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Two Named In Race For Mayor Of Spur

**23 YEARS
AGO**

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

Prof. Walter L. Powell has been confined to his room the past several days and has been unable to attend to his duties in the school room. We hope that he will soon recover from the illness.

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A boy was born Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. John McKeever at their home six miles northwest of Spur.

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DRAPER—Jack Frost came to see us Saturday night and got most of our fruit.

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George Greenwade came over one day the latter part of last week from Dickens and spent some time here on business and greeting his friends.

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Misses Creola Richbourg, Hyacinth Grace, Kittie Powell, and Doris Atchbury returned this week from the Renfro ranch where they had spent a week recuperating from their arduous duties and studies as members of the "Senior Class" of the 1916 term of Spur School.

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Dr. Blackwell and wife and children, of Dickens, spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Spur visiting with friends of the city.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ellis, of Kent county, were in Spur this week. They had just returned from the north part of the country where they had been called on account of the illness of Mrs. Ellis' mother.

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A "Masquerade dance" was enjoyed Monday evening by a number of guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Putman. The guests were Misses Robbie and Donalita Standifer, Thelma and Clemmie Putman, Mary Rash, Whitaker, Clara Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Bert N. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Owens, Mrs. McNeill, and Messrs. Rains and McKay and Misses Littlefield and Scott of Crosbyton. Messrs. J. B. Hardin, Austin and Bill Putman, Charley Yates, Boney Fields, Earyl Senning and Carl Patton. Again Wednesday evening the same guest list were entertained with a dance at the new home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Senning.

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Joe Ericson, of the West Pasture, was in Spur Saturday after supplies and on other business matters.

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J. E. Cherry, a prominent citizen of several miles southeast of Spur, was a business visitor to the city Tuesday of this week.

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Bill McArthur, of the Tap country, was among the large number of visitors in Spur Saturday of last week. He hauled supplies and reports that everything indicates prosperity throughout the year.

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Burl Harrington came in Saturday from his farm home near Spur and spent some time in the city trading with the merchants and greeting his friends of the town and country.

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T. A. Tidwell and Mr. Luck returned the latter part of last week from Dallas and Fort Worth where they spent several days on business and visiting relatives. They made the trip through the country in an automobile.

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Hamp Collett, of several miles southwest of Spur, was among the many business visitors here Saturday. He reports everything in good shape and the finest crop prospects of many past years, and Hamp has been here since the early days.

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Newt Cravv, of the Red Mud country, was in Spur Saturday and while here was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office, informing us that everything in his section was in the very finest shape with respect to crop prospects at this time. Rains are coming just at the proper time to insure the best season for planting and bumper harvest this fall.

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Mr. and Mrs. Boy Hand of the Windham Ranch in Croton were business visitors in Spur Saturday.

Mrs. W. R. Crawford and daughter were among the shoppers and crop prospects at this time. Rains are coming just at the proper time to insure the best season for planting and bumper harvest this fall.

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Henry Dodge Passes Away At Home Of Brother

Friends of the family will learn with regret of the passing of Henry Dodge, an early day citizen of Dickens County and resident of Spur for number of years, whose death occurred Friday, April 21, at the home of his brother, Earl Dodge, of Wichita Falls.

Funeral services were held Saturday, April 22nd at 2:30 at Iowa Park and interment made in the Iowa Park Cemetery.

City Drug Staging Annual 1 Cent Sale

With the vacancy of Mayor's place in the City Government to be filled in the near future, two names have been made public as mayoral timber—that of Dr. M. H. Brannen and Fred Jennings.

Although under present conditions, the office of mayor could be filled by appointment, the two city commissioners exercising the authority, it has been intimated that no action on the part of the two city commissioners, G. H. Snider and Dr. M. H. Brannen, would probably result in an election being called by the court of the county.

No official statement, however, has been given by representatives of the Texas Spur as a joint resolution of the city court, and the situation at present would be termed tentative announcements.

