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Scouters Banquet Declared Big Success

The Scouters of the Eastern District of the South Plains Council and their wives enjoyed a great treat Tuesday night of last week. It was the occasion of the annual meeting and 82 people were present for a banquet at the Spur Inn. The Spur Inn management made all the guests feel comfortable and a fine repast was served. The Inn then made a nice donation back to the cause of Boy Scout work in the community which was greatly appreciated.

George S. Link, chairman of the Executive Committee for the Eastern District, was master of ceremonies for the evening. E. W. Mars and his associates rendered several selections of music which were greatly enjoyed. Dr. J. O. Ellsworth of Texas Technological College was the speaker of the evening, and he brought a very fine message on parents and their duties in behalf of the young people of the community. He stated he received his first commission as a Scoutmaster 27 years ago and he had not lost his interest in boys since. He outlined what a parent should be in order to influence the boys of the community in the right direction. His message was very plain and simple and was enjoyed by all present.

Jack Stone, Scout Executive for the South Plains Council, was present and made some very fine comments on the work in the Eastern District. J. C. Grimes, Scout Commissioner for the northern half of the South Plains Council, was present and outlined the work which had been done in the district the past year.

Scout representatives were present from Matador, Roaring Springs, Patton Springs, Dickens and Spur. Every one present stated it was a meeting worth while. All are looking forward for the annual meeting next year in the hope of enjoying another great time in the interest of a great cause.

Notice to Young Men Interested in Aviation

The Army requires a number of young men for enrollment as Flying Cadets in the Air Corps. These Cadets who qualify will be given a complete course of Army Aviation training and with a view to appointment as Reserve Officers in the Army Air Corps.

While training, Flying Cadets are paid \$75.00 per month, food, clothing and Medical attention furnished free.

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This is important. If interested apply now.

See your Postmaster or write the U. S. Army Recruiting Officer, Lubbock, Texas.

REVIVAL AT CROTON STARTS FRIDAY

A revival meeting will begin at Friendship Baptist Church in Croton community Friday night, December 27. Rev. Walter Lee Brian, of Plainview, will do the preaching. Further announcements will be made relative to the hours of services. Everyone is extended an invitation to attend and to tell all your friends to be present.

Many Names With No Answers

At the Christmas holidays program Tuesday a number of names were drawn who did not answer. These were to have received presents. Among these were:

Dorothy M. Elliot of Spur, A. G. Dyer of Girard, Alma Lee Yeatts of Glenn, Mrs. B. F. Middleton of Aton, Johnnie De Corova. Mrs. Charlie Kimmel, Mrs. Pearl Morgan, Mrs. Orville Boothe, W. E. Dortch, Lester George, Mattie Ruth Meador all of Spur, Mrs. Clark Forbis of Afton, Mr. W. F. Williams, no address.

The Christmas holiday program is being conducted twice each day, at eleven o'clock in the morning and 3:30 in the afternoon, except Saturday and Sunday. You must be present to get your premium.

Species Planted For Shelterbelts

Over twenty-five different kinds of trees are used in Shelterbelt planting in Dickens County.

The Forest Service groups these trees as shrubs, evergreens, intermediates, and high trees.

The shrubs which are Plum, Russian Olive, and Desert Willow serve to raise the ground winds and help develop forest conditions in the tree belts.

The evergreen trees are long life trees and afford a maximum amount of winter protection.

Species most generally used are Red Cedar and Ponderosa Pine.

Ashes, Walnuts, Locusts, Apricots, Catalpas, and Mulberries make up the belts of intermediate rows. These trees give density to the belt and in later years will furnish the post and other wood products.

Chinese Elm, Cottonwood, Honeylocust, and Sycamore are fast growing and will grow higher than the other rows. They are the trees that break up the wind and will protect up to 1,000 of the field on the lee side, depending on the maximum height they reach.

CERCY-DEATON NUPTIALS SATURDAY

Miss Fanette Cery and Wendell Deaton, of Dickens, were married Saturday evening at the home of Rev. and Mrs. H. L. Burman north of town. Rev. Burman read the rites in the presence of a few friends. The couple were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gruben. Mrs. Gruben is a sister to the groom.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. T. B. Fortenberry of Lubbock. She has been living with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Berry, the past several months. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Deaton of Dickens, and has been employed on the Pitchfork Ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Deaton will make their home at Dickens and Mr. Deaton will continue his work with the ranch.

Dickens County

Clayton Bride, a hustling stock farmer of Elton, was in town Saturday attending to business matters. Lonnie Gilmore, of the Pitchfork Ranch, was in town Saturday looking after business matters. In the Girard city schools, was in our city Saturday doing some shopping.

Spur Paving Project Gets Approval

M. C. Golding, local merchant and member of the Board of Directors of the Spur Civic Club, received a telegram this week from Senator Tom Connally which stated that Spur's paving project had been approved by President Roosevelt. The project provides excavating, grading, constructing road base, removing culverts, constructing curbs and gutters, surfacing, and performing incidental and appurtenant work. The telegram stated further that the project is now eligible for operation at the discretion of the State Work Project Administrator.

This is a step forward for our city in progress and improvement. It will mean work for several people and quite an added pride to our citizenship. The project is yet in the offing, but it is hoped to get it started before many more weeks.

Army Volunteer Gives His Views On Army Life

Below is published part of a letter which was written back to friends by Pvt. Robert C. Green, who is with the cavalry at Fort Bliss, Texas. So many people have an idea that Army life is a hard life, and that the young men who are drafted into service have to go through hardships and many other disagreeable things. This young man gives his version of the army as he has experienced it at Fort Bliss.

"We arrived at Fort Bliss Sunday, November 24. (He left Dickens Saturday, November 23). We were uniformed and medically attended November 25. We were put into foot drill the same day. We were in the barracks with the regular army. We eat and sleep with the men in the regular army. It is much better than I expected it to be. There are all the modern conveniences in every barracks. On the post we have theaters, six different churches, drug stores, art galleries, studios, recreation halls, athletics reception quarters where every one can participate.

"We have street cars and bus lines that run right through the post every thirty minutes. It costs us six cents to go wherever we care to go. You are allowed a canteen book valued at two dollars, three dollars, or five dollars which take care of our necessities. We have the first modern theater in El Paso on the Post, and can draw show books for \$1.50. The cost is ten cents to all shows.

"Our laundry and insurance is paid. Fort Bliss is as modern in every respect as any town in Texas."

So many mothers have a horror for their sons going to the army. It is hoped that the above letter will assist in making the departure of sons much easier to those mothers. All army people are human, the leaders come from good families and most of them have been accustomed to all modern conveniences. For that reason the boys going from Dickens County are in good environment.

