

Dickens County Times

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County Committee Outlines Events For County Meet

The County Interscholastic League in their meeting Tuesday afternoon outlined the different events, the dates and places to be conducted.

Shelterbelts To Be Planted In Dickens

Two kinds of Shelterbelts will be planted in Dickens county this year according to "Local Forest Officer."

JUDGE FORMBY MAKES COUNTY RECOMMENDATIONS

The following is the address which Judge Marshall Formby made when he turned over the affairs of the county to Judge Edwin H. Boedeker last week.

With deep gratitude for the four years I have had the privilege of serving on this Court and with a thankful heart for the opportunities ahead of me in another governmental field, et with a sad heart and with much regret, I turn over to you this morning the charge which was given me four years ago today.

It has been a pleasure serving with the two best Commissioners' Courts and the best group of county officials in Texas. Your co-operation has been wonderful and I believe that nowhere in Texas will you find any better group of county officials than I have had the pleasure of serving with.

In checking over our finances, we find that our tax rate today is five cents lower than it was four years ago. We are now on a strictly cash basis and our bank deposits are almost three times greater than on January 1, 1937.

Second, I suggest that payment of salaries of every county official including the commissioners be charged from second Monday to about the 25th or later of each month.

Fourth, I recommend that every bill not ordered paid on the minutes of the Commissioners' Court books be paid across the court table on second Monday as we have been doing, and that no bills ever be paid in advance of this second Monday meeting unless signed by either one of the commissioners or the county judge.

Fifth, it is my recommendation that the sheriff, tax assessor-collector's office be run in the future as Mr. Koonsman has been running it. I suggest that Fred Christopher keep a fee account to which all earned fees will be added each month.

Sixth, I recommend that the County Clerk's fee account be kept likewise and that Mr. Ousley continue keeping his receipt book as he has been doing. I recommend that all earned fees be placed in this fee account, and that his duty be paid each month from this account, and that the clerk pay himself a salary never to exceed \$200.00 per month until the end of the year.

Seventh, I recommend that the Treasurer start a fee account and all earned commissions be placed in this account. It is my suggestion that to equalize her salary throughout the year, she pay herself not to exceed \$135 per month until the end of the year.

Demonstration By Farmall House To Be Monday

Next Monday is to be Farmall Day in Spur with a big program at the Farmall House on the highway near Hill Top. Company men who will be present are Fred Swan, of Sweetwater, sales promotion man; O. S. Barnard the field representative and Paul Dillion the advertising manager.

Dickens County Has Two Projects In View

Dickens County will have two work projects sponsored through W. P. A. to start in the very near future. One of these is Spur's paving program on West Harris Street and the highway out to the Spur Experiment Station.

Many Pupils Out Of Grammar School

Robert Williams, Principal of the Grammar School, reports that a number of pupils have missed school the past few days on account of illness. He stated that possible 35 per cent of the enrollment was out Monday.

MR. AND MRS. GOLDING RETURN HOME

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Golding and daughter, Miss Idalee, returned the last of the week from Hempstead, Houston and other points where they visited relatives and friends.

Basketball Tourney At Dickens

The Dickens School is planning a basketball tournament in the large gymnasium Friday and Saturday, January 17-18. A number of good entries have been made already, and several more are expected before the tournament begins.

VISITED AT ANSON

Mrs. Alice Murphree spent Friday in Anson visiting her brother, Woodrow Goodwin, and family. Mrs. Goodwin had been seriously ill of pneumonia, but seemed to be improving when Mrs. Murphree was there.

VISITED RELATIVES IN DENTON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arrington visited relatives and friends in Denton the last of the week. Mrs. Arrington remained there and will visit with her mother a few weeks. She has been in ill health several weeks and it is thought a change of climate might be to her advantage. Mr. Arrington returned Sunday.

Floydada Quintette To Play Here

People who do not know basket ball often feel that it is a "softies" game. But if you will be out to the new gymnasium next Friday evening and watch the Floydada hirlswinds and the Spur quintette play, you will get a different idea about the game.

Basket ball is a fast game. There is action all the time. No one has an opportunity to soldier in the game, and the boy who does his part must have a lot of endurance or he cannot get through.

1941 Crop Parity About As 1940

Geo. A. Slaughter, Chairman of the Texas State Agricultural Conservation Committee, has been notified of the applicable rates of payment for Texas under the 1941 Agricultural Conservation Program as announced by the Agricultural Adjustment Administration.

The rates of payment for compliance with special acreage allotments in most cases are substantially the same as rates at which payments were made in 1940.

