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Building Rural Homes

J. C. Keller, of several miles east of Spur, was in the city and bought of the Townsite Company a twenty acre block west of town and on which he immediately began the construction of a residence and making other improvements incident to a comfortable and convenient home. Mr. Keller is one of the most prosperous citizens of the country and we are glad to welcome him and Mrs. Keller as citizens to our town and wish them a pleasant home here.

Biggest Crop Year

E. Luce and wife, of Tap, were in Spur Tuesday trading with the merchants of the city. Mr. Luce says this winter has been one of the mildest since 1890. That year he said snow fell in February, while this year we had a seven inch rainfall. The following year he said was one of the best crop years and the prospects now are that this year will be one of the biggest crop years in the history of the county.

The Spur School Board met Wednesday to consider plans and other details with respect to the proposed construction of a eighteen thousand dollar school building.

Moving To Spur

Walter L. Powell of Grandbury, has arrived in Spur and will begin the construction of a new home on a quarter section of land, recently bought, seven miles west of Spur. Mr. Powell will clear up about sixty acres for cultivation this year, beside building a residence and making other improvements. We extend a welcome to Mr. Powell and family and wish them much success in this country.

BLAIR

Oretha Jene Blair, four year old daughter, of Albert Blair died at a Lubbock hospital Tuesday morning, March 27th at 2:10 o'clock following an illness of measles and complications of three weeks duration.

Oretha Jene had been at Lubbock for treatment one week when death occurred.

Burial was made in the cemetery at McAadoo, beside the remains of her mother, who preceded her death several weeks ago.

The Texas Spur extends sympathy to the father, Albert Blair and other near relative.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bennett, of Elton, passed through Spur Saturday returning home from Stamford where they had gone to attend the funeral of Mr. Bennett's father which occurred at that place last week. They were accompanied by Mr. Bennett's mother, who will make her home with them in the future. We extend sympathy to them in this sorrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Campbell and children of Munday, drove over to Spur Sunday morning to spend the day with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Campbell and family. The entire party went over to Crow Springs, Dickens, where they enjoyed a sumptuous luncheon served picnic style and a day outing. They report a very delightful day and recommend Crow Springs as an ideal place for such an occasion.

In this latter case the farmer might plant rented acres to permanent pasture or to soil erosion prevention crops, or to cover crops to turn under for soil enrichment, or to trees.

M. E. Tree, of Highway, was here Monday greeting friends and trading with the merchants.

Miss Ona Shockley Announces For Co. Treasurer

In this issue of the Texas Spur appears the announcement of Miss Ona Lee Shockley for the office of County Treasurer subject to the action of the July Primary.

Miss Shockley has been reared in Dickens County, is a graduate of Spur High School and has had several years' business experience after completing a business course.

Miss Shockley is an excellent young business woman and is the head of a family, having a widowed mother and invalid sister to support. She is worthy of your confidence and deserving of any consideration that you might give her.

We ask that you give her candidacy your most careful consideration before casting your ballot at the July Primary.

TO THE VOTERS OF DICKENS COUNTY

After giving due consideration to the solicitations of my friends to become a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, I have decided to place my name before the people as a candidate for that office.

I have been reared in Dickens County. Graduating from the Spur High School in the class of '26, completing the courses offered by Lippert's Business College at Plainview, and being employed in stenographic and clerical work continuously for the past 7 years, I feel that I am prepared to render competent and efficient service to the people of Dickens County. I am at the present employed in the County Agent's office, which is only temporary employment, and it is necessary that I have permanent employment as I am the sole support of my family.

I deeply appreciate the words of encouragement which I have received, and earnestly solicit your vote and influence in my behalf.

ONA LEE SHOCKLEY.

Boyd M. Williams Post

There will be a special church meeting at the First Christian Church in Spur, Friday evening, April 6th.

You are cordially invited to assemble at the Legion Hall, Campbell Building at Spur about 7:30 P. M. We will go from the hall in a body to the church. We would like very much to have all the Ex-service men in this country present at this service. Come on time and bring any ex-service men you know with you.—R. B. NEILSON, Commander

MISS CUREY MOVES TO SPUR

Miss Kathryn Curby, who has taught music here for two years left Monday for Spur, where she has accepted a position in the school there. Miss Curby has done excellent work in the schools here, and we hate to lose her.—Ralls Banner.

J. E. Richbourg and family spent the week end in Spur with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rector. Mr. Richbourg was recently married and he brought his bride over to get acquainted and visit Mr. and Mrs. Rector and children. The Texas Spur extends congratulations and best wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Richbourg.

Mrs. Barton of Afton, spent Sunday in Spur as a guest of friends.

Elzie Watson and Arthur Stearns of Meadow, Texas, left Saturday for California, taking a short visit and vacation. Joe Watson will be with Hogan & Patton, during Elzie's absence.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Anz and little daughters, Joye and Jean, were here from their home in Snyder, spending the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Maples and family.

Mrs. T. S. Lambert, of Wichita, was visiting her daughter, Mrs. Don Perrin in Spur Monday.

Friendship Baptist Church Will Have May Home-coming

The Friendship Baptist Church will have their Home Coming day the First Sunday in May.

The church invites all its former pastors to be present and preach, also all persons that have been a member of the Friendship Church, to be present. A special invitation is extended to every one to come and spend the day. Will have dinner at the church.

By order of the Church in Conference.—Rev. H. T. Harris, Pastor.

Collegiate Home For Eastertide

Schools and Colleges over the country observed the Easter season and students from Spur here spending the holidays with home-folks were. Dot Lisenby, Spencer Campbell, Kit Carson, Julia Mae Albin, Patti King, Royce Blackwell, Syble Hazel, Morris Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Holy, Ruby Raay Williamson, Stafford Forbis, Nadine Westerman, Cecil Wolf, Ray Karr, Pauline Foreman all of Tech. Lynn Mayfield, McMurry, Abilene.

Anna Mae Hale, 27, Passes Away In Spur Thursday

Anna Mae Hale, only child of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hale died at the family home in Spur Thursday morning at 8 o'clock.

Anna Mae was born October 7th, 1907, at Afton, Texas, where the family lived until 1919 when they moved to Spur.

She was a graduate of Spur High School, attended Randolph College at Cisco and A. C. C. in Abilene and was accomplished in music as well as literary attainments.

Anna Mae was an excellent Christian character, she joined the First Christian Church of Spur at the age of twelve years and was a leader in the young peoples work until a few months ago when her health gave way and she was forced to give up all activities.

Funeral services were held at the First Christian Church at 10 o'clock, Friday, Rev. R. C. Brown pastor conducted the services.

Burial was made in the cemetery at Afton.

Pall bearers were Cash Wileman, Joe Shelby Clay, Walter Jiminson, Dick Speer, Fontis McGlathery, and Dennis Eubanks of Truscott.

Flower girls: Ermal Lisenby, Nellie Clay, Mrs. Pat Patterson, Mrs. L. R. Burrow, Mrs. Coy McMahan and Miss Inez Eubanks of Truscott.

