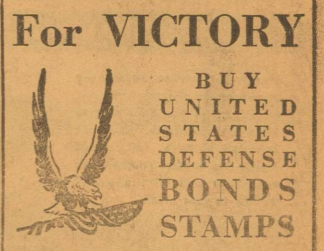


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# O'DANIEL FACES FIRST RUNOFF

With 829,890 votes tabulated by the Texas Election Bureau Sunday night, Senator O'Daniel was short only 32,982 votes of all three of his opponents in the race for United States Senator for Texas. Some think there will be a run off between Senator O'Daniel and Judge James V. Allred, and some think that the rural vote not yet reported will make up to the Senator the required majority. Possibly it will be the last of week before a final decision will be made, and it may require the official count which will be next Saturday before the final decision can be made.

Returns Sunday night gave Judge Allred 308,880; former Governor Moody 175,738; Senator O'Daniel 464,240; and Charles F. Ryan, 12,278.

Governor Coke R. Stevenson was winner over all of his opponents for Governor.

In the race for Lieutenant Governor Senator Harold Beck of Texarkana and Senator John L. Smith of Trockmorton will be in the run off. Beck received 143,989; Smith, 168,855; Arnold 36,453; Hardin, 85,188; House, 117,956; Lemens, 89,508; Mead, 26,513; Miller, 60,430; Dixie Smith, 52,598.

In the State Treasurer's race Jesse James, incumbent, who was in the race for his first term with 382,902 votes was short for a majority over his four opponents. Gregory Hatcher of Dallas, with 168,547 votes, will oppose him in the second Primary. Others in the race were: McKee, 61,022; Mill, 85,579; Smith, 85,734.

For Railroad Commissioner to succeed Jerry Sadler Pierce Brooks, of Dallas, was leading the field with 2,678 votes and Beauford Jester of Texarkana was second with 151,000 votes. James E. Kilday, who is already in that department, was a poor third with 82,449 votes. Others were: Patterson, 74,904; Lovelady, 70,614; Moore, 58,083; Fain, 30,305; C. E. McCormick, 23,024; Will Pace who withdrew from the race before election, 22,306; Humphrey, 85,734.

It is possible that the results of a run off in the Senatorial race will not be decided until the official count is made next Saturday.

### Boy Scouts Honor Soldier Scouts

Troop No. 36 of Boy Scouts held a weiner roast at Swenson Park Monday afternoon in honor of those Boy Scouts who have joined the Armed Forces and are leaving soon. The affairs of the evening were engineered by Cecil Fox, Scout Master for the Troop.

Every one present were presented with a stick to be used in roasting wieners of which there were plenty. The refreshments were completed with ice cream and cookies, all of which were very delicious.

Then every one assembled on the terrace near by and O. C. Arthur, District Court of Honor chairman, took charge and served as master of ceremonies. Jack Christian District chairman for the Breaks-Plains District, was the main speaker, and addressed the Scouts. He stated that as these Scouts were going out into the world that they would encounter many things not in line with Scouting and the principles of Boy Scout work. It will be their duty to guard against these things.

Others present made talks to the boys. The special talk was that of Cecil Fox, the Scout Master, who gave a short history of the Troop and mentioned that the boys who are leaving were the ones who helped to start the Troop five years ago. He stated how diligently they had worked to make the Troop a success. He enumerated the many things the Troop had done in the community such as repair toys for the poor and distribute them at Christmas times and delivered packages and other things to make people happy. The Scouts who volunteered into the service are Virgil Murray, James Fox and J. T. Franklin.

Other Scouts present were: Gerome Byrd, Doyle Akin, Mack Brannen, Bob Hawley, Pete Adcock, Johnnie Smith, Hardie Dement, Norman Burns, E. W. Jones and Billie Wayne Dyess.

T. J. Harvey was a guest of the Boy Scouts.

Other guests present were: L. E.

### What A Soldier May Think of You

"Listen, bud—glad to see you getting along. Sure, I know you've had to tighten your belt—for a long time you took it on the chin, and now you're getting good pay."

"That's O. K. with us soldiers. You've got your part to play, just as we have ours. You've got to make the stuff—and we've got to deliver it."

"But just a second . . . maybe it's none of our business, bud, say, are you throwing your money around?"

"Here's something straight from the soldier. You see, we soldiers want to feel that we're not fighting alone—that you're behind us—every one of you, man, woman and youngster."

"How? Listen, how many War Bonds are you buying? Are you in on the Payroll Savings Plan? If you're not, you'll get in—won't you? This is your war—isn't it? We're fighting for you, aren't we? So look . . . When they come around to you, at your job, and ask you to put aside Ten Per Cent of your earnings every payday—a dime from every dollar—you'll do it, won't you—for us?"

"You'll get a War Bond every time you've saved \$18.75—and that Bond will build up, year by year, to \$25 in ten years."

"So you're helping us and protecting us and protecting yourself at the same time by your savings. Can't beat that, can you?"

"We've got to have guns and planes, and tanks, and ships, and bullets—and you've got to pay for them—from your own voluntary War Bond savings."

"Invest a dime every dooliar in US—and keep it up, week after week, month after month. Give us the things we need to fight—that's all we ask. Then count on us to blast hell out of the Japs, the Huns, and their whole blood-thirsty gang."

"O. K., Bud—now let's go."

—Selected.



REV. DILLARD BATES

Who is doing the preaching in the revival at the Assembly of God Church at the corner of Cowan Avenue and Third Street on east side of town.

### Attention Maize and Kafir Raisers

As harvest time approaches, the question arises in our minds as to what method of harvesting should be followed.

You know that all elevator space available is full of wheat with millions of bushels piled on the ground, being exposed to all kinds of weather.

If this sorghum grain crop is harvested with combines, then there will be a tremendous amount of threshed grains (high moisture) put on the market in a short period of time. This rush movement, in our opinion, will be a very bearish factor. We believe that all crops, that is, of a type which will justify heading, should be headed. Maize and Kafir heads can be ricked in the open and carried any reasonable length of time without damage. This method of harvest will scatter the period of marketing over many months and in our opinion, will keep the market from sinking below the cost of production. There will be a good feeding demand for maize heads through the winter and spring months. Mr. Producer, think this over.

Yours very truly,  
KIMBELL MILLING CO.  
H. G. Isbell  
Grain Department

### W. P. Nugent Buried At Stephenville

Funeral services for W. P. Nugent were held at Stephenville Tuesday afternoon at the Terwitt Funeral Chapel. The arrangements were prepared here by Campbell Funeral Chapel and conveyed to Stephenville in a Campbell Funeral ambulance.

The deceased is survived by his widow, Mrs. Susan Oxford Nugent; and the following named children: Mrs. Clara Ratliff, Mrs. Sudie Long, Mrs. Reba O'Sullivan, Mrs. Roxy Bagby, C. L. Nugent of El Paso and John O. Nugent of Lubbock. One sister, Mrs. Emma Brungton of Quemada, Texas, and one brother, Tom Nugent of Ocean City, N. J., still survive.

Mr. Nugent died very suddenly Sunday morning about 9:30 o'clock of a heart attack. He had been in ill health for sometime and recently had been at Lubbock for treatment. He returned last week feeling some improved. He came down town Saturday and voted and did not seem to feel any ill effect of the trip to town. Sunday morning he was up and about his home, and fell on the floor. He lived just a few minutes.

William Percy Lewis Nugent was born at Stephenville February 18, 1864. He was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Nugent and spent his (Back Page Please)

### Listen, Listen,

PEOPLE OF DICKENS COUNTY:

We failed in June to get our quota. We are failing in July to get our quota.

Buy all the Bonds you can before Saturday, August 1, 1942.

Bonds Committee.

### Many Attend Food For Liberty Rally

A very enthusiastic group attended the Food for Freedom Demonstration given by Mrs. Stella Winston, Home Supervisor for Farm Security Administration, and Miss Fae Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent, A. & M. Extension Service, at the Patton Springs Homemaking Cottage, Wednesday, July 8.

Included in the demonstration were home drying and canning of foods and food preparation in such a way as to preserve the maximum flavor, color, and food value. This demonstration, as are the other similar ones being given, was based around the Texas Food Standard, our "blueprint" for a well fed American.

This Food Standard includes daily the eating of the following foods:

- 1 pt. to 1 qt. milk
- 1 egg
- 1 serving meat, poultry, fish, or cheese
- 1 serving Irish or sweet potatoes
- 1 serving green or yellow vegetables
- 1 other serving vegetable
- 1 serving citrus, tomatoes, raw cabbage, strawberries, or melons
- 1 other serving fruit
- 1 serving whole grain products
- Other cereals and bread as desired
- Butter, or margarine with vitamins added
- Some sweets

More of the above or other foods as needed

6 to 8 glasses of water

Attending this meeting were Messdames Minnie Harvey, Luther Stark, Gus Martin, Alpha McGarty, B. D. Clifton, Vurl Hinson, Curtis Goodwin, Ama Lee Yeates, Lara Haney, D. W. Hughes, W. B. Carothers, V. S. Ford, R. C. Alexander, Ora Henley, B. F. Middleton, F. L. Byars, Leon Lawson, Ray Chaney, Paul Braddock, Burnis Burt, Jess Powell, Byron Haney, Allie Barton, Clark Forbis, and Miss Jean Byars.

The Food for Freedom Demonstration for the Wichita Community will be July 21, and for Dickens and Spur, the dates have been changed: Dickens will be Friday July 24, and Spur will be Saturday, August 1.

### JUDGE BOEDEKER TO SPEAK SUNDAY

Judge E. H. Boedeker will speak at the Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11:00 o'clock. At that hour an announcement of interest to all local Methodists will be made. You are urged to be present.

The pastor will be away in a revival meeting at Peacock.

### TO MY FRIENDS:

I wish to express my appreciation to my friends for the many nice gifts and cards I have received during my spell of sickness. I especially want to thank the Midway Baptist Church for the nice gifts they brought July 26.

I have been in bed, sick almost five months. Everyone has been very nice to me, and I certainly do appreciate it.

I hope to be up and able to see every one soon.

A Friend,  
Ruby Dell Overstreet.

Franklin Gabriel and his father George Gabriel, returned Friday from the Dallas Markets, where Mr. Gabriel bought for the Fair Store. Franklin will make an excellent buyer as he is getting some early training.

