HE TEXAS SPUI **REACHING THE FAR CORNERS** READ BY MORE PEOPLE IN 3 OF SPUR TRADE TERRITORY COUNTIES THAN ANY OTHER THE LEADER EVERY WEEK and THE DICKENS ITEM NEWSPAPER SPUR, DICKENS CO. TEXAS, THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1937 VOLUME XXVIII NUMBER 30 June Jubilee Days, Next Tuesday and ROTARY CLUB LOVING **51 Graduated From** SUMMER SCHOOL STARTS MONDAY Methodist Church CUP RETURNED Wednesday, To Bring Largest Number Spur High School The Spur-Ralls-Floydada Rotary High school Principal O. L. Kel-**Revival Starts** Clubs loving cup, which was taken ley announces that a summer school To Spur In History of Town; Beauty Last Friday Night will be conducted at the high school to Ralls several weeks ago when Sunday Morning they won tennis matches at Spur, building starting next Monday. All Contest and Car Given Away Features students interested are asked to see was returned to the local club last Friday. Sam Clemmons and Ty Al-Mr. Kelley and arrange clarses. Commencement Exercises for The First Methodist Church of len defeated the Ralls team at ten-Spur High School were held last Citizens of Spur territory will Godeke will be announced next -Quintant Spur will begin a revival next Sunnis 6-4, 6-4, at Ralls. Friday evening at the Charles A McAdoo Graduation see on parade over 50 of the most week, day morning at the eleven o'clock Jones Memorial Stadium at 8.00. hour, Rev. P. H. Gates, serving his beautiful young ladies in this part Girls entered to date are: Grace Hon. Gerald C. Mann of Dallas, at of the state next Tuesday for the Foster, Mary Louise Lisenby, Helen first year as pastor, will bring the **Rotary-Old Timers** torney, delivered the address of the Exercises Friday measages twice daily. Bob Watkins Gala Beauty Show at the opening Hale, Martha Nichols, Peggy Hoevening. Clifford B. Jones intro of Fort Worth, well known singer, duced the speaker and Supt. O. C. Banquet Tonight of the Spur municipal swimming gap, Pauline Shugart, Miriam Reed, will conduct the singing and look The graduation exercises for the Thomas presided. pool. Each girl entered is sponsored Sammy McGee, La Juan Woods, after the young people's work. McAdoo Senior High School class The following honors were an-Noema Smith, Opal McGlathery, Rev. Gates will preach the gosby some merchant or individual. nounced by Principal O. L. Kelley: will be held Friday evening, 8:00 On Wednesday another big event, Winnie Blair, Bettye Lynn Brown, The annual Spur Rotary Club's pel, he states, from the start and in the high school auditorium. The banquet for old settlers will be held will bring a series of messages that Honor Students Class '37 a feature of the two day June Jubfollowing program will be given. at the Spur Inn next Thursday will do every one good whether they Wynelle McClure, Lavorise Lee, 4 Year Average ilee trades days, will be the giving Processional \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Yeats evening Lester Ericson is chairman are a member of the church or not. Helen Lee, Mae Barnette Johnson, away of a new Ford V-8-85 by the Mary Louise Lisenby, 92.90; Carl of the committee on arrongements Song \_\_\_\_\_ Class Bob Watkins is a well known Billie Burke Hisey, Emily Cowan, Palace Theatre. This event will take Patton, 88.97. and has sent out 50 invitations to Invocation \_\_\_\_\_ Rev. Beaucamp Winifred Lee, Maggie Harwell, soloist and has worked in a number place at 9:30 in the evening. The Welcome \_\_\_\_\_ Koy Neeley old timers of this section the first Honorable Mention of revivals with the Spur pastor. Lois Jo Fallis, Nell Mecom, Elizacar is on display in front of the Ora Pearl Johnston, 92.05; Cleo of the week to be guests of the Friends \_\_\_\_\_ Katherine Ward making an excellent revival team. th Powell. My School and Yours -- Chas Mctheatre daily Tromason, 87.75; Gladys Roberson, The morning services will be Merchants sponsoring entries are: 91.14; Cleo Smith, 90.70; Helen The merchants of Spur will fea-Laughlin The speaker of the evening was from 10 to 11 a. m. in the church Texaco, Kinney Funeral Home, 'Little Old Lady" ----- Quartet ture special price<sub>3</sub> on high quality Hale, 90.50. elected last year and will be here auditorium. The evening services merchandise for the two days. The Gruben Drug & Jewelry, Spur Se-School we have to offer\_ Austin C. according to word received this will begin at 8:00 and will be held Honor Students For Year '37 event was planned to illustrate that curity Book, Bryant-Link Company, Rose week and will be Judge A. P. Dixon Spur can sell quality merchandise Gity Drug Company, Palace Theatre, Man of Visions \_\_\_\_ Judge Formby n the grove east of the church. SENIOR - Cleo Smith, 95.25; Ione Pickens, 95; Mary L. Lisenby, of Seymour. Judge Dixon is an exat a price lower or equal that to be Rita's Beauty. Srop, Dickens Coun- Thanks \_\_\_\_\_ Robert McDonald The public is cordially invited to 93.83; Gladys Roberson, 93; Carl cellent speaker and is a real old

Helen Hale, 91.25; Isabelle Camp. anything but trails to follow. bell. 91.14; Billie B. Hisey, 90

JUNIOR - Grace Dodson, 96.25 Ruth Cowan, 95; Robbie Lou Drig-gers, 93.50; Bill Gruben, 93.25; Spur To Be Center Ainsworth Gates, 91.25; Dorothy Jo Harrington, 90.20; Wynell Mc-Clure, 90; Mary Jo Collier, 90. SOPHOMORE - Grace Foster, Billie Sparks, 90.5; Helen Lollar, 90; Iva Smith, 90.37.

95.33: Billy Powell, 94; Frank interested materialize. A number of Vernon, 91.50; Corbett Roberson, buyers have stated that they would 91.20; Robert Morgan, 91; Bill be in the market this year and Laine, 90.8; Robbie Lemmons, 90.1; would all solicit the farmers busi-Sammie McGee, 90; Gerald Patton, ness. 90.

#### Neither Absent Nor Tardy

Lloyd Barber, John Jo Costolow, G. J. Lane, Gerald Patton, Billy Jo Applegate, Mary Beth Mallory, addition the city plans to grade the Viola Pickens, Maurice Costolow, lone Pickens.

#### Rotary Honor Students

Carl Patton, Isabelle Campbell, Bob Harrell, Grace Dodson, Billie Sparks, Iva Smith, Raymond Ince, Sammie McGee.

Supt. Thomas introduced the following as members of the class and Ned Hogan Chairman of the Board of Trustees, presented the diplomas:

Eva Albin, Dupree Allen, Nell Arthur, Preston Ballard Julian Boothe, Norbon Burks, Marjorie Burrow, Isabelle Campbell, Bill Caraway, Edward Carroll, Margaret Conaway, Alba Cozby, Fred Delisle, Violet Delisle, Collin Denson. Coleman Dodson, Sara B. Draper. R. L. English, Lois Jo Fallis, Hubert Faulkner, Nadine Foreman, Wilson Garner, Letta Hairgrove, Van Hairgrove, Ernestine Hale, Helen Hale,, W. K. Harvey, John Hazelwood, Jr., Billie B. Hisey, Ruby Hines, Elvis Homemaking teacher submitted Holly, W. M. Hunter, Junior Ince,

Walter Johnson, Ora Pearl Jornston, Fred Kinney, Billy Koon, Joyce Koon, Velma Leighton, Mary year homemaking. The extra credit Martin, Junior Martin, Ruby Nell offered in Spur high school.