Both candidates for the mayor's place, to succeed Mayor E. J. Cowan who passed away in a Wichita hospital April 17, are capable business men, property owners, well acquainted with the requirements of the Spur office, and friends who have placed their names before the public are urging a study of the situation.

On top of the fact that thousands of circulars have been distributed to this area, Joe has placed advertising in The Texas Spur informing the many readers of this paper that he wants them to take advantage of the big sale. In fact, Joe says he has a bargain for every man, woman and child in this entire area, and even though people will get stocked up, and it hurts business for some time after the sale because people get everything they need in the drug line, he still wants them to come and get it.

The City Drug doesn't seem to skip a thing—to show you the cool side of the affair, they have installed a cooling system—pleasant shopping any time of the day, open evenings, courteous service, and "dead bent on giving you purity." The advertisement appears on another page. Check it for bargains you need.

Spur Band Rates High In National Band Contest

Trekking to Abilene for the National Band Concert following the good showing at the Plainview meet, Bob Fielder's Spur group made the trade for a place among the third division delegation when three-states, Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico, went to arms for a stand in the sun.

Spur's Class B group rated in the division with only four other bands from the three states.

From the entire group only two bands rated first divisions, four rated second division in the B group.

Grace Foster placed third in a saxophone solo against some of the stiffest competition from the Southwest gathering. Pete Dobbins also placed in the baritone solo.

The old porch in front of the office has been torn away, and a new concrete entrance-way, brought down to ground level, has been put down. In the earlier work quite a bit of reroofing was done on the lumber sheds—which is very necessary in a really wet country like this here'n o' ounr.

E. L. McALPINE RETURNS
FROM VISIT

E. L. McAlpine, who left here about a month ago to attend the Presbytery at Mineral Wells, returned home Sunday. During the intervening time Mr. McAlpine visited a son, W. A. McAlpine and family, at Abilene, and also another son, Neil and family, at Ballinger. Mrs. P. A. Clemons and daughters, Miss Polly and Mrs. J. C. McNeill, III, visited week end and Mr. McAlpine returned with them.

Mrs. Cecil Scott and party left Spur Sunday morning for points East and South; Mrs. Scott is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. English, of Livingston. Mrs. Joe Jeffers and Mrs. Whistler, who stopped over in Fort Worth are spending the week with relatives there; Miss Wanua Brown to Austin where she has a part time position and will attend school, and Mrs. Stevens who was returning to her home in Houston following an extended visit in Spur with her brother, Jerry Willard, during a prolonged illness.

And would you be irritated with your hired man . . . for "sleeping customers away from your store"—and letting them go elsewhere because another man's message had reached them? Who wouldn't? On the other hand, would you throw your own circulars away? H—l no, you wouldn't—not if you really wanted to invite the public to your place to purchase goods!

You of course have read the line

Wanted--More Girls

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If you are familiar with the plans of the Spur Rodeo Association, then you will readily understand the meaning of that heading.

During the great Rodeo that is slated to take place in Spur on June 16 and 17, practically every business firm in Spur will want to be represented in the big parades, and of course in the Sponsor Contest, by some young lady—an equestrian to carry their colors and compete for the Queenship of the Rodeo.

In the first place, it is not necessary for any horseman—or anyone, for that matter—to represent some firm. If they so desire, they can ride in the parade without being sponsored by any firm. But of course the firms here want sponsors. So far, not enough young ladies have been found to represent all firms in town, and it was announced here late yesterday by T. E. Milam, chairman of the parade committee, that young ladies wishing to ride in the parade please let it be known . . . YOU ARE IN DEMAND.

In laying down some of the rules, Milam said that any firm could have as many representatives in the parade as they desired, but only one sponsor from any one firm would be eligible for entry in the Sponsor contest. In other words, any firm could have two, three, or any number of girl riders in the parade, but only one of them would be eligible to compete for Queenship and the cash prize.