### How Dickens County Voted in Primary

Returns from the polls in Dickens County revealed the will of the voters in many ways. Some boxes had failed to report at the time of going to press. Dumont box was out and only partial returns from Croton. The results are:

U. S. Senator—O'Daniel, 1,307; Moody, 259; Allred, 664, and Ryan, 48.

Governor—Stevenson, 1,353; Porter, 15; Wheeler, 9; Somerville, 0; Collins, 845; Ferguson, 10.

Lieut. Governor—J. L. Smith, 929; Lemens, 73; Beck, 113 1-2; Arnold, 30; Hardin, 170; Mead, 38; Dixie Smith, 27; House, 269; Miller, 102.

Comptroller—Sheppard, 1,770; Butler, 227.

Treasurer—James, 1172; Smith, 166; Mills, 165; McKee, 81; Hatcher, 287.

Land Commissioner—Giles, 1,336; Day, 613.

Attorney General—Mann, 1,745; Hair, 285.

State Superintendent—Woods, 1,516; Tergerson, 449.

Commissioner of Agriculture—McDonald, 1,089; Cory, 602; King, 93; Ragsdale, 104.

R. R. Commissioner—Thompson, 1,162; Boone, 491; Saulsbury, 327.

R. R. Commissioner (Short Term)—Patterson, 305; Moore, 348; Lovelady, 296; Humphrey, 30; Brooks, 453; Pace, 27; Kilday, 59; Armstrong, 17; Fain, 17; McComick, 27; Jester, 104.

Chief Justice Supreme Court—Jas. P. Alexander, 2,011.

Criminal Court of Appeals—Graves, 1,481; Strength, 317.

Chief Justice 7th Civil Appeals Court—Bell, 930; Pitts, 660; Nelson, 264; Link, 120.

Congress 19th District—Mahon, 2,324.

State Representative 118 District—Bullock, 2,204.

Judge 110th Judicial District—Chapman, 2,198.

District Attorney 110th District—Ratliff, 1,598; Hamilton, 638.

County Judge—Boedeker, 2,162.

County Attorney—Brummett, 2,126.

Sheriff—Christopher, 1,367; Gipson, 906.

Clerk of Courts—Ousley, 1,274; McLaughlin, 982.

School Superintendent—O. L. Kelley, 2,085.

County Treasurer—Murphree, 865; Turpen, 1,415.

County Surveyor—Terry, 2,148.

County Chairman—Brannen, 2,213.

County Commissioner, Prec. 1—Street, 578.

County Commissioner, Prec. 2—Offield, 151; Norris, 100.

County Commissioner, Prec. 3—Hindman, 410; Hahn, 204; Meadors, 216; Delisle, 234; Holly, 34; Langston, 134.

County Commissioner, Prec. 4—Gage, 53; Rogers, 24. Only one box reported.

Justice of the Peace, Prec. 1—Eskridge, 202; Winkler, 260.

Justice of the Peace, Prec. 3—Shepherd, 1,264.

Constable Prec. 3—Hazelwood, 1,183; Reese, 90; wrote in.

Public Weigher, Prec. 3—Hisey, 837; Rash, 427, wrote in.

S. J. McSpadden was elected Weigher in Precinct No. 2.

### ATTENDED CONVENTION LAST WEEK

Mrs. Emma Lee attended the Flower Dealers convention in Fort Worth last week. She stated she enjoyed the convention fine and learned some things. She went on to Waco where she visited her daughter, Mrs. Kelley Marsh, and Mr. Marsh, and then went on to Liberty where she visited her son, W. B. Lee. There she contacted the other son, Pershing Lee, who returned to Spur with her. She saw Mrs. Joe Kellam who stated they are getting along fine.

Mr. nad Mrs. A. Lollar, of Gilpin, were in Spur Saturday attending to business and talking with friends—



### WITH THE BOYS IN SERVICE



Corp. Leo B. Nugent writes from Honolulu under date of July 11 as follows: I have been transferred out of the Air Corps to work on the Victory Jamboree, a radio show which is put on entirely by soldiers on duty here. Probably some Spur people have already heard of it, because it is broadcast over Columbia Broadcasting System. Listen for it about 3:00 p. m. every Saturday. It goes to Mainland under the name "Hello From Hawaii."

The office of the Victory Jamboree (or Hello From Hawaii) is located in the Army and Navy Y.M.C.A. in downtown Honolulu. Any of the boys from home who may be in Honolulu can find me easily there, as every service man who comes to Honolulu knows where the Army and Navy Y is. I wish all of them who are here—at any time—would look me up. The nature of my work precludes my living on an Army post, so I am unable to live at home. We will be glad to see any one from home who will come to the Y and see me.

Marion and I really enjoy living over here. We have a nice apartment in a little valley about ten miles from the Y, and we are hoping some of the fellows will be able to come and stay over night with us sometime.

As far as the morale here is concerned . . . well, we hope our show will tell you about that.

Sincerely,  
Leo B. Nugent.

Miss Oleta Howe writes from Waco

as follows: Would you like to know what we are doing? When I say "we" I mean 163 girls and 50 boys and myself. Here on the campus we have four two-story dormitory, hospital administration building, cafeteria, and four huge work shops.

Four subjects are offered. They are radio, machine shop, sheet metal and power sewing. I am studying sheet metal. We have three eight hour shifts. I work on what is called the "midnight shift", 11:00 p. m. until 7:30 a. m. But it has its advantages as it is much cooler, and we work only five nights each week.

So far in sheet metal most of our work is for the Army, but in a few days we will begin on air craft. Our work is hard, but our instructors are very patient with us in our work and study. All the girls here are the very best that could be congregated in so large a group.

If there are any girls at home who would like to get into National Defense work, I would highly recommend this place.

My very best wishes to all my friends.

(Signed) Oleta Howe

Cecil Godfrey, Ralph Lewis and G. B. Wadzeck left Saturday to enter the service of our country. Mr. Wadzeck is located at Fort Sill, Mr. Lewis is to be a guard at Roswell, New Mexico and Mr. Godfrey was awarded a 15 days furlough to return to Spur and close out his affairs. He is to report direct to Fort Sill August 7.

### ABOUT OUR SOLIDER BOYS

Charles Hurst who is on the high seas is reported all right and for people not to worry. Mrs. Hurst received a letter from her son last week.

George S. Link, Jr., whose location is not known has been promoted to the censor department and seems to be doing fine. He is a first lieutenant now.

Marshall Formby, who has been stationed in Arkansas, has been transferred to New Orleans and is liking his work fine.

Staff Sergeant Pershing Lee, who is in the service at Mobile, Ala., was here last week visiting relatives and friends. He returned the last of the week to his post.

Corp. Ellis E. Power, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Power, is stationed at San Francisco, Calif. Any one desiring to write to him should include in the address Corp. Ellis E. Power, Hg and Hg Squadron, 35th Fighter Group, A. P. O. 927, care of Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

### REVIVAL AT MIDWAY

Revival meeting, under Auspices of the Church of Christ at Midway, will begin Friday night, July 31. M. E. Tisdell of Petersburg, will do the preaching. Singing will be in charge of local people.

Church extends a welcome to everybody to attend these services. The meeting will continue for 10 days. Services about 9:00 o'clock each evening.

R. E. Beaver, of Girard, was shaking hands with friends and attending to business affairs Saturday.

**CLOVER FARM STORES**

Health authorities advise the abundant use of fresh fruits and vegetables in the daily diet to keep us physically fit. Our wide selection of tasty, full-ripened fruits, and tender, garden-fresh vegetables will give a savory variety to your meals.

*fresh from the Gardens and Orchards*  
**VEGETABLES and FRUITS**

Bring us your Cream and Eggs No Checks, Pay you in Cash.  
Quick Correct Test

- Clabber Girl Baking Powder 25 oz. . 19c
- Clover Farm Milk tall ..... 2 for 15c
- Duz large ..... 23c
- Guest Ivory ..... 2 for 9c
- P & L Tomatoes No. 2 can .. 2 for 19c
- Snowdrift 3 lb. can ..... 69c

- New crop Virginia  
Red Apples doz. --- 29c  
Washington Moorpark  
Apricots lb. --- 12½c  
Arkansas Elberta  
Peaches doz. --- 25c  
200 California Valencia  
Oranges doz. --- 39c  
U. S. No. 1 Colordao Cobbler  
Potatoes lb. --- 4½c  
Fancy Girdled  
Seedless Grapes lb. 15c

**FRESH PRODUCE**

- Cut Rite Waxed Paper --- 32c
- Clover Farm Waxed Paper 23c
- Clover Farm Grape Juice pt. --- 18c
- Glendale Salad Dressing qt. --- 34c
- Jackson's Tomato Juice 46 oz. 21c
- Mustard & Mustard Bran qt. --- 10c
- Clover Farm Ctasup 14 oz. --- 17c
- Clover Farm Flour 12 lbs. --- 53c
- Clover Farm Flour 6 lbs. --- 29c
- Oxydol large --- 23c
- Camay --- 3 for 21c
- Clover Farm Toilet Tissue --- 3 for 23c
- Glendale Pease --- 2 for 29c
- Glendale Spinach --- 2 for 23c

- Clover Farm Pears --- 2 for 49c
- Clover Farm Peaches --- 2 for 45c
- Glendale Cut Beans --- 2 for 23c
- Clover Farm G & W Lima Beans 27c
- Wesson Oil pt. --- 29c
- Glendale Peanut Butter 6 oz. 10c
- Sardines Mustard or Tom. --- 15c
- Clover Farm Vinegar 32 oz. --- 14c
- Clover Farm Corned Beef 12 oz. 27c
- Clover Farm Corn Flakes 3 large 25c

**Choice MEATS**

- Chuck of Beef Roast --- lb. 27c
- Swift's Premium Luncheon Meats --- lb. 27c
- Spiced and Cooked Bologna --- lb. 19c
- Oriole, Cured Just Right Bacon --- lb. 33c
- Berkley-Lean and Sweet Sliced Bacon --- lb. 30c
- Fine for Seasoning Dry Salt Butts --- lb. 15c
- Clover Farm Margarine --- lb. 21c
- Clover Farm Butter --- lb. 43c

**WE BUY—**  
CREAM — EGGS — POULTRY — HIDES  
HIGHEST MARKET PRICES  
MARTIN-LANE QUALITY POULTRY FEED

**FOODS CLOVER FARM STORES MEATS**

**TO THE VOTERS OF DICKENS COUNTY**

My words are inadequate to express my feelings of appreciation to my friends for every word spoken and vote cast in my behalf. To you I am very thankful and appreciate the expression of confidence as revealed in the election returns.