Patton, 92.25; Cleo Thomason, timer himself having traveled over 92.14; Ora Pearl Johnston, 91.43; the South Plains when there wasn't

**Of Wheat Market** 

Spur with one of the largest 93.5; Margaret Mae Weaver, 91; wheat crops in its history will furnish one of the best markets in FRESHMAN - Raymond Ince, West Texas if the plans of those

> The Wichita Valley Railroad is planning to gravel their loading vards here to make it easier for the truckers to get to the cars. In adjacent streets and this part of town will be the busiest that it has ever been in the month of June.

Commissioner of Agriculture Mc-Donald has been requested to send a scale tester to Spur and this work is expected to be finished providing correct weights first essential

one loader here and this For several years there has see at least one more and probably two more located at the tracks.

With adequate facilities for moving the crop and a ready market with a large number of buyers Spur will be a center for shippers from all over this territory.



#### AFFILIATION GRANTED IN HOMEMAKING

Tuesday, Mrs. O. C. Thomas, material to Miss Esther Sorenson, District Supervisor of Homemaking Education, for affiliation in third L. Lisenby, Alton Loe, Syble Mc- was granted. This was the first year Donald, Mary L. Marsh, Alt, that the third year work has been

n summer necessities.

ound in larger towns. It is the pur- ty Times, Engleman Truck and Class History ----- Sybil Brantly chaser's opportunity to stock up Tractor Company, Spur Motor Com- Song: "End of Trail" --- Quartet pany, Safeway Stores, Spur Cream- Presentation of Diplomas -- Supt.

Sale of season tickets to the ery, Brazelton Lumber Company, swimming pool are on sale at the Speer's Variety Store, Spur Bakery, Benediction \_\_\_\_\_ Rev. Beaucamp City light office and are being of Spur Tailors, West Texas Utilities Recessional \_\_\_\_\_ Mr. Yeats fered at the following prices: Child- Company, Red Front Drug Store, ren up to 16 years of age, \$4.00 for Spur Laundry-Cleaners, Foodway, delivered last Sunday evening by the season; adults from 16 to 65 Clemmons Insurance Agency, San- Rev. R. C. Tennison with a capacity rears of age, \$6.50 for the season. ders & Chastain Pharmacy, Clover crowd in attendance. Supt. Smith The daily admission price is 15c and Leaf Store, Henry Alexander & presided at the program Sunday 25c, Richard Godeke, manager last Company, B. Schwarz & Son, Tri- evening and will preside Friday season, is here and has the pool County Lumber Company, Mission evening.

ready for use. Assistants to Mr. Service Station, Leon Ice, Company,

Additional Credits

Recent information from the

tional Agriculture, 1 unit; and sec-

ond year Home Economics, 1 1-2

units, have been granted the Pat-

ton Springs High School. These

additional credits brings the total

number held by the Patton Springs

The Patton Springs school is per-

raps unique in the history of the

schools of the state in that it be

came fully accredited in the first

year of its existence, securing 16

school to 24 units.

Patton Springs Granted New Agriculture

O. L. Smitr The Commencement sermon was



## Notice To Home **Making Students**

Homemaking students of Spur Cecil Ayers of Tahoka, has been High School who are interested in State Department of Education seicted by the Spur School Board obtaining an extra half credit in states that credit in General Math- to each Vocational Agriculture Homemaking by doing Summer Proematics, 1 unit; third year Voese next year. Mr. Ayers graduat- ject work are requested to see Mrs. ed nom Texas Technological Cul- O. C. Thomas at the High Set lege in 1936 and has spent the past Building anytime from 8 to 5 o' year teaching at Tahoka where he clock either June 4 or June 5. had been reelected. He was reared These summer projects grow out on a farm near Tahoka and is un- of and are directly related to the married. He will come to Spur July long session classroom work. Mrs. Thomas feels that in this way practical Homemaking can be more effectively taught and the work more nearly become an actual part of each girl's life. Every student of Homemaking is urged to participate

> in the summer work. The work will consist of few classroom meetings. The greater part of the work will be individual supervision by Mrs. Thomas, In this way, girls who live in the rural districts can plan their conferences and class work with Mrs. Thomas

### HINDENBURG DISASTER TO

BE SHOWN AT PALACE

The Palace Theatre, with record of the small number attend- regular program, "Three Smart ing camp last summer indicates Girls" Thursday and Friday, also that witr the large number this brings the news-reel scenes of the year that the Spur boys have a Hindenburg Disaster. News camera good chance to bring home the men risk their lives to obtain most sensational films ever made as the The National Scout Jamboree at huge dirigible explodes before the



attend all the services. **Patton Springs** Graduation To Be Held Friday Night

Friday evening, May 28, at 8:20, graduation exercises of the Patton Springs High Smool will be held in the auditorium of the school at Af-

The principal address will be delivered by J. D. Wison, Deputy State Superiintendent of this area. The largest class thus far in the history of the prophool will be graduated. Miss Nell Williams is the valedictorian and Miss Edith Baxter, the salutatorian. Other members of the class are: Clarice Hughes, Howard Richey, Marvin Rogers, W. J. Hamm, Lillie Belle Hamm, Roberta Bowman, Rui-Goodwin, Evie Guyear, Vera Livingston, Freddye Middlebrooks, Con rad Middlebrooks, Laura Belle Earnest, and Gordon Chisenhall.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

## .96 Inch Rainfall **Recorded Monday**

Spur received .96 inch fain Monday night for the second good shower in May. The rain came slow and no damage was reported to growing crops. The entire county received some moisture varying in different

The rain this week was thought to parts. be too late to help wheat much but was of considerable benefit to cotton and row crops. A much better spirit among the farmers was notice able following the rain.

## ALLEN AUTO SUPPLY MOVED THIS WEEK

The Allen Auto Supply was moved this week from the Perry Building on the corner of Burlington and Fifth Street to the Nugent Build-



Stamford, May 25-Rapid progcess is being made on the construction of the new buildings and other betterments in the \$10.000 improvement program at the Texas Cowboy

Reunion grounds. The work will be completed well in advance of the eighth annual Reunion which will be held on July 1, 2 and 3.

Work is well advanced - on the major honors.

\$5,000 pavillion and exhibit building, a two story structure 60x100 Washington, D. C. will start June eyes of the camera.



