

## BANKHEAD ACT REFERENDUM IN DICKENS CO.

The Bankhead Act Referendum for Dickens County will be held on December 8, 1934. The date was declared by the Dickens County Farm Association in a call meeting held last Saturday, at Spur. The hours for balloting shall be from 8:00 A. M. until 6:00 P. M. The community referendum committee, which is composed of the three local committeemen will give public of the place for balloting in each community. However, the majority of places will be held in the local school buildings.

Eligible voters may be defined as: any person who signed a 1934-35 Cotton Acreage Contract, any person who is or was eligible for tax exemption certificates in 1934; any person in case of ownership and the present right to produce cotton on such cotton farm is held jointly, in common, or in community by two or more persons, all such persons shall be entitled to vote; any person having a present right to produce cotton on a cotton farm; or any person who signs and files a witnessed statement that he has made arrangements to produce cotton on a cotton farm in 1935, is eligible to vote on the continuation of the Bankhead Act for the crop year 1935-36, which requires a two-thirds majority to be effective.

Points that should be borne in mind by cotton farmers in determining their votes in continuing the Bankhead Act for 1935-36 include: Regardless of whether or not the Bankhead Bill is effective for 1935-36, the Secretary of Agriculture has announced that contract signers of the 1934-35 Volunteer Acreage Reduction Program will be held to their contract acreage for the 1935-36 season. This simply means, all the contract signers, which is 74 per cent of the Cotton Farmers in Dickens County, are going to allow the non-contract signers, which is the remaining 26 per cent, to plant and gin as much cotton as they can produce for 1935-36.

Non-signers, who couldn't come into the reduction program last Spring, will be given the opportunity to join the reduction program for the 1935 season. This means that Dickens County will receive more rental and parity payments, and producers will be paid to reduce rather than being forced to do so. Large increase in cotton is expected for the 1935-36 season if the Voluntary cotton adjustment program is to be in effect without the Bankhead Bill. We know what this will do to the price of cotton. The question is, do the cotton producers want 6 cent cotton or an amended Bankhead program, which runs interference for the Voluntary cotton adjustment program. One without the other means defeat, and the South will go off on another Cotton Drunk.

Surplus tax exemption certificates will be good for the coming year if the Bankhead Bill carries, but they will be worthless if the cotton producer votes the act down.

The total allotment for the U. S. under the Bankhead Act for 1935-36, in the event it is made effective, is not set, but in all probability, it will be a 12 million bale crop for the Bankhead Act of 1934-35. A gradual increase in total allotment will occur if the program continues, to absorb the enormous carry-over. This means that all farm allotments

## Big Rain Falls Over This Section Monday

Something like two inches of rainfall fell here and over the section south and east of Spur Monday morning becoming heavier to the east. Jayton reports a near cloud burst with four or five inches of rain falling within a short period of time.

Reports from Dickens, Afton and McAdoo, however, are to the effect that the precipitation there was very light and that the sections were still in need of more moisture to insure a good season for winter feed crops.

## Pure Food Show To Be Held Here Dec. 7

The Ladies Council of the First Christian Church is sponsoring a Pure Food show to be held Friday and Saturday, December 7th and 8th in the old Hassen building. This show is somewhat on the order of a fair. Foods, clothing, furniture and other merchandise will be displayed and demonstrated in decorated booths. There will be music and special entertainments, such as a Style Show, old Fiddlers contest, musical numbers, readings, etc. Something doing all the time.

Other attractions will be some 20 or 30 prizes. Also a cake contest with a cash prize.

This show will be something no one can afford to miss. There is no admission charge.

Watch for further announcements from week to week.

## RELIEF KITCHEN IS NOW OPEN FOR CANNING

At last the Relief Canning Kitchen for Dickens County was opened Monday morning with Mrs. Cecil Fox in charge of the plant. Vegetables are being canned this week and as long as vegetables are available they will be given preference; however, several are beginning to sign up to have beef canned. It is imperative that those having foods canned at the canning plant come to Mrs. Fox and sign up for a day since their program is full and products brought in without an appointment will only cause confusion and loss of food. Mrs. Cecil Fox is supervisor working in cooperation with the Texas Relief Commission and Miss Clara Pratt of the Extension Service of Texas.

Previous to opening for canning the kitchen was used as a sewing laboratory to make 52 uniforms, 52 head coverings, 48 cup towels, 48 pot lifters, and 14 dish cloths to be used by the workers in the kitchen.

Visitors are not allowed in the kitchen while food is being prepared and canned. Those entering must don uniforms and head covering along with the workers.

The workers are making progress. Tuesday the group trebled Monday's output due to more workers and more systematic work. Canning is done on a 50-50 basis. That is, the producer furnishes the product to be canned, the Texas Relief Commission furnishes labor, equipment, and cans and the producer and Texas Relief Commission each receive 50 per cent of the canned products.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Slough, were Spur visitors Saturday from the Capitol City, spending some time here shopping and transacting business affairs.

for the coming year will be raised. The final point is, in the event the Bankhead Act of 1935-36 is effective, new farm averages will be used in determining the manner of allotment to the individual farmer, and will provide that the farmers who have reduced their cotton acreage voluntarily shall be penalized in favor of those farmers who have not done so. There will be larger differences in farm allotting on adjoining farms to take care of the progressive farmer and the better farm lands.

The Bankhead Act was passed by Congress to supplement and not to supplant the voluntary acreage adjustment programs. We must bear in mind that the Bankhead Act of 1935-36 will be different in national quota, and new farm allotments. Without the Act for 1935-36, the South will see low cotton prices.

It is necessary that every eligible voter on Bankhead Referendum attend the local meeting held in each community for the purpose of getting the true facts concerning the continuation of the Bankhead Act for 1935-36 season.

Wm. W. Gregory, Adjustment Ass't in Cotton.

## BIG RESPONSE GIVEN TO OLD AGE PENSION MOVEMENT

PETITION TO CONGRESS IS SIGNED BY MORE THAN A THOUSAND PEOPLE OVER THE COUNTY

A large number of people gathered at the Palace Theatre here last Saturday morning in response to a called mass meeting for the purpose of discussing the proposed pension plan for persons over 60 years of age. The proposal received with enthusiasm and was almost unanimously endorsed by the gathering.

W. E. Dortch who took the lead in sponsoring the movement locally made the opening talk and a permanent organization was formed to sponsor the proposal and keep it before Congress for action. W. D. Starcher was elected president of the organization; C. L. Love, vice-president; Geo. Harris, treasurer and Miss Ruth Maples, secretary.

A generalization of the discussions made favoring the proposed legislation was that a pension or regular monthly income of at least enough to insure an independent livelihood be paid by the government to persons above 60 years of age. The petition circulated sponsoring this legislation left details up to the President and the legislative bodies.

W. E. Dortch, who will carry the petition to Ft. Worth personally, states that at the present time approximately a thousand citizens of the county have expressed themselves favorable to the proposition with but very few voicing objections. Numerous communities and cities over the state have sponsored like movements and representatives will meet in Ft. Worth this week end to forward the movement to the national capital.

Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh Harkey were here from the farm home in the Midway community. Mrs. Harkey reports a splendid crop yield considering the prevailing conditions the past year.

## Spurites Treated To Interesting Lecture

Spurites were treated to a most interesting lecture Saturday evening at the Spur Inn on the subject of the origin and development of the alphabet. Dr. Carl L. Svenson, former professor of Texas Tech., delivered the interesting discourse which was accompanied by pictorial slides shown on a screen.

A great deal of romantic history is incorporated in the development and evolution of the various characters of our alphabet and those who were in attendance found Dr. Svenson's lecture extremely interesting.

The lecture was sponsored by William H. Martin, Minister; and Clifford B. Jones, Warden, of the Protestant Episcopal Church, High School teachers and pupils were honor guests for the occasion.

## H. D. Council Will Hold Its Annual Meeting, Nov. 24

The Dickens County Home Demonstration Council will hold its annual business meeting Saturday, November 24, at which time each officer and standing committee chairman will make a written report of her work. Each club will make a summary report of its work on those items included in the agent's annual report.

New officers for the coming year will be elected at this time. The nominating committee, appointed at the October Council meeting will nominate officers for the Council for next year. This budget will be accepted or revised and accepted by the Council Saturday. It is important that every home demonstration club in the county be represented at this important Council meeting.

Mrs. E. P. Tayloe, of Paris, Tenn., arrived in Dickens last week for a two weeks visit with her sisters, Mrs. Gil Green and family of near Dickens, and Mrs. Clark Mullican of Lubbock, and her numerous friends in Dickens county. Mrs. Tayloe was a resident of Dickens county for many years until a few years ago she moved to Tenn. to make her home.

## Federal Court Held In Spur Last Week

The first case to be heard in Dickens County under the famous Frazier-Lemke Act was heard last week in Spur. Under the provisions of this Federal law a farm debtor who is about to be disposed of his farm may come before the County Conciliation Commissioner and have his farm re-appraised, and is then made a preferred purchaser with 6 years in which to pay the farm out. The case heard last week was that of George Washington Harrison, of Kent County, whose case was referred to H. A. C. Brummett, Federal Conciliation Commissioner for Dickens and King Counties, under appointment of Judge James C. Wilson, and as Kent County had no Conciliation Commissioner this case was referred to Judge Brummett. Mr. Harrison and his creditors readily agreed upon a reduction of his debts and for him to keep possession and use of his farms. A report will next be made by the Conciliation Commission to the Hon. James C. Wilson, United States District Judge for the Northern District of Texas for confirmation of the settlement agreed upon by the debtor and his creditors, and the case dismissed.

## Important Meeting To Be Held Thurs. Night, At McAdoo

The Dickens County Educational Association meets in regular session Thursday night, November 22nd, at the McAdoo School. We are very anxious to have all teachers and trustees of the County and as many others as possible present so as to give our new Deputy State Superintendent, Miss Sue Mann, who will be present, a good introduction to our County.

The following program will be rendered:

1. Entertainment—McAdoo School and Community.
2. Address—Miss Sue Mann, Deputy State Superintendent.
3. Singing of War Songs—Leader, Mrs. Zachry.
4. Discussion: Music In the Public Schools for the Next Two Years—Mrs. McKnight.
5. Reading—Miss Cedonia Ditrich.
6. The School and Citizenship—Rev. Yeats.
7. Auditorium Activities—Mrs. Oscar McGinty.

## Bankhead Signers Urged To Attend Meeting Fri. Night

According to an announcement by Penn Shugart, a meeting will be held next Friday evening at the East Ward School house pertaining to the Bankhead Act. All persons who signed contracts will be especially interested in the discussions at this meeting and are urgently requested to attend.

The meeting will be opened promptly at 7:15.

## Gilmore - Latham

A wedding of much interest to friends of the contracting parties was solemnized at Crosbyton, Texas Wednesday, October 31st, with Rev. E. L. Tennyson reading the ceremony, uniting in marriage, Miss Leonora Gilmore and Joe Latham. Mrs. Latham is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Gilmore of near Girard, one of Dickens County's oldest and most highly esteemed families, and is a young woman with the attributes necessary to the making of a well organized, permanent and happy home.

Joe Latham is a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Latham, excellent citizens of the Red Hill community. He is recognized as a young man of business qualifications and is to be congratulated upon his choice of a bride.

The Texas Spur extends congratulations and good wishes for happiness and prosperity.

Mrs. Ralph Cobb of Dickens was shopping and visiting in Spur Saturday.

## SPUR LOSES TO FLOYDADA 13-27

By ARCHER POWELL

The Spur Bulldogs lost a heart breaking, hard fought, game to the Floydada Whirlwinds Friday at Floydada. In a game filled with heart throbs and heart aches Spur's conference title hopes were smashed by the strong offense of the Floydada squad.

Both teams showed plenty of strength on the offense but the defense was sadly lacking. The game was uncommon in that there were a total of thirty-three first downs and each team punted only four times. Floydada proved to be by far the toughest class B aggregation Spur has faced this season.

Spur received the kickoff and after 3 downs with no gain Scoggins punted to Floydada's 39 yd. mark. Lider and Matthews were good for a first down in three plays. The next three plays netted Floydada only 3 yds. on a pass Matthews to Rutledge. Lider punted 70 yds. to Martin who returned to Spur's 19 yd. stripe. With three tries Spur advanced 6 yds. and Scoggins punted out of bounds on the Spur 41 yd. line. Lider made a first down on two plays. Matthews was good for 12 yds. on two downs and Lider made 5 yds. and Matthews 1 yd. Lider picked up 7 yds. through the line placing the leather on the Spur 4 yd. line. Matthews bucked the line for 3 yds. Lider was stopped, Matthews made the counter through left tackle. Lider made the extra point on a short lateral and an end run.

Lider was taken from the field bleeding freely at the nose and mouth. Allen was sent in.

McArthur, Martin and Scoggins carried the ball 25 yds for two first downs in 7 plays after Scoggins received the kick on his 20 yd and returned to the Spur 37 yd mark. Quarter ends Floydada 7 Spur 0.

### Second Quarter

Perkins, Chapman and Jones replace Wilhoit, McCombs and Bell.

A lateral pass Martin to Bostic gains 12 yds. Martin and McArthur failed to gain and Martin picked up 7 yds around rt. end. McArthur 2 yds. and ball went to Floydada on downs.

Matthews got 4 yds. on 3 plays. (Lider replaced Rutledge) Lider punted 19 yds to Scoggins returned 4 yds to Floydada 38. (McCombs for Jones) Scroggins added 3 yds. Chapmans pass to Martin was incomplete. Martin sidestepped and twisted through to cover 25 yds. and score standing up. Bingham did a perfect job of drop kicking for the extra point.

Binghams kick went over the end zone giving Floydada possession on her 20 yd. line. Matthews, Lider and Lightfoot made a first down in three stabs at line. Allen added 8 yds. Spur 15 yd penalty. Lider was stopped. Matthews and Lider made a first down in three tries placing the ball on Spur's 40 yd. line. Matthews and Lider advanced 11 yds. for another first down in two plays. Repeated for another first down, Matthews picked up 2 yds. Lider failed. Floydada 15 yd penalty. Lider runs around right end for 20 yds and a score. Matthews failed to go over for extra point.