I will do my best to make you a good county treasurer, and devote my efforts to the best interests of the county.

Mrs. Vela Turpen

**Duck Creek Soil Conservation District News**

The following is an excerpt from an address entitled "The South Tomorrow" given by Dr. Hugh H. Bennett, Chief of the Soil Conservation Service, before a meeting of Friends of the Land at Atlanta, Ga., on June 11, 1942.

"Our American boys are fighting on far-flung lines today—from Dutch Harbor to Australia, from Madagascar to Ireland. They are fighting for survival. And they are fighting that the principles of a virile civilization may remain the dominant force on earth: A practical, living civilization that provides for justice and brotherhood among men, the dignity of liberty, the blessings of security, and the opportunity to share in the benefits derived from orderly use of the natural resources of the earth."

"To put it another way, we are fighting to stamp from the minds of men amadman's lust for dominance of man over his fellows, gained through demogoguery, deception, doctrines of hate and fear, and war and loot and waste. We propose to replace these toxins of depravity with the vitamins of life, through cooperation and fair dealing among the people of the earth, to the end that peace, abundance, health, and happiness may prevail throughout the world."

"Precisely how these better things are to be substituted for the evil things that have been heaped upon us, must be worked out through our best cooperative effort. Probably no one has the final and complete answer. Considering his stupendous technological advancement, we all recognize that man has not made anything like the progress he should have made in the direction of brotherhood and cooperation."

"It's a wholesome thing for us to come together, as we have here today, to work out cooperatively our plans for a better future. We can't cover the whole field now, but we can get down to the business of laying general plans for making this a better world to live in. If we refuse to try to improve our earthly circumstances, we are sure to go backward."

"And so, today, let's consider one of the major needs of the world: conservation through wise use of our natural resources—conservation of productive soil in particular."

"It is my earnest belief that waste is the source of many of those fundamentally bad things that give opportunity for unscrupulous, cunning men to acquire unfair advantage over their fellowmen, such as lead eventually to the kind of choaz that is now bent on reducing the world to ashes."

"After nearly forty years studying the land of this and other countries and the physical, economic, and social problems involved with the use of land, it is my belief that wastage of productive soil and needed rainfall has brought about more grief, poverty, human suffering and disease, and individual and national disadvantages than all the other shortcomings and failures of mankind."

"Wastage of forest and grass, wastage of fish and wildlife, wastage of our resources of water and water power have been huge and

**National Farm Loan Association**

Farmers and ranchers of this territory served by the Spur National Farm Loan Association will save approximately \$35,646 during the next 2 years through continued low interest rates on Federal Land Bank and Land Bank Commissioner loans, James B. Reed (Secretary-Treasurer of the association, reported Monday.

The saving, Mr. Reed explained, results from legislation recently passed by Congress, which continues through June 30, 1944, the 3 1-2 per cent interest rate on long-term Federal Land Bank and Land Bank Commissioner loans.

The Spur National Farm Loan Association has approximately \$1,188,192 in loans outstanding.

**McAdoo News**

Mrs. Clayton Snow and son, of Houston, hvac been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dozier, and sister, Miss Maude Dozier, of McAdoo. They returned home last week.

Miss Edith Neeley, of Abilene, who spent two weeks visiting her father, C. C. Neeley at McAdoo, returned home last week.

Mrs. Amos Isaacs, of Amarillo, spent a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Allen, at McAdoo.

Billie Doris Gilmore, of Lamesa, visited her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Rose, here last week.

T. L. Dozier and daughter, Miss Maude Dozier, spent Sunday in Sanatorium visiting Mrs. Dozier.

Rev. Davidson is the new pastor of the Methodist Church at McAdoo. He is formerly of Kentucky. Rev. Baker, is the former pastor, has accepted the work at Olien. Rev. Davidson has a family consisting of a wife and two children.

Mr. nad Mrs. G. W. Allen, Mrs. Lois Brownlow and Mrs. Amos Isaacs visited Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Allen at Wolfforth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Styles, of Girard, were attending to business affairs and greeting friends in Spur Saturday.

costly. But they are all involved with the close of productive soil."

"And, besides this, there is the additional wastage of fruit and vegetables in times of glutted markets; and waste by fire and waste by opportunity thrown away."

"What the world has permitted to be done in the way of impoverishment of its most basic resources—productive soil—has been, in too many parts of the world, not just a matter of impoverishment through inadequate upkeep but dissipation and ruin through an orgy of waste. This waste has led to misunderstanding among neighbors and to raids, massacres, and wars between nations."

In order to avoid further loss of productive soil, the farmers and ranchers of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District are cooperatively planning complete soil and water conservation measures for their land. During the past week, conservation plans were signed by G. G. Allen, C. A. Allen and O. H. Hamlin on a total of 12,376 acres of farm and ranch land, and 53 miles of terrace lines were run.

Total war means utilization of every available resource. The ideal speaking in terms of agriculture, is to obtain the maximum productive efficiency from every acre, every tree, every machine, every drop of water, every pound of fertilizer, every animal, every farmer and his family. This ideal is coupled with the ideal of protecting the soil resource so that after the war the land will still be productive and fully capable of meeting the continuing needs of a great and prosperous people.

The farmers and ranchers in the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District are carrying the fight to the Axis on every acre of their land. The past week, plans for a complete soil and water conservation program were made on the farms of Mr. Chas. McLaughlin, Mr. Paige Gollihar and Mr. Clifford B. Jones. Mr. Gollihar has already started construction of terraces on some of his wheat land. The other two men have done some conservation work, but plan to do more just as soon as crops are harvested. Mr. M. L. Brantley constructed terraces on approximately 80 acres during the past week.

Applications for conservation work were received last week on the R. H. Simmons and B. J. Kellett farms.

The Supervisors of the Duck Creek Soil Conservation District met last Thursday to transact District business.

**DICKENS METHODIST REVIVAL STARTS SUNDAY, AUG. 2**

Rev. C. M. Ryan, Pastor is announcing a two weeks Revival Meeting starting August 2. Visiting preacher to do the preaching will be Rev. Franklin Ivey, Abilene, who has had a great deal of experience in evangelist work, having held a meeting in every state in the union except 3. The public is invited to attend.

**MRS. JOHN BACHMAN HOSTESS**

The Soldier Mound Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Floyd Barnett with Mrs. John Bachman acting as hostess Thursday, July 16. The Club will meet with Mrs. Bill Ballard Thursday, August 6. The meetings all will be with Mrs. Barnett for the duration to save rubber and gasoline. There will be a picnic in August.

Mrs. Leland Wilson demonstrated canned tomato juice, and also, making a sick bed with Mrs. Barnett as the patient. Mrs. Barnett won the games prize.

Those attending were: Mesdames John Aston, Dan Pritchett, V. O. Davenport, John Bachman, Floyd Brantet, Leland Wilson, Ollie Hindman, W. H. Condon, Pete Gannon, Bill Ballard and Ethel Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. French, of Afton, were in Spur Saturday doing friends.

**WAR-TIME INFORMATION WILL BE GIVEN TO HOMEMAKERS**

This Saturday, August 1, at 3:00 P. M. at the Spur High School valuable war-time information will be given to homemakers of Spur and Dickens County on the urgent job we have of feeding our families, fighting forces, and our allies.

This Food for Freedom demonstration will be given cooperatively by Mrs. Ethel McArthur, (Homemaking Teacher; Mrs. Stella Winston, Home Supervisor for the Farm Security Administration; and Miss Fae Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent, A. & M. Extension Service. This meeting is the last of a series of such meetings held over the county, given as a public service to you; already nearly a hundred families have been reached with this demonstration.

Featured at the Food for Freedom demonstration given at Dickens and Wichita the past week were educational exhibits prepared by the Soldier Mound, Dry Lake, and Espuela Home Demonstration Clubs. These and other timely exhibits will be included in the Spur meeting, as well as the demonstration on drying foods, cold pack canning, and vegetable preparation.

It is hoped that both city and rural homemakers will take advantage of this opportunity to be better equipped for the task ahead of us.

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

**To Our Regular CHARGE CUSTOMERS**

**WHO HAVE NOT AS YET ADJUSTED THEIR ACCOUNTS TO CONFORM TO GOVERNMENT REGULATIONS ON CREDIT TRANSACTIONS.**

After Friday, July 10th, we are **FORBIDDEN** to accept charges to our accounts if any part of such account dates back prior to June 1st.

Please don't create an embarrassing situation for both of us by asking us to make charges contrary to the dictates of the government credit regulation "W".

Should you need to adjust an existing balance which is overdue, call at our credit office and we will make such arrangements. **AND REMEMBER** this ruling does not effect in any way our regular 30 day charge patrons.

**TO THE VOTERS OF DICKENS COUNTY**

I greatly appreciate the fine support that was given me, I feel if I had gotten my name on the ballot I would have received more votes. I am deeply grateful to those who through their vote, showed their confidence in me.

I want to be your friend no matter how you voted

Sincerely

G. W. RASH



George Mahon

wishes to express his appreciation for the fine support of the people of the District and to pledge his continued best efforts as their Representative in Congress.

PATTON SPRINGS HOMEMAKING The summer project work of the Patton Springs Homemaking girls is progressing very nicely. Of the 31 girls eligible to take the work, twenty-seven are enrolled and are doing excellent work. Much work

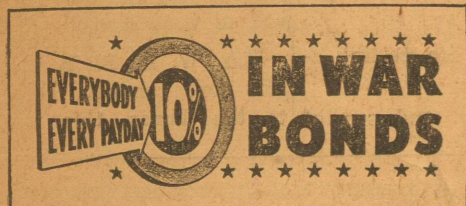
has been done and fine records are being kept. Various projects are being carried out—food preparation, foods preservation, clothing construction, gardening, and child care. The girls believe that if the boys have to make so many sacrifices to

defend our homes, that they can in a small way make those homes worth saving. On Friday, July 23, 7:00 P. M., the girls will have a picnic and swimming party. Billie Avara, Rayma Fay Younger, Maurine Pool,

and Doris Avara are in charge of arrangements. The following girls are taking the summer project work: Doris Faye Adams, Lavillas Alexander, Doris Avara, Yvonne Cross, Mary Helen Haney, Verneel

Henry, Billie Joyce Johnston, Jane Norris, Evelyn Mayo, Norlene Roberts, Mary Nell Smith, Frances Speights, Earl Dean Adams, Billie Avara, Gwendolyn Bankston, Louise non, Maurine Pool, Marie Powell, Cook, Agnes Corothers, Gladys, Dren-

Dorecee Randolph, Ruth Springer, Tommy Lou Thanishch, Rayma Fay Younger, Virgie Parks, Mildred Williams. Mr. and Mrs. John Aston were in Lubbock last week visiting friends.



