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## Bulldogs Play Silvertown Here Friday Night

With blood in their eyes and a determination to win despite last Friday's setback the Spur high Bulldogs through their coach, Blackie Wadzeck, say they are ready to stop the rampaging Silvertown Owls Friday night. The team has put in three hard days of practice with a full squad with the exception of J. B. Haralson, who is still on crutches.

The game with the Silvertown Owls starts at 8:00 in the Stadium and admission will be 25 and 50 cents. All conference games admission will be at these prices.

The Bulldogs will present almost the same line up as in past games line play featured the game at with Billie Hahn at quarter. Stellar Matador and no changes in the opening line up are planned. Considerable time to punting and pass defense was put in this week by the entire squad.

The big man to stop from Silvertown is Vinson Smith, rated as the outstanding fullback in the district and responsible for a large part of his team's success this season. Spur has been working on Smith's plays and think they can stop him any way he starts.

### District 4B

Matador's defeat of Spur was the upset of the district last week. Bad judgment on the part of Spur backs, the crippling of Spur's star quarter, J. B. Haralson, and the alertness of Matador's players are attributed to be the cause of Matador's first win of the season.

Floydada downed Lockney 12 to 6 in what was expected to be a close game. Silvertown nosed out Estelline 6 to 0 in a long touchdown drive. Turkey defeated Quitaque 13 to 0 in an easy battle. Paducah got rough treatment at Wellington, being snowed under an avalanche of scoring 47 to 0.

This week's schedule calls for Paducah at Flomot, Turkey at Floydada, Lockney at Estelline.

### DISTRICT STANDINGS

	W	L	Pct.
Floydada	2	0	1.000
Turkey	2	0	1.000
Paducah	1	0	1.000
Silvertown	2	1	.667
Lockney	1	1	.500
Spur	1	1	.500
Matador	1	2	.333
Estelline	1	2	.333
Flomot	0	1	.000
Quitaque	0	3	.000

## 1938 Government Program

Realizing that some information is needed on 1938 goals for farms to serve as a guide in arranging crop acreage for small grains, we offer the following information which might be helpful:

1. Wheat will be included in the general goal.

2. General goal for a county will be approximately 85 percent of the 1937 general base. Likewise, individual farm goals will be approximately 85 percent of the 1937 general base for the farm subject, of course, to the County Committee adjustment.

3. Smaller individual and county goals, no doubt will be required where wind erosion is a serious hazard and where "Restoration Land" is designated.

4. Wheat compliance will be checked on bases of PLANTED ACREAGE in 1938.

More information will be furnished as developments are effected. G. J. Lane, County Agent.

Mrs. D. E. Bishop came over from Big Spring this week and will make her home here. Mr. Bishop is with the Cap-Rock Insurance Co.

## Will Buy Cotton

I will pay 12 cents per pound for Cotton on the basis of 7-8 inch staple Midling Grade on all accounts and notes, in amounts of Sixty (\$60.00) or more.

Dr. P. C. Nichols



CONGRESSMAN GEO. MAHON

## Mahon Discusses 1938 Farm Program With Local Farmers

In a special meeting of approximately 50 farmers and others interested, Wednesday, Congressman George Mahon discussed the 1938 farm program. Men from all parts of the county took part in a round table discussion that had as its purpose, the finding out of the sentiment of Dickens County relative to a controlled farm program.

Following introduction by County Agent Grady Lane, Mr. Mahon discussed farm programs of the past. He stated that no one was able to work out a fool proof program for farmers and that the south could not stop raising cotton regardless of what the world production was. And, a small crop in the future does not necessarily mean a higher price. The Congressman discussed Secretary Wallace's recent address at Memphis, Tenn., and the fact that the Secretary stated that a moderate farm program was necessary.

Mr. Mahon in discussing two proposed farm bills stated that the base for cotton production, if the bill passed as drawn, would be a ten year average instead of five year average, with adjustments according to weather conditions. This provision seemed to be agreeable if certain adjustments could be made by the county committees. Those present voted wholeheartedly in favor of crop acreage control with some provision for a base according to soil and past production of the farm. It appeared that the basis of allotment under the soil conservation act is agreeable to most farmers.

