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Spur Civic Club Activities

Everything has been exceptionally quiet this week so far as activities of the Spur Civic Club is concerned. It seems that the entire citizenship of Spur has gone RODEO; however, this is fine and our Annual Roundup and Rodeo comes once each year and like our Civic Club, it takes the cooperation of the citizenship to make it a success and we never contemplate anything other than a successful Roundup and Rodeo.

(Spur Civic Club Is Your Club)

It seems that it will be necessary to use the column of our local paper in order to correct the errors made

In 1917 we sent the young manhood of America across the seas to fight a war to "Make The World Safe For Democracy" Many of these young men are buried on Flanders Field Many more are wounded or maimed for life ... Others have passed on in later years as a result of the war.... And the world was not made safe for democracy.

In 1940 democracy is again threatened Shall we again send the flower of America into battle to be slain by the thousands? Or shall we find a better way to "Make America Safe For Democracy" and for Americans? On this Memorial Day let us not forget those who paid the supreme sacrifice And on bended knee, let us invoke the blessing and guidance of the Supreme Ruler of the Universe in this hour of

THE FAMILY

Roundup and Rodeo

June 13, 14 and 15

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(By The Office Devil)

He who tries to profit by the other fellows demerits, rather than by his own merits, usually has his efforts act as a boomerang, and he usually comes out at the small end of the horn.

-0-One of Spur's handsome young

men dropped into The Texas Spur office the other day and requested that we advertise for a date for him, that he had tried every scheme he could think of except advertising. We promised him that we would

by one of the largest circulations in Texas. Some of our local citizens were able to get their photographs in one of our dailies this week but not only them but the rest of the citizenship will have a harder time connecting the pictures with the names as they will in working the cross-word puzzle in the same issue. DOWN WHERE THE WEST BE-GINS they are all confused with the slang used OUT WHERE THE WEST IS. The files of the Rodeo office shows that a certain individual was correctly styled as FLUNKEY of the Rodeo Association but the press mis-construed the word FLUNKY and called him Manager. Oh, well it is a relief to know we all make mistakes big or little.

(Spur Civic Club Is Your Club)

One of the outstanding Events of the week was a banquet fostered by the farmers of Dickens County who entertained the business and professional men of this County. We are sure that other articles in this paper will thoroughly describe this occasion.

(Spur Civic Club Is Your Club)

Again we want to call to the attention of the citizenship of Spur and surrounding territory that the Spur Civic Club belongs to the people and not a few individuals. Certain individuals have been heard during the last week making the remark that they had not been solicited to become members of the Club. We want to re-emphasize that if you are a citizen of Spur we want you to become a member and make it known by dropping into the office that the files might be complete and your name listed as such member and receive the benefit of the activities of this Club. The Spur Civic Club was authorized for the people. No one is excluded but everyone invited. Suggestions, ideas, and Cooperation is the main assets of our Club.

Episcopal Church To Have Services Sun.

Announcement has been made that services will be held at the Episcopal Church in Spur next Sunday afternoon at 3:30.

Rev. John A. Winslow of Lubbock will conduct the services. The public is cordially invited.

trouble Let us make the world safe for democracy through PEACE rather than WAR!

HYATTS FOOD MARKET	ERICSON GROCERY
KING & PUTMAN	W. R. LEWIS
LEON ICE CO.	ALLEN AUTO SUPPL
"66" SERVICE STATION	SPUR TAILORS
CITY DRUG CO.	RITER HARDWARE

Jack Rector Gets

Tire Advertising

Tires.

paign.

Jack Rector local agent for the

U. S. Tire and Rubber Co. recently

completed a contract whereby he is

to receive quite a bit of advertising

in the Texas Spur for this line of

Rector has been meeting with much

success in the sale of these tires and

he hopes to greatly increase his

sales through this advertising cam-

CHRISTIAN VACATION BIBLE

Around 70 boys and girls between

the ages of 3 and 17 years have at-

tended the Vacation Bible School

which has ben held during the past

two weeks at the Presbyterian

church. Four departments have each

day met in the following locations

following the opening assembly:

Beginners under the direction of

Manse, 321 East Hill; Primaries un-

Ruby Adcock at the Christian

church; and the Intermediates un-

sembly's Training School, Richmond

Virginia, and of the University of

Texas, Austin, has been principal

of the school. Mrs. Singleton has

proven herself a most talented and

gifted expert in her work and it

has been a rare opportunity for

Mrs. John C. Ramsay and Mrs. Coy JAYTON MAN DIES IN

der the direction of Mrs. Dick zen of Kent County died suddenly

Speer, Miss Marion Hale, and Miss in Spur last Saturday of apoplexy

McMahan at the Presbyterian SPUR SATURDAY

Robbie Clemmons at the Christian Jayton Cemetery.

Presbytery, a graduate of the As- the School.

SCHOOL COMMENCEMENT

PRESBYTERIAN AND

BELL'S CAFE SPUR MOTOR CO. SMITH & ADAMS LEN AUTO SUPPLY **EDD AKIN** THE FAIR STORE FER HARDWARE CO.

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As Usual, The Big **One Got Away!**

A group of Spur citizens

went to the Buchanan Lake

last week on a fishing trip, re-

turning home Wednesday night

with the story that they

caught 15 fish weighing from

In addition to these 15 fish

they also report the hooking of

one fish that must have weigh-

ed 35 or 40 pounds, but "he

Those going on the trip were

Geo. Sloan, Frank Watson, B.

C. Langley, Dr. Brannen and

According to reports the men

enjoyed a fine outing as well

as having all the fish they

Wm. M. Cheyne, 59, pioneer citi-

Funeral services were conducted

5 to 15 pounds each.

son, Mack Brannen.

got away."

could eat.

Boosters To Appear On Radio

Boosters making the trip to Lubbock on June 5 will appear on a short program over KFYO in which they will advertise Spur's second annual Roundup and Rodeo. Also on June 7 they will appear over Station KXOX in Sweetwater broadcasting on 1210 killocycles.

In addition to these broadcasts here will be spot announcements over various stations of the state, beginning about June 5. Citizens are urged to listen to these programs.