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# THESE PRICES CANNOT BE FROZEN-THEY ARE BELOW FREEZING NOW-YET THEY ARE THE HOTTEST VALUES IN TOWN

SUPER ONE-STOPPERS FOR THRIFTY SHOPPERS!!  
THE PRICES IN THIS ADVERTISEMENT ARE NOT MARCH CEILING PRICES... BUT MONEY-SAVING

## "BOTTOM PRICES"

The say it cannot be done but we do it.

Mens Army Cloth Matched Suits

Ceiling Price ----- \$5.00

Our Price ----- \$3.96

Sanforized Shrunk, goverment standard, all suits, shirts and Pants.

### Clearance MEN'S Summer Wash PANTS

Cool, washable, sanforized... Dark colors and shantungs. Sizes 29-40.

# \$1.19

PAIR  
Regular \$1.98

OLD FASHION BARGAIN

### MEN'S SANFORIZED KHAKI

Pants and Shirts

- TEX-TAN
- TAUPE
- GREEN

# \$2<sup>98</sup>

Suit



Cool Men's  
SLACK  
SUITS

Long Sleeves  
\$4.45 Value

# \$2.98



Every Sale Final  
No lay-a-way no approvals  
they are

Final

### CLEARANCE

Now, at a time when value becomes the prime object, here are 75 garments of expected fineness at amazing savings! From our regular stocks. Street, afternoon and evening types.

Dresses Values to 19.95

# \$5.00

Ladies Summer CLEARANCE!

### MILLINERY

Every hat with the exception of felts

Value to \$4.95

Just 187 smart summer hats! included are blacks, natural, white, navy and pastels in large brims and small shapes. Tailored and dressy models.

50c

MEN'S DRESS

### STRAW

HATS

FINAL CLEARANCE  
PRICE

# \$1.00

Value to \$3.00

### LAST CALL

Our Entire Stock

### SUMMER DRESSES

Formerly Sold for Up to \$7.95

- Piques
- Washable Silks
- Sheers

# \$1.95

Whites, pastels and a few dark colors. Sizes up to 52.

*Slip into a sheer!*



NEW SHIPMENT

OF

### CORDUROY

Mothers, enjoy shopping for many colorful school costumes from this most attractive collection of corduroys... every color imaginable included... fine quality corduroy in narrow wale... shop for them today while the color assortment is complete.

- Turf Tan • Navy • Autumn Tan
- Olive • Flag Blue • Redrust • Royal
- Roserust • Brown • Light Green

WORTH  
\$1.39  
Our Ceiling  
Price \$1.19  
Sale  
Price

# 98c

CLEARANCE

### SUMMER SHOES

White, White and Brown, White and Blue, Patent and Patent Combinations.

OUT THEY GO! PAIR



Value to \$5.00  
Balance of our stock.

# \$1.95

Value to \$2.95

# \$1.00

Cotton Krimble Bed Spreads Size

81 x 105

Ceiling Price \$1.49

Our Special Price

# \$1.00

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Slayden, of Dickens, were in Spur Tuesday transacting business and greeting friends. W. A. Harris, of Espuela, was in town Saturday looking after business matters and enjoying friends.

## EXTRA SPECIAL DRESS PRICES

For this week end we are making further reductions in Summer Dresses. These dresses are grouped in the following price ranges;

Group 1; Fine summer dresses that will be appreciated for now and some will go right into fall. Prices range up to \$14.75. Plenty of sheers. **\$5.00**

Group 2; consists of dresses of fine sheer materials that you'll be surprised to find at the price. They range up to \$4.98. They are grouped to sell at; **\$3.45**

Group 3; Is another price range up to \$3.98. This group shows a number of pretty sheers of very good makes. **\$2.65**

Group 4; Is mostly sheer cottons that sold up to \$2.98. They are conveniently grouped for your inspection and will be sold at; **\$2.15**

**OTHER GREAT REDUCTIONS IN HIGHER PRICED DRESSES. YOU'LL NOT SEE SUCH VALUES AGAIN. BUY THEM NOW AND ENJOY THEM FOR THE NEXT TWO MONTHS.**

### NEW FALL HOSIERY

See our window display of new Fall Hosiery. We have procured some all silk numbers . . . they will not last very long . . . then Rayons until the war ends.

**HENRY ALEXANDER & CO. SPUR**  
BETTER DRY GOODS

## "Pack a Lunch That Packs a Punch"

The wartime job of keeping house may seem commonplace and unimportant to the mother who has to stay at home, but more and more scientists and government authorities are beginning to realize that the health of the nation lies largely in the hands of the housewife.

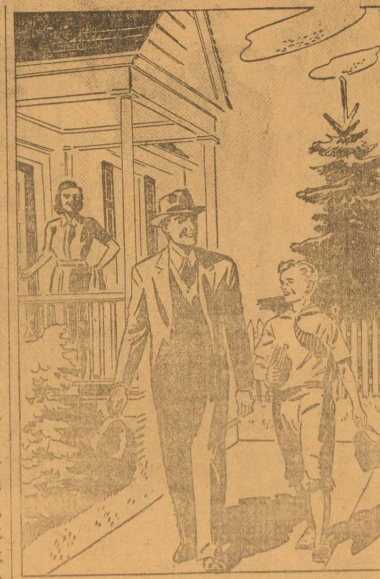
For example, it has been proven conclusively by tests that when a worker gets well-balanced meals in his lunchbox, he just naturally does more and better quality work, feels better and loses less time from sickness than he does when his lunches are poorly planned. And when children eat nutritious lunches, they concentrate better and get better grades.

Of course, packing lunches presents many problems. Unless mother packs what Johnny likes, Johnny will refuse to eat it and it doesn't matter how nutritious it was. Also both father and the school children complain when they get the same thing day after day. The growing scarcity of some foods is another headache.

So mother's job isn't so easy. She is expected to make the lunches conform to the rules of food nutrition, and yet make the food so attractive and so varied that the family will be both happy and healthy. All of this is, of course, doubly important during wartime, since father is probably working on some important phase of war production.

With so many things to keep in mind, mother may want to check over the following timely tips on lunchbox meals, taken from a new government-approved folder entitled "Pack A Lunch That Packs A Punch".

1. Plan lunches at the same time you plan other meals and avoid



buying special, expensive foods just for the lunchbox. 2. Reserve one corner of the cupboard for lunchbox equipment. 3. Avoid lunches with too many starchy foods that fill up but don't stay with you. 4. Try to include every day: a vacuum bottle drink or food, two different sandwiches, and two of the following three items . . . a raw vegetable or salad, a fruit, a dessert.

The lunchbox booklet, prepared by General Electric Company's Home Service Institute and approved by U.S. Government National-Nutrition Program nutritionists, is available to readers of this paper without charge. It contains a great many suggestions in addition to those above, including a handy simplified food chart for planning balanced lunchbox meals without counting calories and vitamins. The chart counts them for you.

### FREE OFFER TO OUR READERS

General Electric Home Service Institute  
1285 Boston Avenue, Bridgeport, Conn.



Please send me a free copy of your lunchbox folder "Pack A Lunch That Packs A Punch" which has been approved by National Nutrition Program home economists.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_

Mrs. Lela Morgan, was a pleasant caller to the Times office Saturday, to renew her subscription to the Times.

Glenn Pickens came in Saturday and renewed his subscription to the Times. Thanks Mr. Pickens.

We thank V. L. Bradford, of Glenn for a new subscription to the Times.

Mr. S. T. Battles called in the Times office Saturday to renew his subscription to the Times.

Thanks to K. W. Street for a renewal to the Times.

Mrs. Wayland Lee of Amarillo, was a very pleasant caller in the Times office, Monday, and renewed her subscription to the Times.

E. V. Arahur of Dickens came in Monday and renewed his subscription to the Times.

F. F. Sonnanker was a pleasant caller in the Times office Friday and renewed his subscription to the Times.

W. H. Hindman was in our office one day last week and renewed his subscription to the Times.

The Times office had a nice letter from Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Poteet of Amarillo, last week, and was favored with a new subscription to the Times.

Jay Austin is a new subscriber to the Times. Thanks Mr. Austin.

W. A. Lee of Amarillo, is a new subscriber to the Times. We appreciate your subscription Mr. Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Simmons, received a letter from their son, Staff Sargent Woodrow Simmons, stationed at Biggis Field, El Paso, Texas. He is in the Air Corp., and is an operator at Station WZB, Biggis Field. He is expecting to be transferred in the near future, perhaps to Iceland, Greenland or Canada. Woodrow states that his wife and daughter and himself are getting along fine.

Amarillo, are visiting her mother, Mrs. L. A. Welborn, for a few days. Peggy Love, who has been visiting her brother, Herbert Love, left Sunday for her home in Cisco, her parents met her in Monday.

Mrs. Lavnoa White of Sundown, who has been in School at Denton, stopped in Spur for the weekend to visit Mrs. G. K. Coate.

Mrs. W. D. Blair, was in our office and renewed her subscription to the Times, this week.

## TO THE VOTERS OF DICKENS COUNTY

I take this method of expressing my sincere appreciation for the loyal support you gave me in last Saturday's primary. I will appreciate your continued support in the August run-off.

To Those of you who cast your vote for one of my honorable opponents which was your right and privilege, I would like to say that I still want to be your friend and commissioner.

I earnestly solicit your vote and influence in the Aug. primary, and if elected it will be my aim and purpose to be on the job as your faithful employee.

Thank you

W. H. Hindman

## THANK FOR FRIENDS

I want to thank the people of Dickens County, for the fine vote that you gave me on last Saturday from the depth of my heart.

I have enjoyed my work with you as your commissioner, and I will always try to be fair and honest in all of my dealings.

Thanking you again for your consideration.

I am your employer

K. W. Street

To The People of Dickens County

Again, I take this opportunity, to thank my friends for the splendid vote given, me I hope I can be of service to each and every one of you in Dickens County.