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Commissioner's Court To Convene Monday

The new Commissioners' Court will go into session next Monday for the first regular meeting of the year. All business policies of the county will be discussed and plans formulated.

REA Blueprinting Finished

Blue-printing of the Dickens-Kent County rural electrification project has been finished and the engineer says it looks good and went so far as to say that he thought the line was assured for both counties.

However, there are two or three places that the line will traverse short scopes of broken country where there are no houses, and the engineer wants more signed members to offset these broken areas.

(Bill) McAlpine Returns To Spur

W. A. (Bill) McAlpine has returned here to make Spur his home after an absence of eight years. He is again associated with the Clemmons Insurance Agency, one of the pioneer business offices in this vicinity.

It was in January 1933 that Bill became connected with a large group of fire, auto and casualty insurance companies and has travelled Southwest Texas for them as special agent since then, with headquarters first in Abilene, then San Angelo, Texas.

Mid-Term Exams Next Week

The examinations closing the first semester of Spur public schools, will begin Friday of next week. There will be three days of the examinations which will be continued over through Monday and Tuesday January 20-21.

Registration for classes will be Wednesday, January 22, and class work for the new term will begin Thursday morning, January 23.

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County League Met Tuesday Afternoon

The members of the Dickens County Interscholastic League held a meeting in Dickens Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock and attended to various matters of the County League work.

McAdoo and McAdoo Runners in Basketball Tournament

Men teams and two women teams entered the Independent Tournament sponsored by the Ex-Students of Patton Springs this past week end. The mens teams were as follows: Spur; Barton, Alexander, Wadzeck, Duckworth, Burns, Marsey, King.

Special Features In High School

G. B. Wadzeck, High School Principal, announces that every day in High School has some feature of development for the student body. Mondays, Tuesdays and Thursday are guidance days and special attention is given to the welfare of the pupils.

Friday of this week the Haynes School will give the student assembly program. During the program the y will give a short skit and will have some other numbers.

QUAIL SEASON CLOSES JANUARY 16

County Clerk Ousley stated this week that people should be reminded that quail season will close this year with Thursday January 16. After that date it is a violation of the game laws of Texas to kill quail in any manner.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

Ernie Doyle Moore and Miss Evelyn Jordan applied for marriage license at the County Clerk's office December 27.

PALACE THEATRE-SPUR

Last Time Today
MICKEY ROONEY—JUDY GARLAND
"STRIKE UP THE BAND"

FRIDAY and SATURDAY
BARGAIN PRICES
10c WALLACE BEERY 20c
—in—
"WYOMING"

Preview Saturday Night
SUNDAY and MONDAY
January 12 and 13



George Brent • Brenda Marshall

Also Special Short Subjects
POPEYE COMEDY—"EUGENE THE JEEP"
PARAMOUNT NEWS

Plus Another
"INFORMATION PLEASE"

Miss Dorothy Young, book-keeper at the West Texas Utilities office, spent the past week end as a guest of Miss Faye Jameson at Leveland.

Butane and Protane
First grade guaranteed drum exchange
Garner Gas & Oil Co.
J. L. Garner
Owner

Edwin H. Boedeker
Attorney-At-Law
Spur Security Bank Building
Practice In All State Courts
Spur, Texas

Mrs. W. B. Reid of Peaceful Hill is recovering from a week of illness caused by blood poison in her limb. It started from a small abrasion of the skin which became infected, and Mrs. Reid was very ill a few days.

Miss Nevada Baker, of Lubbock was in our city Saturday and Sunday calling on friends. Miss Baker is a former teacher in our schools and has a great number of friends here which she takes opportunity to visit.

Mrs. Lewis Daniel and little daughter, of Afton, were in town Saturday doing home shopping. Mrs. Daniel took advantage of a Times New Year Bargain rates and paid her subscription up.

Funeral For William R. Bradfute Wednesday

William Robert Bradfute, 69, passed away at his home east of town Tuesday after several weeks illness. It is thought heart trouble was the cause of his demise. Funeral services were conducted at the Curry Funeral Chapel Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock with E. F. Strother, Church of Christ minister, in charge of the services. Interment followed in Girard cemetery with Curry Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mr. Bradfute was born October 23, 1871, and was a son of the late Robert and Manda Clark Bradfute. He was married to Mintie Conner, who preceded him in death. The survivors are five children: Robert D. Bradfute and M. C. Bradfute both of Escalon, Calif.; Mrs. Cordie Cowden of Wheeler, Texas; Rufe Irwin Bradfute and Mrs. C. W. Brasher both of Spur. One sister, Mrs. F. T. Holland of Fort Worth still survives. There are ten grandchildren in the family.