Suits returned Lidars kick 10 yds to the 40 yd. line. Martin passed to McArthur for 20 yds. and flipped another one to Scoggins for 12 yds leaving the ball on the Floydada 30 yd line. Floydada penalized 5 yds. for excessive time out. Martin picked up 3 yds, Bingham pass inc. Scroggins got 5 yds for first down. A lateral pass Martin to Bostic was good for 4 yds. Martin makes it a first down. McArthur picked up 2 yds placing the ball on Floydada's 5 yd line at the end of the half. Spur 7 Floydada 13.

### Half

Rutledge returned Bingham's kick 30 yds to the Floydada 40 yd. line. Matthews and Rutledge made a first down. Matthews and Lider failed to make it a first down in three plays and Lider punted. Spur's 25 yd. line. Martin made (Turn to Back Page, Please)

## ERICSON'S GROCERY and CENTRAL MARKET

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**JOWLS** good to fry or boil, lb. 18c  
**ROAST**, any kind, Calf, lb. 11c  
**MILK**, small cans, 7 for 25c  
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**COFFEE**, Espuela, good as any, 1 lb 22c

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Choice Calf  
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**THANKS FOR THE FLOWERS**

Since the issuance of our Silver Anniversary edition of The Texas Spur on November 8, the members of the force have singly and jointly received numerous compliments which were most highly appreciated and cause us to feel doubly repaid for our efforts. The bouquets have been handed us verbally, through letters, and in the editorial columns of our fellow newspaper publishers.

Sam Roberts of the Scurry County Times at Snyder was most profuse in his complimentary remarks, stating that the edition was not only well written and arranged but was excellent from a standpoint of make-up, advertising composition and printing.

L. F. Wade of the Jayton Chronicle pens—"Congratulations to The Texas Spur—The Silver Anniversary edition of the Texas Spur was one of the best we have ever had come to our exchange table. It was excellent from every view point. Covering the life and growth of Spur for the last 25 years as it did it becomes a valuable historical document. It was well written, well arranged and well printed and an achievement the publishers as well as the city of Spur may well be proud of."

This from Marshall Formby of the Aspermont Star: "Congratulations go to Mrs. Oran McClure and sons of Spur for their 24-page

special Silver Anniversary edition of the Texas Spur. The city of Spur is celebrating its 25th birthday this month, and the Texas Spur is celebrating too, since it started in November of 1909.

"The edition is one of the best to enter the Star office in many years. Congratulations, Mrs. McClure, 'Noots', Weldon, and Max."

Mrs. Dunbar, able editor of the Palo Pinto Star compliments her sister publisher thusly: "We enjoyed the special anniversary edition of the Texas Spur, of Spur, Texas last week. The entire paper including the advertisements, and historical articles were extremely interesting. The editor of this paper, by the way, is a lady, Mrs. Oran McClure, a very charming, gentle and clever one. It was our pleasure to meet Mrs. McClure at the West Texas Press Association in that hospitable little city last summer. Since that time we have had our papers on exchange, and we enjoy the Texas Spur immensely."

A. J. (Jack) Stricklin of the Terry County Herald at Brownsville, who by the way could ably criticize the edition as to its historical authenticity, has this to say: "The Texas Spur came to our desk this week with a 24 page special edition, celebrating the 25th anniversary of that city and paper. It was really a very creditable and interesting paper, with abundance of articles about old times and old times. The first time the writer passed along where Spur now stands, the stakes for the railroad had just been set. There was a little store up at old Espuela where the old ranch headquarters had been for years, and used by both the Espuela Land & Cattle Co., of London, England, and the S. M. Swenson interests after they bought out the English firm."

Thanks for the flowers, folks, and we hope you'll not forget those whose enthusiastic and generous cooperation made the edition possible.

S. L. Porter, a prominent citizen and prosperous farmer of the Croton country was a Spur visitor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Walker of the Twin Wells community were shopping and visiting in Spur Saturday.

V. C. Finney, a prominent citizen of McAdoo, was a Spur visitor Saturday and while in the city was an appreciated caller at The Texas Spur office tendering us three dollars to apply on subscriptions to the paper. We hope Mr. Finney and family will find the paper as interesting in the future as they have in the past.

A. J. Allen, a prominent McAdoo citizen was among the many Spur visitors Saturday and during his stay here was a pleasant caller at The Texas Spur office.

Albert Jordan was in Saturday from his farm home southeast of the city. He reports good rains in his community during the recent wet spell.

Rex and Truman Wallace, prominent farmers of the McAdoo section were business visitors in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williamson and family of lower Red Mud, were visitors and shoppers in Spur Saturday of last week.

Deputy Sheriff F. O. Dillon was over from Dickens Saturday, greeting friends and attending to business matters here.

Mrs. James F. Williams was a caller at the Texas Spur office the past week end securing three copies of the Silver Anniversary edition of the paper to send to her sons, Weldon and Frank Williams in the Rio Grande Valley and to her daughter, Dorothy, who lives in Arizona.

Rev. W. H. Martin, pastor of the Protestant Episcopal Church, from Stamford, was an appreciated caller at the Texas Spur office Saturday, having us place his name on the mailing list for a year's subscription. Rev. Martin states that he plans within the near future to spend a week of his time each month in this city.

A letter from Mr. and Mrs. Joe Watson, who recently moved to Odessa to make their home, states that they like Odessa fine and want The Texas Spur sent to them there. Joe is engaged in the tailoring business at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Westerman had as guests over last week end her brother Mr. and Mrs. John Mann and two daughters, Mrs. Earl Fisher, of Lockney, and Mrs. Perry Greer of Anson.

**Steel Hill Club**

"Health and happiness in the home are the things that I am most thankful for," said Mrs. Donnie Pace, in answer to roll call in the Thanksgiving program which was rendered by the Home Demonstration club, Tuesday November 13 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Carlisle.

After the program the following officers were elected: Mrs. J. B. Carlisle, president; Mrs. Donnie Pace, vice-president; Mrs. W. M. Hunter, secretary; Mrs. George Vaughn, parliamentarian; and Mrs. J. W. Carlisle, council member and reporter.

We cordially invite every woman in the Steel Hill community to be with us in our next meeting which will be with Mrs. J. B. Carlisle on Tuesday, November 27 at two o'clock.—Reporter.

Harvey Blue, of Crowell, was a visitor to relatives and friends in Spur the past week end.

**Birthday Party**

Little Miss Dorris Gibson delighted a number of her friends Tuesday, November 13 when she entertained in celebration of her second birthday anniversary at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Gibson, North Trumbull Ave.

Twelve guests responded to invitations sent out and were entertained with various indoor games and admiring the lovely gifts presented the honoree.

A big birthday cake with all the "fixtures" was served by Mrs. Gibson to the honoree and guests Little Misses Ann Hull, Jo Ann Dickey, Betty Lee, Jane Brannen, Genevieve Taylor, Creola Rector, Bonnie Bess Henry, Frances Gibson and Masters Mac Wilson, Patrick Watson, Buddie Johnson, Mac Brannen, and Delbert Jean Pierce.