A rising vote of thanks was extended Mr. Mahon for his work regarding the present cotton loan situation.

Mr. Mahon spent the morning in Spur visiting friends and looking after business matters. He is out in the district discussing in various counties with the farmers the 1938 program and their wishes. He plans to return to Washington in time for the special session which starts November 15.

## THIRTEEN TAX RECEIPTS ISSUED BY COLLECTOR

The Tax Collector's office reports 13 tax receipts issued to Monday for 1937. The office reports only seven poll tax receipts issued.

The first 1937 poll tax receipt was issued to J. A. Wade with Fred Arrington, second.

## Construction Of Hospital Moving Along Rapidly

The Spur Maternity Hospital, being constructed by Dr. Bob Alexander, is moving along rapidly this week with favorable weather. The building is being constructed on lots north of the East Ward School, facing Highway 18.

The foundation was completed several days ago. The wall framework was put in this week with laying of the roof starting Tuesday. Plumbing fixtures are being installed and plans call for beginning of the rock veneer this week.

Completion of the hospital is expected the last of November with favorable weather.

## Report Given On Delinquent Tax Collections

The County tax collector reports that \$31,818.62 on delinquent taxes since December 18, 1936. This is approximately one third of the \$94,386.40 due on delinquent taxes when the contract was entered into with Edgar Hutchins by the Commissioners' Court.

Judge Hutchins has been paid as commission, \$4,772.79 on the \$31,818.62 collected. The delinquent taxes for 1936 were \$13,363.15 and are not included in the \$94,386.40.

As to how much of this delinquent tax would have been collected without a special collector is not known.

## County Court Sets Rates for Jury Trials

County Court convened at Dickens Monday with Judge Marshall Formby presiding. The docket for the term was read and Monday was set for trial of the following cases:

State vs. Homer Henson, State vs. Homer Henson, State vs. Bill Dement. There are a number of civil suits to be tried and some of these are expected to come up next week. The jury will report Monday.

## COUNTY GIN REPORT NEAR 4,000 MARK FOR OCTOBER 1

The census report shows that Dickens County had ginned 3943 bales of cotton of the 1937 crop prior to October 1. In 1936 the county had ginned 873 bales to the same date. This was the last report of Milton R. McDonald, Special Agent, as he has accepted a position as a State Ranger, Frank Watson was given a temporary appointment Saturday. An examination for applicants will probably be held soon.

## VITAMIN A STUDIES AT EXPERIMENT STATION ENTER FOURTH YEAR

The Spur experiment station will soon begin its fourth year's work in the study of the condition known in the past as "cottonseed meal poisoning" and now known to be a deficiency of vitamin A. Although definite plans have not yet been made, 50 head of SMS calves will be used in the experiment and will be fed various levels of alfalfa meal as a source of vitamin A.

This study was begun in December, 1934 when ten steers were placed in the feedlot and fed a ration of cottonseed meal and cottonseed hulls. Ten other steers were fed the same ration but received one pound of alfalfa hay per day in addition. The steers receiving no alfalfa hay became night blind, showed profuse eye and nose discharges and slobbering, became wobbly in gait and had started dying by July 1935. The steers receiving the pound of alfalfa hay in addition were marketed as choice beef in September 1936 after 656 days on meal and hulls indicating that trouble lay in a lack of some thing contained in alfalfa hay. Until that time 120 days was considered the limit for feeding cottonseed meal and hulls. During the past two years, extensive studies have been carried on to determine the minimum requirements of vitamin A for fattening steers as well as to study the effects of vitamin A deficiency in the extreme. It is manifested in the form of night blindness, excessive discharge from eye, nose and mouth, extreme sensitivity to heat and cold, wobbly gait, and in more advanced cases, loss in weight,

## Car Registrations In This County Pass 2,000 Mark

Car registrations in Dickens County, according to Sheriff Johnnie Koonsman, have reached to the high figure of 2,049 cars and trucks up to October 15. The total amount received for these registrations was \$34,342.73.

