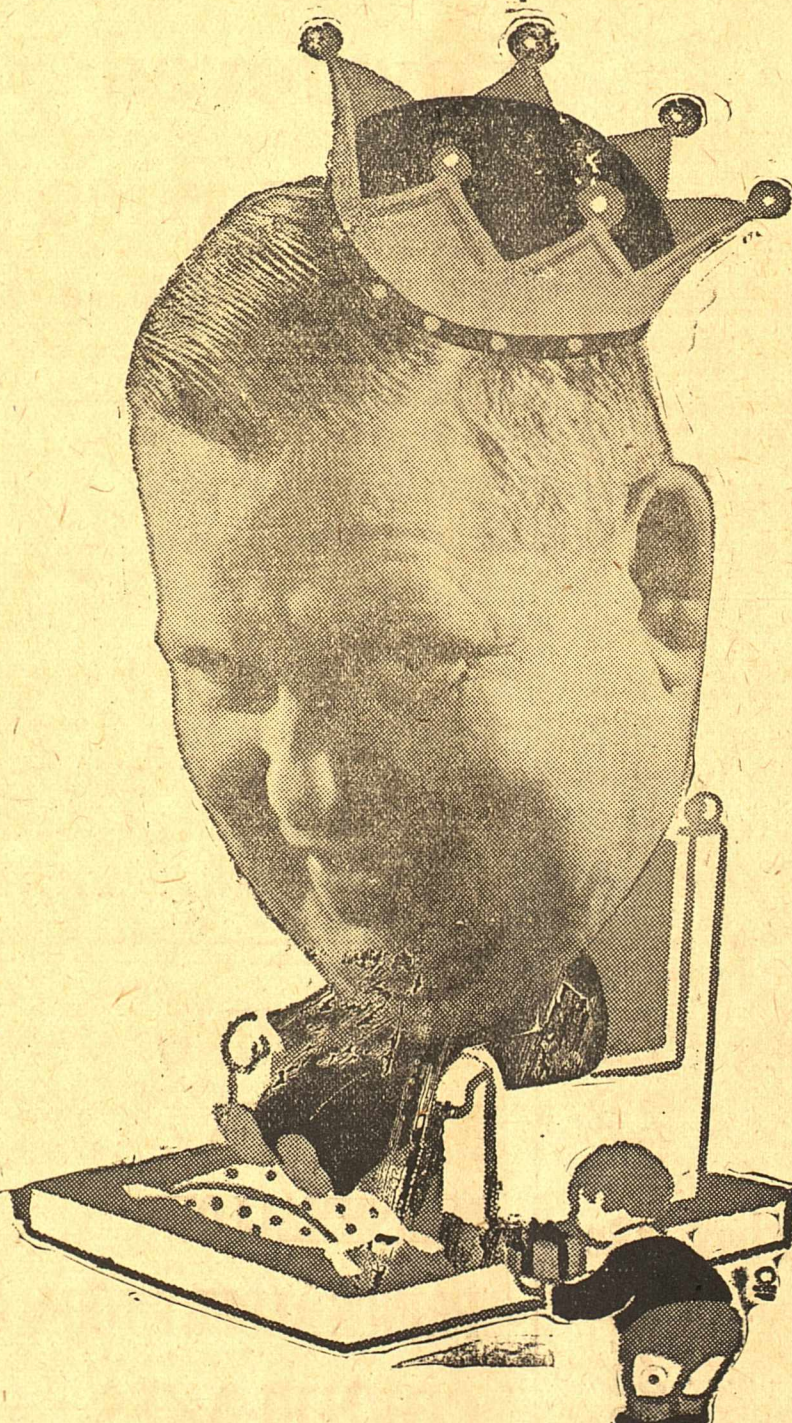
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THE FRIENDLY SHOP

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**FORT WORTH'S WELCOME TO THE WORLD**

# FRONTIER FIESTA

Fort Worth and Billy Rose have scored again! As the 1936 Centennial outshone in Glamour and Glory all the Splendors of the Ages so shall the 1937 Fiesta Eclipse its predecessor with the Lure of Bedazzling Effulgence. CASA MANANA Flares Forth in a Veritable Vortex of Creative Opulence as compared with the Stygian Mediocrity of all other stage spectacles, past and present. Here, on the largest oscillating-rotating rostrum on earth is revealed BILLY ROSE'S All New Leviathan of Extravaganza, BEST SELLERS. A Glittering Galaxy of Distinguished Luminaries of Stage, Screen, Concert, Radio and Arena including PAUL WHITEMAN and BAND, EVERETT MARSHALL, HARRIET HOCTOR, an Ensemble of Ten Score Alluring Adolescent Aphrodites, Male Choir of Sixty-four... in Four Acts of Astonishing Magnificence... Over HALF A MILLION DOLLARS expended on ALL NEW Production.