**Teacher Selected** 

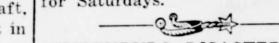
Seventeen Boy Scouts from Troop 35 plan to leave Sunday afternoon for Post for the annual

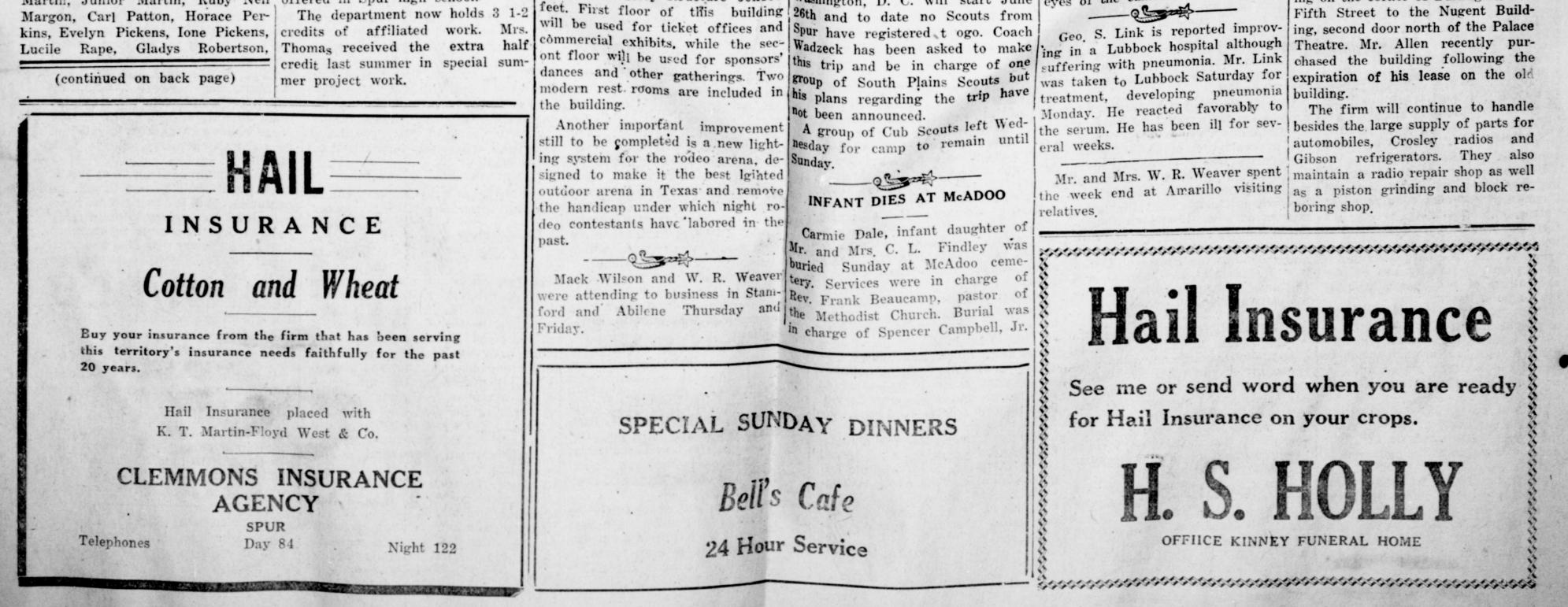
summer camp. The boys will be accompanied by Coach Blackie Wadzeck, Scoutmaster. Coach Wadzeck will remain the camp three weeks teaching

camping, pioneering, campcraft, keep the camp records and assist in

teaching swimming. The Spur troop will compete agains 15 other troops of the South Plains Area for camp honors. The

for Saturdays.





#### THE TEXAS SPUR

## Supervisor Reports On Patton Springs School

The work of classifying and ac- this school and appreciates the crediting the public schools of Tex- courtesies extended to him by Supas is under the direction of the

State Committee composed of eigh- ty. teen members representing the high schools and colleges of the State. This Committee, by establishing educational standards, determines the conditions upon which high schools are classified and accredited and is interested in encouraging schools to attain these standards and in certifying those that have attained them so as to faciliate the transfer of students to any other school or college.

The regulations as prescribed by this Committee are administered by the State Department of Education through high school supervisors. In the visit of the supervisors and in their reports to school authorities. recommendations are offered in the with the State Department of Education in their efforts to maintain the necessary standards of secondary education in Texas.

that end the supervisor who recently visited the Patton Springs School ticing law in Matador with his fath makes the following report to Supt. O. C. Southall.

1. The buildings and equipment nological college. are in excellent condition.

2. The school is properly organized and administered.

3. the course of study fits the needs of this community.

4. The teachers are well qualified and are working under favorable be congratulated for having a good ural cchool

The gapervisor enjoyed visiting erintendent Southall and his facul-



JUDGE ALTON B. CHAPMAN VISITS IN LUBBOCK SATURDAY

Judge Alton B. Chapman of Spur, jum, May 21, 1937. The name of who began duties Monday as district the winner was held in complete judge of the 110th judicial district, secrecy until that time. was a visitor in Lubbock Saturday. Judge Chapman was appointed by Gov. James V. Allred, to succeed

Judge A. J. Folley, who was elevated to associate justiceship of the Amarillo Court of Civil Appeals. Both Chapman and Folley took oath of offcie Saturday, May 15, and began duties Monday.

A five-weeks term of the district court began Monday in Floydada. spirit of cooperation and helpful The past week was grand jury week. suggestion, with the earnest desire the next three weeks will be devotthat all school authoritie will join ed to civil cases, and the fifth week to criminal cases.

> A visiting judge will preside for several cases over which Judge Chapman is disqualified to preside,

In order that the schools may be since he investigated the cases properly certified it is essential that while district attorney. He was disminimum requirements be met. To trict attorney when appointed judge. John A. Hamilton, who was prac-

> er, is the new district attorney. He is a former student of Texas Tech-

-Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

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Mr. and Mrs. Neal Chastain and son spent the week end at Hamlin visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cravey left The Artaban Award, a silver enconditions. The school atmosphere is conductive to a high type of last week for Fost to visit relatives. graved loving cup, has as its obwork. Some very outstanding work They will spend the summer in jective the encouragement of the is being accomplished in this school. school at Lubbock. Homemaking Department to pro-



partment of Spur High School. The announcement of the winner of the award was made public at the High School Commencement Exercises held at the Charles A. Jones Stad-

The basis for judging the winner " the award was approved by the Club in September. Mrs. O. C. Thomas, Teacher of Homemaking, has checked students by that scorecard throughout the year.