Of the total amount \$15,665.41 was received on Dickens County cars. The remainder, \$18,677.38 was for registering cars operating in the state eligible to register in the county of their choice. It will be noticed that these out of state registrations brought more money to the county than Dickens County cars. These car registrations were secured through the efforts of Mr. Koonsman and means a considerable increase in county money.

This is the largest registration in the history of Dickens County.

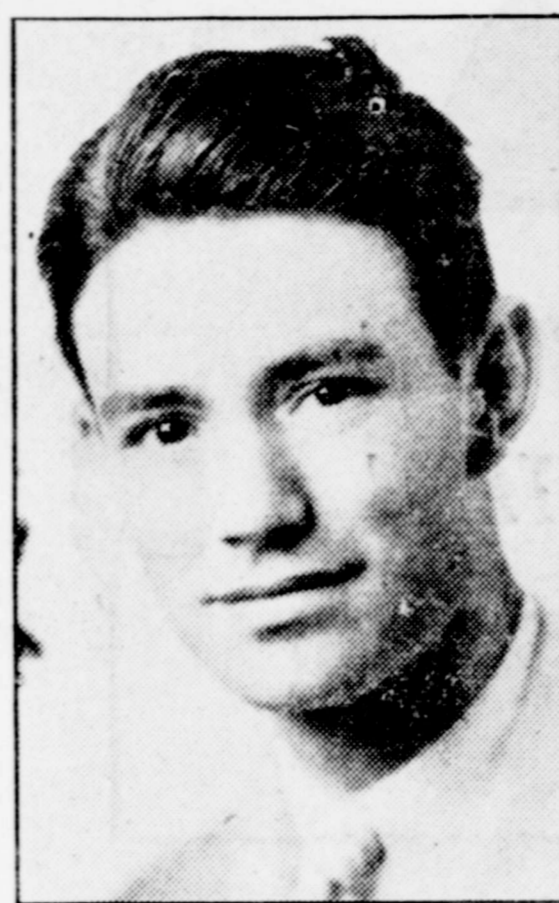
## BIG PROGRAM AT DRY LAKE FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be a big time carnival at Dry Lake school house Friday night, October 22, at 6:30 until 11:00. Come and eat, hot dogs, chili, peanuts, popcorn, coffee, doughnuts, pie, cake, hot chocolate and soda pop. For entertainment there will be a style show, men modeling ladies clothes; Hawaiian girls; rhythm band; one act play, entitled "Bill's Mail Order Wife"; fortune telling; bingo; dominoes, and many other attractive booths.

Miss Berniece Justice of Paducah is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Justice.

Mrs. Cash Wieman and little son Cash, of Stamford, spent several days in Spur last week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Caraway.

J. P. Koonsman of Wichita, was attending to business here Saturday. W. F. Cathey of Dickens was a Spur visitor Saturday.



TRUMAN MOORE

Spur people will be interested in the recent promotion of this former Spur young man to the position of manager in the shoe department of the Exclusive Dress Shoppe at Galveston. Selling ladies shoes exclusively, Mr. Moore represents the Thimble Shoe Company of St. Louis as the manager of their branch in this store. The Shoppe, when it opened last month, received wide publicity in the Galveston newspapers.

Truman graduated from Spur high school in 1932. He was employed for a time at Bryant-Link Company, leaving here to enter Texas Tech for a year. Since that time he had been employed by the Fashion Thimble Shoe Company in Lubbock until he was made manager of the Galveston branch in September.

## 1938 Model Cars On Display

The 1938 Chevrolet will be on display at the Spur Motor Company Saturday for the first time according to company announcements made last week. Manager E. L. Caraway was in Dallas last week to see the new models and invites everyone to the Saturday showing.

The 1938 Plymouth was first shown last week by the Berry Motor Company and many have called this week to look Walter Chrysler's newest product over.

Brown & Putman Motor Company has a new 1938 Dodge in their showrooms which is attracting a great deal of attention. They plan to have a 1938 Plymouth in a few days.