The Texas Spur joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Hale in extending sympathy.

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Rickels Market

Death Claims Editor Of Star At Aspermont

Mrs. John C. Guest, Aspermont newspaper woman, died last Wednesday night at a local sanitarium, where she had been under treatment for pneumonia since last Saturday. She had been ill since Tuesday, March 20.

Mrs. Guest was Margaret Ellen Hudspeth, who moved with her father, Neal Hudspeth to Stonewall county in 1890 and settled in the community now known as old Rayner. Previously the family had lived for two years in Ellis county, where they settled upon coming to Texas from Tennessee in 1883. Mrs. Guest was born in McNary county, Tennessee, May 21, 1874. Her marriage to Mr. Guest occurred at Rayner, Oct. 2, 1895.

Mr. and Mrs. Guest moved many years ago to Aspermont and for the past 10 years Mrs. Guest had been owner and editor of the Aspermont Star, weekly newspaper.

Survivors besides her husband are an only son, Martin N. Guest, of Aspermont; two brothers, R. A. Hudspeth of Sweetwater and Joe Hudspeth of Aspermont and two sisters, Misses Sarah and Nora Hudspeth of Rule. A son, John C. Guest, Jr., died in infancy.

Mrs. Guest entered the hospital one day after an 11-months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Guest was brought here for treatment of pneumonia. Improvement was reported in the condition of the child last night.

Funeral arrangements were in complete last night, death having occurred shortly before 12 o'clock. The service will be held at Aspermont and burial will be made there.

All members of her family came here yesterday when Mrs. Guest's condition became critical. Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Guest and Mrs. M. P. Carr were also here from Aspermont. Mr. Guest and Mrs. Carr are brother and sister of J. C. Guest.—Abilene Morning Reporter.

"COLLEGE COACH" BY WARNERS BIDS FAIR TO BE EXCITING FILM

Thrilling gridiron action competes with splendid comedy and the truth about the way certain colleges and professional football coaches operate in "The College Coach," a timely Warner Bros. football film featuring Dick Powell, Ann Dvorak and Pat O'Brien, which comes to the Ritz Theatre on Saturday night and Sunday Matinee only.

Hollywood has been charged with exaggeration in the past. This film however, cannot by any stretch of imagination be placed in that category, for 77 of the nation's best football players take part in the picture. The football action on the

Spur Boy In W. T. S. T. C. Received Praise On Work

Woodrow Gorham of Spur, now attending the West Texas State Teachers College, wrote a theme for his English class on the exhibit of the painting of Diago Rivera in the Panhandle Plains' Historical Society Museum and had excerpts lege paper, with the themes of several other classmates who received praise for their work on the same subject.

Revival Meeting At First Christian Church

Rev. Brown recently called to pastor the First Christian Church of Spur is conducting a protracted meeting this week, services each evening at 8:00 o'clock at the church. The public is not only cordially invited but is urged to attend these services.

O. C. Newberry Announces For County Attorney

We are authorized to announce Judge O. C. Newberry as a candidate for the office of County Attorney, of Dickens County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

Judge Newberry is no stranger to the voters of Dickens County and therefore needs no introduction on our part, but we will say that during the time he has served the public in an official capacity that he has made an enviable record as to his efficiency and his friendly and accommodating services to the public as well as his loyalty to official duties.

We ask that you give his candidacy due consideration before casting your ballot in the Democratic Primary.

H. A. C. Brummett Enters Race For 110th Dist. Judge

In this issue of the Texas Spur appears the announcement of Judge H. A. C. Brummett as a candidate for Judge of the 110th Judicial District, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary.

Having lived in the county the past 20 years, and having served in the capacity as teacher in the public schools and as County Judge, six years, is well known to the voters of the county.

Judge Brummett was considered by many as one of the best qualified and most efficient judges ever to serve Dickens County.

H. A. C. Brummett is no stranger over the district having made the race four years ago for the judgeship.

We ask that you give his candidacy deserved consideration before casting your ballot.

TO THE VOTERS OF THE 110TH JUDICIAL DISTRICT

I hereby announce for the office of District Judge of this District. I made the race four years ago, and while I failed of election by a very small majority, I carried 3 out of the 4 counties in the district. I appreciate deeply this high tribute of confidence, and now desire to express to you my thanks. Since that time I have continued in the active private practice of the law, holding no office, and I feel that I am now better qualified to serve you as your District Judge. If chosen by you it shall be my purpose to serve you to the very best of such ability as I may possess, to at all times be fair, and to give the poorest citizen the same careful consideration that I would give the largest tax payer in the district. I intend to conduct my campaign on a high and honorable plane, and will not stoop to any campaign of whispering. I shall at all times be fair and honorable with my opponents, as I value their respect and friendship higher than I value the office we each now seek.

If elected I will give you a strong court and a NEW DEAL. When I come to the other counties to hold court I will come and remain with you a full week at a time, and put in full and honest time holding court and get through and stop the expense to the tax payers. For the benefit of the new comers into the district I will state that I was reared on a farm in Jack County, came to Dickens County 20 years ago, where I have taught school 7 years, served as County Judge and School Superintendent 6 years, and am now engaged in the practice of law.

I am 46 years old, have a wife and four children. I solicit the consideration and support of every person in the district. During the campaign I will endeavor to see each voter personally and solicit your support.

Respectfully,
H. A. C. BRUMMETT, Dickens County.

FORD

Virgie M. Ford, born May 28th, 1920, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Virgel S. Ford, died at the home five miles south of Afton, Sunday morning at 3:15 o'clock.

Funeral services were conducted by Revs. Porterfield of Dickens and McBray of Roaring Springs, Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock and burial was made in the Afton Cemetery immediately following. Webber Williams director of funeral.

The Texas Spur joins the many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ford in extending sympathy.

Mrs. Pauline Clemmons and daughter, Robbie, who are making their home in Dallas for an indefinite time, were in Spur for the Easter vacation season visiting with her children Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clemmons, Mr. and Mrs. Cap Neill and Miss Polly Clemmons.

"College Coach" which was written for the screen by Manuel Seff and Niven Busch.

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Croton News

We are very glad to report that the bridge across Croton creek will be completed Monday.

Miss Oleta Bailey spent the week end with home folks in Megargel.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Perrin of Spur visited Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert Saturday and Sunday.

There are only three cases of measles reported this week. The three small daughters of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Allen.

Rev. H. T. Harris of Spur, filled his regular appointment here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Hemphill was a Spur visitor Saturday.

Mr. Lawrence Graves returned Sunday morning from a weeks visit in Hillsboro.

Mrs. Homer Jackson is able to be out again after having the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Legg were attending to business in Spur Saturday.

Miss Alma Morris, who has been attending school at Croton returned to her home at Baileyboro, Friday.

Vernon Mays visited Abe Morgan Friday night.