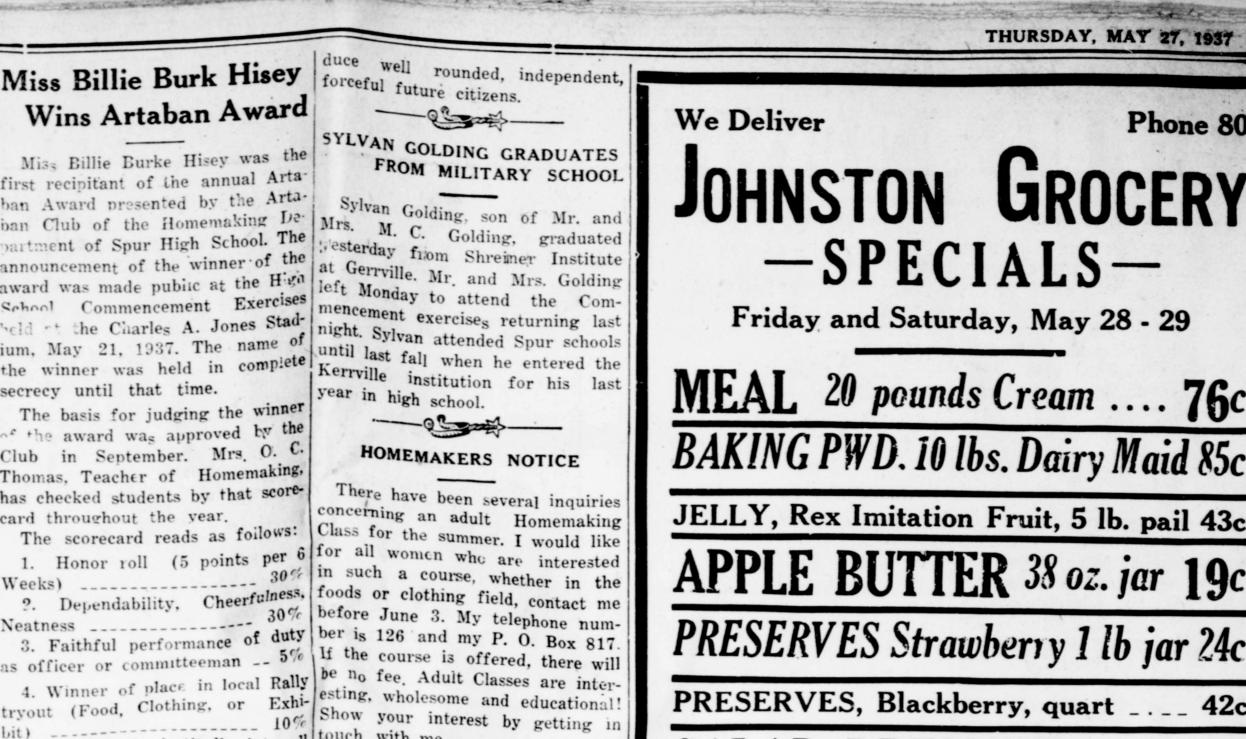
Weeks)

5. Enter enthusiastically into all touch with me. bit) Club activities \_\_\_\_\_ 15%

6. On the Club Programs \_ 5% 7. Initiativeness and originali ty \_\_\_\_\_ 5%

Miss Hisey has served faithfully s the Club president for the past two years. Artaban Club regrets losing her very much. The Club, however, wishes her much luck whereever she goes.

Miss Mary Louise Lisenby fell only a few points behind Miss Hisey in total score. They have both been excellent students in the Homemaking Department.



Mrs. O. C. Thomas, Homemaking Teacher, Spur High School

**Outlook** Justifies State Participation In New York Fair Whalen Voices Opinion in

Inviting Governor and People to the 1939

-SPECIALS-Friday and Saturday, May 28 - 29 MEAL 20 pounds Cream .... 76c BAKING PWD. 10 lbs. Dairy Maid 85c JELLY, Rex Imitation Fruit, 5 lb. pail 43c APPLE BUTTER 38 oz. jar 19c **PRESERVES** Strawberry 1 lb jar 24c PRESERVES, Blackberry, quart \_\_\_\_ 42c SALAD DRESSING qt. .. 27c MARSHMALLOWS, 1 lb. R & W. 15c FLOUR, Elvie Jo Grande, 48 lbs. \_ \$1.45 old, 10 pounds .... 29c SPUDS **GRAPE JUICE Welch's Pasturized gt 49c** 

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# HOME DEMONSTRATION **CLUB NEWS**

## HOME AGENT GIVES NINE DEMONSTRATIONS FIRST

connected with the office that takes up a arge amount of time including MONTH IN THIS COUNTY office work and office calls. Miss day has also had to become acquaint

**"TABLE MANNERS ESSENTIAL** 

OF EVERY HOME" McADOO

4-H CLUB GIRLS LEARN

table manners. Some of them are:

1. Everyone should stand at the

table until the hostess gives the

signal for all to be seated. They

Miss Jean Day, County Home ed with the people of the county Demonstration Agent, has given and adjust herself to the work in

nine demonstrations to 200 wom- this county. en in the county the past month. The demonstrations were on making biscuits and muffins using re-ences from the farmers bulletin on home baking.

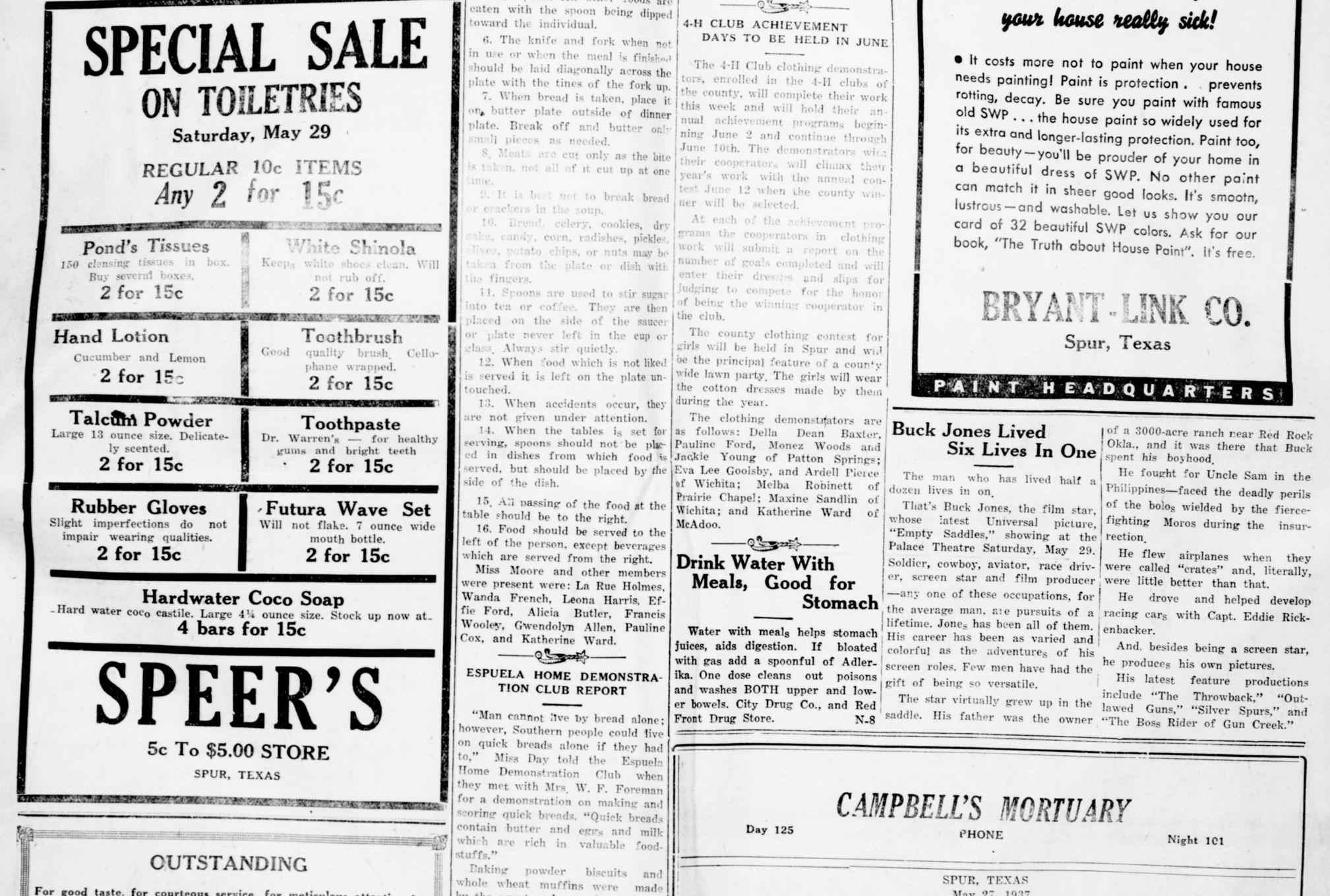
"Table manners are one of the Miss Day stressed in her demon most important phases of every strations the use of tested recipes day life," Miss Hazel Moore, Club and accurate measurements and es-Sponsor told the McAdoo 4-H Club pecially urged the women to use only fresh products as ingredients Girls in their meeting at the school of the biscuits and muffins. She building on Friday afternoon, May also served a casserole dish at each 21. demonstration employing the use of Miss Moore gave each of us a whole grain cereals which are inlist of "do's" and "don'ts" on

expensive and nutritious. The agent distributed approxi-

mately 800 booklets on bread making and 200 cans of baking powder. Additional work showing how to

make quick breads will be given at are seated, and should arise from the home food supply school for the left side of the chair. demonstrators next Saturday.