Three awards have been named: the first award would be \$15.00, second is \$10.00, and the third is \$5.00. That is for home girls—out of town sponsors for other cities will compete for other awards. The young lady winning first award will be automatically designated as the official sponsor for the Spur Rodeo Association, and will be sent to other rodeos over this part of the State to represent Spur as sponsors.

An appeal is being made to young women of this territory. The idea is, if you are willing to ride in the parade and take part in the big celebration—COME HITHER; YOU ARE WANTED!

All the men, too, are requested to ride in the parade—but of course they are warned beforehand, and probably know it, that they just simply can't be a Queen.

Softballers Slow In Getting Started

For '39 Season

With the Big Leaguers in training, and playing exhibition games every day or so, you'd think the baseball bug would bite someone around Spur; at least the little softball bug. But as yet, nothing has been done about this sport situation.

There are several players eager to get into action, but there seems to be no one to fire the starting gun. Other cities and towns in West Texas are already playing, and prospects are good for lively season.

Spur is a little late in getting started, and if something isn't done right away, this year's session of softball will be so far advanced, that it will do little good for Spur to start.

Softball is very popular with Spur fans, and there is plenty of good playing material ripe for the picking.

Come on, let's get started, and not be so far behind the rest of West Texas.

CHARLIE, LEWIS CROUCH
INSTALL BARBER SHOP
AT HEMPSTEAD

Charlie Crouch and son, Lewis, left Thursday of last week for Hempstead, Texas, where they are installing fixtures for their new barber shop and at which place they will reside in operating the new place.

Both Charlie and Lewis have worked in shops in Spur, and are well known to the trade here. Lewis

has been employed at Ernest George's Spur Barber Shop for the past two years, and resigned to go with his father to the new Hempstead shop.

When Figures Don't Lie: 3 to 1

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Probably there has never been a time in the history of the life of the average business man of today when better results were wanted and needed from advertising. Probably there are men who have messages for the public . . . something that is of utmost importance to the public—and yet it seems that he must guess at the source to use in getting that message to the most people.

It is something to think about.

Suppose you have an important message for the entire trade area—it must reach every man, woman, and child. If you ordered a mass of circulars, hired some man to distribute them, and instead he "stuffed" them under a culvert and spent the time lounging in the shade of a tree, sleeping—do you think that you would get results? The chances are very slim.

And would you be irritated with your hired man . . . for "sleeping customers away from your store"—

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DUMONT
The Texas Spur ----- 50

Next ----- 16

More Than 3 to 1

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ROARING SPRINGS

The Texas Spur ----- 117

Next (from area) ----- 37

More Than 3 to 1

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AFTON

The Texas Spur ----- 147

Next ----- 51

Nearly 3 to 1

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ROUTE ONE

The Texas Spur ----- 80

Next ----- 50

Over a Third More

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ROUTE TWO

The Texas Spur ----- 88

Next ----- 37

More Than 2 to 1

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DICKENS

The Texas Spur ----- 143

Next ----- 52

Nearly 3 to 1

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GLENN

The Texas Spur ----- 41

Next ----- 13

More Than 3 to 1

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There are many other communities in which the figures are correspondingly tabulated—and in every one The Texas Spur can give you an average of 3 to 1 more paid subscribers. Try sending your advertising message to ALL OF THE PEOPLE, and note the difference in results.

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**PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION
TO HOLD JOINT SOCIAL
MEETING TUESDAY**

The Parent-Teacher Associations of the Spur Schools will hold a joint social meeting Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock on the lawn of the High School building.

This will be the last meeting of the year for the three units and a large attendance is expected.

National Music Week will be observed in the following program to be rendered:

Origin and Purpose of Music
Saxophone Solo—Grace Foster.
Drum Quintet — Joyce CeCully,
Mae Barnette Johnson, Dorothy Barber,
Peggy Hogan and Matthew Gruben.

Baritone Solo—Pete Dobbins.
Clairinet Quartet—Chas. Senning,
Wade Gilbert, Betty Joe Barnett and
Jean Engleman.