Also circulars, plackards, and other advertising material will be passed out at the various towns along the routes.

ALLEN AUTO SUPPLY EMPLOYES NEW SALESMAN

employed by the Allen Auto Supply Company of Spur as one of their field salesmen. .

McCarty has been for the past two months selling Luber-Finer Oil Filters for the concern. He is now selling all lines carried by the company including refrigerators, radios and all lines of accessories. posed of. Fifty per cent of the pro-

ATTENTION CANDIDATES

der Rev. John C. Ramsay, Miss with the awarding of certificates of Candidates one and all are re-Sammie McGee, and Jack Ramsay, credit. Besides there will be a handquested to be at the Court House in welfare work. Dickens Monday night, June 3 to arrange the schedule for speaking dates over the county.

Sponsors! Sponsors! Sponsors!

Sponsors and more Sponsors is what the Roundup Committee

run the ad for him without charge and that we would guarantee results. However, our client suddenly took an attack of "Feint Heart" and withdrew his request.

It is bad for a young man when he cannot get a date . . . but perhaps the young lady is better off without one.

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What we cannot understand is why a candidate running for office the first time advocates that two terms are enough for any man to serve in office. Then upon his election he advocates that an experienced man should be retained in office rather than elect some one who is not familiar with the routine of the office. The Experienced man had to learn sometime.

Pre-Rodeo Exhibition

Ride 'em cowgirl! Miss Ethel

Green, home Economics in-

structor at Spur High exhibit-

ed her ability as a cowgirl in

grand form last Thursday af-

ternoon when she rode her

mount to a finish in South

While out horseback riding

with Everett McArthur, her

horse resented being kicked

in the side by McArthur, start-

ed to pitch and did a fair job

of it. However, the rider was

not displaced, and Miss Green

proved to all witnesses that

This pre-rodeo attraction

was free to the public and see-

ing that the rider rode to a

finish, Miss Green should make

some merchant a good spon-

A total of 500 poppies were dis-

ceeds go to the veterans who make

the poppies and the other 50% re-

According to those participating

The school is reported as pro-

BAPTIST VACATION BIBLE

SCHOOL HUGE SUCCESS

more than 100 children.

sor on June 13, 14, and 15.

Spur.

she can ride.

-0---One way to establish Universal Peace is for all creatures to get a closer relation between themselves and their Creator.

Mrs. Ovie Draper **Candidate** For Co. Treasurer

To The Voters Of Dickens County:

I am now ready to announce my candidacy for the office of County Treasurer. I am very sorry I am late in making this announcement, but as many of you know I have been away from home since last Thanksgiving with my children who were hurt in a car wreck, and since coming home have been expecting to be called back, therefore have been waiting to see what I could do.

I made the race two years ago and "thanks" to all who gave their support and will appreciate everything you can do for me.

I have been a resident of Dickens county a long time, came when Spur was only about a year old. I believe I am qualified for the place, having taught school some before I married. I hope it will be possible for me to see each of you, but as it is so late I may not get to see all. Will you take this as a solicitation of your vote.

If I am elected will assure you to in the Vacation Bible School being do my best to serve you and make conducted at the Baptist Church there has been an attendance cf you an efficient officer.

MRS. OVIE (H. C.) DRAPER.

Colene McCarty of Afton has been **Poppie Sale Nets \$55.80** For Spur Poppie sales in Spur last Saturday netted a total of \$55.80 accord-

ing to Mrs. D. A. Wilson, local chairman.

mains in Spur to be used for child

Jr., at the Presbyterian church. Mrs. work exhibit. At the close of the ex-J. Martin Singleton, Director of Re- ercises an offering will be taken to ligious Education for Fort Worth defray the necessary expenses of

church; Juniors under the direction at the Baptist Church in Jayton at of Mrs. J. Martin Singleton and Miss 3:00 o'clock. Interment followed in

METHODIST SCHOOL TO CLOSE FRIDAYSpur to have her as their guest dur- ing the fortnight.With about 50 children in attend- ance at the Vacation Bible School at the local Methodist Church the school has been pronounced a suc- cess from every angle.On next Sunday night at 8 p. m., the Vacation Bible School Com- mencement will be held at the Presbyterian church. The parents and friends and congregation of these two churches are cordially in- vited. High lights in the school will be featured so that adults can get some idea of the work attempted. Short memory work in the Scrip- tures, songs, Bible stories, Scripture dramatizations will be given along	is after according to T. E. Milam, chairman of the committee. A number have already signed up for this occasion but so far there is not enough to go around and the committee urges that girls get them a horse and saddle and come in and see Milam, who will arrange for them to take part in the events by getting a mer- chant to sponsor them. Merchants have already paid for tickets for the sponsors and they will be given a free ticket to all performances of the three day show. Prizes for this event have been raised this year and the num- ber of prizes increased. First prize is \$15, second \$10, third \$7.50, and fourth \$5.	is being shown. The school con- tinues for the balance of this week. and through next week. RED MUD CEMETERY WORKING JUNE 6TH An all-day Cemetery Working will be held at Red Mud, Thursday, June 6. It will be an all day affair with a basket lunch on the ground and a program in the afternoon. Everyone is urged to come and participate in this worthy cause.	Dine In Comfort at BELL'S CAFE Air Conditioned
Don't Forget Mo	onday, June 3 Is 7	Frades Day	In Spur

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THE TEXAS SPUE

Jane Douglas Wilson **Becomes Bride Of Joe** L. Haddon Tuesday

A marriage of interest to a large circle of friends in Spur was that of Jane Douglas Wilson, daughter of Attorney and Mrs. W. D. Wilson of Lubbock and formerly of Spur and Joe L. Haddon of Lubbock, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe J. Haddon of San Angelo which was consumated Tuesday at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon served Sunday Morning with the Pastor bringing a Communion Mesin Brownfield.

The Rev. H. W. Hanks of the sage and appropriate Special Music Methodist Church read the impressis to be arranged. ive double ring ceremony. The Evening Service will be held

in the Grove at the rear of the Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Wiley were Church where it is cool and nice. the only attendants.

dons plan to build a home in Lub-

Misses Elliotts Will

Return To London

bock at an early date.