Following the service the annual carolling visitation will begin. A large truck belonging to Seamon Reynolds has been promised. Autos will also be needed. Those going from the different churches are asked to bring flash lights and hymn books and plenty of wraps if it is cold. Any shut ins who desire a visit are asked to phone to 276 and leave their names and address. Just as many of the infirm and aged will be visited regardless of denomination.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Neely, of Seminole, were here the last of the week visiting Mrs. Neeley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Harvey, and other relatives.

Bounty Offered For Coyotes

There is a price on the head of the pesky coyote again in Dickens county.

Commissioners court this week with all members present, Commissioners Nickels, Offield, Hindman and Gage and Judge Formby, voted to pay fifty cents per head bounty on coyotes killed in Dickens county between December 19th 1940 and through February 28, 1941.

Hides must be brought to county clerk, E. H. Ousley's office where ears will be punched and the trapping paid by the county. The coyotes must be caught in Dickens county between the dates of December 19 and February 28.

This is the third consecutive year that a bounty has been paid in this county and more than 600 of the pesks have been caught each year. Farmers and stockmen have been complaining of a large number of the animals this year, hence the action of the commissioners court.

Appreciated The Prize

The Red Mud School expresses their appreciation for the money won in the Santa Claus parade Wednesday afternoon, which was given by the Civic Club members of Spur. The school won second place. The money came in very handy to help in fixing up the lunch room and adding other school supplies needed.

Miss Evelyn Pickens, the principal, states that the lunch room opened Tuesday. Everything is progressing just fine under her supervision.

—Contributed.

W. J. BRIDGE RECEIVES BROKEN ARM

W. J. Bridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bridge of Elton community, fell Saturday morning and broke his left arm just above the wrist. He was walking on the frozen ground which was covered with ice and sleet and lost his balance, falling on his arm.

He was rushed to Spur where the fracture was examined and set at the Alexander Hospital. He was able to return home Saturday afternoon and seemed to be getting along very well.

Mr. Bridge has been unfortunate relative to fractured arms. This was the second time he had broken that arm, and the right arm has suffered two fractures in former days.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH TO HAVE CANDLE LIGHTING SERVICE AND CAROLLING

An interdenominational young people's Christmas candle lighting service will be held at the Presbyterian Church on Monday, December 23rd, at 7:30 p. m. Each group of young people from each church in Spur have been invited. Bertha Nell Walker is in charge of the service. It is hoped that each of these groups will be well represented.

Following the service the annual carolling visitation will begin. A large truck belonging to Seamon Reynolds has been promised. Autos will also be needed. Those going from the different churches are asked to bring flash lights and hymn books and plenty of wraps if it is cold. Any shut ins who desire a visit are asked to phone to 276 and leave their names and address. Just as many of the infirm and aged will be visited regardless of denomination.

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First Annual Football To Be Held Tonight

The first annual banquet sponsored by the athletic department of Spur High School is being held tonight, Thursday, December 19, in the gymnasium at 8 o'clock. Coach "Dutch" Meyer will be the principal speaker and a short program will be presented.

La Vorise Lee will be presented as the queen of the banquet. Coronation will be by G. B. Wadzeck, principal.

The program is as follows: Invocation. Welcome from Pep Squad. Response from Football Team. Coronation of the Queen. Introduction of the Lettermen. Introduction of the Pep Squad Leaders. Introduction of Speaker. Song—Alma Mater.

Clyde Thomas Writes From Island Base

The following is a portion of a letter written back home by Richard Clyde Thomas, who is with the U. S. Army Air Corps at Borinquen Field, Puerto Rico. Mr. Thomas who went into the Air Corps division about one year ago, sailed for Puerto Rico in October and landed there about November 1. He has the following to say about the island:

"I've had time to see a little of the island, and what part of it I have seen I think I'm going to like. Fields of sugar cane, groves of cocoanut palms and bananas. They call this the "Enchanted Isle," and truly it is just that. Did you ever see the moon coming up out of the ocean, shining through palms and sending a beautiful glow out over the beach watching the breakers roll in, and hear the wind sighing through the trees? If you have never seen such as that, you don't know the full value of life. Just to stand there gazing off into space, gives one a feeling of smallness—a feeling that he is not as important as he once thought he was. To think that in a few short hours the peaceful seas can become a boiling inferno, and the wind howling like a Banquo's ghost, destroying that which nature took years to build.

"Of course, I get homesick. I still for the good old U. S. A., but still there is something that holds one's heart here in the tropics. I would not care to spend a life time here, of course, but I would not take a million dollars for this experience."

Mr. Thomas is a son of Mrs. Ela Thomas of Spur and is very well known in this community. He worked quite a while in the newspaper business, being with the Victoria Mirror and the Dickens County Times. He is going into the Air Corps from a business viewpoint, hoping to be able to serve his country as a mechanic and later in life to make the airplane his avocation.

SPUR MOTOR Compay

Charlie Powell, Manager

PHONE 37 — SPUR, TEXAS

Lunch Rooms Are Sponsored In County

Lunch rooms have been started in the Dickens, Wichita, Spur, and Dry Lake Schools. The lunch room at Red Mud will likely begin next week. Those cooperating in these projects are the service clubs, parent-teacher organizations, women's federated clubs, and the schools—also the United States Department of Agriculture and the Works Projects Administration.

Health specialists look upon the lunch room projects as a very forward step in improving the health of our school children. The lunch room is not a relief project, but strictly a health project.

REA Interest Growing

A number of short branch lines have applied for admittance to the rural electric line in the past week.

These short lines are welcomed and others may come in if they get ready soon enough. The rural electric line is to be built to serve those not already having electric service and it is the wish of the board of directors to serve every farm home possible that want electricity. So if you have not been reached yet, consult the project manager—and see what might be done. Sometimes conditions vary in such way as to put a line where it was not expected. One or two sign ups can often change the prospects of a line.

Many people want to know when the line will be built. That question cannot as yet be answered. Much pre-allotment work must be done over after the sign-up is sufficient.

Several members are asking about house wiring. Each one should begin to think on that, for he will make changes even before time to wire and changes that will be important. But do not wire yet.

—Manager.