Little Leon Wyatt Buried Sunday

Leon, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wyatt of Croton, was buried at Dickens Sunday afternoon. Funeral services were conducted at the Church of Christ at 2:30 o'clock. Direction was under the Campbell Funeral Chapel.

Leon fell a victim of those dreaded diseases, diphtheria and pneumonia and was taken away Saturday morning.

Miss Jane Godfrey, who spent Christmas here visiting her parents, left the first of last week for Caddo where she is teaching Homemaking in the city schools.

Miss Emma Joyner returned the first of last week to Sweetwater after spending the holidays here with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Joyner. Miss Joyner is a teacher in Sweetwater City schools.

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Mrs. W. D. Starcher Advertising

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BODY BY FISHER	YES	NO
UNITIZED KNEE-ACTION	YES	NO
BOX-GIRDER FRAME	YES	NO
ORIGINAL FISHER NO DRAFT VENTILATION	YES	NO
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NEW LONGER WHEELBASE

SAFE-T-SPECIAL HYDRAULIC BRAKES

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Again CHEVROLET'S the LEADER EYE IT... TRY IT... BUY IT!

SPUR MOTOR CO.

SPUR, TEXAS

Mrs. Springer Buried Monday

Funeral services for Mrs. Minnie Edna Springer were held at Roaring Springs Monday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Ray Stephens was in charge of the services. Interment was in Roaring Springs cemetery with Curry Funeral Home of Spur in charge of arrangements.

Active pallbearers were L. D. Norris, Othel Rigsby, W. J. Wilson, Lenoard Clements, M. A. Dunlap, and D. P. Smiley. Flower bearers were Mrs. Othel Rigsby, Mrs. L. D. Norris, Mrs. Chester Gosden, Mrs. Tom Yeates, Mrs. Leonard Clements and Mrs. W. J. Wilson. The survivors are the following children: W. B. Springer of Spur, J. R. Springer, Mrs. Leona Dennis and R. H. Springer of Glenn; Mrs. John Glenn of Wewoka, Okla.; Mrs. F. C. Bennies of Oklahoma City, Okla.; and Mrs. Roy Draper of Brownfield. One brother, O. J. Hughes of Roydon, Okla., still survives. There are 17 grandchildren and three great grandchildren in the family.

Mrs. Springer was born at Wilderville, Falls County, December 8, 1873. She was 67 years of age last December. Her parents were John and Martha Jane Hughes and lived at Marlin several years. She was married to William Dennis Springer at Marlin September 28, 1888. She came to Dickens County in 1928 and had lived here 12 years at the time of her demise.

She made a profession of Christian religion and became affiliated with the Church of Christ. She lived a devoted Christian life after her profession.

Mrs. Springer was in Spur Saturday and shortly after returning home began to complain of pains around her heart. She lived only about an hour after the pain hit her.

John Youngblood, of Croton country, was in town Saturday attending to business matters.

J. J. Lilly, north of town, was in Saturday looking after business matters. He had his subscription to the Times set up two years on the New Year Bargain rate.

J. H. Hemphill, of Dickens, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Ola Miller, of Dry Lake, was in town Saturday attending to business affairs.

Bud Morrison, of Lower Red Mud community, was attending to business in town the first of the week.

M. L. Jones, of Hockley County, was here the last of the week greeting friends and looking after business matters.

D. H. Sandidge, field supervisor for the National Feed and Seed Loan Association, is spending two days in Dallas in a school of instruction on the 1940 Crop Loan.

Frank Adams, of the O. K. Tire Company, spent a few days in Dallas last week attending the Cotton Bowl game through the courtesy of his company.

J. T. Jones, of Croton community, was in Spur Tuesday attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Clark and daughter, Marian, of Fulton, Mo., are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Tinney. Mrs. Clark and Mrs. Tinney are sisters.

Mrs. Bill Kyle, our efficient telephone manager, is receiving wide recognition for her fine spice cakes. For further information see Mrs. D. A. Wilson at the Spur Laundry.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Campbell returned Monday from the coast country. They accompanied their daughters to Southwestern University and visited down on the coast. Mr. Campbell stated that people had to stay with the paved highways there to get anywhere.

Miss Catherine Rutherford, of Itasca, arrived here Monday and will be office secretary for Area 32 of the State Department of Public Welfare. She has been working in Hillsboro. She says she thinks she is going to like out little city.

Leland Wilson returned the last of the week from the Veterans Hospital at Amarillo where he took treatments. He states that he is feeling much improved.