If Permitted

The bride wore a black chiffon The Pastor will preach on the Subdress with bolero trimmed in ject: "Nobody - Somebody - Everyclassic white. Her hat was a black body." Attend Church Sunday. We are always delighted to have and white Swiss embroidered breton and she carried a matching visitors in our services. parasol.

Mrs. Haddon teaches public school FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH John C. Ramsay, Minister music at Dupree. She attended Tex-

10 a. m. Sunday School, J. C. Mc-Texas, Texas Tech at Lubbock and Neill, III, Superintendent. ally to the accompaniment of Texas University. She is a member 11 a. m. Morning Worship and

of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. The Word. Sermon: "The Necessity Mr. Haddon is Band director at of God's Judgment." (A Transcript Lubbock Junior High and is to teach from the Days of Isaiah). in the Tech Band school this sum-

7 p. m. Kingdom Highways League, Mrs. Pete Robinson, Adult Advisor. After a wedding trip they will be

METHODIST CHURCH NOTES

Sunday School _____ 9:55

Morning Worship Service __ 11:00

Young People's League ____ 7:15

Adult League _____ 7:30

Evening Service _____ 8:15

W. M. S., Monday _____ 3:00

Choir Practice, Tuesday ____ 8:00

Service _____ 8:15

The Holy Communion will be ob-

Wednesday Night Prayer

J. E. Harrell, Minister

8 p. m. Vacation Bible School Commencement, the Presbyterian and Christian churches cooperating. Woman's Auxiliary Meeting on

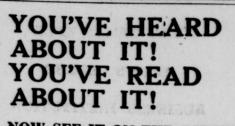
Mondays. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. B. F. Hale returned Thursday from a visit since Sunday to Miss Margaret Elliot and nicce Fort Worth to return her daughter, Miss Dorothy Elliot, sister and Helen, a junior in T. C. U., after a daughter respectively of W. J. Elliot, week end visit in Spur and to left Friday via Amarillo for New Greenville where she visited rela-York City from where they hope to tives. be permitted to sail and by a circu-

tious route be able to return to their home in London, England. Saturday The Misses Elliots came over

SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS

Mrs. Brinkley Carlisle of Duck Creek was shopping and visiting in Spur Monday.



NOW SEE IT ON THE SCREEN **AT POPULAR PRICES**



STARRING HENRY FONDA





Miss Era Bell Hogan Shower For 2 Recent

Is Honored At Shower

The J. C. McNeill, III, home 1011 West Harris, was the scene of a lovely party Wednesday afternoon, shower given Friday afternoon, May from Spur High School, with when Mrs. McNeill and co-hostesses Misses Polly Clemmons, Ann Lee, Beatrice Spivey, Doris Arthur and Mrs. Ferrell Albin entertained with a miscellaneous shower, an addition to a series of prenuptial parties given the past week complimenting Miss Era Bell Hogan, bride elect of Dudley Wooten.

Mrs. McNeill received guests at the door and presented the honoree Miss Hogan and others in the receiving line, Mesdames Ned Hogan and R. R. Wooten.

Miss Polly Clemmons pinned favors; silver wedding bells on each guest and presided at the table which held the register, a beautiful handpainted brides book, the work and gift of Miss Clemmons.

and hydrandea. Miss Doris Arthur led the way to the gift room where Mrs. Ferrell Albin presided and where an unusually attractive assortment of gifts gave silent testimony to the with a crystal bowl of rose buds esteem in which this young couple marking the center and at each end is held by their host of friends.

Decorations throughout the house holders bearing lighted candles in were urns and vases holding half- the colors, pink and white. bloom red rose buds.

Particularly attractive was the refreshment table in the dining room W. B. Lee, R. L. Benson, and Thur-The board was covered with lace over pink cloth and centered with a crystal bowl and plaque encircled with garlands of ferns and red rose LaVorice Lee read several selected buds.

Misses Beatrice Spivey and Ann Lee presided in the dining room where refreshments of fruit punch and ice box cookies were served.

poems.

by Mozelle Arthur.

Miss Robbie Clemmons at the piano rendered music selections throughout the afternoon.

Brides Lovely Affair Mrs. F. O. Brittain, Jr., of Los Complimented Angeles, California, the former Mary Jo Collier, a bride of two months, and Mrs. Oran Parks nee Mildred Collier, a recent bride shar-Mrs. Lucy R. Cowan honored her ed honors at a lovely party and daughter, Emily, who graduated 17th at the O. C. Arthur home, 510

North Williams. Co-hostesses were Mesdames E. S. Lee, O. L. Kelley, R. L. Benson, The floral decorations were spring Thurmond Moore, Ernest George and W. B. Lee.

piece with a huge pineapple, orang-Receiving with Mrs. Arthur were es and bananas gave a tropical ac-Mrs. Oran Parks, guest of cent to the gay fiesta dishes and honor. Mrs. Blanche Collier and linens of the table and buffet ser-

Mrs. Susan Loe, mother and grand- vice. mother respectfully of the honoree. Mrs. Oscar McGinty presided a Presiding at the table holding the the table where tomato cocktails register, a hand made brides book, and hors d' oeuvre were served as the guests arrived. was Mrs. Ernest George.

The luncheon consisting of fried Decorations throughout the house

were attractive combinations of chicken, creamed English peas, butlate spring and early summer flow- tered potatoes, lettuce-carrot-tomaers. These blossoms included roses to salad, hot rolls, iced tea, ice as Womans College at Fort Worth, of various colors, pansies, verbena cream and cake was served inform-

In the dining room the arrangement was very pretty. The table was laid with lace over pink cloth,

ey, Polly Clemmons, Robbie Clemmons, Messers O. L. Kelley, David Sisto, and G. B. Wadzeck.

was assisted by Mesdames E. S. Lee, mond Moore in serving refreshments, Honored At Shower of sandwiches and cookies. Plate favors were pink sweet peas. Miss

"Husbands Conserve" was read O. L. Kelley, entertained Thursday

afternoon, May 23rd at the Benson Mrs. Charles Holeman presided in home with a call Tea and Stork the gift room where guests viewed a Shower complimenting Mrs. Robert

matrons who, as young ladies were Receiving with Mrs. Benson and

animated conversation. The guest list: Mesdames Horace Emery, E. L. Caraway, Barbee, Oscar McGinty. O. L. Kelley, Misses Edith Caveness. mer at home at 2320 29th St. The Had-

Mrs. Robert Williams Mrs. R. L. Benson and co-hostess es, Mesdames O. C. Arthur, Don Ramsey, Charles Holeman, Ed Will-

iams, Fred Kinney, E. S. Lee and

very pretty shower for two young Williams.