FORMER SPUR BOY MARRIES

Miss Marie Thornton, of Texico, N. Mexico, and J. P. Robinson, Jr., were married at Levelland Saturday, December 7. The ceremony was at the home of Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Brown with Rev. Brown, pastor of the First Baptist Church, reading the rites in the presence of a few friends.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Thornton of Texico. She has been employed in Morton the past five months. The groom, is the eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Robinson, of Highway community, and has been working at Morton the past four months.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson will arrive in Spur the last of this week and will spend Christmas here visiting his parents and other relatives. They expect to make their home at Morton where Mr. Robinson will continue his work as a truck driver.

COMMON SCHOOL TAX COLLECTIONS

The tax collections for the Dickens County Common Schools for the months of October and November totalled about \$12,500.00. This is a good collection for these months.

This does not include the three independent school districts—Spur, Dickens, and McAdoo. Each of these districts have their own collector. It has been reported that collections for these three districts have also been good.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Pickens of Seminole, were here the last of the week visitin relatives and friends.

Trade Courses Asked For Spur Schools

Spur schools have applied for four trade courses to be added which are sponsored by the National Defense Program, and under the division of Agriculture. Funds have been allocated for a period of six months, and probably the project will be continued as long as the federal government emphasizes national defense preparation.

These courses are for young men out of school who have reached the age of sixteen years and have not yet passed their 25th birthday. There is no tuition or other charges for the courses. Students must put in at least 15 hours per week, and training will be conducted each school day for a period of three hours. Work will begin each afternoon except Saturdays and Sundays at 2:30 o'clock.

Classes will be taught in the Agricultural Building of Spur High School, and it is hoped that classes will be started by Friday, January 10.

The courses will be open to all Dickens County boys and will include training in the following fields:

Operation, care and repair of tractors, trucks, automobiles, and engines including both gas engines and Diesel engines.

Metal work including simple welding, tempering, drilling, shaping and machinery repair work. This includes care and repair of farm machinery.

Training in woodwork which includes planning, construction and repair work of various types.

Elementary electricity including the operation, care and repair of electrical equipment.

The above courses are further outlined to include a broad field of training in various lines under each subject. Young men of the ages above outlined, who are interested, should confer with Supt. O. C. Thomas of Spur schools for further particulars. Mr. Thomas has already posted out complete outlines to a number of people.

Sister Wins Ribbons In Canning Contest

Mrs. A. J. Richey, of Croton community, was in town Tuesday and handed a Times reporter a clipping from a Detroit (Mich.) newspaper showing a picture of her sister and 39 ribbons she had won this year in a canning contest. The sister is Mrs. Addie Buchane, who is an extra waitress in Detroit, and the great mystery to every one is how does she find time to do canning projects. The basement of her home at 6152 McMillan is reported a veritable food store of canned goods.

This fall Mrs. Buchane has specialized on fruit cake and plum pudding for Thanksgiving and the Christmas holidays. Her fruit cakes sell at 75 cents per pound and the plum pudding sells at 40 cents per pound. Any lady with her ability never needs to ask any favors of the world. Give her health, and fruit jars with something to put into them, or material to prepare cakes and pudding and she will have plenty.

CHRISTMAE PLAY AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

The Young People of the Kingdom Highway league of the Presbyterian Church will present a Christmas play at the church, Sunday, Dec. 22, at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. Christensen is in charge as director and every one is cordially invited to attend. The play is entitled "Christmas Blessings."

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TWENTIETH CENTURY STUDY CLUB

The Twentieth Century Study Club met with Mrs. E. D. Cook Tuesday, December 3. After a short business session Mrs. Thomas gave a report of the State Convention at Austin. This report was quite interesting and given in a way that made each member feel that they had attended the meeting. Refreshments were served to the following:
Mesdames Emma Lee, P. C. Nichols, E. L. Caraway, F. B. Crockett, W. S. Campbell, B. F. Hale, O. B. Ratliff, L. D. Ratliff, O. L. Kelley, O. C. Thomas, D. P. Condit, Geo. S. Link, J. M. Foster, Cliff Bird, O. M. McGinty, T. H. Blackwell, A. M. Walker, and the hostess, Mrs. E. D. Cook.
—Reporter.

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SPUR SCHOOL NEWS

SENIOR PLAY
Spur High Senior Class presented their annual play, "The Merry Hares" by Agnes E. Petterson, Friday, December 1 at 7:45 in the High School auditorium. In spite of the disagreeable weather many people attended and enjoyed the play.

The Junior High School Choral Club presents December 20, the Christmas Program, "Thirty Minutes with Santa Claus."
Characters are:
Mr. Wentworth — Billy Lee Glenn.
Mrs. Wentworth — Charles Powell.
Betty Wentworth — Maefoi Carlisle.
Santa Claus — Billy Jo McCombs.
First Wise Man — Sherman Campbell.
Second Wise Man — Jerry Don Bell.
Third Wise Man — Gerome Byrd.
Joseph — Zane Freeman.
Mary — Aline Ball.
Inn Keeper — Doyle Davis.
Angel — Patricia Ann Mars.
Carolers — Choral Club.

Officers of Choral Club
President — Virginia Crockett.
Vice President — Billy Jo McCombs.
Secretary — Eurena Hoover.
Sergeant — at - Arms — Aline Ball.
Librarian — Helen Virginia Mars.

Christmas Program for High School
Spirit of Christmas — Mr. Hinson.
"The First Noel" — "Away in the Manager" — Quartet.
Origin of Christmas — La Vorise Lee.
A Christmas Project — Ruby Adcock.
Poem — Mary Smith.
"O Come All Ye Faithful," "Deck The Hall," "I Heard The Bells On Christmas Day," "Joy To The World." — Choral Club.
Announcer — Mary Reid.
At 2 o'clock Spur High will have their Christmas tree and fun program.

MRS. CHASTAIN ENTERTAINS

Mrs. Neal Chastain entertained the Thursday Luncheon Club at her home on West Harris Street. The decoration were in keeping with the holiday season. The main menu was delicious venison which came from the mountains.
Those present were Mesdames W. T. Andrews, Ty Allen, C. H. Elliott, L. E. Standifer, F. W. Jenninfgs, R. E. Dickson, M. C. Golding and O. C. Thomas.

EAST WARD FACULTY ENJAY PARTY

Mrs. Sam Newberry, Mrs. Jno. L. King, Jr., and Miss Graham were hostesses to a Bridge Party at the Spur Inn last week. Guests were the faculty with Supt and Mrs. O. C. Thomas as special guests.
East Ward teachers present were: Miss Mary Nelda Vaughter, Mrs. E. D. Egleman, Miss Dorothy Walker, Mrs. Alva Cravy, Mrs. Carl Patton, and Miss Dallas Smith. Jno. L. King, Jr., was an invited guest for the evening.