ERIC OWSLEY

I am happy to be your County Clerk, for I like to work for you.

## Clip This MONEY SAVING CASH COUPON

Try the Southwest's Finest Flour

# "Okeene Best"

This Coupon Worth  
**10c on 24 lb. Sack**  
**20c on 48 lb. Sack**

Regular Price

48 Pound **\$1.75**

24 Pound **95c**

Bring in this coupon and save 10 per cent today

**HYATTS FOOD MARKET**

Phone 59

The **SANGER HOTEL** FROM \$2

225 ROOMS AND APARTMENTS EACH WITH BATH CIRCULATING ICE WATER AND FAN.

Accommodations of Quality

When you're in Dallas, you'll appreciate staying in this delightful residential environment, yet convenient to the downtown district, only five minutes away. You'll enjoy the fine accommodations, as well as the air cooled lobby and Coffee Shop. Garage and parking lot.

ERVAY AT CANTON STREET  
**DALLAS TEXAS**

Rev. Aubrey Short returned from Rotan Sunday night where he had been preaching in a revival meeting.

He reported about 40 additions to the church there during the ten days services.

# I Thank You

Even though I had no opponent for the office of County Attorney, your vote for me was appreciated very much.

I trust that you will all feel free to stop in and discuss any criminal matter with me after I assume the duties of this office on the first of the year.

**WINSTON BRUMMETT**  
County Attorney Elect



Buck Jones, co-starring with Tim McCoy, takes the situation in hand in the new Monogram picture, "Down Texas Way"

## The Dickens County Times

WILLIAM C. STARCHER  
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Advertising Manager

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Ad rates uniform to everyone in Spur Country

Subscription Price: \$1.50 per year in Dickens and adjoining counties. Foreign Subscription is \$2.00 per year

## Political Announcements

The following named persons have placed their names before the voters of Dickens County as candidates for the offices in which they are listed, subject to action of the Democratic Primary August 22, 1942.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PREC. 3  
W. H. Hindman (Re-election)  
O. P. Meador

FOR CHIEF JUSTICE, Court of Civil Appeals, 7th Supreme Judicial District.

## MR. AND MRS. SPEER ENTERTAIN ON RETURN TRIP FROM FLORIDA

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Speer were hosts to a few of their friends entertained with a buffet dinner Sunday afternoon. Practically all of the food that was served came from Florida.

Their center piece was fruit from different states attractively arranged. While visiting and enjoying Marlon's report of interesting and historical points seen by her, the guests were served orange wine cocktail which came from Florida. After this the guests entered the dining room where they selected food cafeteria style. The menu was:

- Texas fried chicken
- French rye bread from New Orleans
- Avacato pear salad from Florida
- Florida fruit jello salad, topped with fresh cocoanut which they pulled from trees in Miami, Florida
- Mango salad from Florida
- Famous, Guava Jelly made in Florida
- Anchovia salad from Florida
- Texas fresh tomato salad
- Idaho potato salad (Mrs. Paul Snider's special)
- Twelve different kinds of candies and cakes from the Solaris Kitchens in New Orleans, in operation since 1864.
- Lipton iced tea.

The foods were delicious and quite a treat for the guests.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cappinger, Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Snider, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Starcher, Miss Winifred Lee and W. D. Starcher, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Speer were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Van Pierce of Madison, Fla., and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart of Jacksonville, Fla. They were entertained royally having several morning parties as compliments to Mrs. Speer, and a number of fishing parties for all Mr. and Mrs. Speer had the experience of deep sea fishing, trolling for sail fish five to ten feet long.

All guests enjoyed the afternoon and evening with them and the reports given, and wish them many more happy trips.

G. W. Bennett, of Elton came in the Times office last week and had his subscription renewed to the Times.

C. E. Whitfield, of Clairmont, renewed his subscription to the Times last week. Thanks Mr. Whitfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Giddens are the proud parents of a 7-pound 4ounce son, born Monday morning in St. Marys hospital, in Lubbock.

The Times office received a new subscription from Mrs. J. A. Pendley of Lancaster, California, this week.

Miss Robert Phelps is a new reader to the Times.

C. Bradford of Glenn has renewed his subscription to the Times.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Pace had daughter, Miss Winona, of White River community, wree in Spur Saturday doing some trading and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Butler, of Croton, were transacting business in Spur and greeting friends Saturday. They had a complaint about not getting their copy fo the Times. They stated they could not get along without it. It must have been misplaced in the mail as it was mailed out.

Crates Snider, of New Orleans, arrived here the first of the week to spend a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Snider. He left Wednesday afternoon to fill his call in the U. S. Navy as aradio operator. He has been with the Gulf Oil Corporation for many years.

Supt. O. C. Thomas announces that the Spur Schools will start the regular school term Monday, September 7.

Mrs. Maud Denson, called in our office the last of the week and renewed her subscription to the Times.

The Times office had a card from Mrs. W. B. Thornton this week, saying she wanted her paper mailed to her at Sherman, Texas. She recently moved from Sanderson, Texas.

Mrs. Darvin Callihan of Amarillo, was in our office Saturday, and favored us with a new subscription to the Times.

Purine Mae Elkins, of Afton was a pleasant caller in our office, Friday of last week and had her subscription renewed to the Times.

A. Woods, called in our office Saturday and had his paper renewed for two years.

G. W. Willis was a pleasant caller in the Times office last week and had his subscription renewed to the Times.

Thanks to J. D. Elkins, for a new subscription to the Times.

## TO THE PEOPLE OF DICKENS COUNTY

Thanks to my friends of Dickens County for the victory, that you gave me at the polls last Saturday. I shall even be grateful for the confidence that you have in me, and mindful of the responsibility that you have placed upon me.

It is my purpose to be honest and impartial in every service that I may be able to render to the people of Dickens County.

I solicit the cooperation of the citizens of Dickens County that I may make you a better District Attorney than I have ever been.

Your Frined  
John A. Hamilton

## TO THE VOTERS OF DICKENS COUNTY AND FRIENDS:

Even though I had no opponent, I am grateful to you for the splendid vote and support you gave me in re-electing me your county judge. It is an expression of confidence I sincerely treasure and appreciate. In an humble and faithful manner I shall try to be your worthy servant.

Appreciatively yours,  
Edwin H. Boedeker

# Super DOLLAR DAY

Friday, Saturday & 1st Monday

2 Big Table Ladies Shoes  
Values to \$4.95  
Sandals, blue & white, black & white, red, multi colors—all styles.  
Dollar Days  
**\$1.00 Pair**

Gingham-Sheers  
Values to 39c yd.  
Dollar Days  
**4 yds. \$1.00**

Ladies Slips  
White; Black; Black and White, Tearose val. to \$1.95  
Dollar Days  
**Choice \$1.00**

Men's Shirts or Shorts  
Values up to 49c  
**3 for \$1.00**  
others 4 for \$1.00

**SPECIAL**  
Big Rack of BARGAINS.  
Slack Suits, Play Suits, Dresses and Skirts.  
Out They Go!  
**\$1.00**

**Crown Tested**  
Rayons — Bemberg — Jerseys—Taffetas—values to 98c yd.  
Dollar Days  
**2 yds. \$ 1.00**

Men's Dress Oxfords  
Special Group of \$3.98 and \$4.95 values  
**\$1.00 off**

**Ties**  
Our entire stock of Ties values to \$1.00 Your Choice  
Dollar Days  
**2 for \$1.00**

Childrens Dresses  
Good for school wear, cheaper than can be made.  
**Choice \$ 1.00**

**Seersucker**  
49c and 59c values  
Your Choice  
**3 yds. \$1.00**

Men's Dress Shirts  
Our Ceiling Price \$5.39  
Dollar Days  
**\$1.00**

Men's Dress Pants  
Sharkskins—Gaberies  
Tropicals values to \$5.95  
Dollar Days  
**\$1.00 off**

## PROCTOR BROS.

SPUR, TEXAS

## WANTED FARM AND RANCH LOANS.

Long term Low interest rate—4% Federal Land Bank Loans (3 1/2% until July 1st, 1944.

Option to pay sooner.

See Spur National Farm Loan Assoc.

Spur, Texas

"20 years in Dickens County."  
Operated by farmers for farmers.

... To The People Of Dickens County ...

I want to express my sincere appreciation for your support in my race for Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector.

I shall endeavor to merit the trust you have placed in me, and with your continued cooperation, I will serve you to the best of my ability.

I invite you to call on me at any time, and when you are in Dickens, drop in our office and visit with us.

Thanking you again for your friendship and cooperation.

D. F. (Fred) Christopher

ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH HOLDS FELLOWSHIP DAY.

The Assembly of God Church on North Cowan Avenue held a fellowship day Tuesday with visitors from a number of other churches.

In the afternoon some time was spent in testimonial services followed by a sermon.

A good congregation attended the services. Rev. C. H. Browning is the pastor.

Mrs. V. L. Wilson, of East Afton, was in Spur Saturday attending to business matters and meeting friends.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS FROM SPUR

In 1941 there was only a small amount of grain shipped from Spur. This consisted of 23 cars of wheat, seven cars of barley, one car of oats and 23 cars of threshed maize.

So far this year there have been 51 cars of wheat and two cars of barley.

It is hoped farmers will read the article submitted by the Kimbell Milling Company.

Mrs. W. H. Martin, of Highway, was in Spur Saturday talking with friends and doing some shopping.

F. L. Byars, of Afton country, was attending to business affairs and enjoying friends in Spur Saturday.

Boys Who Registered at Last Registration

The following is a list of Dickens County Boys who registered for U. S. Army and Navy service at the last registration date.

10,489—Ross Arnold Fugua, Spur. 10,490—Jamse Wilburn Fox, Spur. 10,491—Walter Merral Erath, Spur. 10,492—John A. Hutton, Spur. 10,493—Marvin Arrington Hagins, Spur.

10,494—Foster Nugent Everett, Spur. 10,495—Roy Theibert McDaniel, Guthrie. 10,496—T. D. Hale, Afton. 11,497—Eddy Marshall Dempsey, Dumont. 10,498—Joseph Martin Dempsey, Spur.

10,499—Ross Ivan Culbert, Spur. 10,500—Wilbur Dee Hagins, Gilpin. 10,501—Arthur Abbott Gannon, Spur. 10,502—Garland J. B. Dena, Spur. 10,503—Frank Drew Culberth, Spur.