Dallas Smith, Jeanne Gollihar, Aline Low, Ethel Green, Margaret Malonof the table were crystal candle Mrs. Kelley poured punch and

Emily Cowan Is

th Luncheon

buffet luncheon Tuesday evening

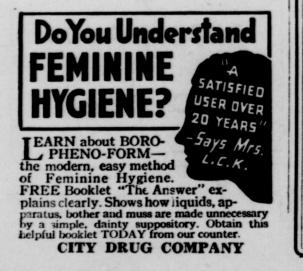
just before the graduation exercises,

at her home at 123 West 1st Street.

flowers and roccs. A fruit center-

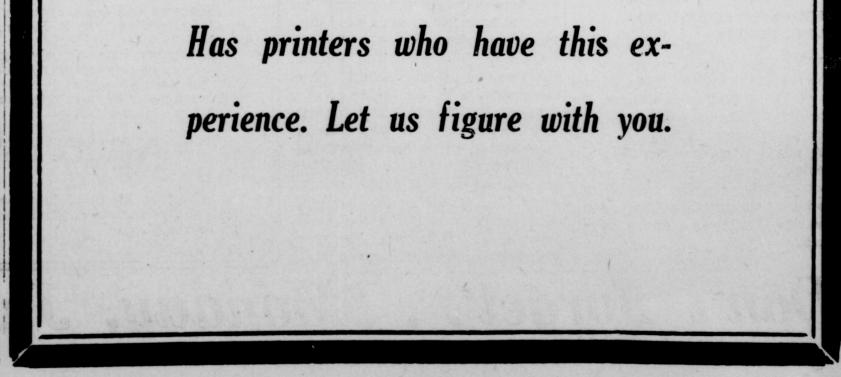
 book are: Mesdames J. C. McNeill, Ferrell Albin, Bill Putman, E. D. Engle- man, Truett Hutto, Clarence Fore- man, Horace Emery, Mary Neelda Alexander, Hobert Lewis, Neal A. Chastain, P. H. Miller, Guy Karr, V. C. Smart, Jack Rector, Alpn Glasgow, H. P. Gibson, Jas. B. Reed, Horace Wood, D. J. Dyess, E. C. Mc- Gee, S. C. Fallis, A. M. Walker, Joe Stotts, Floyd Barnett, J. I. 	gifts. DAUGHTERS OF 1933 STUDY CLUB TO BE HOSTESS TO CITY FEDERATION The Daughters of 1933 Study Club will be hostess to the members of City Federation Thursday, June 6th at the home of Mrs. P. C. Nichols. This will be the last meeting of the Federation this year. New officers	of near Jayton. Mrs. O. C. Arthur presided at the register, a beautiful hand made baby book. The house decorations were bou- quets of roses of various colors in artis'ic arrangements throughout the house. The refreshment table was cover- ed with Ecru lace over pink cloth with centerpiece of rose buds in crystal bowls with pink and blue lighted candles in crystal holders at	hostilities in the East reached the breaking point, for a three or four months visit in the Elliot home. When ready to return, because of war measures and restrictions on crossing the ocean they have to date been unable to leave the U. S. A. As a British subject Miss Mar- garet Elliot hopes to be able to secure permission to return home and special privileges have been	Ist Mon. Ist Mon. Specials \$7.50 OIL PERMANENT \$5.00 2 For \$7.50 \$5.00 OIL PERMANENT \$3.50 \$5.00 OIL PERMANENT \$5.00 \$3.50 OIL PERMANENT \$5.00 \$3.50 OIL PERMANENT \$2.00 2 For \$3.50	"SHUGARTS" When Better Pictures Are Made, We Will Make Them. Prices From
	will be installed. All Past Presidents of City Federation will be honor		her aunt on the voyage.	\$2.00 OIL PERMANENT \$1.00	OF
rell, Charles Merriatt, B. William-		and assisted by Mrs. Holeman serv-		SHAMPOOS 15c, 30c, 40c	25c up
son, Mochornuk;	The program is as follows:	ed refreshments of sandwiches,	formerly of Spur spent Thursday in	SETS 15c and 25c	
Mesdames O. C. Arthur, A. C. Hull Weldon Delisle J. F. Watson		cookies, olives and punch.	Spur visiting his brother, Randy		
Hull, Weldon Delisle, J. E. Watson, C. E. Fischer, B. F. Hale, W. B.		Baby faces were used as plate	Murphy at Bells Cafe and his num- erous friends in the city.	All Work Guaranteed!	SHUGARTS
Francis, J. C. McNeill, O. L. Kelley,	Reading—Belva Swan. Song—Joyce McCully.	favors.		ELSIE'S	DHOUMED
Roy Stovall, Faust Collier, W. F.	Music—Lillian Grace Dickson.	The following program was ren-	Susan Loe, M. W. Chapman, D. J. Young, Girard; Ada Gipson, Blanche		DUOTO CAD
Gilbert, W. F. Godfrey, C. H. Mc- Cully, M. C. Golding, W. S. Camp-	Music—Jean Engleman.	bers. "I'm Tied Down" and "The	Collier, Foy Vernon, Glenn Huls,	Beauty Shop	PHOTO CAR
bell, Chas. Whitener, Ernest George,	Music—Betty Jo Woodrum.	Mcdern Baby." Trio. That Latde	Jayton, M. E. Tree, E. C. McGee, W.	1/2 Blk. East of Ford Service Sta.	
E. S. Lee, C. L. Martin, Jerry Ensey,	1925 BRIDGE CLUB MET	Girl of Mine," by eMsdames Ed	C. Gruben and Miss LaVorise Lee.		
P. C. Nichols, Chas. McLaughlin, R.	WITH MRS. DELLA EATON	Williams, Fred Kinney, and Slim Roberts. "What a Baby Costs"—by			
L. Elms, J. L. King, Jr., G. D. Potts, R. E. Nickels, Will Eldredge, Ben		Edgar A. Guest was read by La-			
Eldredge, Amos Isaacs;	Mrs. Della Eaton was a pleasant				
	hostess Wednesday afternoon of last				
	week when she entertained with a three table bridge party, compli-				
	mentary to her 1925 Bridge Club at				
Clemmons, Roy Harkey, Pauline		Jayton; Chas. Suitt, Spur; Marvin			
Clemmons, Lee Snodgrass, John A.					
Moore, Jr., W. F. Jennings, V. V. Parr L. H. Perry C. S. Link Tr					
Parr, L. H. Perry, G. S. Link, Ty Allen, W. C. Gruben, A. O. White,					
J. L. Rosemand, Kate Morris, M. H.	ed a gift by the hostess.	ton, Ross Burnes, Jayton; Ellen	COMMI	RCIAL PRINTING-	
Brannen, E. L. Caraway, J. E. Fos-	Others playing were Mesdames C.	Williams and Mildred, Bill Chamb-		ACIAL I MINIMU-	- 19
ter, J. B. Johnston, ohn Albin, J. C. McNeill, III, E. J. Cowan, B. C.	H. Elliott, F. W. Jennings, Nellie	less, Leonard Jopling, A. Biggs, F. N.			
Cairnes, T. H. Blackwell, Bas Sim-	Ronald Smallwood, Miss Julia Mae	ton, J. A. Pinkerton, A. M. Hoover,			
mons, Ray Karr, Ann McClure;	Hickman and the hostess Mrs. Della	John Luce, M. L. Rickels, J. H.	nequire	s more than type,	paper,
Mesdames Pike Nichols, Murl	Eaton.	Miles, O. L. Kelley, W. C. Black,		51 ,	
Foreman, Lester Ericson, Ralph Rosemond, L. W. Langston, J. R.	Refreshments of sandwiches, sher-	John Adams, Sam Blair, W. B. Lee, Lester Frieson O. C. Arthur, C. 7			
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King, Emily Cowan, Robbie Clem-				VIG CDUD	
mons, Peggy Hogan, Nedra Hogan,	Of course you have a lot of	friends and everyone of	I IHE IE	EXAS SPUR—	