Mrs. G. W. Rash returned from Sulphur Springs Sunday where she had been with her brother who has been seriously ill. She stated her brother is still in bad condition.

Mrs. Ruth Meek Culbertson wired friends here Wednesday morning that a son had arrived at their home at Monterey, Calif. Mrs. Culbertson was formerly Miss Ruth Meek and worked at Speer's several years.

BACK HOME AND THANKFUL

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons are able to be back home after spending several days in a hospital as a result of injuries received in a car wreck. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons left December 24 for Parker County to visit his parents and had a wreck before they reached the parental home. Many people here remembered them with letters and cards which are greatly appreciated by them and Mr. and Mrs. Simmons extend their thanks for the people being so kind to them. They are getting along very well at this time.

Miss Mary Reid, of Peaceful Hill, returned from Lubbock the first of last week where she had been visiting friends.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to publicly thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness and sympathy when our mother passed away. We appreciate everything our friends did for us. W. B. Springer and family. J. P. Springer and family.

Mrs. Lillian Glenn of R. H. Springer, Dennis Springer, D. Springer, Mrs. Frank Bennies, Mrs. Roy Draper and

Want Ads Get

20 YEARS SERVICE

To Spur citizens, is our proof of satisfaction for good eyesight service and fine glasses.

See—DR. FRED R. BAKER—at Wilson Hotel Monday P. M. and Tuesday, January 13 and 14. Only 100 local references on request. All work guaranteed

So—See Baker and See Better

BRYANT-LINK CO.

Everyone Welcome

Something going on every minute at our

BIG JOHN DEERE DAY

Program for Farmers

TEUSDAY
January 14th
10 O'Clock A. M.

SEE "Melody Comes to Town" AND 4 OTHER ALL-TALKING PICTURES

The JOHN DEERE IS SO SIMPLE I can make most adjustments myself. For instance, I can tighten the Clutch in 5 Minutes Reline it in 15 Minutes

How is it on Upkeep Costs?

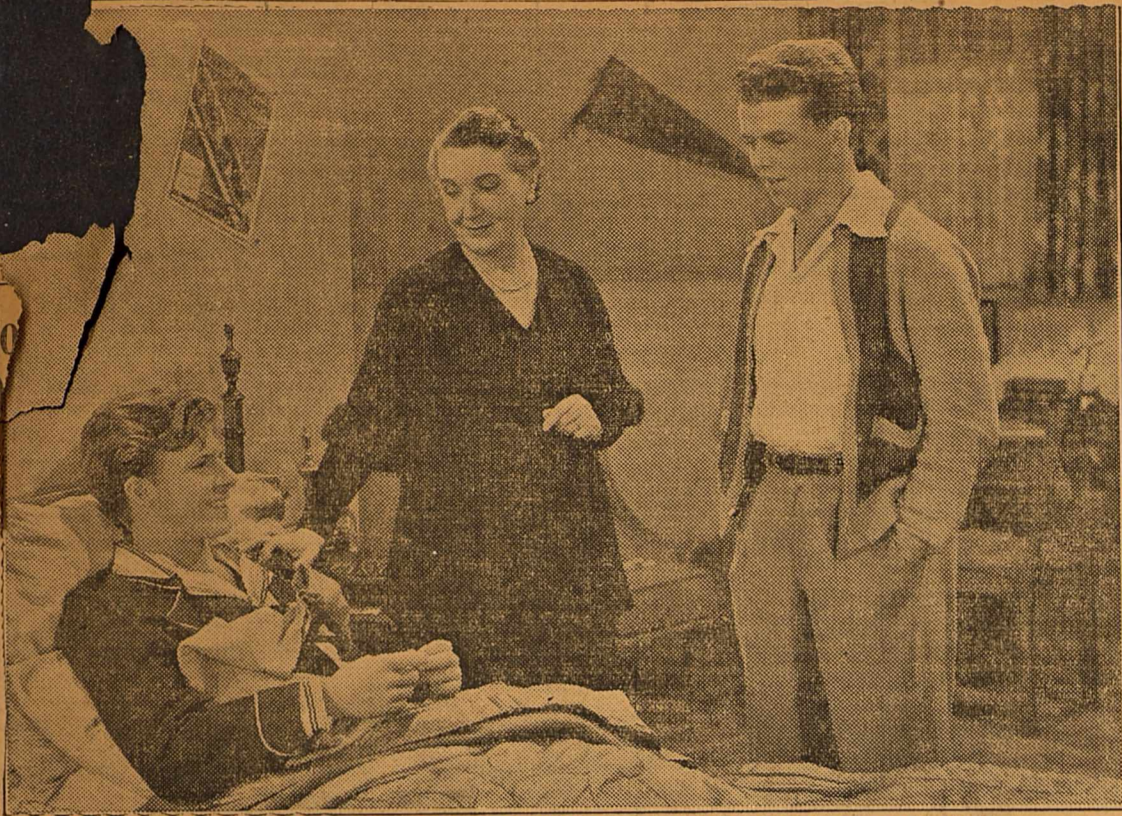
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Saves 40 Percent labor in handling feed.