The above listing of the work of placed on the lap. If the napkin is the new home agent is only a part large, unfold halfway, if the napof the duties of the office. There kin is small it should be unfolded are a arge number of other detais entirely.





BARBARA READ, DEANNA DURBIN, AND NAN GREY AS THEY APPEAR IN "THREE SMART GIRLS" AT THE PALACE THEATRE

## 3. Never put your elbows on the Draper, Mrs. Beryl Bilberry, Mrs. 4. Food should be eaten slowly Estep, Dixie Williams, Mrs. Jim 2. The napkin is unfolded and and quietly, never talking while tin, Mrs. W. R. George, Mrs. Alton food is in the mouth. The mouth Cross, Leona Wells, Mary Lou should be closed while chewing. Wright, Mrs. T. L. Denson, Mrs. J. 5. In eating soup the spoon C. Garrett, Mrs. R. L. English, Mrs. should be dipped away from the Lester George, Miss Bettie May

of the spoon. All other foods are

table while eating.

Sue Delle Hahn, Mrs. Forest Marindividual and sipped fro mthe side Whitford, Miss Lorene Roberts.

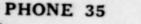


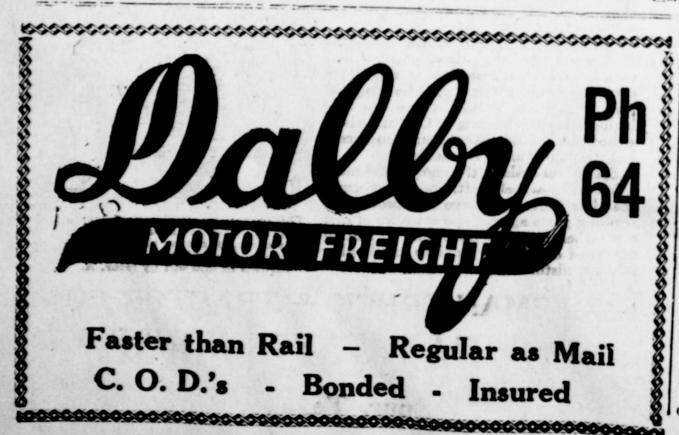
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## **KINNEY FUNERAL HOME** SPUR, TEXAS





by the agent and were later scored by the club members. Twelve members and 4 guests at-

ended.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mmes. W. A. Harris, F. B. Crockett, Roy Johnson, S. P. Mosley, John Sharp, T. C. Sandlin, R. C. McMahon, Tom Martin, Murl Foreman, G. L. Delisle, T. A. Loe; Misses Jean Day, Eula B. McMahon, Eloise Sharp, Virginia Crockett, Nadine Foreman, and the host-

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Roy Johnson on June 3rd.

## -OC HIGHWAY CLUB REPORT

"Don't knead your biscuit dough like our forefathers did but beat it and handle the dough as little as possible so it will stay cool and be flakey when cooked," Miss Day told the Highway Home Demonstration Agent, last Thursday in their meeting at Mrs. English's. When you want to make bread with sour milk always remember 1/2 teaspoon soda equals 2 teaspoons of baking powders.

There were five visitors and 1'

May 27, 1937

Dear Friend:-

Why have a metal grave vault?

Sometimes we are asked the question: Why have a metal vault? Strangely enough the best answers we have ever found was given us by persons who once asked this same question.

Oftentimes, they have come to us afterward and said, "I cannot thank you enough for the great satisfaction you have given me ever since I acted upon your suggestion to buy that metal vault. It affords me a lot of comfort on cold, rainy nights to know that no matter how much it rains or snows, a strong iron vault will keep the casket and its contents just as dry and clean as the day they were laid away."

It's a matter of good sense, too, when you look at it from the other angle. Considering the care with which the casket is selected and the exquisite beauty of its appointments, as well as the money you spend for it, is it not good judgment to protect and preserve it after it is placed beneath the earth.

One of the greatest developments in the burial receptacle field, is the durable metal vault, because it brings the assurance of postive protection within reach of practically every one of our patrons.

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> Yours most cordially CAMPBELL'S MORTUARY

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dig up.

home

## Taxes! Tax Eaters!

Where and how shall we get the money?

As it is well known and generally conceded the homes and other real estate cannot bear this burden. How are other tax monies to be raised? I leave this question up to you Mr. citizen.

Just now let us concern ourselves with the problem confronting the taxpayers of Dickens County, Only 47% of taxes due in Dickens County were paid for 1936. Perhaps 50% of this amount was paid by right some time. three large land owners who had income from outside sources. DickWinchell-Bernie Feud A Riot

Today's flash from the motionpicture front is a good news flash. for "Wake Up and Live," the filmusical featuring Walter Winchell, Ben Bernie and Alice Faye which

will show at the Palace Theatre preview Saturday night, Sunday and Monday, is by all odds the sweetest, hottest, most glamorous and ga-.50 lorious musical ever made by

which also turned out "On the Ave-A sweethot of a show, as Mrs.

Winchell's boy Walter might put it, Wake Up and Live" carries the famed Winchell-Bernie feud to new heights of merriment, with Your New Correspondent and the Old Maestro engaged in a furious vendetta in the midst of one of th most eye-filling musicals of th was put hard enough they would year.

In addition to the spectacle of Therefore, an outside "Shylock" Winchell and Bernie feuding facewas hired to write nasty letters to-face, "Wake Up and Live" offers gram.

over them. Pay up or I will write Alice Faye, singing, dancing and and hold the sword of Damocles acting her way to new laurels; Patthe holder of mortgage on to your sy Kelly, Ned Sparks and Jack Haley piling up new laughs; and nine

Our mortgage holders know we swelegant new song hits by Gordon had these crop failures and could and Revel, the tops in Hollywood not pay. Most of them had big tunesmiths.

hearts and said you have done your Against the hilarious background best-not your fault about the of l'affaire Winchell-Bernie, "Wake drouth-and they canceled the pay- Up and Live" tells the story of ments past due-said go ahead, do timid vaudeville performer, Jack your best, it will come around all Haley, who muffs his big radio opportunity when, at an audition, he

Yea! Verily! We can get along gets "mike fright" and faints. His all right with out mortgage hold- partner, Grace Bradley, deserts him

## SOCIETY

1917 STUDY CLUB

year, the 1917 Study Club met at the Pitchfork Ranch in the home of Mrs. V. V. Parr.

