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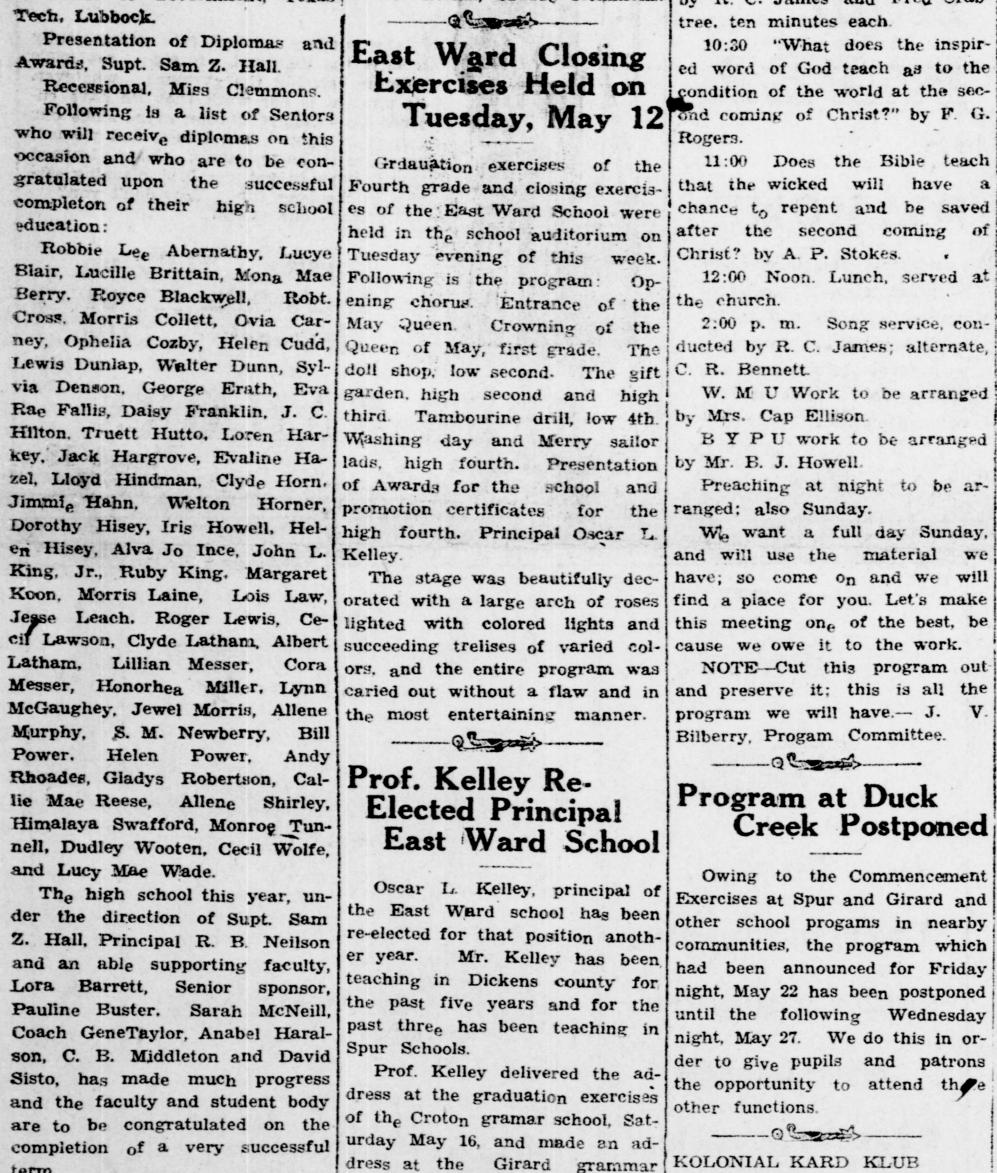
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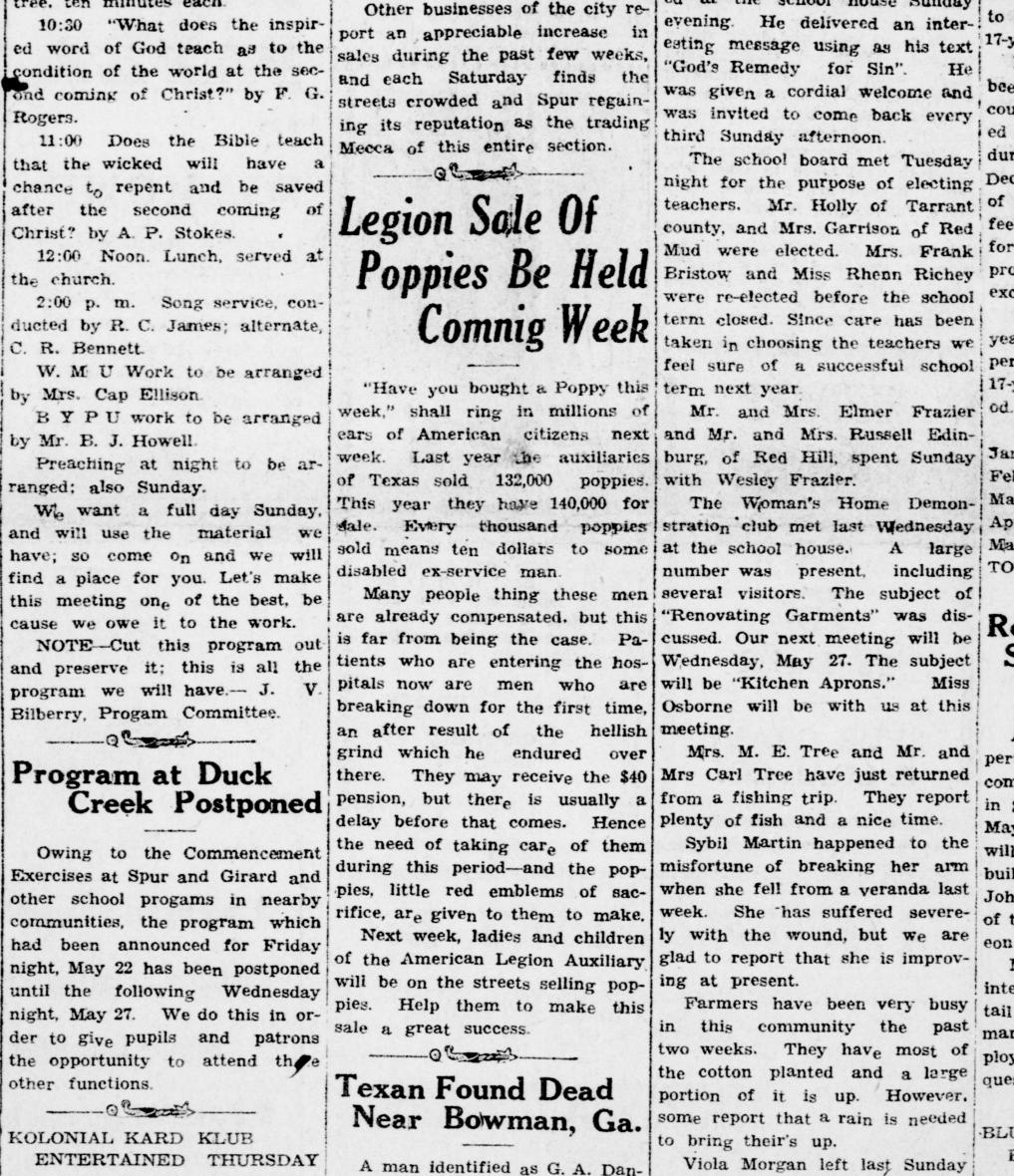
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SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS, FRIDAY, MAY 22, 1931.