For Plain and Fancy Sewing, see Mrs. Ela Thomas, Spur. tfp

**MRS. JOE LATHAM HONORED**

Miss Dorothy Kerley was a most pleasant hostess Friday afternoon, entertaining with a shower honoring Mrs. Joe Latham a recent bride, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Kerley, of Red Hill. Quite a number of pretty and useful gifts were evidence of the love and friendship in which this young couple share.

Thirty nine guests called to enjoy the hospitality of the Kerley home and pay tribute to the honoree.

Delicious refreshments were served to those present on this occasion.

Arthur Lee Dunn spent the day in Spur with his mother Mrs. Dunn and sons Sherrod and Morris Ray.

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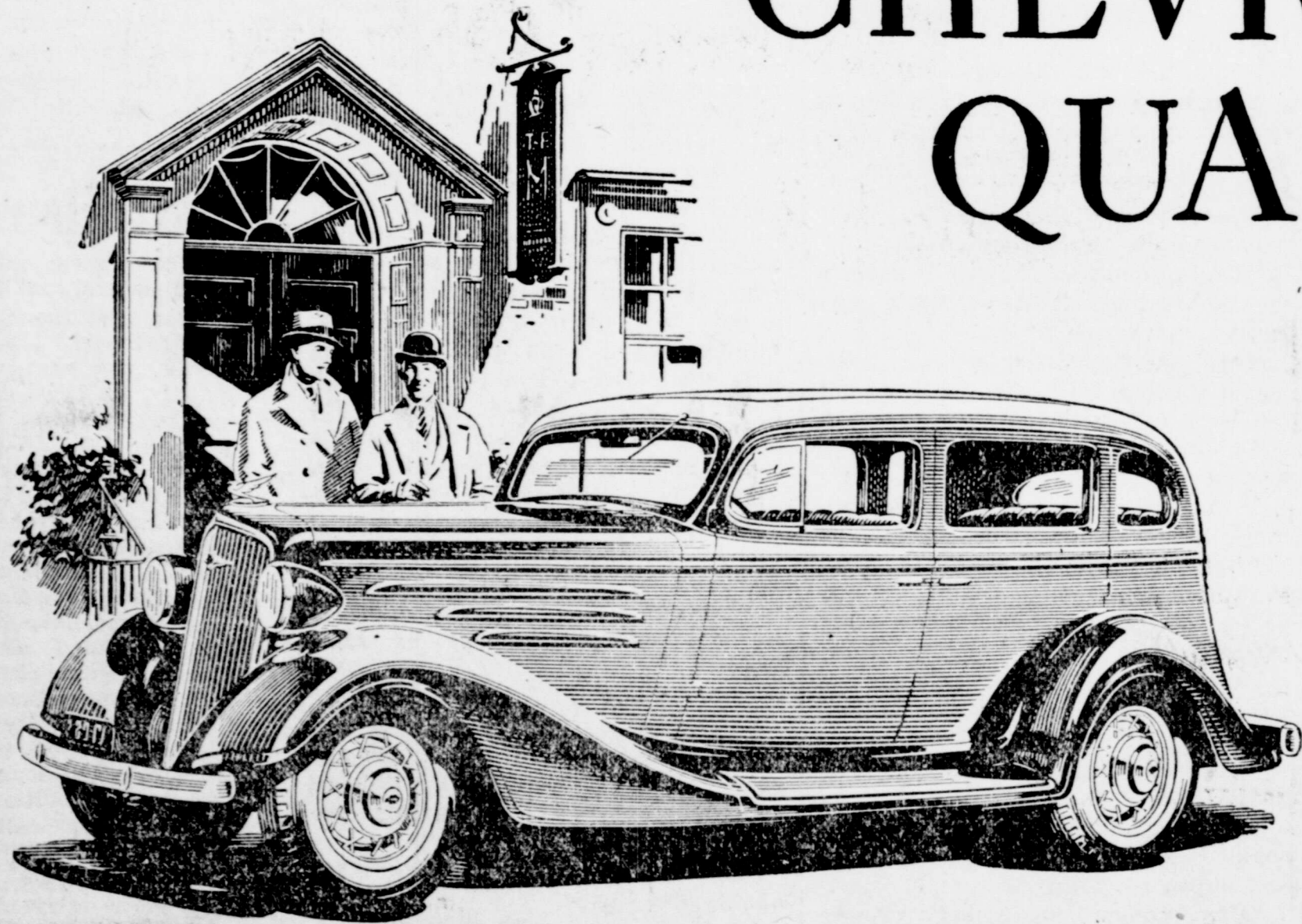
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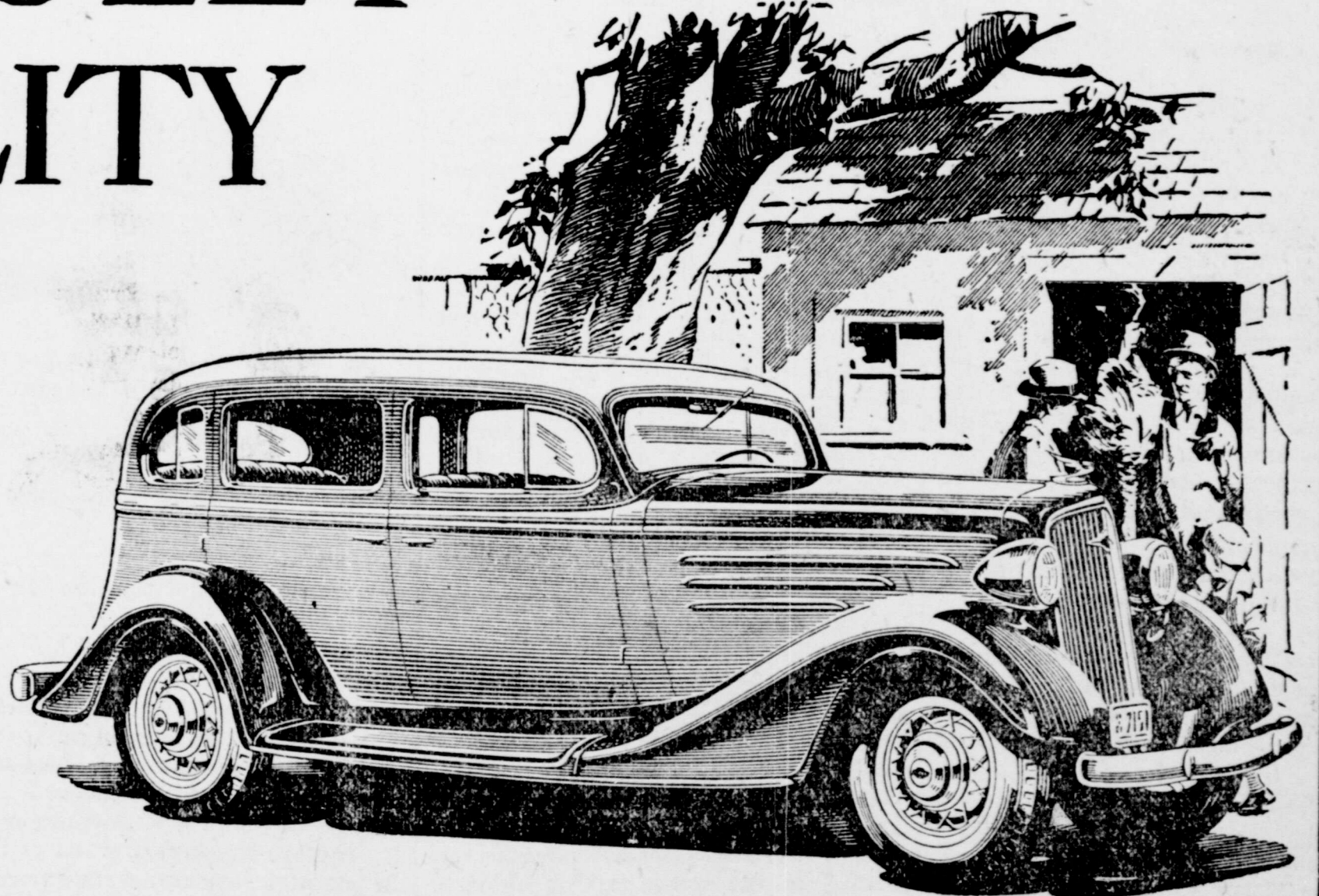
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Above are list prices of passenger cars at Flint, Mich. With bumpers, spare tire and tire lock, the list price of Master Models is \$20 additional. Prices subject to change without notice.