NO OTHER TRACTOR IS SO SIMPLE AND SO EASY TO SERVICE AS A JOHN DEERE TRACTOR

COFFEE AND DOUGHNUTS SERVED AT NOON



BRYANT-LINK CO. TO BRING NEW HOLLYWOOD PICTURE TO SPUR

Mrs. Rubye Gilbert, who spent the holidays in California visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. E. Seale, returned home Saturday.

"Melody Comes To Town" Will Be Big Attraction in Farmer Day Program Tuesday, January 14

1941 office dates of Dr. Fred R. Baker, Optometrist, Hotel Wilson. January 13 and 14. February 10 and 11. March 10 and 11. April 14 and 15. May 12 and 13.

"If More Old People would use ADLERIKA they would feel better. I'm 70 and have had it on hand for 14 years." (L. M.-So. Dak.) For QUICK bowel action and relief from bloating gas, try ADLERIKA today.

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Smooth Away Your Bulges in a SPENCER!

Have a Spencer designed especially for you to eliminate every bulge and correct your posture.

Mrs. Stella Morrow
Registered Spencer Corsetiere
Spur, Texas

BELL'S CAFE

Try Our Special Sunday Dinner



Croton and Wichita

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and two daughters were in Lubbock and Shallowater visiting last week.

There are several cases of Flu in the community at this time.

Jesse Wyatt, who has been in the Lubbock Sanitarium returned home last week.

Little Gerald Choate passed away Tuesday, December 31, at two o'clock at his home. Gerald had been sick about 12 days when he died. He was buried Wednesday, January 1, at Dickens. The family has our sympathy.

Several attended prayer meeting Wednesday night.

Mrs. S. L. Rushing, of Floydada, spent Saturday here with Mrs. J. A. Legg.

Several from this community attended the ball game at Patton Springs Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Legg returned home last week after spending Christmas at Lubbock.

Mrs. A. J. Richey spent Sunday night in Lubbock.

Several from this community were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conaway Have Anniversary

A family reunion was held December 22, 1940, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Conaway, three miles west of Dickens, celebrating their 49th Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Conaway are the proud parents of eleven children, four sons and seven daughters, all married. There are 25 grandchildren and four great grandchildren, and all were present for the anniversary.

There were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Gene Conaway and daughter of Arlington, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conaway of Maypearl, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Conaway and children of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Oakes of Marysville, Cal.; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith and daughter of Claude, Texas; Mrs. Burt Bural and children of Groom, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Reynolds and children of Dickens, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Black and children of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. John H. Gray and children of Quincy, Cal.; and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Smith of Spur.

Others present were: B. B. Epting of Itasco, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Epting of Amarillo, (B. B. and Tom Epting are brothers of Mrs. Conaway) Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rogers of Quincy, Cal.; (Mrs. Rogers is a granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. Conaway), Mr. and Mrs. Jim Conaway and two sons of Paducah (Jim is a nephew), Mr. and Mrs. George Epting and children of Dickens, (a nephew to Mrs. Conaway), Frank Conaway of Paducah, a nonly brother to Mr. Conaway; and Lee Payne of Dickens.

There were a total of 52 present for the day to enjoy a big turkey dinner which was served cafeteria style. It was a great day to the family and Mr. and Mrs. Conaway enjoyed it most of all.

Their anniversary was December 16, but in order to get the entire family together again, it was arranged to have the dinner December 22.

—Contributed.

McADDOO BOY ELECTED TO ALPHA CHI

Koy Neeley, senior agricultural student at Texas Technological college, recently became a member of Alpha Chi, national scholastic society.

Member of this organization include the highest ranking ten per cent of the students in the junior and senior classes, an d based on their complete scholastic record.

Koy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neeley of McAddo.

DEAR FRIENDS

In Dickens County and adjoining counties:

I represent one of the best monument companies in the world and sell genuine Georgia Marble and Granite Monuments.

All Work Guaranteed See me before you buy.