mons, Peggy Hogan, Nedra Hogan, Ethel Green, Dorothy Garner, Dallas Smith, Jeanne Gollihar, Mary Bell Ensey, Dorothy Walker, Mary Lee Cherry, Sybal Hazel, Margaret Koon, Ann Lee, Beatrice Spivey, Polly Clemmons, Doris Arthur, and Martha Nichols.



to our shop is the best way to prepare for that matchless gaiet A REALLY PLEASANT TIME. Plain Shampoo 60c Manicure 50c Eyebrow and Lash Dye ____ 50c Now Gruben Phone 291 Bldg. PEARL MYERS' BEAUTY SHOP

them will probably be at the Spur Round-up and Rodeo. A visit



PUR, DICKINS COUNTY, TEXAS

THE TEXAS SPUR

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1940

Farmer-Merchant Banquet Draws Large ENTERS RACE FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE Crowd; Good Cooperation Is Shown

The Farmer - Merchant Banquet held in the old Farmall building on day night was a huge success from every angle. Approximately persons being present and all seemed to enjoy themselves immensely

Purpose of the meeting was to establish greater cooperation between the farmer and the business man.

Meeting was opened with all present singing "America," led by M. L. Kelly, followed by a prayer by Rev. C. R. Joyner. R. R. Wooten then took charge of the meeting and served as toastmaster, calling upon Oscar McGinty for the welcome talk and T. E. Milam for the response. A short talk was then made by A. C. Hull.

C. H. Day, of the "Triple A" program was then introduced by the toastmaster. Mr. Day delivered the principal address of the meeting in which he endeavored to explain all phases of the "Triple A." He also explained about the difference in incomes and bank deposits between the North and South.

Following Mr. Day's talk, a round table disscussion was entered into and a numbber of pertinent quesrelating to the farm program were discussed and explained.

The banquet was sponsored by the Dickens County Club Women and the plates set out for the visitors were fit for a king.

Southern Wildlife

Churchill Bragaw, a "black-water' fishing fan of Winnabow, North Carolina, who has a large repertoire of equipment, has been biting his nails lately. Bragaw, manager of vast ante-bellum Orton plantation, delights to go after the big bass in the numerous cypress lakes of the

South Burlington Avenue last Fri- Mrs. O'Donnell Tells Story Of A Woman In Oil Business

Grand - daughter, daughter and widow of of an oilman, Mrs. Leone O'Donnell of Ranger, herself one of the few women oil operators in the world, told the story of a woman in the oil business to members of the **Business and Professional Women's** Club in Fort Worth recently.

"My grandfather was a drilling contractor, one of the first in Ameri-

ca, and I grew up almost in the shadow of the Drake well which started the oil industry," Mrs. O'-Donnell said. "My father worked with him as a driller in Pennsylvania, then drilled wells in California, Canada and Texas, including the first well at Ranger. worked in Ranger oil offices myself,

then married an oilman and helped him in the field with his business. When he died, I took over management of our producing properties and with the help of our many friends I have carried on.

"So when somebody asks how I happen to be in the oil business, I nals. have four good reasons: I was born

into it, I grew up in it, I worked in it, and I married into it. My family has made its living from oil for three generations and my whole life has been built around it.