Resume of years work—Mesdames
O. C. Arthur, Thurmond Moore, Ray
Taylor and Reece McNeil.

Installation of officers.

FREE!

For ONE WEEK, beginning Monday, May 8th, we will render a pick-up service to Spur people on Helpy-Selfy Laundry work, and we want you to take advantage of this FREE service.

Courtesy - Service

We have taken over management of the Helpy-Selfy Department at Spur Laundry-Cleaners, and during that time our business has become better and better. We appreciate it, and we are going to give service that will make it still better. Give us a ring any time next week . . . we'll bring you in and carry you back home—FREE.

**HELPY - SELFY
Department
SPUR LAUNDRY -
CLEANERS**

Ollie Hale, Manager

Here's

**Refrigerator
Health**

Did you ever stop to think that your food, to be healthful, should be stored in a ventilated box . . . the air about your food should be pure enough to breathe.

You Could Live In Our Ice Box

Come in and let us prove to you that you could live in a box from our stock of ice refrigerators. Our white rabbit is doing fine—temperature 42 degrees, pure air. Here is a living guarantee that the air in this box is absolutely pure.

From our three lines of refrigerators you can find a box that will meet your exact requirements.

**OLYMPICS
VITALAIRS
COOLERATORS**

It is better to refrigerate with ice . . . less shrinkage of meat foods, handier for table service, healthier for the family.

LEON ICE CO.

THE SPURS

First Publication From The
Original Manuscript
by W. J. ELLIOT

An Authentic History Of The Old West *** Published Serially By Your Texas Spur

**THE HAPPY FAMILY
CHAPTER LII**

That prairie dogs, rattlesnakes and prairie-dog owls live peacefully in the burrows made by the prairie-dog is erroneous. The prairie-dogs know that the rattlesnake, in fact all snakes, are their deadly enemies, and they will always give them room and they will vacate their dens for all snakes. The danger to the prairie-dog is not in the den but on top of the ground. Nor will prairie-dogs knowingly occupy or use the den while his snakeship is in possession.

The truth is that the rattlesnake is nearly harmless to the prairie dog in the burrow, (den). The reason for this is the size of the prairie-dog, and the small space, usually about five inches in the tunnel. To strike the rattlesnake must throw back his head, so that the points of the curved fangs may enter the flesh of the victim, and in the tunnel of the den there is no room.

On top of the ground, the rattlesnake will invariably charm and swallow alive its prey, be-

it prairie-dog, cotton-tail rabbit, or dove. Notwithstanding the fact that I have read denial of this power by some scientists, I have watched and seen rattlesnakes catch each of those victims mentioned by that mysterious power or fascination. Several times I have been able to liberate the victim before it was too late. The dove flew off, while the rabbits, more than once, made off, apparently none the worse. I need hardly say that I always killed the snake.

As for the prairie-dog owls I have seen them with young prairie-dogs hanging from their talons. I am sure they catch and eat them as well as larks and other small birds.

The snake known as the coach-whip or prairie-runner, is a different proposition from the rattlesnake. I have never seen one of those snakes charm a prairie-dog or any other thing, but I have seen them chasing prairie-dogs. It may be of interest to know that those coach-whips are tops. I have seen, and watched them several times, kill and swallow the deadly rattlesnake.

Fred Jennings will appreciate your vote for mayor.

Miss Billie Elder, of Barre, La., returned Tuesday to Rotan where she is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. B. Smart, following a visit since Sunday in the R. L. Alexander home in Spur. Mrs. Alexander accompanied Miss Elder to Rotan.

S. T. Battles was transacting business affairs in Spur Monday. Mr. Battles has been ill and unable to make his weekly visits to Spur for some time.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Payne and children in Big Spring spent the week end in Spur guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne at their farm home three miles west of the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gregory and little daughter Billie Sue, of Junction, spent the week end in Spur the guests of her father, Bill McArthur, at his farm home at Red Mud and her grandmother, Mrs. Mary Johnson of Spur.