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Spur, Texas

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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

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. (S. Sanders & Chastain Pharmacy

A Good Safe Place To Trade

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SPUR, TEXAS

"The Store Of Little Profit"

THURSDAY IS THE OPENING DAY OF OUR FINAL REDUCTION SALE

This is clearance time for us we do not want to carry over any Fall and Winter Merchandise. We want to call your special attention to sale of Gowns, Robes and Pajamas for Ladies, cost is absolutely forgotten. Mens and Ladies Merchandise are at the lowest price this final reduction should clear out all merchandise in a hurry, our advise to you is to shop early.

No approvals, no phone orders, no lay aways and every sale must be final.

DRESSES 72 Helen Powell, Sue Morgan, Carroll King and Quaker Lady Dresses all new fall dresses, values from \$3.95 to \$7.95—Final Closeout **\$1.98**

DRESSES Large sizes from 16 1-2 to 28 1-2. Equal sizes from 36 to 48, Values to \$7.95—Final sale **\$2.98**

DRESSES 16 of these dresses values from \$9.95 to \$16.95. Sizes from 12 to 44—Final sale **\$5.00**

COSTUME SUITS Only 5 left. Values from \$16.95 to \$34.75—Final sale **\$7.95**

ROBES - PAJAMAS 44 Silk Robes, Silk Pajamas and lounging robes. Values from \$5.95 to \$9.95—Final sale **\$1.95**

All Blouses--Sweaters

1/2 Regular Price
\$1.00 Value --- 50c
\$1.98 Value --- 98c
\$2.98 Value Final Sale **\$4.98**
\$2.98 Value --- \$1.98

LADIES ROBES

84 silk chenille and blanket robes, Value from \$198 to \$3.95. Final Sale **\$1.00**

COWBOY BOOTS Mens Cowboy Boots. Several Different Combinations. We have your size. Value to \$8.95. Final Sale **\$4.45**

Woolen Goods On Sale

ALL NEW FALL
\$1.98 Wool Goods
Final Sale, yd. --- **\$1.33**
\$1.49 Wool Goods
Final Sale, yd. --- **\$1.00**
\$1.60 Wool Goods
Final Sale, yd. --- **66c**
Now is the time to buy Woolens, as the same qualities will be much higher net fall. Buy your needs and put them away.

Sale Leather Jackets

Pony Hide and Horsehide Jackets
\$10.95 Value
Final Sale --- **\$7.45**,
Mens \$7.50 Leather Jackets
Final Sale --- **\$4.95**
Mens \$5.95 Leather Jackets
Final Sale --- **\$4.45**
Mens Brown Suede Leather Jackets
Full Zipper Front
Extra Special --- **2.95**

KHAKIES One big lot of Mens Khaki and Plaid Shirts. All sizes. 79c and \$1.00 Value Final Sale **50c**

COMFORTERS Only 7 left. Luxurious new full down Comforters. Regular \$9.95 Value Final Sale **\$6.95**

49 LADIES COATS

1/2 Regular Price
\$9.95 Coats
Final Sale --- **\$4.95**
\$16.95 Coats
Final Sale --- **\$8.95**
\$29.95 Coats
Final Sale --- **\$14.95**

32 CHILDRENS COATS

1/2 Regular Price
\$3.95 Coats
Final Sale --- **\$1.95**
\$5.95 Coats
Final Sale --- **\$2.95**
\$7.95 Coats
Final Sale --- **\$3.98**

CLOSE OUT One big table of silk, rayons, acetates, wool and rayon mixtures, al lthis seasons fabrics, 59c to 79c values Final Closeout yd. **39c**

LADIES SHOES 400 pair of ladies new fall shoes, suedt and suede combinations, high and low heels. Many low oxfords. Values to \$5.95 **\$1.00**

Sale Mens Dobbs Hats

\$5.00 Dobbs Hats
Final Sale --- **\$3.30**
\$6.00 Dobbs Hats
Final Sale --- **\$4.40**
\$7.00 an d\$8.00 Dobbs Hats
Final Sale --- **\$4.95**

ROBES

Childrens Chenille Robes and Blanket
1/2 Regular Prices
\$1.00 Robes --- 50c
\$1.49 Robes --- 79c
\$1.98 Robes --- 99c

Mens Sweat Shirts 50c

PRINTS One Table of 19c Prints Final Sale Per yad. **13c**

VELVETLEN 98c Value—Final Sale **69c**

Sale Mens Curlee Suits

Plenty of sizes for larger man. Regular \$27.50 and \$42.50 Values
One Pant --- **\$15.95**
Extra Pants
Available At --- **\$3.95**

Sweaters

1/2 Regular Prices
Final Reduction on Mens and Boys Sweaters
\$1.50 Sweaters ---
\$1.98 Sweaters ---
\$2.98 Sweaters ---

Custom Hatching Solicited

Wednesday each week we receive eggs.

lots of baby chicks from blood tested flocks.