Jack Moore, west of town, was in Saturday doing some trading and talking with friends.

MANY HIGH SCHOOL PUPILS MAKE HONOR ROLL

Below is a list of Spur High School pupils who made the honor roll standard in work the second six weeks term of school. Two classes of honor roll students have been listed, A and B, which shows these students have done extraordinary work.

A HONOR ROLL

Freshman—
Mildred Burger
Pete Dobbins
Pike Dobbins
Ruby Duboise
Patsy Turpin
Jerry George Walker
Betty Weaver
Sophomores—
Marvin Blair
Wilburn Brasher
Pat Christal
Netha Denson
Maxine Moore
Alfred Walker
Juniors—
Norma Denson
Joe Ericson
Evelyn Finley
Wade Gilbert
Ida Lee Golding
Louise Ince
Ouida Lisebey
Harland Weaver
Betty Jo Woodrom
Seniors—
Jean Engleman
La Vorse Lee
Mary Reid
Frank Vernon
Mildred Thorton
Archie Nell Hogan

B HONOR ROLL

Freshmen—
Robbie Jean Bell
Warren B. Cooner
Eunice Denson
Ila Ruth Draper
Jimmy Draper
Lane Ericson
Cecilia Fox
Sammie Graves
Henry Gruben
Charlie P. Harris
Billie Scot
Lou Emma Shugart
Mary Smith
Jeffrey Thomas
Robert Ward
Geraldine Wright
William P. Yarbrough
Jack Hogan
Sophomores—
Addie Billie
Alie Beth Arthur
Pearlene Bailey
Wilburn Ball
Ava Nell Bilberry
Grace Boothe
Troy Boothe
A. B. Carlisle
Collette Davis
Jenny Lind Finley
Pat Fletcher
Juniors—
James Allen
Ida Lee Arrington
Betty Jo Barnett
Billy Ray Barrett
Nadine Brewer
Belva Lou Burks
Genet Byrd
Mildred Calvert
Lillie F. Delisle
Mary Helen Draper
Elliot Donald
Annie L. Gollihar
Dorothy Kelley
Betty Miller
Mildred Neaves
Winona Pace
Yuba Parks
Johnnie Peacock
Maxine Sandlin
Weldon Ray Smith
Homer Ray Smith
Lewis Smith
B. C. Stapleton
Bonnie Lou Watters
Dywayne Willard
Bartina Wilson
Seniors—
Ruby Adcock
Billy Jo Applegate
Margie Bell
Betty Jo Boothe
Geneva Byrd
Genell Clinkscales
Vera Tom Cross
Mildred Davenport
Margaret Davenport
Bob Ferrel
Bertie Bell Glenn
Lucille Henderson
Norma Bell Hoover

GRAMMAR SCHOOL HONOR ROLL

The following is the list of pupils in the Grammar School who have made the honor roll for the second six weeks term of school. You will observe there are two lists, and pupils whose names appear in either list are to be commended for their excellent work.

A HONOR ROLL

Gene McCombs
Wylene Moss
Pansy Turpen
Homer Charles Wilson
Howard Walton
Eugene Walthall
Lowell Cato
Margie Brasher
Mafai Carlisle
Patsy Arrington
Jerry Don Bell
Jane Brannen
Gerome Byrd
Wendell Denson
Autry Nell Dyess
Patricia Ann Mars
Ellese Petty
Billy Joe McCombs
Jackie Rector

B HONOR ROLL

Jackie Ray Richards
Virginia Mars
Ruth Henderson
Francis Ferris
Gloria Ann Collier
Roy McMahon
Haden Moore
Bob Loe
Charles Don Humberson
Lawrence Howard
Billy Wayne Dyess
Imajean Bilberry
Wayne Christopher
Sue Davenport
David McAteer Jr.
Ernest Roberts
Johnnie Dan Smith
Travis Smith
Geraldine Stanley
Mary Swenson
Billy Lee Wade
Elizabeth Westfall
Opal Johnson
Jeanell Evans
Carlee Garrett
Mildred McCombs
Charlie Kimmel
Pat Copeland
Maxine Owens
Norma Sechrist
Elmer Gannon
Thelmer Gannon
Geoffrey Britiard
Betty Lou McLaughlin
Cleston Pritchett
Robbie Nell Scott
Dewey Lee Watson
Charles Williams
Glyneth Armstrong
Jean Arthur
Sherian Campbell
Harold Casey
Alberta Dunwody
Roland Hairgrove
Beulah Mae McCarty
Marion Speer
Charlese Powell
Glenn Williams
Joan Smith
Frank McNeill
Billy Woodrum
Marporie Randall
Mary Puckett
Vera Doris Pickens
Lou Nell Wright
Byrdean Robinson
Orville Robinson
Roy Lee Ball
Vernelle Wilson
W. C. Rumfield

DICKENS SCHOOL NEWS

The Dickens schools opened their school lunch room at noon Wednesday and served hot lunches to all children in the first four grades. The whole school will be served hot lunches beginning possibly next week.

Football Game Saturday

The Dickens Owls will play their last football game of the season Saturday afternoon, starting at three o'clock. They are to meet the Roosevelt fast half dozen at that time, and it is going to be a fast game from the beginning. The public is asked to give this game their patronage.

Attended Teachers Association

A number of the teachers in the Dickens schools attended the State Teachers Association at Fort Worth Thursday and Friday. Among these were Supt. and Mrs. G. W. Scott, Coach Melvin Bivens, Miss Merle Lewis, Miss Jo Dunn, Miss Mildred Harrison and Miss Vera Davis. They report a great meeting and an enjoyable time.

Football Club Banquet

The Pep Squad of Dickens schools will act as hosts at a banquet Saturday night honoring the Dickens Owls for their record during the football season. The banquet will be served at the High School Home-makers Department. After the banquet the Owls will be treated to a theater party at the Palace Theatre in Spur at the preview.

Basketball Thursday Night

W. D. Starcher
Alvis Adcock
Ada Bell Anglen
J. E. Bachman
Aline Ball
Mary Burnam
Joy Christensen
Billy Lou Conway
Jerrie Condron
Virginia Crockett
Doyle Davis
Charles Finley
Zane Freeman
Billy Glenn
Emma Pearl Gruben
Bobbie Hawley
Nelda Jo Hines
Billy Jean Holloway
Eurena Hoover
Gwendolyn McAlphin
Jean Meador
Betty Jo Nix

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W. S. OF C. S. MEET MONDAY

The town team of Dickens will play a game of basketball against the town team of Girard at Dickens Thursday night. The game will be called about 7:30 o'clock. A small admission charge of ten cents for adults and five cents for school children will be made to take care of the lighting expenses.