The Croton High School went to Spur Friday to see, "The Birth of a Nation."

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and Miss Sue, visited Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert Sunday.

Several from this community attended the singing at Dickens Sunday afternoon.

Miss Sylvia Mays spent Sunday with Miss Anna Fay Wynkoop.

Mr. J. H. Youngblood and Rev. H. T. Harris, visited Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Morgan Sunday.

Miss Vivian Applegate of Spur, visited Miss Vera Allison this past week.

Mrs. O. L. Harris is on the sick list this week.

Miss Helen Porter, who is attending Tech College at Lubbock, spent the week end with home folks.

Mr. Ula Merle Morgan returned

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Friday and Saturday Matinee

JOHN WAYNE
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"The Man From Monterey"
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Saturday Night Prevue, Monday and Tuesday—
Roomers and rumors follow the

"Girl With Out a Room"
With Chas. Farrell and Charlie Ruggles it was the gypsy in her that made her wander and every one wondered about her.

There are four complete changes of program, each week at the Ritz. A program for Friday Matinee and Night and Saturday Matinee only. Then Saturday Night and Sunday Matinee, only. Another change for the 11:30 Prevue and Monday and Tuesday. And another complete change for Wednesday and Thursday.

COMING ATTRACTIONS

House On 56th Street, with Kay Francis.

Picture Snatcher, with James Cagney.

He Loved A Woman, with Edwin G. Robinson and Kay Francis

Son Of A Sailor, with Joe E. Brown.

Sunday from a weeks visit in Cleburne.

Barney Hale, who has been in Fort Worth having dental work done returned home this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Mays spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Butler.

Miss Alviria Butler visited Miss Allene Jackson Sunday.

Mr. Olan Butler visited Jack Morgan Sunday.

Rev. W. T. North, of Jayton will assist Rev. H. T. Harris in holding the revival meeting at Croton beginning July 27th.

DUCK CREEK

We had a large attendance at Sunday School Easter Sunday, then Rev. W. B. Bennett brought us a great message on the Resurrection. The Young People's Training Class at the evening service was well attended and an interesting lesson was had.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Boothe and daughter of Spur, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Driggers.

F. M. McCarty and family of Duncan Flat spent the week end in the A. T. Bural home.

Miss Nellie Sue Durham spent Friday night with Miss Lancaster at Antelope.

All report a nice time at the party given by Miss Dell Durham Friday night, given in honor of two guests from Jayton.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bural helped Mr. and Mrs. E. Carlisle can a beef Thursday.

We regret to report that Miss Mary Pearl Hagins continues to be quite ill.

Katherine Thach is absent from school, as she has the measles. Our school has been fortunate in that respect. Haven't and many to have the measles. Have had splendid attendance ever since we got diphtheria stopped. The pupils had a great day Friday. First an Easter egg hunt then to Spur to see, "The Birth of a Nation," for which we wish to thank the Palace Theatre folks for the complimentary tickets. Must mention how our school came out in the County Meet, as there was a mistake in last weeks paper. Katherine Thach won first place in Junior declamation for rural schools. She and Robbie Lou Driggers won first place in essay writing. Lucy Bural first place in third grade declamation. Dorris Clower second place in story telling and Louise Clower third place in third grade story telling.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Caudle left Sunday for Stamford in response to a message stating that his mother was seriously ill at the sanitarium, and would likely undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mat Howell, of White River, were transacting business in Spur, Saturday and while here were pleasant callers at the Texas Spur office.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Frazier and daughter of Highway, were in Spur Saturday, shopping and visiting.

Mrs. Pete Sampson is spending an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Garvin Boothe.

Deputy State Supt. Report On Schools

I have enjoyed visiting in the schools of Dickens county very much. I have found the schools to be in good physical condition, generally in so far as buildings and equipment are concerned. In fact they are in an unusually good condition considering the depression through which we have just come.

Organization generally of the schools of the county is unusually forward looking in that the High School pupils are provided with transportation to accredited schools, thereby permitting a much better grade of work to be done in the elementary grades of the school from which they come as well as benefiting greatly the High School pupils. Financially both schools are helped also, for less money is needed to maintain the home school and the High School attended gets High School tuition. The county Superintendent, county trustees and local trustees are to be commended on their good work done for the schools of the county. It is too hoped that in the near future every child in Dickens County will be able to enjoy the advantages of a high school fully accredited.

Practically all of the schools of the county will be able to qualify for the certificate of standardization which will designate them as standard rural schools. This means that they will have at least an eight month term and that they meet the other standards as laid down by the State Department of Education as to teacher qualification, condition of the school plant and equipment, cooperation of community and trustees, and the number of grades taught. All schools expecting to be scored for this certificate should work from now on toward raising their score as an inspection will be made by the Deputy State Superintendent in the near future.

The total amount of aid approved for the county this year amounts to \$15,382.25. This does not include High School tuition and Transportation for the Spur School, Spur and Red Mud are receiving teacher aid this year for the first time. Heretofore Spur has received High School tuition and Transportation only. The additional \$3200.00 approved for Spur School for teacher aid will greatly help a deserving organization.

In figuring State Aid the amount paid by the school for the County Superintendent's salary and other County Administration expenses are counted with the schools other expenditures. The difference between these expenditures and its income determines the amount of Aid the school is entitled to. Thus the amount spent by the school for the Superintendent's salary comes back as aid and costs the school nothing. Every School in the county will receive aid this year. Spring Creek and Duck Creek schools are getting only some emergency aid that came in during the fall and has only recently become cash.

I appreciate the courtesy shown me while in the County by the teachers, trustees, and the County Superintendent and her husband and look forward with pleasure to a future visit.—Bryon Dickson, Deputy State Superintendent.

DEMONSTRATOR IS FITTING PATTERNS

"I am being kept busy helping cut and fit foundation patterns," says Mrs. R. C. Alexander, wardrobe demonstrator class 2 for the Prairie Chapel Home Demonstration Club. "We have talked so much about sleeves and styles that everyone wants that demonstration and to get the most from the demonstration means that each one must cut her own sleeves and that makes a foundation pattern necessary first."

"It is interesting to hear the pleased comments of the ones who have fitted, Mrs. Dave Hale says she is going to fit each of her daughters and daughters-in-law with pattern so they can do their own sewing."

"I am enjoying this work as much as the ones who are being fitted. I learn something every time I teach one," continued Mrs. Alexander who was wearing a beautiful navy blue pique dress made by her own pattern with sleeves a variation of the bishop sleeve being tucked at the arms eye and puffed at the elbow.

How Much Land To "Live At Home"

Permitted by cotton and wheat acreage reduction contracts to use Government rented acres to produce food and feed for family and workstock, if other land is not available or is not enough for this purpose, scores of thousands of Texas farmers are puzzled about how much land this will be.

As outlined in the Texas A and M College Extension Service living-at-home demonstration, an average of 25 acres would be required for this purpose, if the family has five members and the workstock consists of two animals. From the following list of animal feed requirements, however, every farmer can figure out the problem for himself.