Engleman Truck & Tractor Company has received their second shipment of International trucks. The production of these trucks has been running far behind orders all year.

## McAdoo Girl To Enter District Dress Contest

Miss Katherine Ward, McAdoo Clothing Demonstrator, who won first place in the County 4-H Clothing Contest, will enter a district contest Friday, October 29, at Canyon.

Since the Farmer's Short Course was cancelled, it was necessary to have district contests to determine the state winner in the Clothing contest. A number of the district contests have already been held, and this one Canyon is for Districts 1 and 2. Mrs. Dora R. Barnes, Clothing Specialist from College Station, will act as judge.

Katherine will be scored on the story of her demonstration and on the cotton school dress she made. After the twelve district winners are chosen, the state winners will be selected from that group. The first prize for the state winner is a sewing machine, second prize is a set of sterling silver, and third prize a set of community plate silver.

Katherine will be accompanied by Jean Day, Home Demonstration Agent, and Miss Ruth Grimes, Home Agent, of Kent County, who also has a contestant.

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Bible Study ----- 10 a. m.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Lord's Supper ----- 11:45 a. m.  
Young People's Meeting 6:45 p. m.  
Ladies' Bible Class, 4 p. m. Monday.  
Prayer and Praise, 7:30 p. m. Wednesday.

The officers of the church report continued good attendance and interest. The pulpit will be filled Sunday by G. A. Dunn, Jr. at both ser-

## Dr. Knapp Of Tech, To Deliver Address Here Monday Night

The local chapter of the Farmers Grange will hold installation services next Monday night and Dr. Bradford Knapp, President of Texas Technological College, will be the speaker of the evening. The meeting will be held in the East Ward school auditorium and the public is invited.

Dr. Knapp has a long record of service to the farmer and will bring a message on some current agricultural topic that will be interesting to everyone.

The following program will be given:

6:30 Meeting of the Grange membership to complete election of officers.

7:15 to 7:30. Band will play, directed by Robt. Fielder.

7:30. Miss Crystelle Scudder and pupils in musical program in connection with installation of officers.

Harold W. Gaulrapp, National Grange representative, will be the installing officer and will be assisted by three girls from the high school home economics department.

Address by Dr. Knapp.

## Fred Cairns Named County Red Cross Chapter Chairman

Rev. Fred Cairns, pastor of the Presbyterian Church, has accepted the chairmanship of the Dickens County Red Cross Chapter. Mr. Cairns succeeds Mrs. T. H. Blackwell, who has done some very excellent work the past year on limited funds.

The Red Cross this past year received \$183.20 from the last roll call. The special flood relief call raised \$416.85, making a total of \$ 600.91 in the treasury with .86 left from the previous year.

Expenditures have been: \$416.85 sent to national headquarters for flood relief, \$93.04 for local expense such as medicine, food and clothing; \$83.25 was sent as national dues, leaving a balance of \$7.77 in the treasury.

At a meeting Tuesday night Mrs. Blackwell gave a detailed explanation of the work done this year. Fine work was done by the local Red Cross officials and they are to be complimented.

Mr. Swank, of the National Red Cross office in St. Louis, spent Tuesday and part of Wednesday here going over the Red Cross work with local officials. He suggested that a road side first aid station be established in the county and Fred Arrington agreed to take the matter up with service station operators at Dickens. It is hoped that a station can be started at Dickens soon and others in different communities in the county as workers can be trained.

Plans are being made by the local chapter for the annual roll call, Nov. 11 to Thanksgiving. G. A. Dunn, Jr., minister of the Church of Christ, has been named roll call chairman. He will work with the County Chairman and the actual roll call here is expected to get underway in a few days. The goal for this county is 400 members.

The Red Cross has done and is doing a great work both nationally and locally. Fifty cents of the first dollar paid goes for national dues and the remainder is used for your own community needs. If you give two dollars for a membership, 50 cents is sent away and \$1.50 is used for relief emergencies in your own community. Keep that in mind when you pay your membership and remember, too, that the membership fee is not limited to a dollar but as much as you feel you can pay.

## JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL SPONSOR PICTURE AT PALACE THEATRE

The Junior high school students are sponsoring the "Varsity Show" coming to the Palace next Sunday and Monday. The picture stars Dick Powell, Fred Waring and His Pennsylvanians.

The proceeds to the school will be used for library books.

Your presence is desired. A welcome awaits you.

## SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNERS

Bell's Cafe

24 Hour Service

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### T. S. LAMBERT GIVEN SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

T. S. Lambert of Wichita community, was given a surprise dinner and shower on his birthday anniversary, Sunday, October 10. All of his children and many friends gathered at the family home where lunch was spread and enjoyed.

Children present were Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Lambert of Bluffdale, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Lambert and children of Monahans, Mrs. J. J. South and children of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Don Perrin and baby of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and children of Croton.

Among the friends present were Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McGee of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Morrow of Croton Camp, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Starrett and family of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Legg, Mr. and Mrs. John Guyard, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jackson of Croton, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Pierce and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. Lee Mimms and baby, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Giddens, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Gunnels and family, Mrs. Annie Gunnels, all of Wichita community; Miss Bruna Fae Petty of Bluffdale, Mrs. D. H. Dunn, Mrs. Jo Koonsman of Dickens, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. West and children of Childress, Miss Melba Starrett of Crosbyton, Miss Jennie Legg of Croton, W. H. Brasher of California, Mrs. M. S. Lambert and the honoree, T. S. Lambert.

### OUR TRIP TO SAN DIEGO, CALIFORNIA

We left Spur Thursday, September 16th, spending the first night

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with J. T. Bilbrey and family. Friday, we drove over to Orla and stopped over there with our daughter and husband, Oleata and Ridg Self. Saturday morning we drove up in the mountains of New Mexico which was about 200 miles. There I got a big kick out of looking around. It was 50 years ago this month since I was there. I was 13 years old at that time. We drank water out of the same old spring that we got water from 50 years ago, it is about seven miles from Cloudercroft. We got back to Orla about 11 p. m.

Sunday morning, we drove over to Red Bluff Dam only a few miles between Pecos and Carlsbad. It is the largest lake I think I ever saw, the dam is two miles across and it is about 30 to 40 miles of water backed up the Pecos River.

Well, Monday morning we drove to El Paso, stayed there with a sister, Mrs. M. D. Abels, until Tuesday. We drove from there to San Diego, arriving Wednesday evening, where our children live.

Clarence Bilbrey, his wife and children and a couple of grandsons; Thelma Bilbrey; Floyd Thomas and wife; Elvin Thomas and wife. Found all well and working. We had a big time there. Plenty of fruit and lots of fish. We went down to the dock where the fishing boats come in, saw lots of fish. We saw the largest fish weighed that I ever saw. After it was cleaned and head cut off it weighed 310 pounds. It was a sword fish, claimed to be a mighty fine fish for food.

We stayed there two weeks and arrived back in Spur on Tuesday, October 12, glad to get back and see the folks. Last Monday evening I felt like I was at home in Spur when the sand storm blew up.

We brought Richard Thomas home with us for a visit.

Good bye.  
L. W. Bilbrey and wife.

### TOUR OF IMPROVED YARDS MADE IN McADOO

A tour of improved and landscaped yards in the McAdoo community was one of the high spots of the Yard Improvement Achievement Event of Mrs. R. R. Wooten, Yard

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## JOHNSTON GROCERY — SPECIALS —