Played Volley Ball

The teachers of Dickens schools played the teachers of Patton Springs schools a game of Volley Ball Monday night. The Dickens teachers won to the count of 4 to 1.

C. D. Copeland, of Red Hill country, was in town Monday looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Arrington, of Red Hill, were in town Saturday trading and greeting friends.

Investing our heritage for health in the United States

"Investing our heritage for health in the United States" was the subject for the meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service Monday. The meeting was held in the Round-Up. Mrs. C. O. Fox was the leader, and Mrs. J. R. Laine brought the devotional from Matt. 9:33-38.

Others taking part on the program were: Mrs. J. W. Carlisle, Mrs. H. L. Thurston, and Mrs. W. F. Gilbert.

—Reporter.

Leland Wilson, who is in the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo for treatment, is reported improving, we hope to see him back home before long.

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25 Ounce Can K. C. Cola is such a well-
Baking Powder can ared with a finished
Spuds, 10 lbs. that always charms.
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AFTON H. D. CLUB MEETING

The Afton Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. R. C. Forbis on Dec. 11, 1940 for our Christmas program and our Christmas dinner.

We had a lovely dinner and after we had a few moments for relaxation and a few games then the presents were passed out and every one enjoyed the social hour together.

Those present were Mesdames Ollie Barton, Byron Haney, V. S. Ford, Claud Flippen, Paul Petillo, M. L. Kelly, E. G. McEnroe, Gus Martin, G. W. Bennett, Tab Williams, Clark Forbis, R. C. Forbis, and our Demonstration Agent, Miss Perrin.

Our visitors were Mrs. Ila King, Mrs. Fred Moneyham and Miss Kelly.

On Jan. 8, 1941, we meet with Mrs. E. G. McEnroe.

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HOLIDAY SPECIAL
Personalized
Permanents

Superior beauty operators know that the customers personality must be given full consideration in the creation of permanent. We offer a special on our Permanents. Only—

\$1.00

Jimison Beauty Shop
PHONE 298

BAPTIST INTERMEDIATES ENJOY SOCIAL

The Intermediate Department of the Baptist Sunday School held its annual Christmas party in the basement of the church on Tuesday night, Dec. 11.

Games were enjoyed by the group, after which refreshments of candy and fruit were served.

Those attending were Dorothea Belle Karr, Alberta Dunwody, Neitha Denson, Henry Gruben, Pike Dobbins, Iwonah Drennan, Shirley Powell, Cecilia Fox, Genet Byrd, Murline Burks, Aline Barclay, Jackie Rector, Ada Belle Anglen, Mar yLouise Burnam, Gerena Byrd, Jewell Garrett, Belya Lou Burks, Jane Mallory, Mary Mallory, Emma Pearl Gruben, Forrestine Mecam, Maxine Adams, Paul Draper, Billy D. Starcher, Robert Wood, Charles Don Finley.

Alvis Adecock, S. C. Fallis, Winford Morrow, Pat Christal, Johnny Monk Rucker, Charlie Kimmel, William Penn Yarborough, Joe Ericson, Betty Whitwell, Alfred Elkins, Matthews Gruben, Betty Weaver, Geneva Byrd, Anne Gollihar, Wylene Moss, Charlise Powell, Jimmy Vernon, George Walker, Jackie Paul Draper, Pete Dobbins, Jenny Lidna Finley, Billy Joe McCombs, Norma Denson and Alfred Walker.

The adult sponsors of the party were Mrs. A. M. Walker, Mrs. L. W. Langston, Mrs. W. C. Gruben, Miss Nelle Francis, and Mr. Emenger.

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SERVICE that you want forget—We appreciate your trade—

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CHRISTMAS Day Program
BETTY GRABLE



in "Down Argentine Way"
Filmed in technicolor with Don Ameche—Showing Palace December 25-26

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 5 years old and I've been good this year. Please bring me a big drum, a big Tinker Toy set with a motor, I want some firecrackers, too, but not loud ones. I would like to have some nuts and candy and a bottle of olives. If you don't think I'm too little, I would like a Mickey Mouse wrist watch.

Thank you for the nice things you brought me last year.
Nicky Nichols.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a doll in a suit case, a little comb in a case. Please remember my baby brother, too. I want a housecoat, too.

Your friend,
Vera Lynn Crafton,
First Grade
Dry Lake School

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a bicycle, football suit, BB gun, erector, baseball and bat, color books, fruits, grapes, nuts, candy.

Bobby Lynn Freeman.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 6 years old in the 1st grade. Please bring me a doll that has real hair, a housecoat, a little ring and that's all. Thank you.

Your friend,
Nelta Jean Calvert.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a basketball and fruit and nuts, baseball and bat and candy.

Noel Thornton.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I am 6 years old and in the 1st grade at Dry Lake School. Please bring me a Teddy Bear some gloves a doll, a little desk with a chair, and some candy, fruit and nuts.

Your friends,
Jane Holloway.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little boy 8 years old. Please bring me a cowboy suit and a cowboy rope and a farm house with cow and horse and a football and a baseball and a bat, BB gun and some fruit and grapes and nuts and candy.

Your friend,
Jerry Calvert.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a housecoat and a pair of house shoes and a little chair. I guess I will close for am afraid that you will break your back. But I don't want you to forget that. Please bring me some grapes and nuts and candy.

Your friends
Peggy Joline Kidd.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl 6 years old in the first grade at Dry Lake School. Please bring me a doll in a little suit case, a kitchen set, a house coat, a wagon, and some candy and fruit and nuts.

Your little friend,
Bobbie Beth Ballard.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a doll and a house coat and a pair of house shoes, Old Maid cards.

Barbara Jo Smith.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl in the third grade. And I want a doll, a witch set, a house coat, a pair of house shoes, a table set, an electric iron, a ironing board, and a bag of candy. And that is all I want.

Your friend,
Verna Odell Bass.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a doll and a suit case full of clothes, some candy, nuts, and a watch and ring bracelet, a picture book to color.

Your friend
Gay Nell Bass.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a stove and a table and chairs, some candy, nuts, and fruit.

Your friends,
Frances Holloway.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a girl eight years old in the third grade at Dry Lake. Please Santa Claus will you bring me a doll, a house coat, house shoes, a sack of candy and nuts.

Your little friend,
Kitty Louise Smith.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

want a baseball, a bat, some firecrackers, some wooden crayolas. Also some candy, fruit and nuts. I am 7 years old and in the First grade. My sister is 10 and remember her, too.