FIFTY-SEVEN WILL GRAL TO-NIGHT AT PALACE 1	DUATE THEATRE 5th Sunday Meetin Dickens Co. Bapt Association be He Duck Creek Chur	eld In This Section	Methodist Revival Begins Sunday	And Night Watch	ounepuigne mill
Senior classes in the history of the school. The exercises will be held at the Palace Theatre at 8:15 with the following program: Processional, Maude Clem- mons. Invocation, Rev. Wright Ran- dolph. Greetings from the class pres- ident. Morris Collett. Salutatory, Lucye Blair. Class song, Evaline Hazel. Quartet, Alva Jo Ince, Iris Howell, Gladys Robertson, Mona Mae Berry; accompanist, Lynn McGaughey.	gram Heid esday, 20th.International Statusty Executing of Dickens County Baptist Asso tion which is to be held with Duck Creek Church, May 28 30th. and 31st:ion exercises of gh School were y evening at the chool auditorium ing program. Maude Clem- Wayne Vaughn. class.Dickens County Baptist Asso tion which is to be held with Duck Creek Church, May 28 30th. and 31st: Eventing at the Devotional, C. R. Bennett. S:30 p. m. Sermon, by H. Harri: SATURDAY 9:00 a. m. Devotional, L. Bilberry. 9:30. Some of the needs an Associational Missionary this Association, W. B. Benn and Wayne Grizzle, ten minutes each. 9:50 "Why Not Have a B sionary?" by J. C. Scott and V tor Crabtree, ten minutes each	the the the than for many months previous, and continue to improve. Wheth- er this fluctuation is due to the recent loans extended by the Farm Board and War Depart- ment or is the beginning of a recovery from the recent depres- sion is not known, but whatever the reason, we are all glad to see it. S. Love Dry Goods compnay is this week opening a big "Chal- lenge' sale, making the price of high grade merchandise challenge the low prices paid for labor and received for cotton. We call at- tention to their ad on another page of this issue. Stone Department Store is in the middl, of a big stock reduc-	A revival meeting will begin at the Methodist church here Sunday, May 24, and will last two weeks. Services will be conduct- ed by Rev. J. A. Old, pastor of the Methodist church at Terrell, Texas, and the song services will be lead by Faust Collier, of this city. Services will be conducted at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. each day of the meeting, excepting Sundays. The public is cordially invited to attend and the other churches of the city are urged to cooperate in this meeting.	Mr. Smith was appointed city marshall and will hold this office in connection with his duties as constable of this precinct. Mr. McGaughey has been made night- watchman of the city. Some Section Of County in Need of Rain For Wheat Wheat crops over the county are generally in need of rain, some farmers having cut and	State Health Representatives who are to aid in conducting a health campaign week in Dick- ens county beginning Monday, May 25, are in the city this week and a meeting was held this morning at the Palace theatre to explain the purposes of and form plans for the campaign. The State Health Department is assisting in the promotion of similar campaigns over the entire drouth stricken area and next week is the time alloted to Dick- ens county. The depatment is working in cooperation with the county health officials and the city officials, who have designat-
Address, Dr. W. A. Jackson, Principal H. L.	of Diplomas. by Barber. Maude Clemmons. by R. C. James and Fred Cr tree, ten minutes each.	tion sale and as will be noted by rk?" their ad in this issue, is offering	Rev. Fisher, pastor of the	baled the crop preparatory to planting other crops, and others are planning to d _o so if dry wea- ther continues. The rainfall up	Every citizen in the entire