Arriving at twelve o'clock, Mrs. Twentieth Century-Fox, the studio Parr invited the ladies to be seated in the living room. Vases and bowls nue," "One in a Million" and "Sing of roses and wild flowers made the living room very attractive

After an hour of pleasant chatter we were invited out under beautiful shade trees, where on a long table was spread a sumptuous chick en barbecue dinner. The menu consisting of barbecue chicken, sliced tomatoes, celery, macaroni and cheese, potato chips, pickles, iced

tea, home baked cake and ice cream. In the afternoon the club assembled in the living room for the pro-

The president, Mrs. Godfrey, presided at a short business session, after which she introduced the new president, Mrs. M. L. Jones, who accepted the office and in a few well chosen words expressed appreciation of the retiring president and her eadership of the club.

Mrs. Godfrey graciously responded thanking the club ladies for their hearty cooperation that contributed to a successful years work.

An interesting lesson on Art was given led by Mrs. Godfrey. Members responded to roll call with Masters of Pencil, Brush or Chisel.

The following program was given:

Benvenuto Cellini, "Florentine of

## Powell.

Several vocal numbers were rendered by Misses Miriam Reed,, L. In New Musical Hit lian Grace Dickson and Joyce Mc Cully.

> garet Mae Weaver, Billy Louise Powell, Opal McGlathery, Marian Engleman. Dickson, Mrs. C. H. McCully, Mrs. Hale, Miriam Reed, Lillian Grace R. E. Dickson and the hostesses.

## For the last meeting of the club MRS. L. D. RATLIFF HOSTESS TO 333 BRIDGE CLUB

On Saturday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Mrs. L. D. Ratliff, Jr. was Dale. hostess to the Triple Trey Bridge Club and a few guests in her home on North Burlington Ave.

Mrs. E. D. Engleman made high score for club members and Mrs. len. M. H. Brannen played high for guests each received a table lamp as prize. After several interesting games

the guests were served a delicious salad plate. Those attending were Mesdames Rodger M. Read, H. B. Thompson, C. N. Lane, Wetzel, Sam T. Clemmons, Marvin Vaughn, G. Those present were: Misses Mar B. Wadzeck, B. C. Langley, Henry

Bilberry, M. H. Brannen and E. D.



#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincerest appreciation to all the people who helped us during the sickness and death of our little baby, Carmie

Especially do we want to thank Mrs. A. V. Womacn, Mrs. W. L. Pullen, Mrs. J. J Hickman, Mrs. Willie Phifer and Mrs. George Al-

Mr. and Mrs. Carmie Fendley. Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Stephenson and family.

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**THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1937** 

ens County depends alone upon two sources of income-cattle and farm products. All her people are poor. should lose their jobs or business

crops in succession-1934-5-6-not to go back to 1928-too much rain in August and September brought worms in cotton and 1929-30 almost expenses and interest and deferred

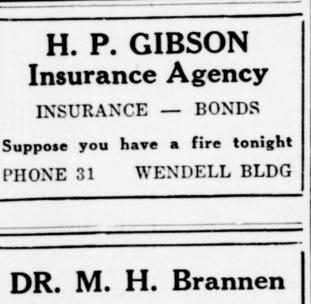


give your floors a hard, durable surface which heat, moisture, or heavy furniture will not mar. Use it tonight and you can safely walk on your floors tomorrow-becauseit's quick dryin color, it will not darken or discolor the lightest of woods.

ers! But our Tax Eaters! They for Water Catlett, an agent, who must have theirs although it pulls books her into a night club. Very lew have resources to they sweeps to the winds our life time ter, Patsy Kelly, who is Winchell's Florentine"-Mrs. Luther Jones. savings-Shylock's pound of flesh-- "Girl Friday," Haley gets a job as though it takes the lifeblood of the a uniformed guide at Radio Center.

uges the station

James McNeil Whistler-Mrs. J E. Berry.

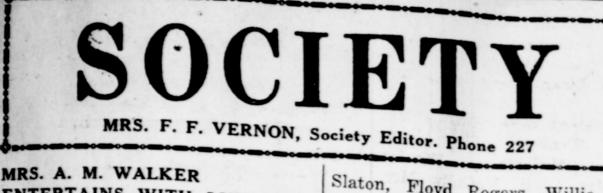


IF YOU HAVE





THE TEXAS SPUR



Mrs. A. M. Walker, president of Bilberry, A. J. Slaton, Ola Miller, bers, Mrs. Knox Crews and Mrs. Fred Rodgers, all of Plainview.

A variety of spring blossoms were used effectively as house decorations. The luncheon table was centered with an attractive arrangement of pink radiance roses.

Problems of Seventh District were discussed during the three course luncheon hour.

Included on the guest list were Mrs. Paul T. Vickers of McAllen, Mrs. Jack Rector, Mrs. W. R. Weaver and the honor guests.



#### MRS GEORGE GABRIEL HOSTESS TUESDAY

Mrs. George Gabriel was hostess on Tuesday when members of the 1933 Study Club met in her home for a luncheon. The table was laid with white linen and the guests were served buffet style. The menu consisted of fried chicken, creamed potatoes, peas, fruit and vegetable salads, pickles, olives, gravy, ice tea, cake and ice cream.

Mrs. Charlie Powell presided in the business session to close the

Slaton, Floyd Rogers, Willie Cal-ENTERTAINS WITH LUNCHEON vert, C. N. Kidd, I. J. McMahon,

Jim Smith, Turner Harris, Alvis the City Federation, was a delight- Wayne Bostic, Ellis Draper, Loyd ful hostess on Tuesday when she Hindman, J. Vernon Powell, Vela entertained with a one o'clock lun- Turpen, Rayegene Bostic, Elza cheon honoring Mrs. J. W. Walker, Armstrong, Raymond Powell, Tince President of the Seventh District Sprayberry, J. T. Baker, Jno. D. of Women's Federated Clubs and Hufstedler, W. I. Smith, and the hostess.

> Those sending gifts were Mesdames Jno. King, W. K. Harvey, Joe Kidd, Claude James, Coy Dopson, W. A. Harris, Lee Delisle, W. A. Johnson, W. M. Calvert and Miss Lora Slaton.

> > HANKINS - WOLF

Miss Alma Lee Hankins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hankins of 1721, 27th Street, Lubbock and Mr. Cecil picture of "The Accusing Finger" MISS MARY LOUISE LISENBY Wolf, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd after the show the guests went ENTERTAINS Wolf of Spur were married on back to the Campbell home where April 25th at the home of the brides Mrs. Horace Woods and Mrs. H. parents. Rev. McCarty read the B. Thompson shared hostess duties ceremony in the presence of a few with Mrs. Campbell in serving a friends. Both of these young peo- dainty refrestment plate to the folple are attending Texas Tech. Cecil lowing guests: Mesdames Jeptha will receive his A. B. degree from Craig, G. W. Grimes, Fred Arringthere in June. He is a graduate of ton, Chas. Fisher, Chas. Taylor and Spur high school and spent most of E. D. Engleman.



## MRS. PARR HOSTESS WITH CHICKEN BARBECUE

A delightful chicken barbecue at the home of Mrs. V. V. Parr on the Pitchfork ranch North of Dickens provided entertainment for mem-Three tables were arranged in the bers of the 1917 Study Club when living room where games of conthey closed their year's work on award.