Mr. and Mrs. Luther Edwards were over from their home in Dickens Saturday, spending some time here shopping and attending to business affairs.

**THE STATE OF TEXAS,**  
County of Dickens

By virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dickens County, on the 16th day of October 1934, by Nettie Littlefield, Clerk of said court against the estate of J. L. Curry, Deceased, D. R. Curry, A. H. Reeder, the unknown heirs of J. L. Curry, Deceased, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of J. L. Curry, Deceased, for the sum of Nine Hundred Twenty-two & 68/100 (\$922.68) Dollars and costs of suit, in cause No. 1301 in said Court, styled L. B. Withers, Receiver, Et Al versus D. R. Curry, Et Al and placed in my hands for service, I, W. B. Arthur as Sheriff of Dickens County, Texas, did, on the 16th day of October 1934 levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Dickens County, described as follows, to-wit: 20.39 acres of land in Dickens County, Texas known as Tract No. 5 out of Survey 224, Certificate 10/2007, H. & G. N. R. Co. Survey, Block 1, H. Rhomberg, Original Grantee, and levied upon as the property of the said Estate of J. L. Curry, Deceased, D. R. Curry, Deceased, and the unknown heirs of J. L. Curry, Deceased, and A. H. Reeder.

And on Tuesday, the 4th day of December 1934, at the Court House door of Dickens County, in the town of Dickens, Texas, between the hours of ten A. M. and four P. M. I will sell said land at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, as the property of said Estate of J. L. Curry, Deceased, D. R. Curry, Deceased, and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of J. L. Curry, Deceased, and A. H. Reeder by the virtue of said levy and said order of sale.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication, in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in The Texas Spur a newspaper published in Dickens County.

Witness my hand, this 16th day of October 1934.  
—W. B. ARTHUR  
Sheriff, Dickens Co., Tex.  
By J. H. DOBBINS, Deputy

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AN ORDINANCE FOR THE PREVENTION OF FIRES, ESTABLISHING FIRE LIMITS, A STANDARD OF CONSTRUCTION, MAINTENANCE, REPAIRS AND REMOVAL OF BUILDINGS, PROVIDING FOR PERMITS FOR BUILDINGS AND FEES FOR SAME, WITH RESPECT TO ALL CONSTRUCTION, REMOVAL AND REPAIRS WITHIN THE FIRE LIMITS OF THE CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS, AND FIXING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF SPUR, TEXAS:

**SECTION 1: FIRE LIMITS**

That the following described area within the City of Spur, Texas is hereby designated as fire limits.

The East One-half of Block Nos. 5, 12, 21, 28, and 37;  
The West One-half of Block Nos. 6, 11, 22, 27, and 38;

The North West One-fourth of Block No. 21;  
The South West One-fourth of Block No. 28;

The South East One-fourth of Block No. 27 and;  
The North-East One-fourth of Block No. 22, all in the original townsite of Spur, Texas.

**SECTION 2: PERMIT REQUIRED**

No wall, structure, building, or part thereof shall hereafter be built, enlarged or altered, until a plan of the proposed work together with a statement of the material to be used, shall have been submitted to the City Clerk, who shall, in accordance with the provisions herein contained, issue a permit for the proposed construction or alteration.

Structures hereafter erected without a permit or not in conformity with this ordinance shall be removed.

No building shall be moved from one location to another within the fire limits until a permit has been obtained therefor. A permit shall be issued only in case the construction is in accordance with this ordinance.

**SECTION 3: INCOMBUSTIBLE CONSTRUCTION REQUIRED WITHIN FIRE LIMITS**

The purpose of this section is to prohibit the erection within the fire limits of wooden, iron-clad, stucco, or veneer type of buildings. Every building hereafter erected altered or enlarged within the fire limits shall be enclosed on all sides with walls constructed wholly of stone, well burned brick, or reinforced concrete and shall have the roof, also the roof and sides of all roof structures covered with incombustible material. All cornices shall be of incombustible material.

**SECTION 4: FRAME BUILDINGS**

No structure, whose walls are wholly, or in part, constructed of wood, shall, hereafter, be built or moved into the fire limits as herein designated, or as they may hereafter be established, except as follows:

A. Temporary one story frame buildings for the use of builders.

B. Small out houses not exceeding One-hundred square feet in area, and eight feet in height, not located within thirty feet of any other building nor within five feet of any lot line.

Any existing frame or iron clad building within the fire limits, which may hereafter be damaged by fire, decay, or otherwise, to an amount greater than one-half its present value, exclusive of the foundation, shall not be repaired or rebuilt but shall be removed.

**SECTION 5: GAS CONNECTIONS**

Gas connections to stoves and similar heating devices shall be made of rigid metal pipes. For small portable gas heating devices, flexible metal or rubber tubing may be used when there is no valve or other shut off on the device.

**SECTION 6: FEES REQUIRED**

Before the erection, construction, or alteration, or raising of any building, structure or wall or any part thereof, or any platform, staging or flooring to be used for standing or seating purposes is commenced, the owner or lessee, or agent or either, or the architect or builder thereof, shall apply to the City Clerk for a permit to do such work, such application shall be in writing, and shall contain a plan of the proposed work, with a statement of the material to be used with the contract price or estimated cost, and shall be accompanied by a fee of Two & 50/100 (\$2.50) Dollars. The City Clerk shall then, upon approval of the application, issue a permit for such improvements if said application is in accordance with provisions herein contained.