school closing exercises yesterday



the school house Sunday to May 20 is 1.60 inches below the evening. He delivered an inter-17-year average. esting message using as his text

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Previous rains, however, have He been slow and effective, and this was given a cordial welcome and coupled with the moisture securwas invited to come back every ed from the general rains falling during October, November and The school board met Tuesday December, 1930, gives carry-over night for the purpose of electing of moisture in the upper three teachers. Mr. Holly of Tarrant feet of soil that is above normal county, and Mrs. Garrison of Red Mud were elected. Mrs. Frank for this period of the year and prospects for big fall crops are Bristow and Miss Rhenn Richey

excellent Following is a table of this year's rainfall taken at Spur Experiment Station, together with a 17-year average of the same peri-

1931 17-yr. av. January 1.62 February March _ .33

May (to 20th) 4.96 TOTAL

The Dry Lake Schools closed successful term Friday, May 15. Miss Ruby, Mae Smith spent Saturday night with Miss Lois Smith.

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beneficial work.

Mrs. W. I. Smith and family and Durwood Stacy, Mr and Mrs. Jeff Smith and family, Atha Jay, Vivian and Joe Kidd, Misses Pauline Turner and Lonia Slaton attended the play at Midway on Saturday night.

operate in this important and

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Mrs. Ivey McMahan is reported ill at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nichols .51 and family of Roaring Springs, visited Mr and Mrs. R. F. Rogers and family this weekend.