Spur Grain, Coal and Hatchery

Phone 51

Willard Starting Service

BATTERY SALES AND RE-CHARGE

Phone 89

COMPLETE AUTOMOBILE SERVICE

Sunshine Service Station

SINCLAIR PRODUCTS

ART INSTRUCTOR

Portrait—
Still Life—
Landscapes

Will have classes, in oils, pastels, charcoal, water colors, crayon pencils, pen, ink lettering.

Two lessons per week—one hour and fifteen minute lessons, will arrange time for your convenience.

\$8.00 and \$6.00 Per Month

See—
SYBILE CLAY

Patton Springs Pupils Start Year Book

The senior class of Patton Springs have been planning and making arrangements to begin work on their year book, "The Ranger."

Last week the class met and elected the staff. They are: Della Dean Baxter — Editor-in-chief.

Leland Wilson — Assistant Editor-in-chief.

Ada Bars — Business manager. Lee Robinson — Assistant Business manager.

Mable Blakel — Girls sport editor.

W. J. Newberry — Boys sports editor.

Leon Rogers — Literary editor. Helen Kelly — Art editor. Bobbie Randolph — Clubs editor. Melvin Mammond, Louise Rigby — Advertisement managers.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

John C. Ramsay, Minister 10 a. m. Cap McNeill, Superintendent.

11 a. m. Worship and the Word. Sermon: "Ways and Means for a Happy New Year." This will be followed with the celebration of the New Year's Communion.

6:30 p. m. Kingdom Highways League, Bertha Nellee Walker Acting President.

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship and the Word. Sermon: "Living On Our Tiptoes."

Woman's Auxiliary Bible Study at 3 p. m. at Mrs. Clemmon's Residence.

Mid-week Prayer meeting at 7:30 p. m., Wednesdays.

The general public is most cordially urged to attend. It is hoped that as many members as possible attend the New Year's Communion service on Sunda morning.

Artaban Club Holds 12th Night Party

Members of the Artaban Club started a new custom last Monday night by holding a Twelfth Night Party. The party was held in the Homemaking Department of the High School. This custom is of English origin and is held the twelfth night after Christmas and closes the Christmas holiday festivities.

All Christmas trees and Christmas decorations were taken out and burned as a bonfire, and during the bonfire singing and other festivities were carried out.

The traditional refreshments of Wassail and White Cake were served. The cake contained a black bean and the girl getting that bean in her piece of cake was crowned queen of the event.

The members enjoyed the evening with their sponsor, Miss Ethel Greene. Mrs. O. C. Thomas was honor guest and Miss Cearley was a guest at the party. There were 26 members present for the evening.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL AT DICKENS REPORTS GOOD INTEREST

The Grammar School division at Dickens reports good interest in their work at this time. Both pupils and teachers feel renewed after a rest and the work is going fine.

Pupils are working on their Interscholastic League program at this time.

EAST WARD P-T. A. WILL MEET NEXT TUESDAY

The East Ward Parent-Teacher Association will hold their next meeting at the East Ward school next Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Mrs. A. G. Dunwoody will be in charge of the program. The subject to be discussed is "The Headache of Home Work."

All parents are asked to be present for the meeting.

Robert Ward, who lives in the lower Catfish community, came in this week and took advantage of the Times special subscription rate. His grandmother has been a subscriber to the Times for years.

Dickens Schools Wins Over McAdoo

The three basketball teams of the Dickens school went into a contest with the McAdoo quintettes last Friday night. All three games were strongly contested, but it appears that Dickens was the winners.

The Dickens girls won over McAdoo with a score of 41 to 13.

The Dickens senior boys won over McAdoo with a score of 26 to 9.

The Junior team played only two quarters and the Dickens boys were victors with a score of 4 to 2.

Dickens will play Matador Friday night, all three teams going into the game.

Patton Springs and Dickens were in a contest Tuesday evening at Patton Springs, but the games were not reported.

MIDWAY NEWS

Sunday School was conducted at the Baptist Church Sunday morning at the usual hour. Mrs. George Hicks was elected teacher of the Junior Class, following the resignation of Miss Freddyde Middebrook.