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Menth-O-Mulsion is a special combination of eight ingredients

Their mode of operation is interesting to watch. They circle round and round the rattlesnake, every once in a while pouncing in towards the rattler which always strikes too late at the fast moving yellow streak, until it apparently gets tired, then the coach-whip darts in and gets the rattlesnake behind the head, immediately twining its body round and round the rattler while holding on to the back of the head, slowly squeezing the life out of the rattler.

After the rattlesnake is a fairly good snake, irrespective of the size of it, the coach-whip, if left undisturbed, will proceed to swallow his kill. If any person wants to catch (if they can) a coach-whip to play with they will be perfectly safe from injury as they are absolutely harmless to man. I have never known one to strike at, much less bite a human being. But all snakes that come their way they serve alike, except of course their own species.

As this story was started to tell of the Old Spur Boys, I may say that I have seen some of them run their horses along side a running coach-whip snake, reach down from the saddle, catch the snake by or near the tail, swing it round his head, and pop the head off. A feat of horsemanship I vainly tried to perform.

A rattlesnake when alarmed or disturbed, will invariably coil, and get ready for business. The coach-whip will, on the other hand, make off as fast as it can. Its speed is plenty fast so that few men afoot can catch it.

(To Be Continued)

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**AUTOMOBILE
INSURANCE**

Look before you step off of the curb . . . watch for children . . . watch for curves!

DRIVE SAFELY

Better ask about our auto insurance of every kind.

**L. H. PERRY
Insurance Agent**

THE Rexall DRUG STORE FOR LOWEST PRICES IN TOWN

THE CITY DRUG CO.

"The REXALL Store"

SPUR TEXAS

**Special Price Good
4 BIG DAYS
WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY**

Rexall DRUGS

**50¢ quality Cascade POUND PAPER LINEN FINISH
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Constant Hacking From Colds Brings on Dangerous Illness

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MRS. STAFFORD FORBIS IS
HONORED AT GIFT
PARTY

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
John C. Ramsay, Minister
10 a. m.—Sunday School, J. C. McNeill, II, Superintendent.

11 a. m.—Worship and the Word. Subject: "The Blessedness of Forgiveness."

7 p. m.—Young People's Vespers, Miss Folly Clemons, Adult Advisor.

This church is giving way its evening services in order that this congregation will go to the Christian Revival. Let us all go.

WOMANS COUNCIL OF FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH MET
MONDAY, MAY 1

The Womans Council of First Christian Church met in the home of Mrs. Jasper Wood, Monday, May 1st, with 10 members present. The meeting was opened with prayer by Mrs. Nellie Davis.

Mrs. Addie conducted the business session.

Mrs. Pauline Jimison was in charge of the lesson—The Church and a Better India.

Mrs. Lisenby gave the devotional. Mrs. McGlathery gave "Our Medical Work in India."

Mrs. Adams gave—"Our Churches in India."

Dismissed with prayer by Mrs. Jimison.

The hostess served strawberry ice cream and cake to those present.

WOMENS MISSIONARY SOCIETY
MET AT METHODIST CHURCH

Seventeen ladies met at the Methodist Church Monday for the beginning of the Bible Study: "The Message of Jesus." Mrs. Foote led the study and Mrs. Koon, Mrs. Payne, and Mrs. Graham gave parts.

Chapters II and III will be studied next Monday at the home of Mrs. J. C. Keen.

All ladies of the church are invited.

Mrs. Gertrude Pursley of Tucumcari, New Mexico, is spending an indefinite time with her mother, Mrs. McClain of Jayton who is in very frail health. Mrs. Pursley was shopping and visiting with friends while in Spur Tuesday.

Mrs. W. P. Foster, of the Foster Cafe, spent several days the first of this week visiting in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Powell in the Espuela community.

Fred Jennings will appreciate your vote for mayor.

A Hint To The Wise
Is Sufficient . . .