Friday and Saturday Oct. 22-23

**OATS — Moon Rose, large pkg. 19c**

**JELLY, Pure Apple, 2 lb. jar . . . . . 25c**

**BANANAS — lb. . . . . 5c**

**MEAL, 20 lb. cream . . . . . 55c**

**APPLES, nice size, dozen . . . . . 15c**

**GRAPE FRUIT, large, each . . . . . 5c**

**Pineapple Juice, 46 oz. can . . . . . 35c**

**JELLY, Rex, 5 lb. pail . . . . . 43c**

**LEMON JUICE, (pure) 8 oz. can . . . . . 15c**

**SOUP, Tomato or vegetable, 22 oz. can 11c**

**SPUDS — 10 lbs. . . . . 19c**

**PICKLES, sour, 48 oz. jar . . . . . 28c**

**CORN FLAKES — large pkg. . . . . 10c**

**FLOUR, Cherry Bell, the Best, 48 lb. \$1.75**

**FLOUR — 48 lbs. . . . . \$1.45**

**COFFEE, 2 lbs., we grind it . . . . . 29c**

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SPECIALS

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**BOLOGNA SAUSAGE — 2 lbs. . . . . 25c**

**Choice Round Steak, lb. . . . . 25c**

**FRESH LIVER — 2 lbs. . . . . 25c**

**SLICED BACON — lb. . . . . 27c**

**Pork Steak, choice, lb. . . . . 25c**

**Oleomargarine — lb. . . . . 15c**

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# Spur Motor Company

demonstrator of the McAdoo Home Demonstration Club, on October 19.

Twenty club women and visitors met with Mrs. Wooten to hear her discuss the development of her demonstration and to see her landscaped yard. Then these women toured the community to see the yard of Mrs. Merritt Graham, a cooperater who has sodded a lawn and grown foundation shrubs and annuals in two years' time. Mrs. R. Y. Allen, yard demonstrator in 1935, was next on the list, and her yard proves that a club woman, "once a demonstrator, is always a demonstrator". This year the Allen's sodded the back yard in Bermuda grass, so that the house is now surrounded with a smooth green lawn. Mrs. J. J. Griffin, yard demonstrator of 1936, showed the women on the tour an expanse of lawn entirely around the house, foundation shrubs, an annual bed of crysanthemums, and two rose beds started from cuttings. Then the group of club women moved on to the last place, Mrs. C. Gollohar's, a cooperater in the Friendship Club, who has possibly the greatest variety of annuals and shrubs of any yard in the community.

Mrs. Wooten, current demonstrator and leader of yard improvement in her club, has done excellent work in landscaping her yard to frame the house in a natural setting.

"I set out 61 shrubs, roses, and annuals at a total cost of \$19.85, and everyone of them are living," Mrs. Wooten told her cooperaters. "We sowed part of our grass and set out part of it and we have a good lawn without ever having to water it."

The cooperaters in the McAdoo club brought seven containers of annual flowers to the achievement event. This Achievement Event completes Mrs. Wooten's demon-

stration for the year and her yard will be judged in the scoring contest for first place in the county on the 25th of October.

### FORMER SPUR RESIDENT BURIED HERE FRIDAY

Burial services were held at the Spur cemetery Friday afternoon for Mrs. Dorothy Marie Drennon, after funeral services had been conducted at Matador. The Spur services were conducted by Rev. P. H. Gates. Burial was in charge of Homer Sheets of Matador.

Mrs. Drennon was a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gaines, residents of Spur until 1931 when they moved to Matador.

Mrs. A. M. Walker, Mrs. Jack Rector and Mrs. W. R. Weaver were guests of Mrs. Fred Rodgers of Plainview Wednesday of this week and attended a school of instruction for the PTA which was held at Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weaver made a trip to Stamford Tuesday. W. A. Craddock returned the last of the week after several weeks stay in Austin.

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**CITY FEDERATION  
MET TUESDAY AFTERNOON**

The City Federation of Women's Clubs met at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon for a program on civic pride. Mrs. Nell Davis presided in a