Training Union services and First Sunday night singing were conducted Sunday night. Out of community visitors were Miss Nellie Bridge of Spur, Miss Lois Ragland and Gilbert Ragland of Glenn, and Miss Bernice Bilberry of Espuela.

Next Sunday Bro. Carl Lamb of Plainview, will fill his regular appointment here at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. We cordially invite your attendance.

The following members of this Church attended an associational Sunday School meeting at Friendship Baptist Church Sunday afternoon: Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell and children, George Hicks and son, Morris; Roy Atchison and Tab Williams. The next meeting will be with Dry Lake Church the First Sunday in February.

Miss Margaret Burns entertained a host of friends with a New Year party Tuesday night, December 31, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Turner Burns. Several active games were enjoyed.

Judge Formby-

These suggestions will merely help each official have a steady income and should there be excess fees, the money will be there to pay to the county.

Mr. Koonsman has cooperated with the Court during the past two years and the experiment has proven highly successful.

Eighth, it is my hope and sug-



FEED FOR SALE—5000 bundles of good cane at two cents per bundle at farm. See Sam Baxter, Glenn, Texas. 2tp.

FOR SALE — Bundle feed, or will trade it for cattle. See W. A. McPherson, five miles West of McAdoo, Texas. 1tp.

LOST, Strayed or Stolen — One red bald-faced steer; one black half-bred steer; branded L on left Hip. E. S. Lee 1tc

WORK WANTED — House keeping or care of children. Mrs. Alice Kidd box 763 Spur, Texas, or see V. B. Talbot at Depot. 1tp.

WANTED: Man with car for profitable Rawleigh Route. Must be satisfied with good living at start. Write Rawleigh's Dept. TXA-704-101, Memphis, Tenn.

WANTED — An old frame building to wreck. Call at the Times Office. 1tc.

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FOR SALE — Beautiful Walnut bed room suit, \$30.00 cash; Also, a \$400 piano for \$50.00 cash. See Madge D. Twaddell at once.

FOR RENT—Five rooms in a good Stucco home near business section. Hot water. Partly furnished at \$15 per month. S. R. Bowman.

LOTS FOR SALE OR TRADE—No. 17 and 18 in block 5 on Burlington, South of Mission Service Station. See or write Roy C. Curry, Floydada, Texas. 12-23-4tp.

FOR SALE—"20" Farmall Tractor and place to rent with it. I. L. Gibson, 5 miles west of Girard. 2tp.

gestion that the same perfect cooperation which has existed between the Commissioners' Court and the County School Superintendent's Office and the County School Board be continued in the future.

Ninth, since the annual Christmas party during the past two years has been each time so highly enjoyable, I recommend that this affair be made an annual one and that next year more elaborate plans be made for the event, perhaps to the extent of having the tree in the District Court Room and have a special Christmas program.

The above recommendations are humbly made, with the kindest of feelings and with the idea in mind to help every one and not to hinder or hurt.

Again, it has been a pleasure to serve with all of you and I hope you have enjoyed serving with me one-tenth as much as I have enjoyed working with you. I believe that the incoming officials are men capable of making good officials and I wish the very best of luck to all of you.

To the County Judge's Office, Judge Edwin Boedeker and all future successors in office, I leave a leather bound copy of the Holy Bible. In this Book I have marked a passage of scripture. I hope each retiring judge will mark a passage for the incoming judge, and that the Book will remain many years in the County Judge's Office and that each county judge will use it as his guide from time

to time. I hope that all of you will remember that it is your privilege to serve as an official in the government of the greatest government in the entire world. In no other country are officials elected and can serve as you have the privilege. This country is great because those who are governed have always been remembered by their officials. And it is great because this government was the first in the world to state in its formation that its power came from a Divine Providence. Remember that those who elect are usually fair with their officials, but that they also have the power to remove.

May Divine Providence bless you in the days to come. Respectfully submitted, MARSHALL FORMAN, Judge, Dickens County, January 1, 1937, January 1, 1937, January 1, 1937.

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Monday Jan. 13

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With various types of tools working in the field in the afternoon. See the new Farmall B with pneumatic power lift.

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Table with 2 columns of grocery items and prices. Includes Airway Fresh Coffee, Edwards Fine Coffee, Sunny Dawn Tomato Juice, Harper House Pears, Sugar Belle Peas, Castle Crest Peaches.

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Table with 2 columns of grocery items and prices. Includes Fight Colds and Flu Drink Fruit Juices, 176 Size Sunkist Oranges, 432 Size Sunkist Lemons, Grapefruit, Apples, Calavos, Carrots, Celery, Lettuce, Yams, Onions, Potatoes.

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