For each horse or mule allow 50 bushels of corn or similar grain, 2 tons of hay and 1 acre of improved

pasture, such as sudan grass. For each dairy cow allow 25 bushels of corn or similar grain, 2 tons of hay and 1 acre of improved pasture. For each head of beef cattle provide 10 bushels of corn or similar grain, 1 ton of hay and 1 acre of improved pasture. For each hog raised provide 14 bushels of corn or similar grain and 1 8 acre of improved pasture. For each sheep provide 2 bushels of corn or similar grain, 120 pounds of hay and 1 4 acre of improved pasture. For each hen allow 1 bushel of corn or similar grain and for each turkey raised 1 1-2 bushels of corn or similar grain.

If a farmer is providing for four horses, two dairy cows, 50 hens, and is fattening a beef steer, two hogs and two sheep, he would need 342 bushels of corn or grain sorghums or similar grain, about 13 tons of hay, and about 8 acres of improved pasture, if he is to have plenty of feed. At the rate of 20 bushels of corn per acre and two tons of hay per acre this would require 17 acres of corn or grain, 7 acres of hay and 8 acres of pasture, a total of 32 acres. In addition for home food supply, an extra 3 acres would be required for garden, orchard and peas, melons, potatoes and cane for syrup.

If the farmer in this case has provided none of these requirements in the past he will be permitted by cotton or wheat contracts to take 35 rented acres for this purpose. If he has previously had only 20 acres available for this living at home he will be permitted to take 15 rented acres to complete the 35 acres needed. If he has previously had 35 acres for living at home, and needs no additional land for the purpose, the contracts do not permit him to

take any rented acres at all for home use.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Thannish, of Croton, were here Tuesday, consulting Dr. Wylie in regard to Mrs. Thannish's health. We hope to soon have a report of her improving.

Mrs. Bertha Horn, of Red Hill, was shopping in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reynolds, Dickens, were shopping and transacting business here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Trimmel spent Easter Sunday in Colorado City, guests of her sister and family, returning early Monday morning.

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ANNUAL TECH ENGINEERING SHOW TO BE HELD APR. 13-14

Lubbock, Texas.—Date for the annual Texas Technological College Engineering Show has been set for April 13-14, to be given at the same time the District Interscholastic League meet is held on the campus.

General manager Jim Frank Potts, Lubbock, has announced Oliver McElya, Lubbock, as publicity manager of the show, and eight superintendents for departments of engineering. These are: Al Simmons, Santa Anna, architectural engineering; Ray Watts, San Antonio, civil engineering; Earl Davidson, Portales, N. M., electrical engineering; Henry Godeke, Lubbock, mechanical engineering; William Wilder, Pampa, textile engineering; Houston Hinson, Lubbock, geological engineering; Arledge Stokes, Abilene, chemical engineering; and Eugene Watkins, Santa Anna, engineering drawing and graphics.

A special exhibition of the show will be given for the annual meeting of the Southwestern division of the American Association for the Advancement of Science to be held here in May.

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Dickens County School News

Highway

We were glad to hear that the election held Saturday for the purpose of permanently creating the office of County Superintendent in Dickens County carried by a good majority.

Many improvements are being made in our school. Our enrollment is getting back to normal since most of the pupils who have been out on account of the measles are back again; the building is being painted inside furniture is being repaired and playground equipment worked over and put in better condition.

Mrs. Twaddell visited our school Friday. We enjoyed having her in our school very much. She told us several jokes and a good citizenship story. She says that she believes we will be able to have four teachers next year, since the scholastic enrollment shows considerable increase over last years enrollment. Actual enrollment this year has increased from fifty seven at the beginning of school to ninety three at present.

Miss Richter, the CWA nurse, says she hopes to visit us again soon. She has recently been in our school. We were glad to have her because we know she is a real help to the school.

We have several athletes whom we think are good. They have spent much time in training and we are anxious to see what they can do. We should be able to find out soon as the track meet can not be put off much longer.

We were greatly pleased with the report Mr. Dickson made of our school especially the part relating to salary aid. Highway was granted more aid this year than we ever received before.

Twin Wells

Work on school improvements in our community has just about reached completion. The teacherage has been remodeled, the schoolhouse and furniture have been repaired, much painting has been done, and some new equipment purchased. Mr. and Mrs. London gave a party to celebrate the completion of work on their new home.

Red Mud

No other school in Dickens County, and I believe we might include the State of Texas, has been so much improvement made in the last year as has been made in the Red Mud School. From an old unsightly building the Red Mud School has grown to a lovely modern plant scoring high as a standard rural school. Such improvement as this bespeaks much educational interest, wonderful community spirit and constant and persistent effort.

Red Mud again won the visitation contest last month. This makes the second time for this school this year. The patrons are really getting the worth of their school. The more visitors a school has the more people it touches and the greater the opportunity for service.

Dry Lake

Our primary room has a new coat of paint, which certainly makes it look better; but most important of all is the improvement in the lighting conditions. Bad lighting conditions in many instances have resulted in serious defects to the sight of pupils. Painting has improved the primary room in this respect one hundred per cent.

Espuela

School is going nicely again after a weeks dismissal due to an epidemic of measles which has been afflicting our community for some time.

We are very proud of the recent improvements which the trustees have made in our school and teacherage. Two new rooms have been added to our teacherage and a two room basement has been dug beneath our school house. One room is to be used for storing coal and the other for school supplies.

Two pupils from our school, Elaine Neaves and Lois Holloway, won first place in fourth and fifth grade spelling Rural School Division Doris Neaves won first place in the 3R contest and will go to the district meet at Lubbock.

Dickens School News

Unusual interest and appreciation was developed among the Grammar School children in a poster making contest. The posters were to be used in advertising the volley ball games which are to be played in the Dickens Gymnasium for the benefit of the health fund to be used in giving aid to children in the county who need medical attention, but whose parents are unable to provide it.

One pupil in each grade making the best poster of any in that grade is to receive a free ticket to the games. Out of town judges were used to determine the winners. Following are the names of first place winners for each grade:

- Third Grade—Garland Rasco.
- Fourth Grade—Loyce Stanton.
- Fifth Grade—Peggy Stephens.
- Sixth Grade—Frances Lee Speer.
- Seventh Grade—Lucille Stephenson.

Work was begun Monday on a senior class play, the title of which is "Which Cousin Mary?" Watch for date of presentation.

Croton School

Mr. H. L. Groner, our superintendent recently returned from a trip to Arkansas.

We enjoyed having Mrs. Twaddell visit our chapel recently.

The sixth grade class has been having a contest in spelling. Each child has made a "word slip" book.

Help Wanted—The Senior English Class needs help with the crossword puzzle they are making in English Literature.

Mr. H. P. Hargis, one of our faculty members, spent the week end in Lubbock.

A number of patrons have visited our school lately.