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**OPENS SATURDAY, JUN. 26**



## Aliens Prove Handicap To U. S. Employment Acts

By Dr. Gerald B. Winrod  
Wichita, Kansas

Statisticians declare that there are approximately 11,000,000 unemployed in the United States at the present time.

Congressman Martin Dies of Texas is authority for the statement that we now have within our borders 16,500,000 foreign "breds" and 7,500,000. Had the 16,500,000 not been admitted, there would be a large surplus of jobs today. Had the 7,500,000 not been admitted, our unemployment situation would have been normal.

It is conservative to say that at least 1,500,000 of the 7,500,000 are on public relief at this moment. Uncle Sam is a very generous old gentleman! He feeds foreigners at the expense of his own children.

There are over 3,000,000 aliens here unlawfully. This number have been smuggled in by ships and airplanes, and across the Mexican and Canadian borders. Over 500,000 have come as seamen on shore leave to remain ninety days, but becoming "lost" in large eastern cities; they forgot to return to their ships.

No other country has ever witnessed such an influx of foreign population except ancient Rome. And historians agree that this was one of the major causes of the decline and collapse of Roman civilization.

American consuls in forty-seven different countries report that they are holding requests from 992,000 other aliens who are knocking at our doors requesting entrance. Over 163,000 were admitted "legally" last year and there is no way of knowing how many tens of thousands were smuggled in from Germany and other countries.

There is no nation in the world as lax on matters pertaining to immigration as the United States. That's why we have so much scum on the great American melting pot. That's why our unemployment problem forbids solution in spite of the revolutionary social changes now in progress.

The two people more responsible than others for the present laxity are Samuel Dickstein, chairman of the House Immigration Committee, and Madam Secretary Perkins. Both have tried to get measures through Congress which would have made it easier still for immigrants from Germany and elsewhere to enter the country.

In 1933 there were 19,865 deportations. But in 1934, Miss Perkins brought the number down to 8,879. On one occasion she exercised the power of her office to retain 1200 aliens as public charges. She is being criticized for having admitted Emma Goldman and other notorious anarchists. She reversed the order of her predecessor of requiring immigrants to be fingerprinted, the only practical method known by which the identity of foreigners can be definitely established.

The American Federation of Labor has officially protested to Congress against conferring broader powers upon her "because of her leanings toward anti-restrictions of immigration."

Dickstein, on the other hand, showed his colors by sponsoring the pernicious bill H. R. 9725 last year, a subtle measure which would have added greatly to the unemployment problem. Fortunately he was voted down in Congress by a large majority.

## Junior Cowboy Contest Staged At Cowboy Reunion

A junior cowboy contest, limited to lads under twelve years of age, will be a new feature of this year's Texas Cowboy Reunion which meets in Stamford July 1, 2 and 3. Winner of first place will receive a special made saddle, presented by Jack M. Little of Dallas. Second prize will be a pair of chaps.

Dr. Dallas Southard is chairman of the committee in charge of the new feature. The junior cowboys will be judged largely on the riding ability of the boy and the performance of his horse. The contestant's riding togs and equipment, and the appearance of the horse will also be taken into consideration.

The addition of this contest practically completes the program for the Reunion. Performances of the rodeo in which actual cowhands compete in calf roping, wild cow milking, bronc and steer riding, will be held morning, afternoon and night each of the three days.

Special features include the cutting horse contest, original with the Texas Cowboy Reunion, on the morning of July 2, and a calf roping contest for cowboys over 55 years of age on the afternoon of the same day. A junior steer riding contest for boys under 14 will be held at the night performances on July 2 and 3.

Judging of the cowgirl sponsors representing the various towns and cities will begin on the first day. Award of prizes to the most typical

cowboy over 55 years of age and the most typical one under 55 will be announced on the third day. The old fiddlers contest will begin at 8:30 a. m. on July 3.

A spectacular feature of the Reunion, the grand parade, will move through the streets of the city beginning at 11 a. m. on Friday, July 2. Cowboy parades will be held on the other two days of the show.

Sponsors' dances will be held each night at the new pavilion on the Reunion grounds, while square dances will be conducted at the Cowboy Bunkhouse. Sessions of the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association, composed of old time cowboys, will be held at the bunkhouse on the mornings of the first and last day. The members of this organization will be entertained around the chuck wagon at noon each day.

As usual, West Texas ranches are being invited to bring their chuck

wagons and camp in the chuck wagon area.

The Reunion opens one day earlier than usual this year to avoid operating on Sunday, which falls on July 4.