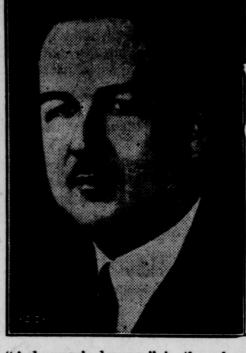
"The oil business is a fine, decent, clean business. Its rewards are sometimes large, but more often are Falls and Fort Worth, residing in small and its risks are heavy. Parbe meager. Take my own business, "I know nothing of politics and show. John B. Davis, secretary-

A piece of paraffine candle makes

One Shot Bags Three Squirrels

Gulf Stream Fish Yarn

until the fire catches.



"A lawyer's lawyer" is the phrase which has been applied to William Richard Watkins of Fort Worth, who has formally announced for Associate Justice of the State Supreme the college that year at the Inter-Court, as his principal service during more than 20 years has been Chicago. briefing or aiding in both StSate and Federal appellate courts.

Best known of his cases were the Archer County road bond suit, in which \$180,000,000 of road bonds he branched out as field representawere invalidated, and the Isaacs- tive for breeders' associations. Sub-Hobbs case, which has reputedly sequently, he was general manager been cited over a thousand times. Watkins also is noted as a frequent Association and during the past contributor of articles to law jour- seven years Burns, as trustee and

and he lived in Amarillo, Clarendon and Memphis, foregoing a formal education to work on the farm and n his father's plumbing shop. At 19, he had been a court reporter,

studied law and ecame a lawyer, practicing in Amarillo, Wichita that city for the past 15 years. He of its kind in the Nation.

ticularly today with the present is married, has five children and is high taxes, its profits are likely to a member of the Christian Church. other elected personnel of the stock

John C. Burns New **President Of Fat** Stock Show

John C. Burns, tall and affable native Texan who typifies the Southwestern cattleman, is the new president of the Southwestern Ex-But here's the way he laid me low, position and Fat Stock Show. He was elected at an annual meeting of the stockholders and directors recently to succeed the late Van Zandt Jarvis, head of the show since 1922, The mountains were halfway melted,

who died on April 18. Burns has been a leader for the improvement of the cattle industry for many years. His major interest has been livestock since he as a boy worked cattle on his father's De-Witt County ranch. He graduated

from Texas A. and M. College in 1904 after serving on the first livestock judging team that represented national Livestock Exposition in

The soft-spoken exposition lead-Then pours himself a glass of gin er was head of the animal hus-And leaves me there for dead. bandry department at A. and M

There'll come a day when he'll get College from 1917 until 1920, when

I'm living yet, you see. There aint a tin horn yet been made of the Texas Livestock Marketing Can put the bee on me. How come I didn't shoot, you say? Here's how it came about:

general manager of the S. B. Bur-It was so awful hot that day Watkins was born 43 years ago nett Estate, has been boss of the My bullets melted out. 666 ranches in Texas.

> Burns' aim will be to build a big-Fruit production in Texas for 1939 ger and better stock show in Fort was 1,150,398 pounds more than in Worth each year while maintaining 1938, due to production on 900,000 the pace set by his predecessor, who trees planted three years before by helped organize the first show in 4-H Club girls and Home Demon-1896 and saw the institution become stration Club Women. one of the three largest expositions

Few changes were made in the

Texas will really become the Hereford capitol of the world during the 1940 State Fair of Texas. More than \$25,000 in premiums will be

The Perilous Plight Of HARRY HINES WILL MAKE RADIO ADDRESS EACH MONDAY NIGHT

Harry Hines, candidate for Governor, will deliver a radio address each Monday night, it was announced at his headquarters in Austin, and will discuss various important Of course I know that he draws slow subjects of the campaign in each talk. The addresses will be over the Texas Quality Network and a number of other stations.

> Mr. Hines, State Highway Commissioner and former chairman who is completing a six year appointive Commissionership, will speak from 8:30 p. m. to 8:45 p. m. every Monday night.

In the near future Commissioner Hines will launch an intensive campaign during which he will visit and speak in every section of the State.

Even with all the effort put forth during the past twenty years on the "Feed Yourself at Home" program, there are still 75,000 farms in Texas which do not have milk cows.

How One Woman Lost 20 Pounds of FAT

> Lost Her Prominent Hips Lost Her Double Chin Lost Her Sluggishness

Gained a More Shapely Figure and the Increase in Physical Vigor and Vivaciousness Which So Often **Comes With Excess Fat Reduction.**

Thousands of women are getting fat and losing their appeal just because they do not know what to do. Why not be smart - do what thousands of women have done to get off pounds of unwanted fat.

Take a half teaspoonful of Kruschen in a glass of hot water first thing every morning to gently activate liver, bowels and kidneys-cut down your caloric intake-eat wisely and satisfyingly-there need never be a hungry moment!

Keep this plan up for 30 days. Then weigh yourself and see if you haven't lost pounds of ugly fat.

plantation, and until recently held the season's championship for expert bass fishing.

One of the plantation hands, an which causes them to adhere to the old negro mammy, announced she gravel. The male then drives the was going up to "de lake to git us a

little pan fish fuh suppah." She! female away from the nest, and carried a can pole with a small line stands guard, darting at any daring and a hook, and for bait, a wad of sunfish or other aquatic invader earth worms. An hour later she who may choose to risk invading came back with a tow sack full of his nest. The eggs hatch in from two large-mouth bass, the largest one to ten days, depending upon the weighing ten and one-half pounds. temperature of the water. She said that when the big one

got on, she just put her pole across Sharks and porpoises have been her shoulder and walked up the found to live together amiably. bank with the fish.

A tin or aluminum pie plate inan excellent fire starter when wood verted over the top of a skillet makes is wet. Shave some flakes of the a fine camp oven. Set the skillet paraffine over some splinters or over a shallow bed of coals and twigs. Light the candle and set it place a few coals on top of the pie under the kindling, holding your hat plate.

Ravens Tore Up Cotton

Ravens, cantankerous, mischievous and generally regarded by landowners as destructive, were recently of 15-year-old Johnny Ridenour ments about oil escaping tax-free, caught by Carl Clark who lives near Rochester, Texas, tearing cotton from the burrs and throwing it to furry animals tumbling to the the ground. There were so many ground. ravens indulging in this destruction that the ground of the field was almost white with cotton. Mr. Clark State Game Warden of that region. one of the local boats "The Retriev-Mr. Clark had no idea as to what er." According to Eaton, Henry Mat- the individual pays. Oil is also payplants. He had never seen it done hooked a large dolphin on a bass before.