Mr. A. J. Kidd and son, A. J. Jr., of Jayton, and Mr. Elmer James of Girard, visited Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kidd and family Sun day.

Mr and Mrs Homer Barnes, Morris and Thomas; Mr and Mrs. Ola Mille, Bettye Jo; Mr. and Mrs

Alphonso Johnson, retail ex- Elza Armstrong, Glyneth Armene, pert of the Dallas chamber of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kidd and famcommerce, will deliver addresses ily, went fishing Wednesday, all

The club women are preparing will be at the Lyric Theatre a play which they hape to put

> A large crowd attended the ball game Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim H. Smith and family were in Spur Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith were visitors in Spur Saturday.

Several are busy mowing and raking wheat and other grains this week.

Dickens County B. Y. P. U. Will

A man identified as G. A. Dan-

2.32 6.56

Retail Expert Will Speak Here Next

Week on Retailing

in Spur Wednesday and Thursday reporting a nice time. May 27 and 28. The addresses

building both nights at 8:30. Mr. on soon. Johnson will also talk to members of the Rotary Club at their lunch-

eon Thursday noon. Mr. Johnson is a noted and interesting lecturer in the re-

Farmers have been very busy tail field and will address his rein this community the past marks both to merchants and emtwo weeks. They have most of ployees, who are urgently rethe cotton planted and a large quested to attend.