10,504—John Wilma Campbell, McAdoo. 10,505—Homer Belton Allison, Spur. 10,506—Mere Hughes Futch, Dickens. 10,507—Spencer Williams Schillings, Dickens.

10,508—Charles Franklin Owens, McAdoo. 10,509—Ongie Lea Farnsworth, Spur. 10,510—Wilford Douglas Hinson, Spur. 10,511—W. J. Sharp, Afton. 10,512—Semmon Coy French, McAdoo.

10,513—Augustine Garcia, Spur. 10,514—Harold Brantley, McAdoo. 10,515—Leonard Edmon Baker, Spur. 10,516—Jesus Velasquez, Afton. 10,517—Clarence Ousely Stanley, Spur.

10,518—Floyd Cleabert Rich, McAdoo. 10,519—Frank Hernandez, Spur. 10,520—William Frank Atkins Jr., Spur. 10,521—Robert Eugene Brownlow, McAdoo.

10,522—Riddley Olen Gaga, Afton. 10,523—Charles Eugene Senning, Spur. 10,524—Andrew Jefferson Harvey, Spur. 10,525—James Wilam Reeves, Dumont.

10,526—Roy W. Murray, Afton. 10,527—Leo Taylor, Afton. 10,528—Tom William, Dodson, Dickens. 10,529—Wilburn Lawrence Wright, Spur.

10,530—Grady D. Jackson, Dickens. 10,531—J. C. Rape, Spur. 10,532—Roy Dale Guyer, Dumont. 10,533—William Jewel Laine, Spur. 10,534—C. L. Williams, Spur.

10,535—Loyd Roy Baker, McAdoo. 10,536—Joyce Murl Smith, Spur. 10,537—John Cummins Ramsey, Spur. 10,538—Reynolds Bazan, Afton. 10,539—Billie Joe Wooley, McAdoo.

10,540—Raymond Bert Ince, Spur. 10,541—Ocie Harold Lee, Afton. 10,542—Marselina Pavda, Spur. 10,543—Clovis Ray Cox, Spur. 10,544—Virgil Orville Murray, Spur.

10,545—William Edward Offield, Afton. 10,546—Virgie Benzo Hawley, Dumont. 10,548—William Raymond Harris, McAdoo. 10,549—Clarence Lafayette Robinson, Spur.

10,550—Robert Louis Wesley Copass, Dickens. 10,551—Joe Raymond Goss, Afton. 10,552—Jack Taylor Graham, McAdoo. 10,553—Charles Lewis Rainbolt, Afton.

10,554—Oris Leamon Pullen, McAdoo. 10,555—Clarence McKinney, Spur. 10,556—Virgil Ray Yarbrough, Spur. 10,557—W. J. Woods, Afton. 10,558—Leonard Albert Grantham Jr., Spur.

10,559—William Claude Faubus, Dickens. 10,560—Billie Lawing Powel, Spur. 10,561—Robert Mitchell Morgan, Spur. 10,562—Clinton Ray Williamson Causey, McAdoo. 10,563—Ernest Lawrence Causey, Spur.

10,564—B. C. Stapleton, Spur. 10,565—Lafayette Thomas Dozier, Dumont. 10,566—Jack Robber Smith, Spur. 10,567—Termino Arredondo, Spur. 10,568—Wayland Mathies Freeman, Spur. 10,569—Charle Clinton Stephenson,

Spur. 10,621—Raymond Virgil Faulkner, Spur. 10,622—James Erwin Willingham, Spur. 10,623—Glenn Dow Spraberry, Spur. 10,624—Dolton Lee Moss, Spur. 10,625—Owen Harris Egger, McAdoo.

10,626—Vern Darnell Rankin, Spur. 10,627—Donald Henry Elliott, Spur. 10,628—Sam James Gannon, Spur. 10,629—Henry Lawrence Pipkin, McAdoo. 10,630—James Marvin Ballard, Spur. 10,631—Walter Lowell Brasher, Spur. 10,632—Tommy Walter Burger, Spur. 10,633—William Leland Wilson, Glenn. 10,634—Francis Harvey Latham, Dickens. 10,635—Wylie Harlan Grubbs, Afton. 10,636—Leroy Gilman, Spur. 10,637—Wilburn Freeman Ball, Spur. 10,638—Herman Eugene Smith, Spur. 10,639—Ardell Gary, Spur. 10,640—Rawleigh Raymond Adcock, Spur. 10,641—Birl Paul Hutton, Spur.

10,642—Loyd Mathue Watts, Dickens. 10,643—Alex Wendell Fry, Spur. 10,644—Billy Bryan Hand, Dumont. 10,645—Jack Partridge, Dickens.

BAPTISTS TO START REVIVAL AUG. 9. The First Baptist Church has arranged for a revival meeting to begin Sunday, August 9. Rev. Aubrey Short, the pastor, will do the preaching. Joe Trussell, of Brownwood, will be in charge of the singing.

DOWN TOWN SUNDAY. The Down Town Sunday School Class seems to be growing both in numbers and in interest. We are glad to see you coming out. Try to be with us next Sunday. Our teacher always brings us a good message. We meet in the Spur Theatre by Chastain Pharmacy at 9:45, a. m.

25 WAR BONDS GIVEN AWAY. "Speck" Lunsford stated this week that the Palace Theatre had given away 24 War Bonds of \$25.00 denomination and tonight will give away a \$100 War Bond. This makes \$700 in War Bonds that the palace has given away this year. You will want to see their program tonight.

CHOICE FRESH MEATS WEEK-END SPECIALS. Guaranteed Baby Beef. Steak SEVEN CUT lb. 25c. Beef Ribs fine for stew lb. 19c. Bulk Sliced Bacon lb. 29c. Pineapple Juice 2-12 oz. cans 25c. Corn No. 2 can 10c. Tomatoes No. 2 can 10c. COFFEE pound 25c. Dressing quart jar 23c. Flour 48 lb. SACK \$1.69. Hi-Ho Waffers lb. box 21c. Krispy Crackers 1 1/2 lb. 27c. Tomatoes Pound 5c. Cantaloupes nice size each 5c. Corn 2 ears 5c. Oranges dozen 29c. POTATOES small size 10 lbs. 12c. MODERN WAY PHONE 70. Clyde Walthall Owner.

The Home Front. By Mrs. Julia Kiene Westinghouse Home Economist. Picnic and Porch Parties. DON'T tell me tires and gasoline have put a jinx on picnics! There's always your own backyard or a cool, shady porch, and its the "eats" that make the picnic anyway. Piping hot picnic meals are a novelty—just ask the menfolks. Baked ham and escalloped potatoes, baked beans and brown bread, hot fried chicken, hamburgers, chop suey and chow mein—all can be prepared in advance in the roaster-oven. Just bundle it up in a blanket and the food will stay hot for six hours. With a one-dish meal, you can serve about thirty persons. There is a vacation hint in this for both landlubbers and beach-combers. Tote the roaster along. Wherever there is electric service for household use, and a handy light socket, it's right at home. At breakfast, fry pancakes or bacon and eggs on the grid. At dinner, whip up a whole meal, and a wholesome one, including meat, potatoes, a vegetable and dessert. Use it to steam clams or roast corn, and, with the broiler attachment, cook fish a few minutes after the catching. Before you stage the picnic, get rid of mosquitoes, stray flies, chiggers, and such, with an efficient spray. Go in for paper plates and easy-to-laundry table linen. With a bit of organizing, stay-at-home picnics are fun for everybody, including you. MENU: \*Vegetable Meat Loaf, Escalloped Potatoes, Fresh Peach Cobbler, Iced Tea. \*Vegetable Meat Loaf Recipe: 3 tablespoons chopped onion, 1/2 cup ground green pepper, 2 cups ground carrots, 1/2 cup sour cream, 2 tablespoons salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 1 1/2 pounds of ground veal. Mix all ingredients together. Shape into a loaf, place in greased casserole. The entire meal can be baked at the same time—in the Roaster Oven. Bake for 1 1/2 hours at 400°. NEXT WEEK: Washing Colored Clothes.

10,593—Walter Fred Foreman Jr., Dickens. 10,594—Ewell Baker Buckner, McAdoo. 10,595—Billie Pat Winkler, Dickens. 10,596—Aaron Augusta Parker, Spur. 10,597—Stephen B. Barclay, Spur. 10,598—Max Vernon Alexander, Spur. 10,599—Johnny Clinton Formby, McAdoo. 10,600—Arthur Lee Bennett, Dickens. 10,601—Billy John Carlisle, Spur. 10,602—Daniel Eldon Hines, Spur. 10,603—Walter Robert Weaver Jr., Spur. 10,604—Roldan King, Spur. 10,605—Delton Ernest Roberts, Roaring Springs. 10,606—Luther Lambert Cutbirth, Spur. 10,607—Eldon Reynolds, Spur. 10,608—Bruce Lee Bateman, Afton. 10,609—Willis John Fergusno, McAdoo. 10,610—David Andrew Armstrong, Spur. 10,611—Jose Perez, Croton. 10,612—Floyd Leon Parks, Afton. 10,613—Raymond Lee Futch, Dickens. 10,614—Johnnie Richard Lee, Spur. 10,615—Willie Laton Smith, Spur. 10,616—James Curtis Himmel, Spur. 10,617—Pat Williams, Spur. 10,618—John Joe Costolow, Spur. 10,619—James William Smith, Spur. 10,620—John D. Dennison Jr.,

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H. J. R. No. 1  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an amendment to Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49a, requiring all bills passed by the Legislature on and after January 1, 1945, appropriating money for any purpose, to be sent to the Comptroller of Public Accounts for his approval, and fixing the duties of the Comptroller with reference thereto; authorizing the Legislature to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by the General Revenue Fund on September 1, 1943; providing for the submission of this amendment to the voters of this State; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for the proclamation and publication thereof; and providing for the necessary appropriation to defray necessary expenses for the submission of this amendment.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto, immediately after Section 49, a section to be known as Section 49a, to read as follows:

"Section 49a. It shall be the duty of the Comptroller of Public Accounts in advance of each Regular Session of the Legislature to prepare and submit to the Governor and to the Legislature upon its convening a statement under oath showing fully the financial condition of the State Treasury at the close of the last fiscal period and an estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements for the then current fiscal year. There shall also be contained in said statement an itemized estimate of the anticipated revenue based on the laws then in effect that will be received by and for the State from all sources showing the fund accounts to be credited during the succeeding biennium and said statement shall contain such other information as may be required by law. Supplemental statements shall be submitted at any Special Session of the Legislature and at such other times as may be necessary to show probable changes.