David Coffman.

W. D. Blair, east of town, came in Saturday to look after business matters, and while here renewed his subscription to the Times for another year.

Jean Rogers



Starring in "Yesterdays Heroes" at the Palace on a Double Program Saturday December 21st.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I want a football, a little truck, a BB gun, some fire crackers and some fruit and candy.

I am 6 years old and in the 1st grade at Dry Lake School.
Your friend,
Donald Dopsion.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

How are you. Please bring me a doll, cedar chest and candy and oranges and apples an dgrapes and nuts, and a coat and cap and shoes, a duck, a bear and dog and a house coat.

Joyce Adelle Johnson.

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

I am a little girl two years old and I am expecting you soon. I would like to have a Negro dollie, teddie bear and a telephone. Please don't forget my little cousin, Jean.

Bushels of love,
Jo Ann Kizziah

Spur, Texas
December 9, 1940

Dear Santa Claus:

Please bring me a baby doll with sleeping eyes. A game board, some water colors, some candy and nuts. Santa I will be at my Aunt Effies house, so don't forget me. Thank you for the nice gifts you brought me last Christmas.

With love,
Gracie Lanettes.

Spur, Texas
December 12, 1940.

Dear Santa:

I have been very good and I would like to have a ironing board and an iron and a diary. That is all this year.

Your loving friend,
Billie Ruth Pope

Lew Ayers



in "Doctor Kildare's Crisis" at the Palace Sunday and Monday—December 22-23

Spur Laundry and Cleaners

PHONE 344

Enjoy your holidays—Let us keep your linens, dresses and suits clean.

Let One Phone Call Do It All



FLOWERS
the perfect
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A Variety of Cut
Flowers—Potted

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Priced—\$1.00

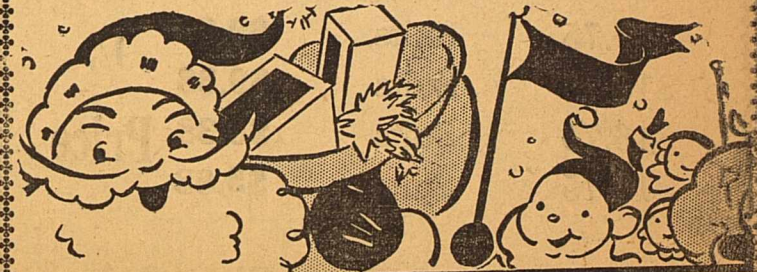
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Christmas CARNIVAL of FOOD Values

Wishing You All A Merry Christmas

Walnuts, lb. 19c

Large Paper Shell Pecans, lb. 21c

Apples—Oranges—Candies
At Low Christmas Prices

Pure Cane Sugar, 10 lbs. 49c

Crushed Pineapple, No. 2 1/2 can . . . 23c

Raisins, 4 lb. cello bag 30c

Grapefruit, doz. 17c

Bananas, doz. 10c

Lemons, large, doz. 16c

25 Ounce Can K. C. Baking Powder can . . . 17c

Spuds, 10 lbs. 15c

Crackers, 2 lb. box 16c

Cranberries, lb. 21c

Large Box R & W Cake Flour 25c

Bologna, lb. 10c

Meal, 20 lb. cream 45c

Winett All Purpose Flour, 48 lb. sack \$1.25

Coffee, R & W, lb. 25c

Pre-Winter SALE of USED CARS
SEE US TODAY AND Save

1—1937 T Sedan Chevrolet . . . \$325

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1—1937 Tudor Sedan Ford . . . \$300

1—1935 Sedan Ford . . . \$200

1—1938 4-Door Sedan—Plymouth . . . \$300

1—1937 Tudor Sedan—Plymouth . . . \$275

1—1937 Coupe Dodge . . . \$275

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All of these cars carry a life time written Guarantee.

8 Fords and Chevrolets—

Prices form \$10-\$25

Compare these prices with any dealer and see the bargains we really have. All cars purchased this week will be filled with anti-freeze.

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Charlie Powell, Manager

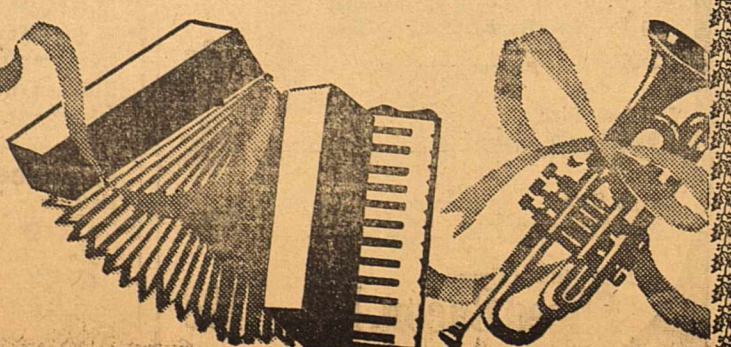
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BIG SUPPLY OF—
New and Used
Music Instrumnts

Clarinets, Trombones, Trumpets, Cornetts and any type of musical instruments you may want—Small down payment and balance in monthly payments.

Selmer Valve Oil, per bottle . . . 15c
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Dickens County Times



Ready To Wear Clearance! SALE

ALL SALES PRICES WILL BE CASH PLEASE

Too many items in READY TO WEAR to carry over into another season prompts these drastic prices.

It is all high class, stylish, new, and bears the label of reputable manufacturers. Every garment bought for Fall and Winter selling is on sale, except fur coats.

Womens Coats

\$33.75	Coats	\$16.88
\$29.75	Coats	\$14.88
\$26.75	Coats	\$13.38
\$19.75	Coats	\$ 9.88
\$16.75	Coats	\$ 8.38
\$12.75	Coats	\$ 6.38

1/2 Price

Man Tailored Suits

\$19.75	Suits	\$9.88
\$18.75	Suits	\$9.38
\$16.75	Suits	\$8.38
\$11.75	Suits	\$5.88

1/2 Price

Costume and Three Piece Suits

\$34.75	Costume Suits	\$17.38
\$33.75	Costume Suits	\$16.88
\$29.75	Costume Suits	\$14.88
\$22.75	Costume Suits	\$11.38
\$19.75	Costume Suits	\$ 9.88

1/2 Price

Dresses—Silks, Wools, Etc.