Not of the school rooms have been adorned with peach blossoms bouquets the past week.

The seniors are very happy since they received their new rings.

The sixth grade health class has on display some interesting health booklets.

Victor Lewis and Alene Jackson

have been absent from school on account of measles.

We have been quite busy working on Interscholastic League activities.

McAdoo School

McAdoo school has instituted a "Student Activity Organization" for the purpose of sponsoring intra-mural events. Contests in literary events and contests in athletic and literary are to be held every two weeks and in athletic events every day. The purpose of this organization is to keep alive interest in school athletic and literary events and in their regular school work as well. This will help to overcome the usual way of interest felt after the closing of interscholastic League work in the county.

East Ward Spur School

Miss Richter, CWA Nurse, in her recent visit to our school pointed out various physical defects of pupils that needed attention. Some fifteen or twenty of these have been corrected up to now.

Attendance this year is larger than it has ever been before. Three hundred twenty two pupils have enrolled to date. Attendance is very good since most of those who have been out on account of the measles have recovered. Conditions in general are much better at present than they were a year ago.

Miss Evelyn Richter entertained chapel recently by playing the piano accordion. Everyone enjoyed the program very much.

AFTON WOMEN MAKE FOUNDATION PATTERNS

Nine foundation patterns were

We are preparing an operetta for May 28th. All the teachers and every pupil will participate.

Deputy State Superintendent To Visit Schools Soon

Our Deputy State Superintendent Mr. Bryan Dickson, will visit the schools of the county which he did not have time to standardize when he was here before. We know that we are going to receive standardization certificates but we are anxious to make as high a score as possible. Several of our schools will receive almost the maximum score possible, which is one thousand points. We are planning community meetings for these occasions.

made in an all-day meeting of the Afton women last Thursday when Mrs. R. C. Alexander wardrobe demonstrator in the Prairie Chapel home demonstration club, gave them a demonstration on making foundation patterns in the home of Mrs. A. J. Dozier. She is to be back later and give a demonstration on the use of their patterns teaching them to cut sleeves and slips from their foundation patterns.

A sleeve ironing board for ironing the new type sleeves was on display having been made by Mr. Dozier for the demonstration. Each woman present took the measurements and plans to have one made for her own use.

Mrs. Barnes, Clothing Specialist at A & M College sent directions for the ironing board to each wardrobe demonstrator in the county.

Those making patterns were Mrs. A. J. Dozier, Mrs. E. H. Floyd, Miss Leta Floyd, Miss Minnie Harvey, Mrs. Eula Robinson, Mrs. Margaret Davis, Miss Viola Cavitt.

Miss Lora Dozier and Mrs. Leon Lawson. Others present for the demonstration were Miss Maay Pearl Smith, Miss Annie Bateman, Mrs. J. N. Haney and Mrs. R. C. Alexander.

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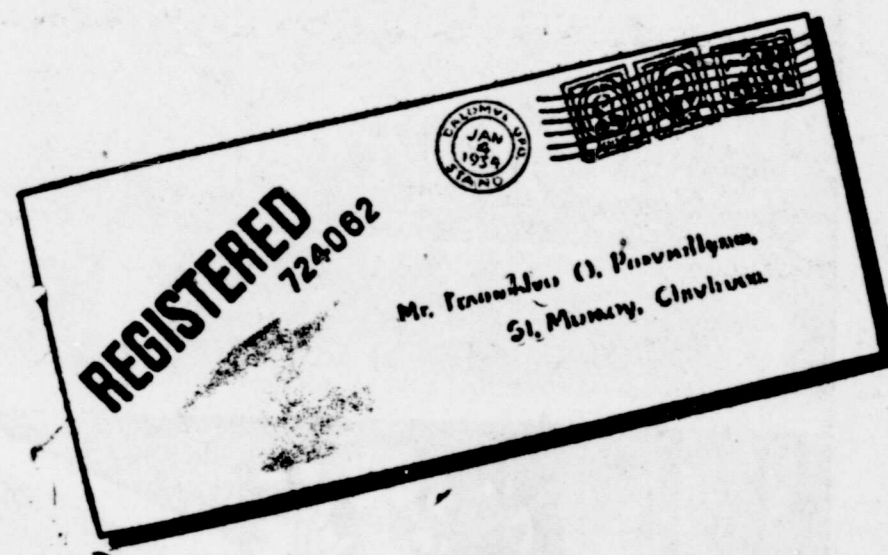
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**LOANS TO BE MADE
IN THE NEAR FUTURE**

Jas. B. Reed, secretary-treasurer of Dickens National Farm Loan Association, received word today from W. I. Myers, Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, Washington, D. C., that Federal land bank loans and Land Bank Commissioner's loans will be made in the future through the Federal land bank in bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, which bonds are guaranteed by the United States Government both as to principal and interest, which will be at the rate of 4 per cent per annum for the bonds to be issued at this time. These bonds will take the place of the cash distribution in the disbursement of the unclosed loans previously approved by the Federal land banks.

The bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, according to that statement by Governor Myers, will have behind them not only the unconditional guarantee of the Federal Government as to both principal and interest, and the capital of the Federal Government as to both principal and interest, and the capital of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation amounting to about \$200,000,000, but also the consolidated bonds of the Federal land banks issued in exchange for the bonds of the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation and the mortgages accepted by the land bank commissioner as security for loans.

Governor Myers assured secretary Jas. B. Reed that the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation bonds will be an attractive investment. "They will be as readily marketable as bonds of the United States Government and they will be quoted in all of the principal markets," he continued. "Holders who have to dispose of these bonds should not sell them without first ascertaining their real market value."

The Governor particularly stressed the fact that country bankers probably will be large investors in these securities since the creditors of farmers who are being refinanced may not all be in the position where they can hold the bonds so acquired and will find it necessary to sell them. Secretary Jas. B. Reed states that these bonds, which will be tendered to farmers' creditors in payment of the refinanced indebtedness, are "exempt from all Federal, State, municipal and local taxation, except surtaxes and estate, inheritance and gift taxes. They are lawful security for fifteen day borrowing by member banks of the Federal Reserve system. They are also lawful investments for all trust, public and fiduciary funds of which the deposit or investment is under the authority or control of the Government. The payments of the interest on these bonds and the repayment of their principal are guaranteed by the United States, which means that if the Federal

Farm Mortgage Corporation should ever be unable to meet the payments, the Treasury will assume such payments.

These bonds will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. However, amounts less than \$100 will be disbursed in cash. For example, a loan of \$955 would be made in a \$500 bond, four \$100 bonds and the rest in cash. In addition, to provide for certain debts, such as taxes which cannot be paid in bonds, cash covering the required amounts will be provided.

"Loans which have been applied for and approved, but on which the cash has not been paid out, as well as those approved by the bank in the future, will be financed on the above basis. This arrangement in no way disturbs or alters the other provisions of the loans. The interest rate on new loans will continue to be 4 1-2 per cent, for the emergency period when made through a national farm loan association and 5 per cent, when made directly by the bank."