BUCK JONES AND LOUISE BROOKS APPEARING IN "EMPTY SADDLES" AT THE PALACE THEATRE SATURDAY.

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MRS. V. V. PARR HOSTESS

TO 1925 BRIDGE CLUB

mother, Mrs. Edd Lisenby, on Hill was hostess for a delightful three sity of Southern California. course dinner party on Monday evening at eight o'clock to celebrate

the occasion of her birthday.

Red and white was the chosen the Service Drilling Contracting color scheme. The table was laid company of Odessa. The couple will with white linen, red roses in a low live at Odessa. bowl formed the center piece and lanche-Journal.

tall red tapers burned in white Mrs. Peebles was sponsor of the Mrs. V. V. Parr was a charming holders. Clever place cards made of pep squad and sponsor of the 1937 hostess on Wednesday afternoon suckers, dressed in white and red senior class and is one of the best when she entertained the 1925 full shirt dresses marked the places qualified teachers in the Spur sys-

#### **THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1937**

Ray Karr, who recently under-

### for the hostess.

Guests for the affair were Miss- went an operation at San Antonio, es Isabelle Campbell, Helen Hale, was able to come home Sunday and Billy Burke Hisey, Messrs. Bill Car- is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. away, Jno. A. Moore, Jr., Elton Gar- J. L. Karr, in the Espuela communner and Norton Barrett.

After dinner the following guests came in for games and dancing. Misses Marjorie Burrow, Earnestine Hale, Noema Smith, Lillian Grace Dickson, Calla Fae Shelton and Francis Morris, Messrs. Clifford B. Hunter, Kelley Marsh, Everett Martin, Carl Arhur and Spencer Lisenby.

### MISS NINA BETH LANDERS AND FRANK L. PEEBLES WED

Marriage of Frank L. Peebles of Odessa and Miss Nina Beth Landers of Abilene was solemnized in the First Methodist church parlors at 3 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Rev. Dr. L. N. Lipscomb, pastor of the church officiated.

Guests included Judge Alton B. Chapman, recently appointed judge of the 110th judicial district, Miss Lucille Lukas, Mrs. E. L. Caraway, and Mrs. B. F. Hale, all of Spur. The bride, who has been head of

the English department in Spur for Entertaining at the home of her the last two years, is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons university and has Street, Miss Mary Louise Lisenby done graduate work at the Univer-

> Mr. Peebles, formerly of Cisco, attended Daniel Baker college of

Brownwood. He now is employed by -Lubbock Ava-



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years work and the following officers were installed: President, Mrs. O. C. Arthur;

First Vice President, Mrs. Thurdent, Mrs. Geo. Gabriel; Secretary, Mrs. Johnnie Koonsman; Corresponding Sec., Mrs. F. W. Gilbert; Treasurer, Mrs. John Albin; Reporter, Mrs. Foy Vernon; Librarian, Mrs. L. A. Loller, Representative to City Federation, Mrs. C. H. Mc-Cully. Others present were Mes-Weaver, Herbert Swan, P. H. Gates dames Monroe Tunnell, W. R. D. H. Sandidge, Frank Watson, Jerry Willard, R. C. Crockett and

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At the conclusion of an enjoyable hour the honoree was blindfolded and drew a name from a name a chain was attached and upfound a cart loaded with many gifts



answer.

1931 STUDY CLUB

## ENTERTAINED

On Thursday evening of last

The house was beautifully deco-

Bridge club in her home on the for guests. Each guest blew out a tem. She will be missed greatly if Pitchfork Ranch East of Dickens. candle and made a birthday wish she does not return here next term ..





## 61 GRADUATE FROM HIGH-Writers Now Agree Eddie Cantor Is Right



Mrs. M. E. Manning entertained with a forty-two party Tuesday morning. Delicious refreshments were passed to Mesdames Burgson, Baker, Bennett, Campbell, Fite, Williams of Angleton, Shelton, of Roaring Springs, Bachelor, Barrett, Love, Regan, Sol Davis, Luke Davis Clifford Jones, Link, Morris, Richburg, Higginbotham, Senning, Jennings, Standifer, Nicholson, Bobo, Mace, Cates, McClure.

R. L. Collier was elected to be a member of the school board of the about her lovely voice. But they Spur Independent School District. don't know that she posses more

Wednesday night with a pounding.

Presbyterian Ladies Aid Society Monday afternoon at her home. \* \* \*

Mrs. J. R. Laine and Children are visiting her parents in Oklahoma. \*

Miss Willie Bell Martin, who has been teaching the Spring Creek School, returned to her home in

The leading newspaper and movie fan magazine writers agree that Eddie Cantor is right. Recently the scribes were foregathered at the Hotel Pierre in New York, to meet Deanna Durbin, radio and screen

discovery, upon her arrival from Hollywood after completing her role in Universal's "Three Smart Girls," which shows at the Palace Theatre today and Friday. Eddie Cantor was the master of ceremonies at the party given for

Deanna. Addressing the writers, he surprised them by saying, 'If you' fellows think that we are inviting you here to get publicity for Deanna Durbin-you're right!"

When the laugh which greeted this sally was ended, Eddie continued. "But Deanna has done something to warrant telling the public about her. The radio listeners who have heard Deanna Durbin sing on our Sunday night program know charm, more poise, more personality The members of the Baptist than half a dozen of the biggest Church surprised Rev. McMahen feminine stars in Hollywood today. "To hear that girl sing is to adore her. But to see her and hear Mrs. C. L. Love entertained the her is to take her to your heart for all time."

A short time later critics were able to see Deanna Durbin's performance in "Three Smart Girls." That they agreed with Eddie Canto evaluation of Deanna is indicated in their opinions. One of them said "This is young Miss Durbin's first picture. She does an extraordinar-

ily good job. Not only has she a

Junior Shockley, Cleo Smith, Mae Dell Smith, Noema Smith, Dot Taylor, Cleo Thomason, Rebecca Underwood, Hugh Verner, Orien Will-

(Continued from Page 1)

Principal S. L. Benefield announ ces the following honors and graduates for the East Ward School: Pupils receiving perfect attendance certificates are:

Bob Steele-Mrs. Collier, teacher Billy Ray Ballard-Mrs. Albin, teacher.

Betty Rae Fox, Aubrey Wood-Mrs. Gruben, teacher. Patsy Turpen-Mis. Brown, teach-

Pupils receiving honor roll cer-

tificates for having an average of at least 90% for the year's work are.

Mrs. Giddens, teacher Dortrea Belle Karr 96 4-7. Winona Couch 96 3-14 Billie Joe Crafton 94 13-14 Mack Wilson 93 3-14 Betty Jane Gates 92 3-7 Jean Ousley 92 3-7 Pat Copeland 92 2-7 Wayne Carr 91 13-14 Murline Burke 90 6-7 R. S. Coker 90 11-14 Roland Hairgrove 90 4-7 Mrs. Gruben, teacher Iris Maurine Smith 94 1-7 Jane Brannen 93 5-7 Louella Gilmore 93 5-7 Patricia Ann Mars 93 5-7 Pauline Barclay 92 4-7 Autry Nell Dyess 92 1-7 Jerry Don Bell 90 3-7 Miss Smith, teacher



THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1937

Spur last week.