\$22.75	Dresses	\$11.38
\$19.75	Dresses	\$ 9.88
\$16.75	Dresses	\$ 8.38
\$14.75	Dresses	\$ 7.38
\$12.75	Dresses	\$ 6.38
\$11.75	Dresses	\$ 5.88
\$10.98	Dresses	\$ 5.49
\$ 8.98	Dresses	\$ 4.49
\$ 7.98	Dresses	\$ 3.98
\$ 6.50	Dresses	\$ 3.25
\$ 3.98	Dresses	\$ 1.99
\$ 2.98	Dresses	\$ 1.49

1/2 Price

Evening Dresses

\$19.75	Dresses	\$ 9.88
\$16.75	Dresses	\$ 8.38
\$11.75	Dresses	\$ 5.88
\$ 9.98	Dresses	\$ 4.99

1/2 Price

In every group of Ready to Wear offered, you will find most every size. Many of these garments will be suitable for Spring wear. Early Spring dresses and coats, just received, will not be included at sale prices.

No Approvals Please

Henry Alexander And Company
SPUR, TEXAS

NICHOLS SANITARIUM NEWS

Mrs. W. T. Clements of Glenn, has been a medical patient in the Sanitarium for the past ten days. She is much improved at this time. Mrs. W. B. Rainbolt, who had surgery some few days ago, was able to return to her home Monday of this week.

Lon M. Sherrad, of Stephenville has been a medical patient for the past two weeks, but was improved enough to be taken home Tuesday.

David Robinson, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Robinson of Afton, underwent surgery several days ago and is improving nicely at this time.

W. C. Snead, who was operated on last Wednesday, is doing nicely at this time.

Mrs. Martin Turbyfield, Spur, who underwent surgery several days ago, is much improved and will be able to return home in a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bradford, of Dickens, are the proud parents of a son. Mother and baby were able to return home a few days ago.

Mrs. H. A. Cook, who had an operation several days ago, is doing nicely at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gabbert of Corpus Christi, are the proud parents of a son. Mother and baby are doing nicely. Mrs. Gabbert is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Keen of this city.

Billie Hargrove underwent an operation a few days and is doing nicely at this writing.

Mrs. Walter Torrance of Peacock, was operated on Saturday. At this time she is reacting very well.

Lemon Brantley's baby of McAdoo, has been very ill but was able to be taken home Friday.

W. H. Adams was a medical patient in the Sanitarium for a few days but was able to return home Saturday.

Mrs. F. E. Winfield, who had surgery a few days ago, was able to return home Saturday.

The child of L. R. Burrow of Girard, was in the Sanitarium a few days for medical treatment.

Pete Hext's daughter was in for X-ray examination a few days ago.

C. L. Sedwich was in for minor surgery Saturday.

Mrs. R. L. Hendrix was in for X-ray examination Monday afternoon.

Miss Cooper of Girard, underwent surgery last week and was able to return home.

Ruby Mae Hickman young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hickman of Elton, who has been in the Sanitarium recovering from a fracture was able to be carried home Saturday.

Wilburn Deaton of Pitchfork Ranch, was in for X-ray examination last week.

Mrs. Vernon Harris entered the Sanitarium Tuesday to undergo surgery Wednesday morning.

Miss Ruby Nell Morgan, of Spur entered the Sanitarium Wednesday for medical treatment.

Mrs. L. R. Hurst of Spur, entered the Sanitarium Tuesday to undergo surgery Wednesday morning.

Want Ads Get Results

ASSEMBLY PROGRAM AT ONE O'CLOCK

The assembly program at the Each Ward school will be at one o'clock Friday afternoon. Mrs. Cravy will be in charge of the program. The entire school is to have a Christmas tree just after the program where gifts will be delivered to all the pupils. After the general Christmas tree the pupils will go back to their rooms where they will have their room Christmas programs.

The Third Grade of the East Ward school presented the assembly program at the High School Monday. It consisted of a Christmas play, and was greatly enjoyed.

The children at the East Ward report that they are enjoying the school lunch room very much. The

Butane and Protane
First grade guaranteed drum exchange.
Garner Gas & Oil Co.
J. L. Garner
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Croton and Wichita Glenn News

Several from these communities attending the meeting at Dickens Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sparks of Highway, were visiting in our community Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg attended the B. T. U. meeting at Afton Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Porter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Lawson at Afton.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Lewis and children of Dickens, were Sunday dinner guests of here parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rogers.

Mrs. A. J. Richey honored Mrs. Horace Edwards with a shower Wednesday evening at her home in the Croton community. Santa Claus appeared at the door with several packages and calling for Mrs. Horace Edwards. The gifts were opened and passed. Then cake, sandwiches, potato chips and cocoa were served to the following ladies: Mesdames Etta Edwards, M. S. Lambert, Homer Miller, Clyde Starrett, J. D. Guyer, J. A. Legg, Mattie Edwards, Ouida Gage, Lucille Pernell, Claude Edwards, Cleo Edwards, Ruby Edwards, Johnny Gae, Cleo Chesney, Eddie Boner, Katherine Hawley, Etta Hawley, R. L. Allen, Melba Starrett, J. P. Leg, and the hostess, Mrs. A. J. Richey.

Those sending gifts were: Mesdames D. H. Dunn, O. L. Allen, Velma Cunningham, A. M. Butler, Robbie Edwards, Clara Pernell, Pete Jones, Jack Dempsey, M. B. Gage, Gracie Gage, C. E. Butler, Bill Smith, Ted Goodwin, Mrs. Had dock, and Miss Jo Dunn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and Sue and Lucille, and Mrs. Ted Goodwin and baby and Joyce all attended the Scout meeting at Afton Wednesday night.

The party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith Tuesday night was enjoyed by all who attended.

Albert Brendel and Bob Porter left Tuesday for Abilene where they hope to secure employment.

number of pupils who take lunch there is growing. Many of the teachers are taking advantage of the lunch room accommodations, also, and report it is a great convenience to them.

Parents Warned About Diseases
Parents of Spur school children are warned about communicable diseases. There is one case of scarlet fever reported in town now and three cases of whooping cough.

Children are requested to gargle some type of strong preventative gargle at least each morning and each evening. Be careful about letting children go places where diseases might be scattered. Give whooping cough serum. School authorities state that teachers are doing all they can to prevent the spread of these diseases and are watching the children in school

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—160 acres of good Farm Land, 132 acres in cultivation. Located one and one half miles north and one half mile east of Glenn, Texas. Priced to Sell. See Mrs. E. D. Chambers—Glenn, Texas. 4tp.

FOR SALE—Several head of good young Jersey cows, some fresh now. All Bangs treated. See or write John S. Ferguson Roaring Springs, Texas. 11-28-3tp.