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**DEMONSTRATOR IS
SLEEVE CONSCIOUS**

"I have certainly become sleeve conscious. Every time I see a sleeve I think what type it is cut from," says Mrs. Thurmond Moore, wardrobe demonstrator, class II, for the Peaceful Hill home demonstration club. "After making a most difficult, though simple pattern last week I believe I can cut any sleeve I have seen."

"We have given the demonstration on the use of foundation pat-

terns in the club and have two or three more foundation patterns to make before our club is 100 per cent on patterns."

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Allen, of McAdoo, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Faulkner of three miles southwest of town.

FOR TRADE—Electric Ward Washing machine to trade for gasoline motor machine. Write: THAN McCracken, McAdoo, Texas. 1p.

Mrs. W. H. Nichols and sister, Mrs. Jackson and Miss Eva Jackson of Deer Lake, were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Huffstedler, of Highway, were shopping and visiting with friends on the streets Saturday.

"GRAY NIGHT"

By Maria Baxter.

The moon is only a blur tonight
Against the mottled sky,
No stars have dared to show their
light;
There's a veil across the sky.

The night is silent save for frogs
Who care not for the light;

And there—I hear the barking of a
dog
That hates the silent night.

But all the other little night folk,
Are silent as the gloom
That spreads across the starless sky
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Admittedly these "fully-enclosed" Knee-Action wheels are more expensive to produce than other types. But Chevrolet feels that the extra satisfaction thus assured for Chevrolet owners is well worth the extra manufacturing cost. And this same attitude is responsible for the presence of many other "fine-car" features in the new Chevrolet: the large, roomy Fisher body. The new Y-K frame. The cable-controlled brakes. In fact, everything about this automobile reflects Chevrolet's well-known policy: to build the most cars, by building the best cars of low price!

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MRS. H. O. EAERETTS ENTERTAINED WITH PARTY

Mrs. H. O. Everetts was a most delightful hostess to a number of invited friends Thursday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock when she entertained with auction bridge, at her home 420 west 3rd Street.

The rooms were attractively decorated with bowls of cut flowers harmonizing with the lovely bridge appointments.

Mrs. F. W. Jennings made high score. Mrs. Neal Chastain high out and Mrs. W. D. Starcher made low, and each received a lovely prize.

A very delicious refreshment was served by the hostess to guest above mentioned and Mesdames L. D. Ratliff, Hill Perry, Jimmie Sample, Charlie Powell, Nellie Davis, Homer Ferguson, Sam Clemmons, Dan H. Zachry, Jas. O. Smith, M. C. Golding, A. M. Lay, M. R. Earnest, R. R. Wooten, Cash Wileman, A. C. Hull, Oran McClure, Kate Senning, Roy Stovall, Murray Lee, Bynum Britton, Guy Karr, Jas. B. Reed, C. L. Love, Frank Laverty, Jack Rector; Misses Dorothy Carson, Jane Wilson, Julia Mae Hickman, and Mrs. Frazier of Placeville, Idaho.

"Girl Without A Room" Notable Film Comedy, Fast, Funny, and Tuneful

A charming and notable picture is Charles R. Rogers' "Girl Without a Room" which will open at the Ritz Theatre Saturday Night Preview 11:30 and again Monday and Tuesday.

It is a gay Parisian romance with music—but it isn't to be classed as a musical comedy because there is no chorus, and the music is woven directly into the story.

We have madcap artists and models in a sincere human story wrapped in comedy. We have Charles Farrell, the heart-beat in many a feminine fan's breast, forsaking romance at times to show us what a capable comedian he is.

Farrell enacts an American artist who goes to Paris to study and adopts one of the "nut" schools of art—one in which the artist paints what he feels and not what he sees. Charles enters a goofy painting in a contest and wins—but the painting is upside down—Bedlam, notoriety, mockery are his. But he discovers that it is a way to wealth and fame.

Charlie Ruggles was never funnier than in his portrayal as Farrell's pal. Ruggles is continually in jams of one sort or another. He runs away with the comedy honors especially, in as crazy a duel as ever was staged in which he is "shot" by a Russian and thereafter has to play dead every time the Russian approaches.

"Girl Without a Room" is notable as it brings Marguerite Churchill back to the screen after an absence of a year and a half. It brings a new Marguerite. We remember her as a player of too-sweet ingenue roles. Now she is the sophisticated woman of the world—the unconventional model who never knows where she will

sleep. And the clothes she wears in cost of the scenes wouldn't keep a gnat warm on a frosty night. Her figure is worth seeing.

"Girl Without a Room" marks the debut of Walter Woolf, the Broadway musical comedy star. He seems to be the perfect matinee idol type for the modern girl, strong, masterful male.

Gregory Ratoff adds his humor to the fast-moving frolic and Director Ralph Murphy deserves credit for keeping his story running at a fast pace.

"Girl Without a Room" is from Jack Lait's novel and was prepared for the screen by Frank Butler and Claude Binyon.

There are three songs in the picture. "The Whistler Has a Blow" is a highly humorous number sung by Charlie Ruggles and the studio revelers. Miss Churchill and Sam Ash render "The Rooftop Serenade," and Walter Woolf sings "You Alone," both of which seem destined for great popularity.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB SPONSORED A PIE SUPPER

The Steel Hill Home Demonstration Club sponsored a pie supper in connection with a home and family relationship program, February 23rd.

Mrs. Alton Chapman gave an interesting talk on "Home a Partnership"

Mr. Kelley talked on making a friend or pal of your child.

Prof. Neilson was very interesting on parents, children and money.

Miss Bertha Mae Carlisle gave a reading, "Home" by Edgar A. Guest.

After the program the pies were auctioned by Webber Williams, netting the club \$19.65.

We want to thank all who brought or bought pies, also the speakers on the program and especially the auctioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Posey are now located in Abilene at 1118 Palm St. Mr. Posey is associated with Banner Creameries of Abilene, San Angelo and Breckenridge, and has supervision of all Banner stores. Mr. and Mrs. Posey spent last week visiting relatives in Birmingham and Piedmont, Alabama, returning by Memphis and Little Rock.

Deaths Due to Lockjaw

Every year there are about one hundred and fifty deaths in Texas from lockjaw, according to Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. Most of these deaths have resulted from the most trivial or minor wounds or injury. Only recently a small child died from a small wound caused by a splinter being stuck in the toe.

Lockjaw or tetanus patients die an agonizing death following frequent convulsions, which are set forth by the slightest stimulation to the central nervous system. The slamming of a door or the slightest noise may cause a patient to have violent convulsions. Stiffening of the muscles in the jaw is one of the first symptoms, and it is from this fact that the disease gets its name of lockjaw.

Puncture wounds, such as those resulting from sticking a nail or thorn in the foot or hand, are the most dangerous. The reason for this is that the tetanus germs can thrive only in a wound that is closed or in the presence of other germs that use up the air present. Tetanus germs do not thrive in the open air.