"From and after January 1, 1945, save in the case of emergency and imperative public necessity and with the affirmative vote of the total membership of each House, no appropriation in excess of the cash and anticipated revenue of the funds from which such appropriation is to be made shall be valid. From and after January 1, 1945, no bill containing an appropriation shall be considered as passed or be sent to the Governor for consideration until and unless the Comptroller of Public Accounts endorse his certificate thereon showing that the amount appropriated is within the amount estimated to be available in the affected funds. When the Comptroller finds an appropriation bill exceeds the estimated revenue he shall endorse such finding thereon and return to the House in which same originated. Such information shall be immediately made known to both the House of Representatives and the Senate and the necessary steps shall be taken to bring such appropriation to within the revenue, either by providing additional revenue or reducing the appropriation.

"For the purpose of financing the outstanding obligations of the General Revenue Fund of the State and placing its current accounts on a cash basis the Legislature of the State of Texas is hereby authorized to provide for the issuance, sale, and retirement of serial bonds, equal in principal to the total outstanding, valid, and approved obligations owing by said fund on September 1, 1943, provided such bonds shall not draw interest in excess of two (2) per cent annum and shall mature within twenty (20) years from date."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State of Texas, at the next general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, being November 3, 1942, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Those opposing said proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots, the words:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, requiring appropriation bills passed by the Legislature to be presented to, and certified by the Comptroller of Public Accounts as to available funds for payment thereof, limiting appropriations to the total of such available funds, providing for issuance of bonds to pay off State obligations outstanding September 1, 1943, and fixing the duties of the Legislature and Comptroller of Public Accounts with reference thereto."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution for amendments thereto.

Sec. 4. The sum of Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State of Texas, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the expenses of such publication and election.

676 WORDS

H. J. R. No. 23  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the lending of Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000), of the Permanent School Fund for the construction of a State office building or buildings; providing for repayment to the Permanent School Fund; providing for the submission of this Amendment to the voters of this State; and providing for the necessary proclamation and expense of publication.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Article 3 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 49-b, which shall read as follows:

"Section 49-b. The Legislature may provide by law for the issuance of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) in bonds or obligations of the State of Texas to the Permanent School Fund for the construction in the City of Austin of a State office building or buildings, and the State Board of Education is hereby directed to invest not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund therein. Such bonds shall be executed on behalf of the State of Texas by the Governor and Comptroller, and shall bear a rate of interest not to exceed three (3) per cent per annum, payable annually; they shall be of such denomination as may be prescribed by law, and shall be payable in not to exceed twenty-five (25) equal installments beginning one (1) year from date of issuance; and the State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to set aside into a special fund annually at the beginning of each fiscal year until all of said bonds shall have been paid off and discharged, a sufficient amount of the first moneys coming into the Treasury for the use and benefit of the General Revenue Fund not otherwise heretofore obligated to the payment of bonds and interest a sufficient amount to pay the interest becoming due and the bonds maturing during such fiscal year. From said fund, the Treasurer shall pay the interest on said bonds as it comes due, to the credit of the Available School Fund; and shall pay off said bonds as they become due and deposit the amounts so paid to the credit of the Permanent School Fund. The power hereby granted to issue bonds is expressly limited to the amount stated and to five (5) years from and after the adoption of this grant by the people."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at an election to be held on the third day of November, 1942, at which election all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"For the Amendments of the Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investment of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Fund."

Those voters opposing said Amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words:

"Against the Amendment to the

Constitution of the State of Texas authorizing the investments of not more than Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000) of the Permanent School Fund in bonds of the State of Texas to be issued for the construction of a State office building or buildings and providing for the repayment of the said sum of money to the Permanent School Funds."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Eight Thousand Dollars (\$8,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

424 WORDS

H. J. R. No. 24  
A JOINT RESOLUTION

proposing an Amendment to Article V of the Constitution of Texas by providing that the Legislature shall have the power by local or general law, in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants to create other courts having exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters; fixing the time for an election therefore; prescribing the form of ballot; providing for a proclamation of such election and the advertisement thereof; and making an appropriation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Article V of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto a new section to be known as Section 22-a and reading as follows:

"Section 22-a. The Legislature shall have the power, by local or general law (without the necessity of advertising any such local law), in counties having a population in excess of two hundred thousand (200,000) inhabitants according to the then last Federal Census, to create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitution-

al Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified voters of the State of Texas at a special election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1942, at which time all voters favoring such proposed Amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"For the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

Those voters opposed to such Amendment shall have written or printed on their ballots the following:

"Against the Amendment to the Constitution, providing that the Legislature may in certain counties create other courts having either exclusive jurisdiction or concurrent jurisdiction with the county court in civil, criminal or probate matters."

If it appears from the returns of said election that a majority of the votes cast is in favor of the Amendment, the same shall become part of the Constitution of the State of Texas.

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and to have it published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of this State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000) or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

Lubbock, Texas, July 30—The

popular winner of the Texas Amateur Athletic federation district tournament held in Lubbock last week was Spur's own Francis "Bing" Bingham. The former Texas Tech varsity end in football won two matches to take the light heavyweight title.

In the semi-final engagement Bingham knocked out Joy Ward of Floydada after one of the night's most slam-bang bouts. He also won a decision over Jesse Ramsey of Littlefield, a former Golden Gloves boxer.

Bingham is assigned to the re-

1925 BRIDGE CLUB MEETING

The 1925 Bridge Club enjoyed a luncheon at the Spur Inn Wednesday of last week. The members assembled at 10:00 o'clock in the morning and enjoyed several games of Bridge, after which the luncheon was served.

Mrs. Nellie Davis received the Club prize, and Mrs. E. D. Cook was awarded guest prize. Both of these prizes were Defense Stamps. Mrs. Cooper, of Stamford, was a guest and received a double deck of playing cards as a guest prize.

Those present were: Mesdames Fred Jennings, Hill Perry, T. E. Milam, E. D. Cook, "Speck" Lunsford, Nellie Davis, Fred Hughes R. R. Wooten, M. C. Golding, Lura Glasgow, C. M. Cooper, Della Eaton.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Goodwin and daughter, Miss Dolores, of Glenn, were in Spur Saturday doing some shopping and meeting friends.

created office program at the Lubbock Army Flying School and takes an active part in sporting events on the calendar of the twin-engine school.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH NEWS

Freedom of Speech, thought and the right to live like we think God would have us live, is the great harvest of the Church. God would have us live after Him, but will not make us, it is our choice. This is the Great principle of Democracy. The Church is the purest Democracy in existence.

The following men were elected to serve the Church for one year. Year to run from July 1, 1942 to June 30, 1943. Elders; Dr. J. F. Hughes, E. L. Adams, R. C. Brown. The following were elected to the Office of Deacon; C. B. Chandler, Cecil Fix, Horace Hyatt. Walter Jimison, W. H. Suddith, O. B. Ratliff. These are the to be the official Board of the Church for one year.

Regular Services next Sunday morning. The night services will be dismissed for the Close of the Revival Meeting at the Methodist Church. May we all attend and help all that we can.

Pearce J. Burns, Pastor.

Add Fry, of Catfish community, was in Spur Saturday looking after business matters and meeting friends.

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That's what a man wrote in a very, human letter.

- "We had our first practice blackout here recently," he added. "For twenty minutes, my family and I sat in total darkness. The seriousness of war hit us all harder than ever before."
- "Then, when the all-clear sounded and we turned the lights back on, warmth and reassurance came into the room. That made me realize that whatever I spend for electricity, it's still about the cheapest thing I buy."

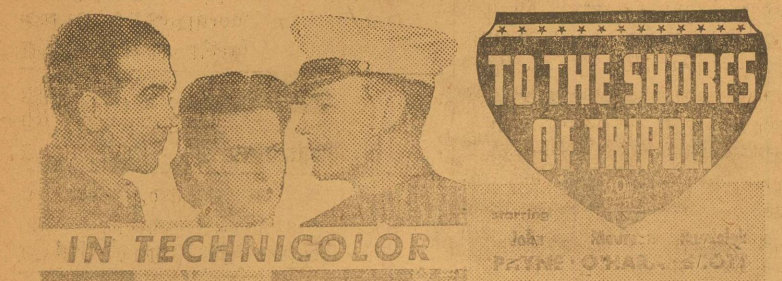
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- Here in West Texas, where blackouts have been few and far between and the war seems far away, a lot of folks take electricity for granted until something reminds them how dependable and cheap it really is. If yours is an average family, you're getting about twice or three times as much electricity for your money as ten to fifteen years ago.
- The reasons why this service is so cheap and so dependable go back to the way America works—a way we're all fighting for now. A way of life in which free men have an opportunity to create and produce and succeed in proportion to their individual contribution.
- Your Electric Servant grew up that way—steadily making more jobs, serving more homes and people and lowering rates—under efficient business management. Because it has done its part of the job well, West Texas has the electric power to attract military training camps, flying schools and war plants. West Texas today is helping produce the men and material that promises a permanent blackout for the Axis dictators!

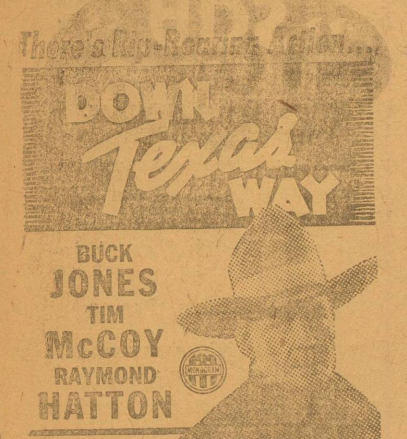
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**Sunday and Monday at the Palace**  
"I'm Randy—the red-head from the wrong side of the tracks. I do what I please, when I please and with whom I please. Some people don't like it but I do!" That's Randy from "Kings Row"

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**WANT ADS**

FOR SALE—Scholarship Draughtons Business College at Lubbock, See the Dickens County Times.  
FOR SALE -- One Ross and one Thor electric washers. See Spur Trading Post.  
FOR SALE -- 5 Room modern home in Dickens, Texas, Reasonable terms. See Fred Arrington. 7-9-2tc  
FOR SALE—Peam, Cabinet grand, excellent condition, also Tunny & repairing. See J. E. Lawrence, 2 1-2 blocks east Safeway Stores, Spur, Texas. 7-15-T.N  
FOR SALE—Piano, Cabinet grand, excellent condition, also Tuning and repairing. See J. E. Lawrence stores, Spur, Texas. 7-15-T.N

**TRANSFERRED TO NEW PLACE**  
Cecil Wolfe, who has been in the employ of the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company at Boston, Mass., has been transferred to Oklahoma City where he will be with the Company's office. Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, have just moved to their new home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Day, are spending a few days of his week in Oklahoma City. Mr. Day is electrician for the City of Spur Power Plant.