## Improved Seeds Cultural Practice Aids to Prospects

The planting of cotton seed of improved varieties, careful seedbed preparation, a good season in the ground, and careful cultural practices are expected to contribute to a banner cotton year for Northwest Texas farmers and 4-H Club boys, county agricultural agents in that section report.

Planting on the contour, in addition

to storing a large amount of rainfall for Lamb county farmers during the recent May rains, also saved hundreds of bushels of cottonseed. Cotton planted on straight rows was subject to washing and the young plants were either washed out or covered up, and will have to be replanted. The Lamb county agricultural agent reports that terrace and contour lines have been run on 25,000 acres since the turn of the year.

In Knox county, 75 club boys have planted 261 acres of cotton of improved varieties and are competing for \$100 in prizes posted by the ginners of that county.

The Howard county agricultural agent reports that 90 per cent of the cotton farmers in that county have substituted an improved variety of excellent staple length for the short staple seed that they have been planting. A 20 per cent increase in

cotton acreage is noted for the cotton, but heavy rains have forced some farmers to replant.

Field crop demonstrations have attracted 33 of the 38 club boys in Dickens county. Most of these boys are planting either cotton or grain sorghum and in both cases certified seed is being used.

## Summer Band of Texas Tech Gives Concert Tuesday

Enrollees in the Texas Technological college summer band school made their first public appearance Tuesday evening when they played a concert on the Administration build-

ing lawn.

More than 100 students are enrolled in the school this summer. Professor Harold Bachman of the University of Chicago, featured guest conductor for the session, will be in charge of the school from July 11 to 17. He will direct the massed band in its final concert in Lubbock High school auditorium July 17. Other guest conductors and instructors are: Col. Earl D. Irons of North Texas Agricultural college, Arlington; R. A. Phossche of Beaumont High School; and Milburn E. Carey, director of the Phillips university band, Enid, Okla. Band directors from high schools all over the state are listed as guest conductors. D. O. Wiley, director of the Texas Tech band, is in charge of school.

Want-Ads Pay!

# SAFEWAY'S OLD FASHIONED SALE of FOODS

Remember the days of the open cracker barrel? Well, we are not going back to those days of open display — but we are featuring old fashioned, wholesome foods — such as, beans, rice, macaroni, and dozens of others that keep folk in fine fettle before all this new-fangled talk of vitamins. Check this list — you may find several suggestions for a change in diet to pep up a sluggish appetite.

Free June 18 and 19th we will give FREE to Every Child accompanied by Parents A giant mint or Peanut Butter Stick of Candy.

FRESH

### CORN

Well Filled

6 for ..... 19c

Vine Ripe

TOMATOES, lb. .... 5c

New Red No. 1

POTATOES, 10 lb. .... 23c

Crystal Wax

ONIONS, lb. No. 1's ... 3 1/2c

White Velvet

OKRA, lb ..... 15c

Seven Piece

### Fruit Desert Set

Special feature at ..... 29c

With 2 cans of

Libby's Peaches, No. 2 1-2 Size ..... 39c

Grape Juice Rosemary 2 pt. bottles ..... 35c

Airway Coffee, ..... lb. 19c

Edwards Coffee ..... lb. 27c

TEA, Canterbury, 1/4 lb. pkg. 19c

Pork & Beans, Giant Can ..... 10c

TISSUE, Waldrof, 3 rolls, Van Camp ..... 14c

Gran. Soap, White King 24 oz box ..... 23c

Super Suds Red or blue box 2 boxes ..... 19c

Oxydol or Rinso, large box, ..... 23c

Jell Well, 2 reg. pkg. .... 19c

Ovaltine, 50c size can ..... 35c

Baking Powder, Calumet, 1 lb. can ..... 23c

Grapenuts Flakes, reg. pkg. 11c

GRAPENUTS, reg. pkg. .... 17c

Wheaties 2 Regular ..... 23c

Powdered Sugar 2 lb. Cello Bag ..... 15c

Fancy Rice Blue Rose Brand 2 lb. Cello bag ..... 13c

Old Dutch Cleanser 2 cans ..... 15c

# FLOUR

Kitchen Craft Harvest Blossom

12 lb sack ..... 49c 12 lb. sack ..... 45c

24 lb. sack ..... 95c 24 lb. sack ..... 89c

48 lb. sack ..... \$1.79 48 lb. sack ..... \$1.59

COMPOUND Your Favorite Shortening 8 lb. carton ..... \$1.05

MATCHES Our Favorite Brand 6 boxes ..... 16c

MARSHMALLOWS, Cello bag or box 1 lb. ..... 15c

PRINCE ALBERT TOBACCO Regular size tin ..... 10c

CORN FLAKES, Ralston's Large box ..... 10c

Prices Effective Thursday, Friday and Saturday

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