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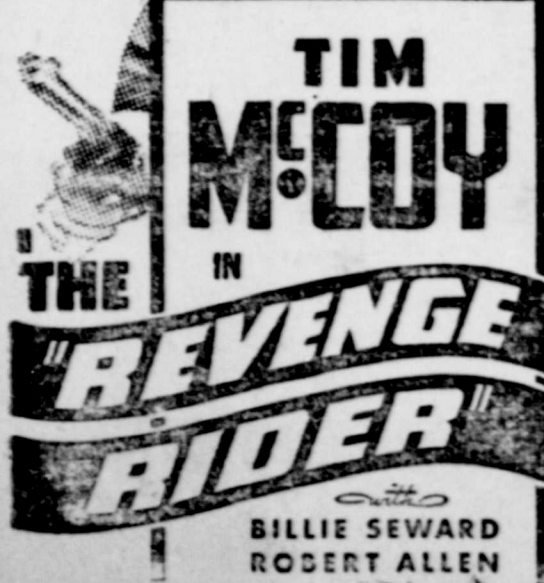


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brief business session and was in charge of the program.

"Spur's problems of Beautification" was discussed in a most interesting way by Mr. Cecil Ayers. He discussed landscaping both formal and informal. Also the planting of trees and shrubs and how to care for them. Mr. Ayers stated that he would be glad to assist anyone desiring his help in landscaping and selecting trees and shrubs suitable for West Texas planting. The program was concluded by a vocal solo by Miss Crystelle Scudder accompanied by Mrs. R. E. Dickson. Those present were Mesdames Nell Davis, Johnnie Koonsman, A. M. Walker, Henry Gruben, H. C. Foote, R. E. Dickson, C. H. McCulley, Thurmond Moore, P. H. Gates, Charlie Powell, Foy Vernon, Frank Watson, O. C. Arthur, John Albin, E. F. Laverty, Ann McClure, P. C. Nichols, G. J. Lane, B. F. Hale, T. H. Blackwell, E. L. Adams, W. F. Godfrey and Miss Jennie Shields.

**23 YEARS  
AGO**

Taken from the files of The Texas Spur, published 23 years ago this week. Oran McClure, Editor and publisher.

W. F. Godfrey, E. C. Edmonds and B. D. Glasgow were returning from Briscoe County when their car ran into the milk wagon of W. A. Craddock near the Dockum creek bridge. Little damage was done other than several bottles of milk being broken.

Mrs. C. L. Love entertained the Merry Wives Club in her home Friday afternoon. Friday evening she entertained the young people, naming Miss Johnston, recently of Stamford, as guest of honor.

Miss Jessi, Schneider has again resumed her position as head nurse at the Standifer Hospital.

T. A. Ham, of Croton, marketed nine bales of cotton in Spur Tuesday.

The Farmers and Merchants State Bank closed its doors Monday and the business of the bank transferred to the First State Bank.

Clifford B. Jones, president of the Ft. Worth-Roswell Highway Association, reports the selection of a route for the new highway from Spur to Crosbyton. The proposed route runs along the railroad right-of-way by the way of Leatherwood crossing on the Cap Rock and crossing Blanco Canyon on the bridge near the C. B. Livestock Ranch headquarters.

Joe Thornton and Miss Reba Brantner, of Red Mud community, were married Thursday.

P. H. Miller returned Monday from Peacock where he spent several days on business.

Mayor Link made a business trip to Aspermont last week.

Rev. W. B. Bennett of Gilpin, was in Spur Saturday.

P. N. Arthur, of Dickens, was brought to the Standifer Hospital this week for an operation.

**JUNIOR HIGH TO PLAY  
MATADOR JUNIORS TODAY**

The Spur Junior high school football team will play the Matador Junior high school team at the stadium this afternoon. The game will be called at four o'clock.

Players must be under 13 years of age. The following are members of the Spur squad: Junior McLaughlin, Billy McKay, Jack Patterson, Billy Ray Barrett, Bob Weaver, Doyle Pritchett, Marvin Ballard, Alfred Elkins, Kenneth Gibson, W. B. Steele, J. M. Karr, S. C. Fallis, J. D. McClanahan, Eldon Reynolds, Weldon Reynolds, Keith Garner, Leonard Wilson.

Leon Robertson of Afton was a business visitor here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dail Phelps of Stamford are the parents of a daughter born last Thursday. The young lady has been named Penny Sue. Mrs. Phelps will be remembered as the former Miss Clytee Collier.