MOTHER'S DAY
Sunday, May 14

... you want to give MOTHER what she wants, what she would choose, and here's your chance. It's your gift, and it's her choice. Suggest a "beauty" gift, and see how pleased she'll be.

"A PERMANENT GIFT"

Mother's Day Special,

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Mrs. Lloyd Wolf returned Sunday from a visit of two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Norris of Hubbard and Mrs. Charles Wolf and children of Fort Worth.

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SPECIALS

Don't forget that we have specials on all permanents. Many women and girls have already taken advantage of our prices, and more will want to in the next few days.

MISS DOROTHY GARNER
is now with us, and she invites former customers and friends to come in and visit her.

Remember Mother's Day, May 14

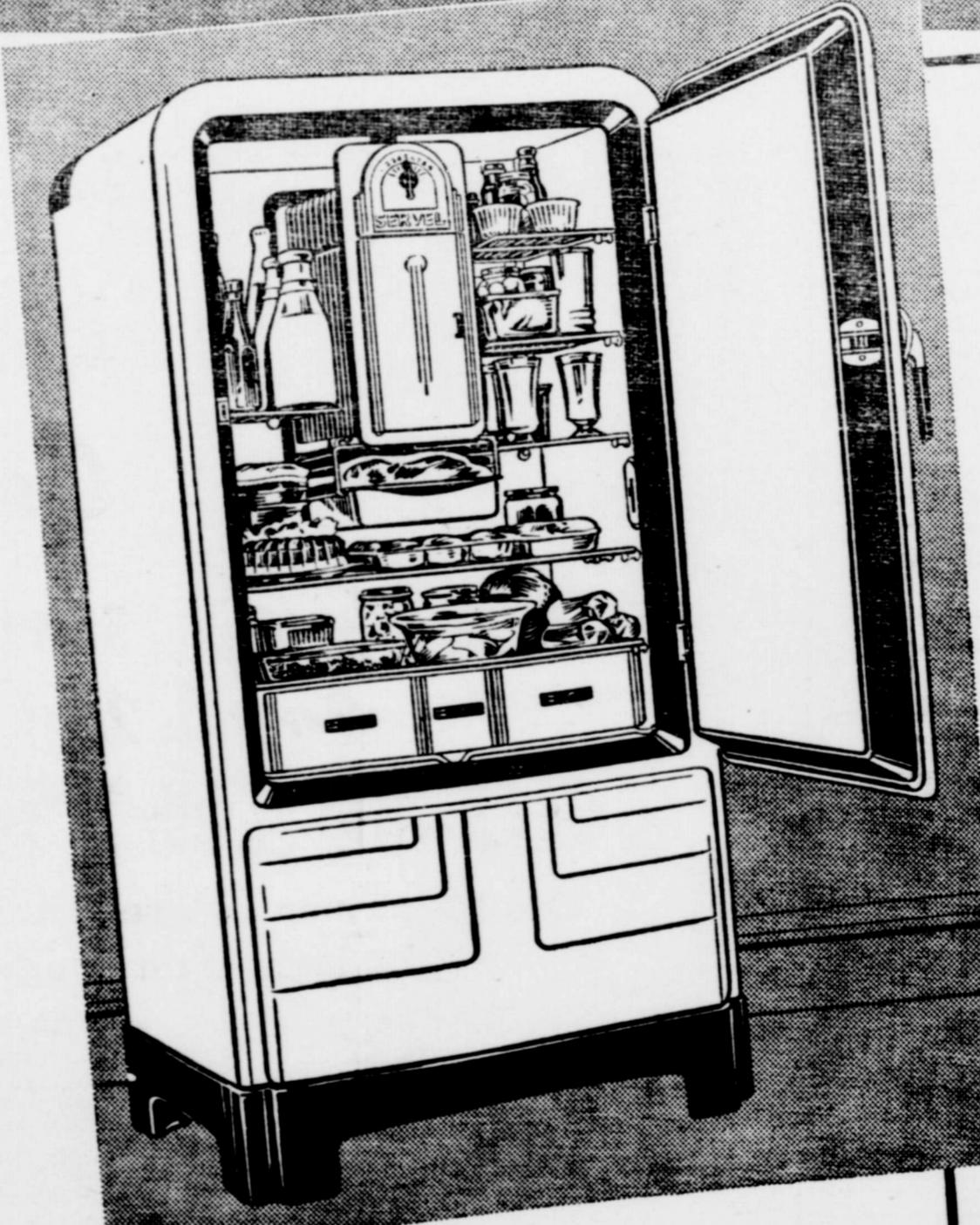
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Patton Springs School News Notes