**SECTION 7: PENALTY FOR VIOLATIONS**

Any person, persons, firm or

**New Books Added To The City Library**

The following books were added to the City Library last week: "LONG REMEMBER"—A novel by MacKinlay Kantor, reviewed by MINIBEL JOHNSON

"Long Remember" is a charming story told around the little town of Gettysburg during the Civil War. MacKinlay Kantor, author of this historical novel, is a realist seldom equaled. There are long years of study behind this novel, and to those who are interested in this books as history, they will find it authentically correct.

There is absolutely no sectional prejudice, it is told from the view point of a pacifist who came to the west just a few days before the battle of Gettysburg. Daniel Bale is head and shoulders above the other characters of the book.

The stark realism of this books is aided by this terse, concise, almost brief manner in which Kantor writes.

The raw, real emotions of this book draw the characters closer to the reader, and decidedly make it more convincing.

To the reader who does not care for history he will find the book as amusing as any modern novel. The complications, desires, and love that we meet in this book are still living in us now.

The people of Gettysburg in their blind bewildered fear are pitiful and human.

When the reader closes this book his eyes will be dim to the present, and he will find din of the Civil War in his ears, and a picture of pretty Irene Fanning before his eyes.

"CODE OF THE WEST," by Zane Grey, latest book of this famous and popular author of Western Stories.

"TALES OF LOVELY TRAILS," author, Zane Grey—this time a collection of Tales of trips and experiences of this author.

"ANDREW JACKSON, THE BORDER CAPTAIN," by Marquis James (author of "The Raven"). A note from the Publishers (Bobbs-Merrill): This is the story of an almost fantastic courage an unawed lightning nerve, a colossal will that was capable of astounding exploits and that animated followers to deeds beyond their strength, a burning patriotism, a love of glory and a hair trigger sensitiveness to personal honor.

Be sure and read this gripping life story of "Old Hickory." "THE SECOND HOUSE FROM THE CORNER," by Max Miller, reviewed by JAMES H. PERRY

Max Miller's first literary effort, "I Cover the Waterfront," enjoyed phenomenal success and definitely established the author in the ranks of well-known American writers. His

corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall upon conviction, be fined in any sum not exceeding One-Hundred (\$100.00) Dollars, and each and every day of such violation shall be deemed a separate offense.

**SECTION 8: CONFLICTING ORDINANCES REPEALED**

All ordinances and parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed. This ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication.

Passed at a Special Meeting of the Board of Commissioners of the City of Spur, Texas, the 26th day of September 1934.

Approved:  
E. J. COWAN,  
Mayor

Attest:  
L. R. BURROW,  
City Clerk

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latest contribution, "The Second House from the Corner," might properly be termed a sequel to this first volume. It is written in the same whimsical, speculative manner, and is a series of thirty four disconnected pieces, all of which have their locale in the neighborhood in which the author lives. The "second house" is the home which he builds for himself in a small suburban village on the California coast.

From his several years experience as a reporter on a San Diego paper, Author Miller learned the value of the human interest story. He uses this knowledge to good advantage as he writes about himself, his neighbors, his community. He tells of his ninety-three year old friend who lives in a chicken house, of his mailman, the town gossip, Mrs. Lanyard, the wealthy summer visitor from the East who tries to rule the neighborhood. He relates with much humor, his encounter with the local police; he characterizes his neighbors in a spirit of friendly fun. Sometimes however, he grows wistful over old dreams of adventure, but offers himself consolation as he reflects on his new status as a husband, a householder, and a taxpayer. He finds gratification in his newly acquired respectability. To use his own words, "... once you get ready to become married and settle down, you'll not find it half as bad as you thought. Lots of exciting things happen right around your own house every day."

"The Second House from the Corner" clearly exhibits Max Miller's extraordinary ability to dramatize the immediate world about him yet he does it in the simplest way possible. The characters he uses are those we see about us every day; he relates some trival incident, and by his subtle style and introspective analysis, produces a result peculiarly his own. The same subject matter from the pen of any other author or would undoubtedly take an entirely different trend, and would completely lack the sound human philosophy which this author finds in every-day life.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ousley of the Red Mud community were visitors and shoppers in Spur Saturday of the past week.

**Covered Dish Dinner And All Day Quilting**

One of the most pleasant social occasions of the season was that of Thursday of last week when a number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. O. C. McMahan of Espuela for an all day quilting bee and dinner and in preparation of the latter each took a covered dish of delicious food.

The day was a most enjoyable occasion for all and especially for the hostess as she for the past several weeks has been indisposed and confined to her home.

Guests present were Mrs. Riley McMahan, and son Roy, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McMahan, Mr. and Mrs. Coy McMahan, Mrs. Hugh Gray and daughters, Bender and Nadine, Mrs. Coy Dobson and son Donald, Mrs. J. W. Pickens, Mrs. Murphy and Pike, Mrs. C. N. Kidd, Mrs. Elzy Armstrong and two children Glenda and Charles, Mrs. A. R. Horn, Mrs. Lily, Mrs. Ollie Hindman and two children Billie Marie and Donald, Mrs. A. C. Hindman, Mrs. W. A. Johnson, Mrs. W. H. Cordon and son Don, Mrs. Bob Wade and J. W., Mrs. J. W. Meadows, Mrs. Kate Buchanan, Mrs. Julia Faulkner, Mr. (Dad) Adams and guest of honor Mrs. O. C. McMahan.

Upon departing each guest in bidding the hostess goodby declared having spent a most enjoyable day and expressed wishes for an early return visit.—A Guest.

**ENTERTAINED**

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fox, proprietors of the Highway Cafe, entertained with a sumptuous one o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of the occasion of a visit of his brother and nephew, Raymond Fox and R. W. Carpenter, respectively, of Prairie Hill and his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reed and children, Paulagene and Don, of Lubbock. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charley Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fox and daughter, Cecilia, James Fox and little Miss Euna Gene Edwards.

Horace Wood was here from his Kent County farm and ranch home Saturday.

Mrs. Earnest Lee was called to the bedside of her father, Judge Bledsoe, Lubbock, Thursday of last week. Judge Bledsoe has been in declining health the past several months and only recently returned from the north where he had been under the care of a specialist and which has failed to effect a permanent relief as he continues to grow weaker and last week suffered a slight stroke of paralysis from which he had not recovered. Mrs. Lee is in Lubbock today, Wednesday, to be with her father.

Miss Clara Pratt went to Willis, Friday to attend the wedding of her sister, Ruth, Saturday to Mr. Elton McDonald, Sour Lake, Texas. Ruth spent three months with Miss Pratt two years ago.

Miss Clara Pratt, home demonstration agent attended a conference in Stamford Monday and Tuesday with Miss Lida Cooper, district home demonstration agent of this district and twelve other home agents from the east side of the district.

Mrs. E. C. Edmonds is in Fort Worth and Dallas visiting her mother and other relatives and will remain until after the Thanksgiving holidays.

Bob Westerman returned the first of this week from a trip to Cross Plains and other points in Callahan county, looking after business interests and visiting with relatives and friends.