BLUE BONNET CLUB ENTERTAINED THURSDAY

Viola Morgan left last Sunday

.31

1.05

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Dr. S. P. Brooks	East Ward, Prof. Kelley has made		iei, of Texas, who had been visit-		MILON MY DA UGHIDDELL WAS PIN-	Meet With Cros-
DI. J. I. DIOURS			ing relatives at Dowman, Ga., Was	where she will spend a few weeks	cious noscess to the Dide Donnett	
Died Past Week	an enviable record and under his guidance the school has made	Kard Klub at her home in the	adding actual on a rood near that	Willie Smith, Bryant Bristow,	club on Thursday afternoon at	byton Association
D C D Dricht antal adura		east part of the city, Thursday	Prace meanodary, may 10. A	Mrs. Robt. Morgan and their fam-	ner nome in the north part of	
Dr. S. P. Brooks, noted educa-		evening of this week.	vertice of suicide was	ilies visited Mr. and Mrs. Conley	che orty.	The Dickens Co. Associational
tor of Texas and president of Baylor University at Waco, died	- 14	After several games of bridge		Smth Saturday evening. While	A very pleasant nour was	BYPU will meet with the Cal-
	1	lovely refreshments were served	round for buon action	there they were treated to ice		
at a hospital there Thursday, the	I ournament Held	to Mrs. Elzy Watson, Mrs. Pat	min. Duniel is reported to nave	cream and cake. All report a		the second Sunday in June the
past week from concer. Dr.		Watson, Mrs. Fred Haile, Mrs.	relatives hving in this vicinity.	nice timeReporter.	plans arranged for a picnic for	
Brooks carried on until the very		S. B. Scott, Jr., Mrs. Joe Stotts.		Q &	members of the club and their	
last, insisting upon signing as many of the Univesity Diplomas	Lubbock, May 22 More than	Mrs. Wylie Stafford, Misses Nell	MRS. HILL PERRY GIVES		husbands. The picnnic will be	
as possible before death overtook	750 West Texas golfers are enroll-	Albin, Sybil McDaniels, Alice Bra-	JOINT ENTERTAINMENT	Revival Meeting at		speakers and some good music.
him, even though doctors advised	ed to participate in the seventh	shear, Ruth Lahn, Pauline Brown		Church of Christ		Come and be with us, we need
	i annual cournament of the west	and Zell Ellis.	Mrs. Hill Perry was hostess on	D	licious refreshments of sherbet	
against it.	Texas Golf Association that is to	High score prize was awarded	Wednesday afternoon to a joint		and cake were served Mesdames	Visitors from other associa-
and have and most loved	the played over the Lubbock Coun-	MISS Well Albin.	bilde of the 1020 Diluge		G. L. Barber, E. L. Caraway, J	
men as well as one of its greatest	try Club Course, May 21, 22, 23	0	club, a benefit party for the Del-		M Foster, E S Lee, Joe Kellam,	BOYD J. HOWELL, Pres.
	and 24th.	MRS. ROB DAVIS WAS	phian Library and to a number		Sam Z. Hall, M. E. Manning, P.	VIRGINIA WORSWICK, Secretary.
educators.	The golfers will be after the	HOSTESS THURSDAY	of invited guests.		C Nichols and Miss Donna Ed-	
Q C	West Texas crown, won by Den-		The following guests enjoyed			
Texas Retail Mer-	nis Lavender of Dallas, and for-	Mrs. Rob Davis was a delight-	a number of games of bridge:	Wright Randolph, recently called		Cemetery Working
	merly of Abilene, who won the	ful hostess to her club on Thurs-	Mesdames Clayton Carter, Nel-	to fill the pulpit here, will be in	GIRL'S TENNIS CLUB	Be Held Dickens
Chants to meet 25 27	tournament last year at Brown-	day afternoon of this week at	lie Davis, R. E. Dickson, A. W.	charge of the services and 1. C.	ENTERTAINED TUESDAY	On Memorial Day
_ Lubbock, 25, 26, 27	wood. Finals in all flights will		Hardin, F W Jennings, E F Lav-	Cooner will conduct the song ser-		
	the hold Cundow and the minner	city.	Riley Wooten,, W. D. Wilson, P.	vices.	The Girl's Tennis Club was de-	An all day cemetery working
Lubbock, May 22-Several hun-	of the final 36 hole match will be	Mrs. Cecil Fox was lavored	A watson, T J Sanders, Parr,	the opening Sunday: Sabbath	lightfully entertained by Miss Sy- bil Hazel at her home Tuesday	will be held at Dickens Saturday
dred merchants of Texas are to	crowned champion of West Tex-	with high score and Mis. Dan	Roy Harkey, M. H. Brannen, H.			May 30, which is Memorial day.
be in Lubbock May 20, 20 and 21,	las omateurs	H. Laciny, Iow.	U. LIVELUS, A C HUIL MAC WILSON	benedi and a permon in the	evening.	In the morning the cemetery will
next Monday, Tuesday and Wed-		After a number of games, de	Gene Taylor, Margaret Newman,	mg, song services in the even-		
nesday for the annual convention of the Retail Merchants Associa-	Safe-Way Store	licious refreshinents were served	Lawrence Green, E. L. Caraway,	ing	delicious refreshments were serv-	In the afternoon a program
		to the following guests, messeulter	Willie Mae Burns, Cecil Fox, Roy Stovall, Jim Sample, Edwin Rip-			
tion of Texas.		Zachry, Fox, Jim Sumple, Cone	ley Bulloch Tilloteon The	to attend. Further announce-	A business meeting was held	soldiers will be decorated by the
An unusually large number of	La I Canna district managar	Chapman, M H. Brannen, Mac	hem and Miss Julia High	ments will be made concerning	「「「「「「「「「」」」」、「「」」」、「「」」、「」、「」」、「」、「」、「」	American Legion.
West Texas merchants are expect-	M. L. Gamis, district manager,	Wilson P. C. Forbis Nellie Davis.	Mrs W D Wilson man.	the program of the meeting and	In full swing was discussed.	Everyone is urgently requested
ed here due to the fact that it is	and other officials of the Safe-	Wilson, R. C. Formis, Itemic Later,	ad high clus prize Mas award-	the subjects the pastor has chos-	sides and the winning side in the	to come out and take part in the
the first time in the history of the	Way organization together with	and Miss Virginia Porsis	high guest prize and Mrs. Green	en for discussion.	sides and the winning side in the	work and to be present at the
association to be held this far	representatives of Brown cracker company and Gold Bond flour	Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Whittle	consolation.		tournament is to be entertained by the losers. The girls are tak-	