IF YOU HAVE NOT marked the grave of that loved one, then see J. E. Sparks, Spur, Texas M9-tn

FARM FOR SALE — 120 acres near Afton. 90 acres in cultivation. See W. J. Willmon, 2 miles south 1/2 mile west of Afton. 2tp.

FOR SALE OR TRADE — 3-room home with 7 1-2 acres irrigated land under ditch, plenty water for irrigation, good well, 66 feet deep, sheds, chicken house. Will consider farm near Spur or Dickens. R. C. Sowder, Ft. Sumner, New Mexico.

FOR SALE — 9000 bales of cane and millet hay, 20c bale. Seven miles, S. E. Megargel. C. H. Wainwright, Olney, Texas. 2tp.

FOR SALE — Two work Mares, wt. 1500 lbs. each; ages, one seven the other smooth mouth; will raise good mule colts; Sell worth the money. A. W. McDoanald, McAdoo, Texas. 12-12-3tp.

BARGAIN—Black 1939 DeLuxe Ford, good tires, seat covers, and other extras. See H. S. Holly Agency, Spur.

Glenn News

Mrs. Mary Purser, who has been ill the past two weeks, is feeling some improved at this time.

Joe Rose was transacting business in Spur the past week end.

W. H. Anderson returned from Matador after spending a few days there.

D. W. Hughes was greeting friends in Spur the last of the week.

Don't forget to help some one to make this a Merry Christmas. An oil truck from Spur hit a horse Friday night on the highway close to Glenn. It turned the truck over, but the driver was not injured. Another car hit the side of a bridge and turned over. No one was hurt. Rain here Wednesday night froze, making travel on the highway inconvenient.

To the Dickens County Times, here is wishing all of you a Merry Christmas. May you prosper through the year. We think that the Dickens County Times is a good newspaper, and enjoy reading it from week to week.

Several people from this community were in Spur Saturday doing their Christmas shopping.

A Poem

H. J. Parks east of town was in Saturday doing some trading and greeting friends.

D. D. Hagins of Gilpin, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

C. H. Scott, of Steel Hill country, was trading and talking with friends here Saturday.

Just a word of cheer, or a helping hand.

A lift for the man who is down,
A clasp of the hand for the struggling one,
A smile in the place of a frown.

Keep pegging away at the little things,
The things that make life worth while,
That help to lift the heavy load,
and bring to the lips a smile.
A Friend.

"I'M NOT AFRAID NOW SOME- times after eating too much I had gas pains. ADLERIKA quickly relieved me and my doctor says it's all right to use." (S. R. Minn.) Get ADLERIKA today.

CITY DRUG CO.

Grady Moss of Red Mud community, was in town Saturday attending to business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer L. Powell, of Dry Lake, were in town Saturday doing some trading.


Neglect May Invite Pyorrhea

Are your gums unsightly? Do they itch? Do they burn? Druggists return money if first bottle of "LETO'S" fails to satisfy. (2) Sanders & Chastain Pharmacy

Beware Coughs That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

CREOMULSION
For Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis



SAFEWAY CHRISTMAS SALE

BAG OF BARGAINS

Store Will Be Open Dec. 23—24 Until 10 P. M.
Prices Effective 4 Days Thru December 24th

Libby's or Stokely's Pumpkin, 3 No. 2 cans . . . 25c	Sierra Pine Toilet Soap, 3 bars . . . 17c
Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce, Two 17 oz. cans . . . 25c	Camay Soap, 2 bars . . . 11c
Southern Lady Mince Meat, 2 lb. jar 23c	24 Ounce Pkg. Rinso . . . 19c
2 Lb. Cello Blue Diamond Pop Corn, pkg. 17c	Crisco, 3 lb. tin 43c
Holiday Assorted Chocolates, 2 1/2 lb. box . . . 59c	Country Home Corn, 2 cans . . . 10c
Holiday Assorted Chocolates, 5 lb. box . . . 89c	No. 2 Cans Sugar Belle Peas, 2 cans . . . 25c
Dorothy Duncan Fancy Chocolates, 3 lb. box . . . 95c	No. 1 Cans Harper House Pears, 2 cans . . . 25c
1 Lb. Cello Fresh Candy Chocolate Drops, pkg. . . 10c	Edgemont Crackers Smacks, . . . 25c
1 Lb. Cello Fresh Candy Orange Slices, pkg. . . 10c	Hormels Spam, 12 oz. tin 25c
1 Lb. Cello Fresh Candy Satin Mixed, pkg. . . 10c	Argo Corn Starch, 1 Lb. box 9c
1 Lb. Chocolate Covered Cherries, box . . . 17c	24 Lb. Kitchen Craft Flour, sack . . . 73c
1 Lb. Fluffiest Marshmallows, box . . . 10c	48 Lb. Kitchen Craft Flour, sack — \$1.33

Airway Coffee 2 1 Lb. Pkgs. 25c	Edwards Coffee 1 Lb. Tin 19c	Dalewood Oleo Lb. 15c	Sunnybank Oleo Lb. 10c
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PICNICS

Armour's Star
With a Ham Flavor **lb. 15c**

Armour's Star
Pork Patties, lb. box . . . 19c

Bulk Pork—Family Style
Sausage, lb. . . . 15c

Fresh Pork Ham
Steak, lb. . . . 19c

Center Cut Cured
Sliced Ham, lb . . . 33c

Sliced or Piece
Bologna, lb. . . . 10c

Fat Young Baking Size Dressed and Drawn—Ready For the Oven
Hens, lb. . . . 19c

Medium Size
Oysters, pint . . . 29c

Large Size
Oysters, pint . . . 39c

Bulk Sugar Cured
Sliced Bacon, lb. 19c

Oranges

California Sunkist
176 Size **25c**
Dozen

126 Size Texas
Oranges, doz. . . . 29c

200 Size Texas
Oranges, doz. . . . 15c

88 Size Extra Fancy Delicious
Apples, dozen . . . 35c

150 Size Extra Fancy Delicious
Apples, doz. . . . 25c

113 Size Winesap
Apples, doz. . . . 25c

150 Size Winesap
Apples, doz. . . . 19c

113 Size Extra Fancy Rome Beauty
Apples, doz. . . . 29c

East Texas
Yams, 5 lbs. . . . 19c

64 Size Texas
Grapefruit, 2 for . . . 5c

3 Dozen Size California
Celery, stalk . . . 9c

5 Dozen Size Arizona
Lettuce, 2 heads . . . 15c

Eatmor
Cranberries, lb. . . . 19c

No. 1 Colorado Yellow
Onions, 4 lbs. . . . 10c

Idaho Rurals
Potatoes, 10 lbs. . . 17c