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## Spur Loses---

Spur in an end around run and a lateral Martin to Bostic netted 6 yds. McArthur made it first down, Martin twisted through for 11 yds making three successive first downs. McArthur 3 yds rt end Chapman lost a yd. McArthur gained a yd.

Matthews and Lider made a first down on two tries. Pass Lider to Rutledge incomplete. Matthews is stopped for 1 yd. loss. Lider tore down rt. edge of field for 22 yds. Matthews added 4 yds. and 1 yd. Lider broke loose around rt. end for 15 yds to the 4 yd line. Matthews went over standing up to score. Lightfoot ran rt. end for point.

McArthur returned Lider's kick 10 yds. to his 36 yd line. Martin runs left end for 14 yds and added 5 yds at rt. end. McArthur picked up 3 yds. A lateral Martin to Scroggins gave 3 yds. McArthur came up with 5 yds for first down. Martin and Scroggins made another first down. Martin lateral to Bostic made 7. McArthur was run out on the Floydada 4 yd. line for 12 yds. Making 4 first downs in a row. McArthur bucked the line for 3 yds. Bell for Perkins (Spur) Mooney for Stuart (Floydada) McArthur made the touchdown. Bingham failed to drop kick for point. Spur 13 Floydada 20.

Lider returned Scroggins kick 19 yds. to the 39 yd. line. Matthews tore loose for a 46 yd spree. Rutledge and Lider got 7 yds. Matthews lost 2 yds. to Gilbert's tackle. Lider made 3 yds. Spur's ball on downs.

McArthur tore around rt end for 12 yds. Martin and McArthur added 12 yds. Martin came out with 2 yds. McArthur lost 2 yds. Martin made 2 yds after no chance to pass. Spur drew 5 yd penalty and Scroggins punted to 35 yd line.

Matthews, Lider and Rutledge carried the mail down the field to the 11 yd line and Lightfoot scored the touchdown and extra point.

Lider kicked to Martin who returned 8 yds. to the 24 yd. line. Rutledge intercepted Martin's long pass on the 50 yd. line. Lightfoot no gain. Floydada penalized 5 yds. Lightfoot lost 2 yds. (Baker for Matthews) Lider no gain on two downs. Lider punted 23 yds. Martin no gain. A lateral pass Martin to Bostic gave 20 yds. Martin tried left end for 7 yds. McArthur added 4 yds and first down. Martin's lateral to Hefner netted 7 yds. Martin no gain as game ended.

Score: Spur 13 - Floydada 27.

### Starting Lineups

FLOYDADA	SPUR
Mooney LE	Bostic
Wood LT	Gilbert
Jones LG	Wilhoit
Montgomery C	Bingham
Crawford RG	Bell
Mooney RT	Hefner
Hollingsworth RE	McCombs
Rutledge Q	Martin
Lightfoot LH	Scroggins
Matthews RH	Suitt
Lider F	McArthur

Officials: DeFord, referee; Williams, umpire; Hicks, head lineman.

FLOYDADA	SPUR
268 yds. from scrimmage	191
7 yds. lost scrimmage	5
3 attempted passes	9
2 passes completed	3
10 yds from passes	44
18 first downs	16
4 punts	4
152 yds from punts	91
4 penalties	2
40 yds. penalized	20

E. T. Varnell, prominent farmer of the Afton community was transacting business and greeting friends in Spur Monday.

Attorney Alton B. Chapman returned Saturday from a business and professional trip to Dallas and other points in the eastern part of the state.

Mrs. Walter Neeley and Miss Lola Dee Blue left Saturday of last week for Lubbock where they will attend a course in beauty culture.

Marshall Formby, editor of the Aspermont Star, Miss Nora Ellen Elliot, H. D. A. of Stonewall County, and F. A. Cunyus, of Aspermont, passed through Spur Sunday returning to Aspermont after attending the "Home Coming" at Texas Tech.

Miss Monte Shugart returned recently from Galveston where she has had employment for the past eight or ten months.

J. W. Collier, of Dickens, was a Spur visitor the first part of the week, attending to business matters here. He states that the northern section of the county had received very little rain during the recent wet spell.

Commissioner Ed Fuqua, of Kent county, was a business visitor in this city Saturday.

## Mrs. J. T. George Dead

Word was received here last week of the death of Mrs. J. T. George, at Waterloo, Iowa. Mrs. George will be remembered in this section by all the old timers as she settled the Bar J. G. Ranch in King and Dickens counties many years ago. The Bar J. G. Ranch at one time was one of the famous cattle ranches of this part of Texas.—Jayton Chronicle.

## 4-H Club Select Goals

The three goals for the cooperators in clothing work for the year were discussed in the Patton Springs 4-H club Thursday morning. The goals selected were: 1. make a collar; 2. make a school dress; 3. wash underwear after each wearing. Two of the Patton Springs girls have completed their collars and the others are under construction.

Edith Baxter, song leader lead the club in singing two peppy songs.

Club members present were Edith and Lizzie Lou Baxter, Leta Floyd, Willie Galloway, Evelyn and Lillie B. Hamm, Clarice Hughes, Paula Mae Johnson, Iva Lee Robertson, Vera Livingston, Opal Sharp, Ada Mae Ussery, Lois Willmon, and Bernice Mayo.—Paula Mae Johnson, reporter.

Mrs. Addie Sizemore of Croton and mother, Mrs. Davidson of Dumont were business visitors in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reed and children, Paulagene and Don, spent Sunday in Spur visiting her brothers Mr. and Mrs. Bob Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Fox, and Raymond Fox of Prairie Hill who was spending a visit in Spur and who accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Reed to Lubbock for a visit with them in their home. A nephew, P. W. Carpenter, Jr. of Prairie Hill also accompanied them home for a visit. Paul Reed is circulation manager of the Lubbock Avalanche and Evening Journal.

W. T. Lovell was down from the Wichita section Saturday, meeting with friends and transacting business affairs.

Hud House, a prominent grocerman and merchant of Ralls, was a business visitor in Spur Tuesday of this week and while here was a very pleasant caller at The Texas Spur office. Mr. House is a farmer newspaper man and since entering another line of business has "practiced what he formerly preached" in that he is a vigorous and continuous advertiser. He reports conditions in general at Ralls very good at this time.

R. L. Harkey left Saturday for Takemsey, Mason county, where he will spend several days visiting his parents and hunting deer.

Mrs. R. L. Harkey left Sunday for Madill, Oklahoma, where she will spend a week or ten days visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Townsend.

Mac Wilson, manager of West Texas Utilities Co., Edgar McGee, Texaco Dealer, Neal Chastain, with Sanders Pharmacy, in company with R. W. Campbell and other parties of Abilene left last week for the Big Bend country where they expect to bag the limit. These Spur boys have heretofore managed to bring home their quota and we predict this hunting trip will be no exception to former expeditions.

Mrs. J. H. Edwards visited Mrs. Dunn in Spur Saturday, from her home in Dickens. Mrs. Edwards had returned Thursday from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Barney Nichols and family in Albuquerque N. M., where the family is located temporarily for the benefit of Mrs. Nichols health and which is reported as somewhat improved, we are glad to state.