west in the state and it is the	company, will attend the official	were here the past week visiting	At the conclusion of the games		ing a big interest in the club and	
first time in four years that the	opening of the new store here	her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R.	a delicious salad course was		we hope that many more tennis	
	this weekend.	Bowman	served by the hostess.	week.		the Dickens highway.
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THE TEXAS SPUR	For Sale-One 50-Barrel Cis- tern; and one 10-Barrel Wagon	W. J Garrett, of Wilson Draw	Local None Itoms	Bobbie Graves was shopping in Spur Saturday of the past week.	PRAIRIE CHAPEL CLUB	Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Collien Afton, were visitors and shop
PUBLISHED EVERY FRIDAY	Tank. See J. H. Clay, Spur, 2t	Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Gorham	Local meas ments	Mr. and Mrs. Perry Prior re-	The Prairie Chapel Club ladies	
Entered as second class matter In November 12th, 1909, at the postoffice at Spur, Texas, under	For Sale or Trade-One Broad- cast Binder. If interested write Jim Cross, Kalgary, Texas. 1p	are in the city this week, the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Love. J. O. Harkey of near Dickens	Wylie Morgan was in the city Saturday of the past week from his home west of Spur.	turned to Spur this week after an absence of several months spent at Marshall, Henderson, and other Fast Texas points	met at Mrs. Eva Braddock's Mon- day, May 18 at 2:00 p. m. There were twenty-one aprons demonstrated Each one ex-	week. Judge Newberry was over f the capital Thursday of this w and while here was a very pl
Subscription Price, \$1.50 Per Yr. ORAN McCLURE, Publisher.	I was cured from dreadful mala-	was here Wednesday of this week. W. J. Elliot was in Spur Wed- nesday from his Spring Creek	from Snyder.	J. I. Greer was in Spur Satur- day from his home a few miles	changed patterns and everyone enjoyed themselves. There were twelve old mem-	fice. Ted Brannen, of Oklah
PROFESSIONAL	dy. Nothing to sell. Write Flo Volpert, Dept. 4-38, Box 117, Little Rock Ark	farm and ranch. Mrs. R. J. Morrow. of Jayton, was operated at Nichols Sanitari-	of this week.	Brink Carlisle, of Duck Creek	bers, three new members and ten	Wallace Bingham and W
W. D. WILSON		um Sunday. Mr. Simmons, of Dourghty. was in Spur Friday.	shoppers here Saturday. Chas. Kimmel was in the city	day of the past week. T. E. Rape was in Spur Sat- urday from his home near Twin Wells	The club adjourned to meet at Mrs. Braddock's again, on Monday, June 1st. The subject for discussion will be "Table Ser-	returned Sunday to Oklaho where they are working and tending school.
	critically ill at his home here the	Mr. and Mrs. Jim McDaniel had the misfortune of having a child born to them Tuesday of this week which died at birth.	Vernon Powell was here Satur- day from his home in the High-	Bill McArthur was in Saturday from his farm and ranch home southwest of Spur.	vice and Dutics of a Hostess."-	Miss Bobby Graves spont week end in Spur while return to her home in Guthrie.
H. A. C. Brummett	Newt Harkey was here Wed- nesday from his home in Breck- enridge.	Their many friends extend them sympathy in this misfortune and sorrow. Mrs. Addie Edwards lett Wed- nesday for Ft. Worth where she	urday, trading with the mer- chants and meeting with friends and acquaintances.	Saturday from his home in the Foreman Chapel community. Geo. Harris, of McAdoo, was a business visitor in Spur Satur-	Angelo is here this week visiting her parents Mr and Mrs. Frank Smith. B. F. will be here this weekend and will assist in the opening of the new Safe-Way	Pure Mebane State Tested!
General Practice of Medicine,	Pinkerton and Louise Rogers vis- letd in Roaring Springs Thurs- lay.	has a position and will make her home in the future. Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cope and daughter, of Lorane, and Mrs. J.	past weekend from Tech on a vis- it to his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Ellis, of Swenson were guests of Mrs. Al	Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wallace, of McAdoo were visitors and shop- pers in Spur Saturday of the past week.	store Miss Bernice Tidwell and Mr. Ralph Tidwell passed through	at 85c PER BU.
PHYSICIAN & SURGEON Office, Nichols Sanitarium	here the past weekend from their home in Abilene, visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Elkins nad Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan and families. Mrs. Homer Dobbins is visiting	Dawson and son, Jack. of Ros- coe, visited Mr. and Mrs. Luther Garner here last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Shugart	Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ellis, of Rotan, were business visitors in Spur the past week.	bock, was here Sunday, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Abernathy and other relatives and friends.	on the way to Ralls. Bernice who has been teaching school in	Spot Caash Gro
Dr. 1. Pl. Blackwell Specializing on Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat and Office Practice	friends here this week from her nome in Littlefield. W. S. Perry left Sunday for Temple to attend the K. of P.	Mr. Parker, of McAdoo, was a business visitor in Spur Friday	Harkey, Eric Ousley, P. H. Mil- ler, H. O. Albin, W. B. Lee, Geo S Link, and S R Bowman, were among the many from here to at-	Saturday from his farm home east of town a few miles. Miss Ella Garner, of Lubbock, spent the weekend in Spur.		A Superior
DR. M. H. BRANNEN	here Monday, Tuesday and Wed- nesday of this week.	Two Meals Day Best	tend the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Convention at Lubbock the past week. Mrs. Al Van Dyke, of Mans-		CLE CLE	ANING SERVIC