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Mrs. H. S. Mitchell and family.

**BAPTIST W. M. S.  
MET MONDAY**

The Baptist Women's Missionary Society met in the church basement at nine o'clock Monday for an all day quilting. Lunch was served at noon and four quilts were finished for Buckner Orphan's home at Dallas.

Mrs. E. J. Cowan taught a Missionary lesson in the afternoon as the other ladies quilted. The following were present: Meses P. H. Miller, J. D. Powell, J. Hazelwood, H. Carlie, Gray Draper, C. W. Barrett, J. A. Marsh, Bessie McClung, Shockley, McNailey, J. Q. Adams, W. B. Francis, Dozier, G. M. Williams, Hicks, F. O. Brittain, A. M. Walker, E. J. Cowan, E. Denton, C. P. Ensey, T. J. Seales, Harry Patton.

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**METHODIST W. M. S.  
MET MONDAY AFTERNOON**

The Methodist W. M. S. Met in the church basement for a mission lesson which was taught by Mrs. C. H. McCulley after the business session. Mrs. W. F. Gilbert presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. J. M. Foster. Seventeen members were present. The meeting was dismissed with the Benediction.

**MRS. POWELL COMPLIMENTS  
DAUGHTER MONDAY**

Mrs. Charlie Powell complimented her daughter, Shirley, on her tenth birthday October 18th with a birthday party from 4 to 6 P. M. The honoree was given a gift and birthday greetings as each guest arrived. A number of favorite games were played during the afternoon. A Hallowe'en theme was used in the refreshments and favors.

Included in the guest list were Cecelia Fox, Betty Weaver, Vera Bell Whitener, Melba and Evelyn Lewis, Christene Lane, Allie Beth Arthur, Ruth Estelle Jones, Lou Emma Shugart, Maxine Adams, Addie Mae Wood, Robbie Jean Bell, Bobbie Dean Dunlap, Pete and Pike Dobbine, Henry Gruben, James Victor Allen, Clyde Nix, Lane Ericson, Barney Johnson, Bell Lane, Thurmond Moore and Jimmie Vernon.

**MRS. LELAND WILSON  
COMPLIMENTS DAUGHTER**

Mrs. Leland Wilson entertained with a birthday party on Monday afternoon from four to five o'clock complimenting her daughter, Arlene on her third birthday. Miss Louise Ince assisted Mrs. Wilson in directing games for the children and punch was served with a pink and white birthday cake.

Included on the guest list were:

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Miss Helen Bybee of Plainview, is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. L. D. Ratliff, Jr.

Mrs. Tyrus Allen and daughter

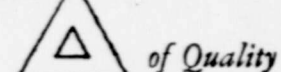
are visiting in Rotan this week. Mrs. Alton B. Chapman and little sons left last week for Lott, Texas and will spend a month there with her parents.

Miss Sarah B. Draper, who is attending Wayland College at Plainview, was a week end guest in the home of her mother, Mrs. H. C. Draper.

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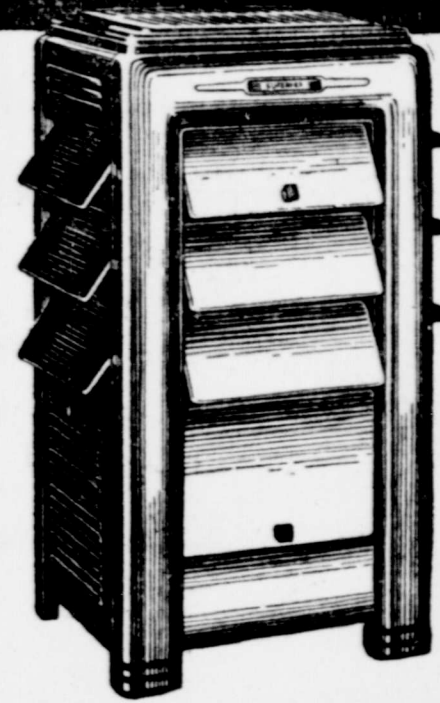
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