Jno Goodall, of Girard, was among the many out of town visitors to Spur Saturday. He reports excellent rains there the past several days and that the section is in good shape as far as winter feed is concerned.

## Dr. Harold H. Lawler

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## Cowboy Dies From Injuries Received When Horse Falls

Tom Nichols, 60, veteran cowboy employed by the Matador Land & Cattle Co., died at the Trawek hospital here early Wednesday morning as result of injuries sustained Tuesday evening when his horse rolled over his body. The accident occurred on the Mill-Iron lease of the Matador ranch, located some fifty miles north of Matador, where Mr. Nichols was employed as line rider.—Matador Tribune.

### 1917 STUDY CLUB

The 1917 Study Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. R. C. Forbis in the home of Mrs. Nell Davis. Our President, Mrs. L. H. Perry presided.

Roll call was answered by each member giving quotations from "Poor Richards Almanac."

A very interesting lesson on Pennsylvania was led by Mrs. R. E. Dickson.

The History and Geography of Pennsylvania was discussed by Mrs. Ernest Lee.

Miss Jennie Shields gave a Thanksgiving reading.

Mrs. W. C. Gruben told interesting facts about Philadelphia.

Lillian Grace Dickson favored the club with a piano solo.

Delicious refreshment plates were served by the hostess.—Reporter.

Misses Mildred Collier and Ann Lee students in ACC returned to Abilene the first of last week, following the Armistice holidays spent in Spur with their parents, Mrs. Blanch Collier and children and Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lee and family.

## Dickens School News

In order to secure some additions to the library, the week of November 12 to 16 was book week. As an inducement for work in soliciting books a contest was inaugurated. The room that contributed the most volumes, all pupils of that room were to be given a free pass to any program in Dickens School for the year. The Fifth grade, Mrs. McGinty teacher, won the contest. The pupils voted to wait until spring and attend the senior play.

Mor than 100 volumes were contributed to the library. Many of these were direct gifts and some were loaned to be used until June 1935.

Some individuals making greatest contributions were M. B. Young 14, Donna Lou Gipson 14, Ellison Crider 7, Billy Dobbs 7, Cecil Hugh Meadors 5, Jimmie Fowler 4, Loyse Stanford 7, Sarah Ann Crider 5, Ruby Dell Overstreet 4, Laydas Stanton 3, Pauline Reynolds 7, and Worth Green 8.

On Friday night, November 16, there was a "Free Band Concert" by the "Merry Miller's String Band" of Floydada in the school auditorium. Following the music there was a pie supper. The proceeds used to make a payment on the new piano bought for the school. Miss Vesta Arthur was selected as most popular girl with Kathryn Berset a close second.

The Dickens School basket ball teams have been very successful in their opening games. The Owls (boys senior) defeated McAdoo 19

Miss Nelda Shields of Broadway spent last week end in Spur a guest of her sister, Mrs. T. H. Blackwell and family.

to 14 and Girard 32 to 31. The girls lost to McAdoo 17 to 11 and won from Girard 22 to 24. The Owlets (second team boys) defeated Kalgary 14 to 9 and lost to Girard 13 to 9.

### MRS. S. H. TWADDELL HOSTESS TO FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. S. H. Taddell was hostess to the Friday Afternoon Club and a number of guests at her home in East Spur Thursday, November 15th.

The house was decorated with lovely roses, cannas and chrysanthemums. "42" was the diversion of the afternoon.

At the conclusion of games delicious refreshments were served to the following ladies: Mesdames W. S. Campbell, Ned Hogan, Ray Dickson, L. R. Burrow, Acie Bailey, J. P. Caudle, L. E. Lee, M. A. Lea, Ray Taylor, J. R. Laine, C. L. Love, G. J. Laine, L. D. Ratliff, Ray Sanders, Roy Stovall, Bynum Brittan, Olan Arthur, M. E. Manning, L. H. Perry, L. R. Barrett, W. C. Gruben, G. L. Barber, C. B. Jones, M. C. Golding, John King, J. P. Carson, W. R. Lewis, and Miss Maude Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ola Miller were here Saturday from their farm home in the Dry Lake community.

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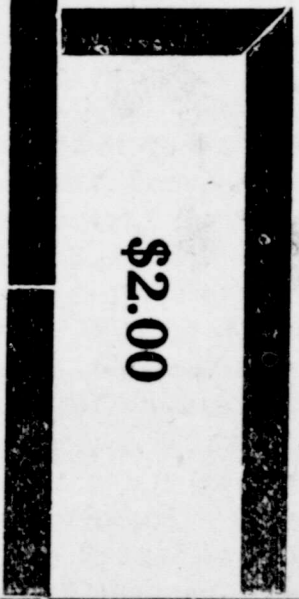
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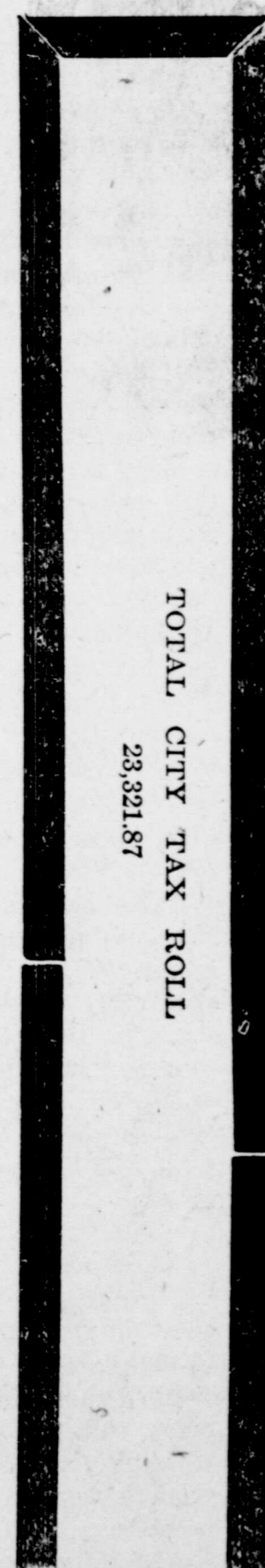


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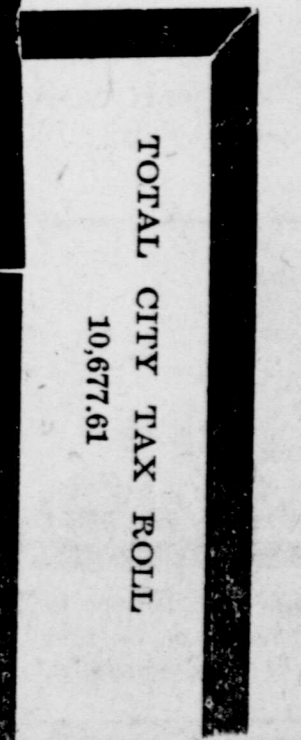


Above is a chart showing the difference in electric light rates in Spur before and after building the Municipal Light Plant. Based on an average monthly consumption of 40 kwh per residence per month.

1929



1934



Above is a chart showing Tax Reductions since the advent of the Municipal Plant in Spur in 1929.

# Spur's Municipal Light and Power Plant

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