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PICNIC THURSDAY Thursday evening at 7 o'clock the Alumni Association of Dick- ens High School honored the Sen- iors with a picnic at Dickens Springs. Miss Virginia Worswick gave the welcoming address. Super- intendent Dowell gave a very in- teresting talk on the benefits and pleasures of an alumni associa- tion, especially after a hard year's work under the supervision of a "hard-boiled prof." Miss Valera Newberry, presi- dent of the Senior Class gave the response to the welcome address. Following the program the crowd enjoyed the delicious fried chicken, sandwiches pickles, olives lettuce. onions, lemonade, fruit, cake and ice cream. Mr. Dow- ell suggested every senior must eat an onion to become a genu-	The Steel Hill Home Demon- stration Club met Tuesday, May Several of the members are planning to join the Clothing Contest. Plans were make for the pres- entation of a play to raise money for the club. The subject of the lesson was, "The value of buying good ma- terials; standard materials versus faddy materials; and the value of buying practically tailored clothes. A talk was given on Texas' Dependents. Delinquents and De- fectives, and a demonstration on Renovating Garments, by the agent, Miss Osborne. We will meet again, May 28 in the club room.—Reporter. Miss Bernice Thompson of Stamford, spent the weekend here the guest of Miss Rachael Lang-	of Midway, met May 15 at the Baptist church. There were 3 visitors and 8 members present. A demonstation was given on Good and Ead Types of Kitchen Aprons. We will meet June 5th at the Baptist church. The demonstra- tion will be on simple party re- freshments.—Reporter. Clay Smart. of Jayton was in Spur this week.	MISSIONARY SOCIETY The Woman's' Missionary So- ciety and Bell Bennett Society were entertained with a social in the basement of the Methodist Church, Monday at 3 p. m. Rev. W. B Vaughan made a very interesting talk on the book of Revelations. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served by the follow- ing hostesses: Mesdames Laine	Spur office. Misses Mildred Williams and Nell Albin were visitors at the convention in Lubbock Thursday of the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bing- ham, of Oklahoma City. are here this week visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. Al Bingham.	 week from Onlandmin only first visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Foreman. Mrs. Mattie Sizemore of Croton, and her mother Mrs. David son were shoppers and visitors in Spur Saturday. J. Z. Smith was here Saturday. from his farm home southwest of Spur. Mrs. H. V. Link and son, Bill hie, of Aspermont, are here this week visiting her parents, Mr
class were Misses Valera Newber- ry. Louise Durham, Hazel Willi- ams, Wilburn Deaton, Woodrow Cobb. Grady Peters, Leo Speer. Charlie Street and Haskell Tay- lor. We regret very much some of the seniors could not come. Guests present were Supt. Dow- ell, Miss Agnes Winkler and John Gay. The Alumni members, Mrs. John Gay, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Blair, Anna Lusk. Virginia Wors- wick, Nettie Littlefield, Zada	FREE TICKETS! Palace Theatre, Saturday Matinee		MAY SALE CLOSES SAT and to finish closing out the	call to your attention that our URDAY NIGHT, MAY 23RD, stock of C. E. Stone Company it will move same. BE HERE	Last