How Bass Spawn

bowl-shaped gravel nest is con- dolphin landed. structed. Actual spawning takes place when water temperature reaches 62 to 64 degrees. The male covered with a sticky substance Commerce.

for instance. I pay three-sixteenths do not intend to learn," Watkins manager since 1926, was re-elected. of my total income, or 19 per cent, states. "Neither am I obligated by W. L. Pier was elected treasurer to ties of friendship or otherwise to succeed the late John N. Sparks, and extend favors to anyone. The science Amon G. Carter was re-elected viceof law is my life."

> to the owners of the land upon the board of directors: which my wells are drilled. I get 91 cents a barrel for my oil, and taxes Fuller, R. K. Hanger and Henry cost me 10 cents a barrel, or 11 per Bell, secretary and manager of the cent. The 11 and 19 per cent added Texas and Southwestern Cattle total 30 per cent-almost one-third Raisers Association, all of Fort my income gone before I can pay Worth. my workers, operate my leases, set

aside any reserve or figure any profit.

"My case is typical. How can any oil operator create more employment when he is hard put to pay the workers he already has? How can he expand his operations, branch out into other ifelds, or do more drilling if he can hardly pay the over it for protection if it is raining, royalty owners and tax collectors, meet his payroll and operating ex-

penses? The answer is, he cannot.

"So when high-tax advocates Three with one shot is the record make wild and unfounded statewho fired into a leafy tree at one as undoubtedly they will this year, squirrel-and brought three of the please weigh carefully these facts against their fictions. For oil is today paying nearly 10 cents a bar-

rel and \$70,000,000 a year in State and local taxes in Texas. That rep-

Tom Eaton of Hatteras, North resents 45 per cent of the total State and a neighbor reported to the Carolina, is thinking of renaming tax income from all sources, excluding sales and poll taxes which caused the ravens to strip his cotton thews, of Hyde County, recently ing the cost of educating one-fourth of all the school children in Texas.

And regardless of the line of enrod, and the dolphin promptly spun the line off. The skipper turned the deavor which you may be in, oil boat around and followed the jump- has a vital effect upon every busi-The male smallmouth bass usually ing dolphin. A mile away, the line, ness in Texas. The oil industry is builds the nest of gravel, from one still attached to the hooked fish, good for your community, your to three feet in diameter. The maie was retrieved with a boat hook. It State, your Nation. Please don't roots down into the bottom, fanning was treaded back through the rod, kill it with taxes."

away sand with his tail, until a secured to the reel, and the errant

Western North Carolina **Fishing Facts**

then drives the female to the nest, The third edition of "Facts about biting, pushing, and plunging at her Fishing and Hunting in Western until she reaches it, and she egins North Carolina," a pamphlet of real depositing the eggs, which he covers value to those planning to wade the with milt. Not all eggs are deposit- mountain trout streams this season, ed at one time; it may take several is off the press. A copy can be sedays. From 2,000 to 10,000 eggs are cured from the fish and game comdeposited as a rule. The eggs are mittee of the Asheville Chamber of



president.

Four new members were added to

Alexander Cobden, Marshall A

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Austin and children, good farmers of 4 miles south of Dickens spent Saturday buying supplies of the merchants and visiting relatives and friends in Spur.

offered for prize winners in the National Hereford Show which will be held again as a feature of the Livestock Department of the State Fair.

Pistol Pete

By Herman L. Collins

You wonder why I'm here in bed

You hardly see why he aint dead

And me still walking spry.

He aint near as fast as me.

Bout as near as I can see.

I'd Just come out of the desert,

It was hotter'n fire that day.

You never seen such heat, I bet,

Ever hit this awful land.

Why, say, I rolled a cigarette

And then lit it on the sand.

I stops to wet my welded gills

And up steps this galoot.

You have no idee how I feels

When I can't even shoot.

So, he just grins a wicked grin

And pumps me full of lead,

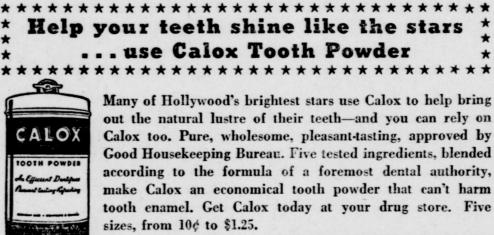
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Rock smoke made the sunshine