**PATTON SPRINGS SCHOOL
HONOR ROLL**
Fifth-Sixth Weeks**FIRST GRADE**—Mrs. Sally Jackson

Harold Gene Richardson, Dee Baxter, Jovena Jackson, Jackie Andrews, Harvey Joe Poinexter, Lester Rich, Billie Bud Sims, Letta Sue Floyd, Elsie Havens, Barbara Ruth Hughes, Kenneth Hicks, Alford Norris, Clara Joan Rutherford.

FIRST GRADE—Miss Helen Porter

Ruby Jo Gilmore, C. W. Smiley, Harley Ragland, Charles Edward Haney, Betty Fern Altman, Ruth Atchison.

SECOND GRADE—Miss Pearl Dobbs:

Charlcie Black, Reba Willingham, Royce Allen, Maxylene Odam, Betty Claire Rogers, Joe Murry, Ressie Mae Walls, Betty Irene Atchison.

THIRD GRADE—Miss Mildred Holt:

Alfred Haney, Wayne McCarty, Gerald F. Yeates, Doris Baxter, Sue Jane Blenden, Mary Lou Donovan, Billie Galloway, Verlie Marie Henley, Frankie Nell Kee, Valeria Faye Rich.

FOURTH GRADE—Miss Alta Cassele:

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NOTICE OF BOND ASSUMPTION ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held on Saturday, May 6, at the Wichita school house in Wichita Consolidated Common School District No. 11 to determine whether or not a majority of the property tax paying voters of said district favor the assumption of said bonds of district No. 11 and 21.

Purpose of this election is for the validating of bonds which are now outstanding, namely \$600 on district No. 21 and \$800 on district No. 11.

W. T. Lovell has been named judge of the said election and he will appoint two clerks to assist him. Polls will be open from 8 A. M. to 6 P. M.

Dated in Dickens, Texas the 10th day of April A. D. 1939.

MARSHALL FORMBY
County Judge, Dickens
County, Texas
(Apr. 27, May 4, 1939)

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FOR SALE—See Mace Hunter for Pure Acala Cotton Seed, staple last year 1 1-8 to 1 1-16 inch.

I have some nice Jersey heifers I will sell or trade. — See R. L. Benson. 26-tcf

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Feed, Coal & Produce store with feed mill also residence in well located town. Call or write The Texas Spur, Spur, Texas. 24tfn

FOR SALE—Good ear corn at my place 3 miles west of Calgary—W. F. WEBB. 27-4tp

FOR SALE—14 choice residence lots near East Ward School. Sell 1 or all at Bargain Prices.—See H. J. H. J.

Garnier. 27-4tp

FOR SALE—125 White Leghorn hens, heavy producers, 65¢ each.—C. E. NEAL, Elton, Texas. 1tp

FOR RENT—2-room furnished apartment, 3 blocks west of Bank. Couple only.—Mrs. D. L. Booth. 1tp

FOR SALE—Second year Acala Cotton Seed—Virgil Smith. 27-4tp

Misses Margaret and Dolly Elliot, of London, England, sister and daughter of W. J. Elliot, of Spring Creek, sailed to-day, Thursday, May 4th for America and plan to spend an extended visit in the Elliot home and also visit various points of interest in the U. S. A.

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