Dr. Morris reports the birth of a girl baby Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Grubbs of Red Mud, also a fine boy born Saturday to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cross of Cat Fish.

HARRINGTON FAMILY HOLDS REUNION

Mrs. F. R. Harrington and child ren held a family reunion last week at the home of a daughter, Mrs. T. N. Morgan. All the children were present as follows.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Harrell of Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Morgan of Sulir Mr. and Mrs. Burl Harrington of

Spur

Mr. and Mrs. Olda Harrington of Spur.

Grandchildren present were: Maurine Harrell of Wichita, Dorothy Harrington of Spur, Alice Harrington of Spur, and Johnnie Harrington of Spur. One great granddaughter of Hobbs, New Mexico, struction. It is not too late to start Lalene Dodson, was present.

just returned from a six weeks vis- as long as we continue the study.

Wichita, Kansas. 25 m

**ROARING SPRINGS AND AFTON** METHODIST CHURCHES

I will not be able to fill my appointment at Afton next Sunday, May 30, as I will be compelled to be away.

"Pretending to be so wise is what makes some people appear so foolish."

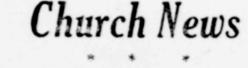
Eugene L. Naugle, Pastor.



Kalgary, Texas.

voice with a quality that is astonshing for her tender age, but she also has on her credit side acting ability that surprises." There are also 100 other good

reasons why you should see this picture at the Palace today and tomorrow.



CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Everybody is cordially invited to attend all of our services. Sunday School 10:00 a. m. Preaching 11:00 a. m. N. Y. P. S. 7:00 p. m. Preaching 8.00 p. m.

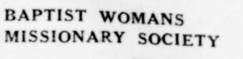
Prayer Meeting at 7:30 p. m. in each Thursday evening. Th forty-five minutes of this meeting will be spent in the study of +1rudiments of music, voice culture exercises, singing by note and doing part singing.

There is no charge for this inas I am presenting foundation work Mrs. Harrington, the mother, had at each class, and intend to do so it with a daughter, Mrs. Harrell, at Come and enjoy yourselves with us.

Remember the regular "Childrens Meetings" on Friday after noons from 4:20 to 5:20. Everyone is welcome.

Children's Day Program on the morning of June 6th at 11:00 to Brewster, Doris Lee Clower, Roland 12:00 a. m. Dinner on the grounds, under a shade. Come with your dianer and enjoy the program and Dunlap, Elmyrta Dee Elkins, Lane dine with us. Preaching after dinner, at 2:00 p. m.

Rev. W. C. Benefiel, Pastor



The Womans Missionary Society of the Baptist church met in Circles FOR SALE-Some good Half and on Monday afternoon for a study of Half Cotton Seed. See C. P. Witt, the "New How and Why of W. M. 3tp S Work."

Calvin Allison 94 Grace Irlan Cannon 90.3

Mrs. Wadzeck, teacher Nancy Middleton 95.2 Helen Marie Crockett 95.2 Virginia Lane 95.2 Billie Gene Holloway 94.7 Emma Pearl Gruben 94 Jacqueline Rector 93.8 Charlese Powell 92.7 Byrdean Roberson 92 Mary Lou Puckett 92.9 Frank McNeill 90 J E. Bachman 90 Billy Joe McCombs 90.9 Billie Lee Glenn 91.3 Mrs. Brown, teacher Billie Dean Dunlap 95.6 Bettye Weaver 94.7 George Walker 94.1 Pete Dobbins 93.8 Pike Dobbins 93.8 Fatsy Turpen 93.4 Robbie Jean Bell 93.3 Jack Houston 92.6 Ruth Estelle Jones 92.5 Theda Jo Gilmore 91.8 Henry Gruben 90 Lou Emma Shugart 90 Mr. Benefield, teacher Marie Sumrall 94 Geraldine Wright 93 Ila Ruth Drpaer 90 Jack Hogan 90

### East Ward Promotions

Pupils receiving Promotion Certificates from fourth grade are:

Maxine Adame, Charlie Roy Arrington, Robbie Jean Bell, Dorothy Culbert, Pete Dobbins, Pike Dobbins, Ila Ruth Draper, Billie Dean Ericson, Leon Formby, Cecilia Fox,

Elsye Clee Frazier, Theda Gilmore, Mrs. Benefiel, Children's Worker Sammie Graves, Henry Gruben, Mary Louise Hager,, Tommie Lee Hale, Morris Harkey, Clyde Haywood, Doyle Henderson, Jack Hogan, Brant Holloway, Calvin Holloway, Jack Houston, Patsy Nell James, Barney Clark Johnson, Ruth Estelle Jones, James Lee., Thurmond Moore, Virginia Nolan, Charlie Peacock, Vera Doris Pickens, Lanette Powell,, Shirley Powell,

L. Collier	Mrs. J. H. Swan was hostess to the Northwest Circle. The meeting was opened with prover led by Mrs. J. D. Powell and Mrs. E. J. Cowan taught the lesson. Eight members were present. This Circle will meet with Mrs. M. D. Ivey next	Bettye Weaver, Vera Belle Whit-	Raisin I	1	2 for	21c	
	Monday. Six members of the Bagby Circle- met in the home of Mrs. Homer Cargile and Mrs. A. M. Walker	Wright. WOMAT'S COUNCIL	New Spuds10 PoundsSOAPLAUNDRY11 Bars Only				
FOR SALE—Five year old Jersey Cow with young calf.—The Farmall House.	at the church and Mrs. C. B. Mid- dleton was in charge of the study	The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met on Monday afternoon at the church for a Bible	SUMI		Bars Only	230	
FOR SALE—Extra good wean- ing pigs, \$5.00 each. Also wheat baled in the dough.—Emma B. Russell.	for the afternoon. The book will be finished in each circle next Mon- day.	Study at 3 o'clock. Mrs. L. R. Bur- row presided in the business sess- ion in the absence of the president. Mrs. B. F. Hale and Mrs. Nellie	Curtte		Sanborn, Break per pound	ZIC	
SORE-THROAT, TONSILITIS! In- stantly relieved by Anathesia-Mop, the wonderful new sore-throat rem-	MISSIONARY SOCIETY Twenty members of the Method- ist Woman's Mussionary Society	Davis discussed the 13th and 14th Chapters of Luke and Mrs. Walter Jimison asked thought questions af- ter each discussion. The meeting was closed with the benediction	BRAZOS	TEA	1-4 lb. package Beautiful Blue Glass FREE With Each Package	23c	
stantly and kills infection. Prompt relief guaranteed or money refund- ed at City Drug Store. tf	at one o'clock and motored to the J. M. Foster ranch where they held the regular W. M. S. meeting. The society has been studying the miss	There were eight present. Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Albin left Monday to visit reatives and friends a few days in Okahoma.	LETTU	CE	Nice Fresh Per Head	<b>5c</b>	
DON'T SCRATCH! Paracide Oint- ment is guaranteed to relieve any form of Itch, Eczema, ringworm or other itching skin trouble within 48 hours or money refunded. Large 9	non book Out of Africa" for the past six weeks and the teacher, Mrs. D. H. Sanddige, completed the book Monday afternoon. A social hour followed the program. Bacon and eggs were cooked over an open fire and a delightful picnic supper	Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Costolow and sons left Sunday on a vacation trip to Arkansas.	5°001	FF f(	or CAS	SH	