The prevention of lockjaw depends upon the proper care of all minor injuries. Closed wounds should be made open wounds and kept thoroughly clean. Anti tetanus serum should be given after a puncture wound; gun powder wounds are also frequently followed by lockjaw. The period of time for the disease to develop in man is usually from six to fourteen days, according to the amount of infection. In man, with a short period of incubation, six days or less, the disease is almost always fatal. With a longer period the disease is usually milder and the chances for recovery greater.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lollar, of Red Hill, were here Saturday looking after business interests and shopping with the merchants.

Miss Lois Goodwin, of Lubbock, spent last week end in Spur as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Lollar.

J. Robinett, of Calgary, was a business visitor in Spur Monday.

Mrs. Greenwood, who has been critically ill at the home of Mrs. A. Hefner east of Spur, the past several days was removed to her home one mile west of Glen Tuesday, her husband, J. B. Greenwade, her father and Webber Williams driving the ambulance accompanied her.

Misses Frances Newberry and Katherine Bursett, of Dickens, were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Bill Calvert was a Spur visitor Monday mixing with the first Monday crowd.

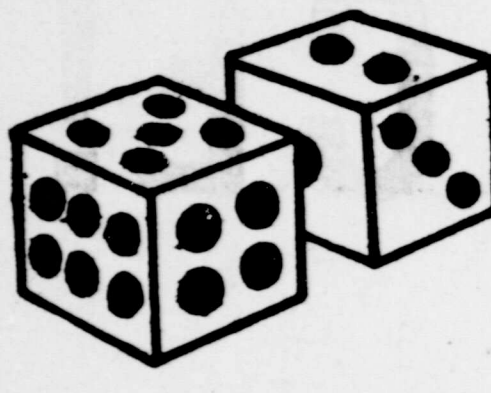
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The Texas Spur is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

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 - CLARK MULLICAN
 - GEORGE H. MAHON
 - FRED C. HAILE
- For Representative 118th District:
 - LEONARD WESTFALL
 - JOE A. MERRITT (Re-election)
- For District Judge 110th District:
 - KENNETH BAIN (Re-election)
 - A. J. FOLLEY
 - H. A. C. BRUMMETT
- For District Attorney:
 - ALTON B. CHAPMAN
 - TONY B. MAXEY
- For District Clerk:
 - MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD (re-election)
- For County Judge:
 - JIM CLOUD (Re-election)
- For County Attorney:
 - V. J. CAMPBELL
 - L. D. RATLIFF
 - O. C. NEWBERRY
- For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
 - W. B. (Bill) ARTHUR (re-election)
 - W. B. (Webber) WILLIAMS
 - JOHNNIE KOONSMAN
- For County Clerk:
 - OSCAR L. KELLEY
 - FRED ARRINGTON
 - MRS. NEAL FOWLER (re-election)
 - HARVEY HINES

- For County Treasurer:
 - MRS. NANNIE COBB (re-election)
 - MRS. HATTIE TURVIN
 - ALICE G. MURPHREE
 - R. E. (Elzie) HOLLY
 - ONA LEE SHOCKLEY
- For County Commissioner Pre. No. 1:
 - R. E. SLOUGH
 - AUSTIN ROSE (re-election)
 - HORACE D. NICKELS
- For County Commissioner Pre. No. 2:
 - E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON (re-election)
 - A. K. McALLISTER
- For County Commissioner Pre No. 3:
 - W. F. CREMAN (re-election)
 - FOREST MARTIN
- For Commissioner Precinct No. 4:
 - R. E. ROGERS
 - ROY CUNNINGHAM
 - W. E. (Wadie) SHAW
- For County School Superintendent:
 - HUBERT W. TAYLOR
 - MADGE D. TWADDELL (re-election)
- Justice Peace Precinct Number 3:
 - W. M. MALONE (re-election)
- For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1:
 - C. P. AUFILL (re-election)
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1933 Study Club

The 1933 Study Club met Tuesday, April 3rd with Mrs. Charlie Powell as hostess. After the business session the following program was given with Mrs. Horton Barrett as leader.

Book Review—The Store.
Roll Call—Noted Authors.
The Store—Mrs. R. C. Crockett.
Reading—Mary Catherine Patterson.

The next meeting will be April 24th with Mrs. Frank Watson.

NEW PRESIDENT OF THE SOUTHWESTERN LIFE INS. CO.

Dallas, Texas, March 6.—At a specially called meeting of the board of directors this morning Charles F. O'Donnell was elected president of the Southwestern Life Insurance Company. He succeeds the late T. W. Vardell, who was president from March 1911, until his death one week ago.

Mr. O'Donnell first became connected with the Company in 1917 as a member of its legal staff. He was elected a director in March, 1926, later serving as general counsel. On January 1, 1933, he took active charge of the Southwestern Life's investments as chairman of the Company's finance committee, and since then has devoted practically all of his time to the Company's affairs. He announced today his retirement from the firm of McBride O'Donnell and Hamilton and will assume his new position immediately.

The new president of the Southwestern Life is a native of Dallas County and a graduate of Texas University class of 1907. He served as City Attorney of Dallas from 1913 to 1917, leaving that position to join the firm with which he has since been associated.

Mr. O'Donnell is widely known in insurance circles of the State and Nation. He is now serving his second successive term as president of the Texas companies, and he is the state vice president of the American Life Convention, an association of 150 western and southern life companies. He was recently elected a director of the Dallas Chamber of Commerce, and is chairman of the committee which has submitted a plan for the reorganization of the County government.

The Southwestern Life is the largest and oldest of the group of life insurance companies domiciled in Dallas, and is the second largest in the entire southwest. It is now in its thirty-first year, and its assets amount to more than \$41,000,000. The Company has insurance on lives of approximately 140,000 Texas policy holders, amounting to more than \$258,000,000. It is distinctly a Tex-

For Attorney General



WILLIAM McCRAW
William McCraw, prominent Dallas attorney, has launched his campaign for the office of Attorney General of Texas. McCraw served three consecutive terms as District Attorney in his home county, holding the distinction of being the only prosecutor who has ever been so honored. His record as a public official and in private law practice has won him state-wide recognition. McCraw studied law while working in his father's printing office; saw active service in France and made a notable record for law enforcement as district attorney. He has been active in the State's Democratic party affairs, being regarded as a liberal in politics.

as institution, as it goes business only in this state and invests all of its assets in Texas.

Miss Daisy Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Ball of Espuela, who is attending Denton Teacher's College, spent the Easter holidays with her parents.

John Hiner Wilson of Lubbock, spent the week end in Spur with friends.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation for the many deeds of kindness and assistance rendered during the illness and death of our darling baby, Oretta Jene.

Albert Blair.
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Blair.
Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dozier.

Mother: "Wedge you brave at the dentist's?"

Tommy: "Rather! I told him we could not pay the bill until next year."