A letter was received last week, by Bob Weaver, from Johnny Peacock, who is now in the U. S. Navy, stationed at San Diego, California. Johnny states he likes the army fine. Following is a portion of Johnny's letter; "We had a parade today, in front of about eight gold-braids... and we happened to be the best Company in Camp Faragut. We get to parade in front of the Captain of the whole training station, and

W. P. NUGENT—  
life in Texas. He was married to Miss Susan L. Oxford at Stephenville June 29, 1891.  
Mr. Nugent was a contractor and builder by trade and when a young man moved his family to Midland where he contracted and built a number of the business houses in that city. Later he moved to Lubbock where he continued to operate as a contractor and builder. Many houses in Lubbock stand as a monument to his life.  
He came to Spur about 15 years ago and supervised the building of a number of business houses here. He built up a large circle of friends in Spur and enjoyed meeting with them and spending an afternoon in some type of amusement.  
Mr. Nugent had been a member of the Methodist Church for many years.

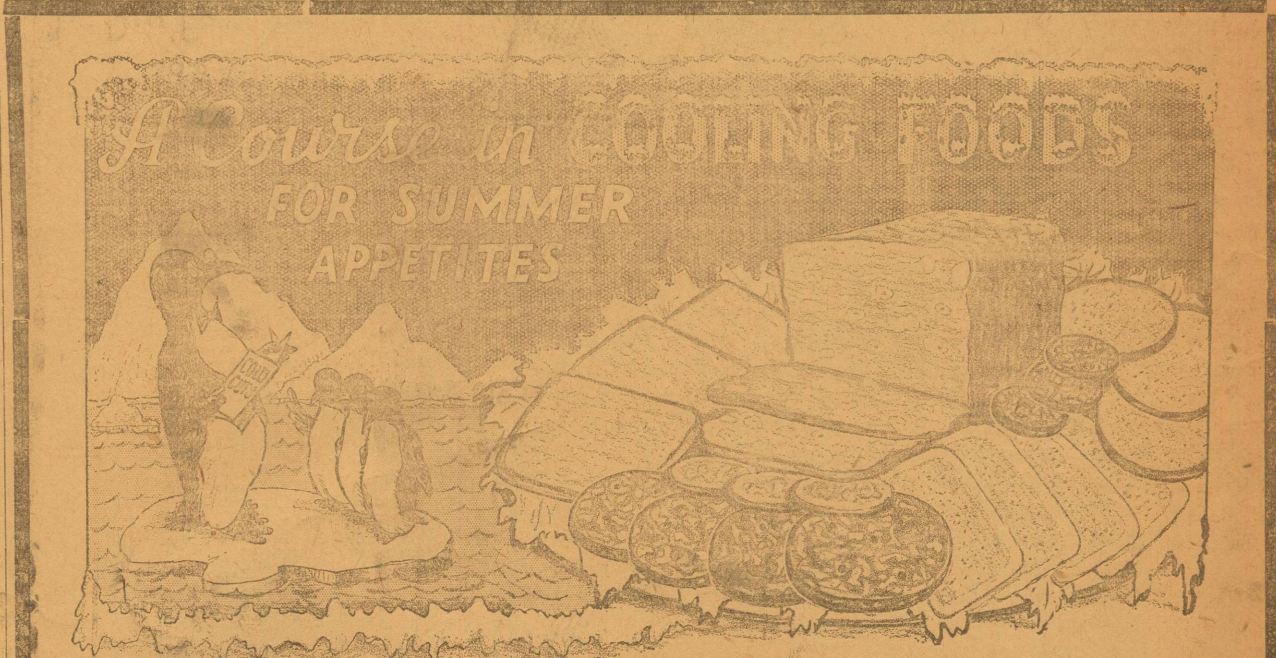
**REVIVAL AT ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH NOW ON**  
A revival meeting at the Assembly of God Church on North Cowan Avenue at Third Street was started Tuesday evening. Services will be held each morning at 10:30 o'clock and each evening at 9:00 o'clock.  
Rev. Dillard Bates, of Plainview, will do the preaching for this meeting. He has been in the ministry for sometime and is a very able and spiritual preacher. The song services will probably be in charge of Rev. C. H. Browning, the pastor.  
People are extended an invitation by the church to attend these services. Rev. Browning stated that he hoped people would come and would receive good from the services.

**Attend Texas HD Convention**  
Representing the one hundred-thirty Home Demonstration Club members of Dickens County at the State Convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Association to be held in Fort Worth August 18-20, will be County Home Demonstration Chairman Mrs. S. L. Benefield, of the Espuela Home Demonstration Club; and Mrs. Paul Loe, President of the Soldier Mound Club and Vice-Chairman of the County Council. Alternates elected at the Election Committee meeting Saturday were Mrs. Lloyd Johnson, Tri-Community Club; and Mrs. Curtis Goodwin, Afton Club.  
This annual state convention will be attended by representatives of the 40,000 women in Texas who are members of Home Demonstration Clubs, and who are concerned chiefly at this time with production and preservation of food for a nation at war, reports Fae Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent.  
Reports from this meeting will be given at a county-wide meeting for all club members on August 22 at Dickens.

**O'Daniel** **Allred**

Two political Titans who are getting set for the gun from the Texas Election Bureau to enter the runoff campaign for United States Senator from Texas. If Senator O'Daniel fails on a majority, he will be opposed in the Second Primary August 22 by Judge Allred.

Times Want Ads Pay.  
**TO THE PEOPLE OF DICKENS COUNTY**  
I wish to thank those who supported me, and to solicit the goodwill and friendship of those who did not.  
Yours truly  
**BOB HAHN**



- SAFEGWAY GUARANTEED MEATS...**  
Unless you are completely satisfied —your money back!
- Seven Steak or Roast Quality Beef Lb. 27¢
  - Beef Roast Boneless Rolled Lb. 27¢
  - Short Ribs Quality Beef Thrifty Cuts Lb. 19¢
  - Loin Steak Choice Beef First Cuts Lb. 37¢
  - Loin Steak Beef Pin Bone Cuts Lb. 33¢
- Assorted Baked Loaves** 29¢  
Fickle, Tomato, Olive, Cheese and Macaroni Lb.
- Franks** 25¢  
Medium Size Skinless Lb.
- Salami** 29¢  
or Cervelat Sausage Lb.
- Cheese** 27¢  
Cloverbloom Longhorn Lb.
- Cheese** 29¢  
Kraft's Mello-Cure Longhorn Lb.
- Every Day Low Grocery Values**
- Pears Petite Bartlett Halves No. 2 1/2 23¢
  - Grapefruit Glenn Aire No. 2 Can 14¢
  - Corn Country Home Country Genl. No. 2 Can 25¢
  - Spinach Standard Quality No. 2 1/2 15¢
  - Pink Salmon 1-Lb. Can 20¢
  - Apple Butter Cardinal 28-Oz. Jar 14¢
  - Peanut Butter Fran-Hier 16-Oz. Jar 19¢
  - Mayonnaise Nu-Made 8-Oz. Jar 15¢
  - Dressing Duchess Salad Qt. Jar 38¢
  - Vinegar Distilled in Bulk Gal. 19¢
  - Coffee Airway Fresh Roasted 1-Lb. Pkg. 21¢
  - Coffee Edwards Reg. or Drip 1-Lb. Can 28¢
  - Tea Canterbury Orange Pekoe 1/2-Lb. Pkg. 18¢
  - Cocoa Hershey's 1/2-Lb. Can 10¢
  - Syrup Crane's White No. 5 Glass 37¢
  - Shreddies N. B. C. 2 Reg. Pkgs. 25¢
  - Post Toasties 6-Oz. Pkg. 6¢
  - Sugar Imperial Cane 10 1-Lb. Bag 63¢
  - Cheese Kraft American or Velveeta 2-Lb. Box 59¢
  - Margarine Sunny Bank 1-Lb. Pkg. 17¢

- Other Values**
- Prunes Sunsweet Evaporated 1-Lb. Crtn. 17¢
  - Navy Beans Small White 3-Lb. Cans 27¢
  - Lima Beans Baby Cello 3-Lb. Bag 29¢
  - Hi-Ho Crackers 1-Lb. Pkg. 19¢
  - Bread Julia Lee Wright Dated Enriched 24-Oz. Loaf 10¢
  - Dog Food Ideal Dehydr. 8-Oz. Pkg. 9¢
  - P&G Soap 4 Lge. Bars 19¢
  - Lux Soap 3 Reg. Bars 19¢
  - Tissue Silk Toilet 3 Reg. Rolls 13¢
- Fresh Fruits and Vegetables**
- PEACHES 7¢  
Fancy Texas Hale Lb.
  - Oranges California Sunlist Lb. 9¢
  - Grapes Thompson's Seedless Lb. 19¢
  - Plums California Duarte Lb. 15¢
  - Green Beans Fresh Tender Lb. 10¢
  - English Peas 2 Lbs. 17¢
  - Bell Peppers 2 Lbs. 15¢
  - Cabbage Green Firm Heads Lb. 4¢
  - Potatoes Washed Burbanks 5 Lbs. 29¢
  - Potatoes Arizona Cobbler 5 Lbs. 23¢

**BUY WAR STAMPS** **SAFEWAY** **BUY WAR BONDS**

**SHOP THE SAFEGWAY... A PROBLEM IS EASILY SOLVED**

MOTHER IS ARRIVING FOR A FEW DAYS VISIT.  
IF SHE'D WIRED SATURDAY WE COULD HAVE BOUGHT A LOT OF GROCERIES ON SPECIAL.  
DARLING, AT THE SAFEGWAY, PRICES ARE THE SAME EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK.  
LET'S SEE FOR OURSELVES.  
BETTER THAN SATURDAY SHOPPING. LOW PRICES, PERFECT SERVICE.  
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