Mesdames Henry Bilberry and Tom Johnson, of Jayton, were shopping with Spur merchants Friday.



Mr. and Mrs. Jim Smith and daughter, Miss Ruby Mae, of Dry Lake, were shopping and visiting in Spur Monday.

Mrs. C. C. Combs, of Steel Hill, was a Spur visitor Monday, spending some time here shopping and visiting friends.

Mrs. Scudder, of Abilene, mother of Mesdames Webber Williams and D. L. Granberry, has been spending this week in Spur visiting in their homes.

Mrs. R. E. Dickson and daughter, Lillian Grace, Helen Grace and son, Pat and Miss Frances Springer spent last week end in Austin visiting their mother and grandmother respectively. Helen Grace reports a very delightful trip and visit and said that her mother, Mrs. Grace was happy in her new location.

L. N. Riter and J. A. Koon, of the Riter Hardware Co., returned Wednesday from a business and pleasure trip to Corpus Christi.

Mrs. Ed Lisenby and daughters Misses Nig and Dot, spent Saturday in Abilene. Mrs. Deck Barnes and young son, Deck Jr., accompanied them home for a week end visit.

Rev. and Mrs. Yeates spent Monday at Roby, driving over early in the morning to accompany their son, who teaches school near that place and also to set trees and make other improvements on their place on the river near Roby.

Olan Arthur, Administrator in company with co-workers Mesdames Kate Senning, Ed Slough and Misses Adelaide Senning, Johnnie Marsh, Evelyn Richter, Spur and Kanna Stephens of Dikens, were in Lubbock this week attending a District PWA meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. H. T. Harris attended the Workers Meeting of the Baptist Church at Aspermont Tuesday.

Bill Rucker, of the Swenson Camp, was a business visitor in Spur Saturday.

Mrs. Joe Stotts and daughter, Joe Ann, of Lubbock, spent the Easter holiday season in Spur with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Albin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lyckman and daughter, Corine, of Calgary, were shopping and visiting in Spur Wednesday.

J. W. Faulkner, of three miles west, was transacting business in town Monday and while here came by and had us place his name on the Texas Spur's subscription list. Thanks Mr. Faulkner, call again.

Mrs. George Snodgrass, of Rotan, spent Thursday in Spur with Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hale and to attend the funeral of their daughter, Annie Mae.

Mrs. Ben Frazier, of Placerville, Idaho, spent last week in Spur a guest of her cousin, Mr. and Mrs. Cash Wileman.

L. C. Parker, manager of Hassen Bros. Dry Goods store here, returned last week from Sulphur, Okla., where he had gone to make arrangements and to move his family to Spur. Mr. and Mrs. Parker are located in the Leland Campbell home.

Mrs. Dunn, of Croton, was a business visitor in Spur Saturday, spending some time here shopping and visiting friends.

Mrs. Hub Hyatt and baby, of Hamlin, were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walker of White River last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Kidd, of Dry Lake, were among the many shoppers and visitors in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey, of Munday, Texas, spent Sunday in Spur with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor and family.

Mrs. J. D. Powell, of Abilene, spent several days in Spur last week visiting relatives and old friends.

Than McCracken of McAdoo, was a business visitor in Spur Monday.

Jim Hahn, of Dry Lake, was mixing with the crowd on the streets in Spur First Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Goodwin and daughter, Miss Ruth of East Afton, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackson, east of Rotan, spent Monday here visiting her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Snodgrass and Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Hale.

Mrs. Fannie Mae Fuqua of White River, was among the crowd of Easter shoppers in Spur Saturday.

Jake Rains and Buck Taylor, of the West Side Camp, were visiting with friends in Spur Wednesday.

Luther Garner returned Saturday, from an important business trip and visit to friends at Ranger.

C. E. Moore, of McAdoo, was transacting business in Spur Friday.

T. M. Maples left Wednesday for Corpus Christi, to attend to business.

W. R. Stafford, of Afton, was a Spur visitor Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Paul Twaddell and baby, of Crosbyton, spent last week end in Spur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Twaddell and family.

Mesdames Glen Hancock and Astena B. Wade, of Jayton and Bill Cathey, of Clairemont, were shopping with Spur merchants Monday and also visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Pope, of two miles southwest were Spur, business visitors Monday.

George Harris, of McAdoo, was a business visitor in Spur Saturday.

That New Deal Special Train From Texas

Carrying a cargo of news of Texas prosperity to the North and the East the Texas Press "Full-House" Special, the New Deal train, will get under way for a ten day journey in April. The special train will be the most modern equipped all steel crack train available running on the fastest schedules.

Sponsored by the Texas Press, and officially sanctioned by the State of Texas, the capital to Capital Austin to Washington) Special will bear 125 Texans, newspapermen business executives and others, to Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia and New York, where news of the return of prosperity to Texas will be broadcast.

Two primary purposes lie behind the plans for the special, viz: to resell Texas, and its markets and advantages of today and to complement Franklin Delano Roosevelt, who is leading the nation out of depression and John Nance Garner, Texas Citizen, Number 1.

Concentration points from which the price of tickets have been figured are Austin, Corsicana, Dallas, Denison, Fort Worth, Galveston, Houston, San Antonio, Tyler, Waco, and Wichita Falls. The price of the tickets range from, \$132.25 to \$162.03 according to pullman accommodations desired.

The price of the ticket includes hotel room at the Medina Athletic Club in Chicago the Powhatan Hotel at Washington; the Ben Franklin at Philadelphia and the Governor Clinton in New York City one night each. It also includes a return ticket from New York City and payment for the banquet which will be given.

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en in Washington honoring President Roosevelt, Vice President Garner and the cabinet.

"The Texas Press 'Full-House' special, is being conducted to Washington on a two fold mission," Mr. Martin said. "The first is to take the message of returned prosperity to the north and the east and the second is to compliment President Roosevelt and his staff on the remarkable job that they are doing toward restoring confidence and prosperity."

"Texas has a full house. It has

fields full of oil, its gins are full of cotton which is selling at a price higher than in several years; its pantries are full of foodstuffs for the family and its barns are full of feed for livestock.

"We are in good shape, and we want to tell the world about it. The Texas Press feels that now is the time for the world to know about it and not have to wait for several years more before knowing the advantages of investing in the natural resource of this state."

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NOTICE!

TO

Water Consumers

Effective April 17 to and including September 17, 1934, the following irrigation rate schedule shall be available for residences, churches and schools.

The purpose of this water irrigation rate schedule is for the beautification of our City.

RATE:

- 30c per 1,000 gallons for the first 10,000 gallon used per meter per month.
- 25c per 1,000 gallons for the next 10,000 gallons used per meter per month.
- 20c per 1,000 gallons for all water used in excess of above stated.

MINIMUM RATE:

\$3.00 per meter per month, which entitles customers to the use of 10,000 gallons of water.

This rate is optional and will be given only to those customers who call our office, advising us that they desire to take advantage of this special irrigation rate.

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