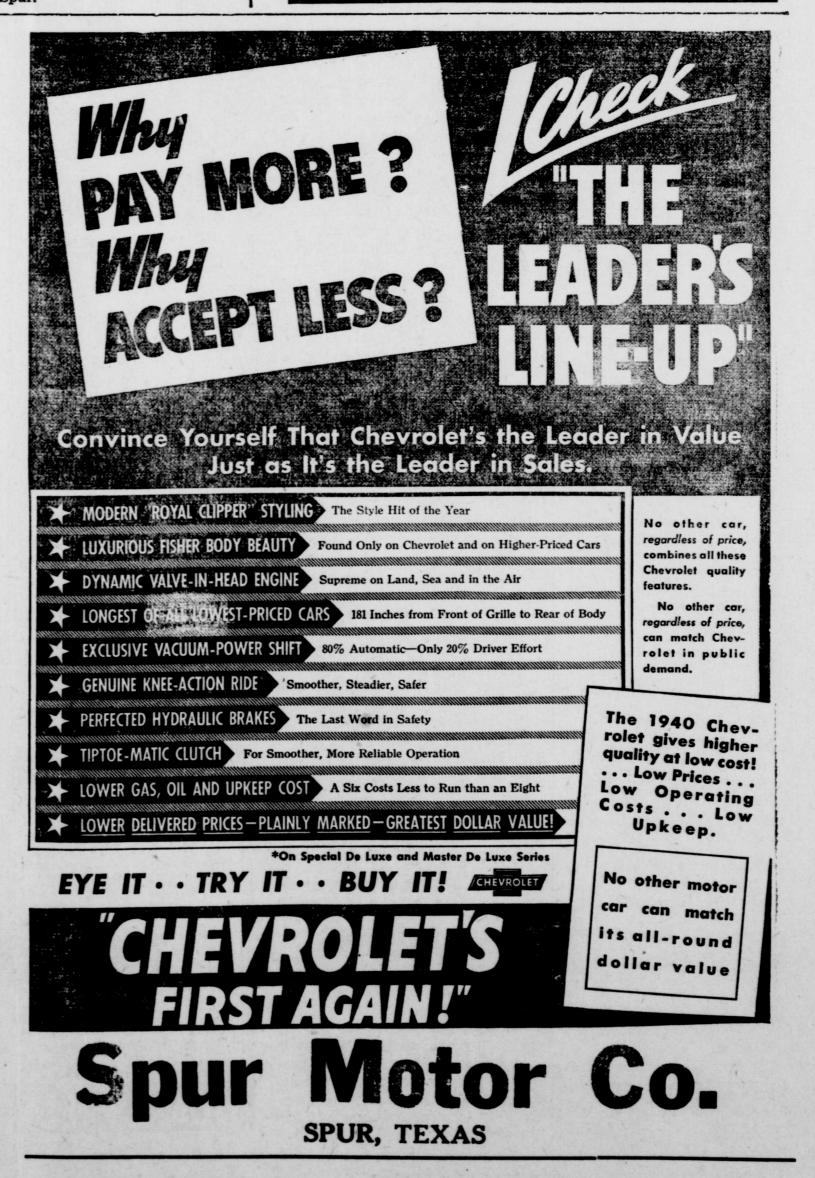
Instead of the other guy.

Just see if this doesn't prove to be the surprise of your life and make you feel like shouting the good news to other fat people. And best of all a jar of Kruschen that will last you for 4 weeks costs but little. If not joyfully satisfied-money back.



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A well known druggist's wife

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1940

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SPUR CIVIC CLUB IS YOUR CLUB

Each week the Spur Civic Club is carrying an article in the local papers which is proving very interesting and worthwhile. This column is intended to set out the activities of the club and to impress on the public that "Spur Civic Club Is Your Club."

Much good has been accomplished in the past and many more things you can literally travel and pay are planned for the future. It will later. be recalled that the rodeo move-

Recently the Spur Civic Club has have confronted the citizens of Spur to the ticket office of the cooperafor a long time. This idea, if carried ting railway over whose lines he into the Union was ratified in 1845. out is very commendable and will wishes to travel, or to a travel agent, and the ceremonies marking the date save much contribution to funds and makes application for credit in of actual entrance was February 17, that are due no consideration.

in order to have the backing of the merchants. This plan has worked very successfully in a number of towns for years and there is no reason why it will not be a help to Spur, if it is adhered to.

No individual wishes to turn down

a solicitation that is justifiable, but they have not the time to investigate and see which ones are worthy and which ones are not. No solicitation that is meritous will suffer through this system as enough will be saved from grafting solicitation to enable the giver to better help those causes which will be of real benefit.

Again we say "MORE POWER TO THE SPUR CIVIC CLUB."

Railroads To Sell Travel On The Installment Plan

native land on the same boat. Berg Into the news comes an announcebuilt his rock home entirely by himment that will bring cheer to the self. hearts of the legions of substantial Americans who want to travel but "can't spare the money just now."

The announcement brings assurance to millions that the slogan, "1940 is ly earnest on the noble bison in TRAVEL YEAR,," really means Texas. More than 100,000 hides something after all. From now on,

A Travel Credit Plan, sponsored ment was started by the Young by 66 great railroads, makes possi-Men's Business Club which later ble the purchase of railway trips and ter for the buffalo trade, and a supmerged with the Chamber of Com- tours in the samemanner that you ply point on the Cattle Trail, lomerce to form one of the largest buy your car or radio-on convenand best civic clubs in West Texas. | ient monthly payments.

The plan, which became effective inaugurated a plan to eliminate a May 20, is exceedingly simple. The great deal of the solicitations that The prospective user merely goes Union? A. A.

within twenty-four hours.

Pullman accomodations, all-expense

tours, which usually include hotels

and meals, specified side trips, and

any service that is sold through the

A nation-wide survey of the va-

cation and traveling practices of

average Americans indicates that

many persons are frequently forced

of financial stringency right at the

only period of the year in which

they can get away to enjoy them-

selves. For such individuals or fami-

lies the credit service is seen as a

vastly increased enjoyment.

tour taking them as far as Seattle.

but who would be financially un-

able to make a long-dreamed-of

railroad ticket office.

vertable boon.

accommodation.

Former Spur Man **Marries Baltimore** Girl

Word has been received here by friends and relatives that W. L. Law, a former Spur resident, of his marriage on May 5 to Miss Ruth Cagle, of Baltimore, Md.

The bride wore a white gown and veil and carried a white prayer book. Streamers were of white rib-

You cut the vein in the side of the chickens neck so it will bleed well. The other part of the program was preparing the chicken for the table. In the refreshments, two ways of preparing chicken was used, as: related to the Boothes.

Here is the pressed chicken receipt: Stew one chicken till meat is cooked off bone then remove bones and run through food chopper and season with celery, pimento, pepper, salt and black pepper. Put in mold and let get cold.

Wednesday With

Mrs. B. D. Clifton

The H. D. Club of Afton met in

the home of Mrs. B. D. Clifton, May

22, 1940. The president opened the

care of then the program was turn-

ed over to the leader. The program

We took a common clothes hang-

er and bent it so the corners would

hold the chickens feet then hung it

up so the chicken could be killed.

Refreshments were served to the following Mesdames Byron Haney, Manuel Ayers, R. C. Forbis, Gus Martin, Clark Forbis, Tab Williams, Allie Barton, B. D. Clifton, and one visitor, Mrs. Stafford Forbis.

The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. R. C. Forbis on June 12.

Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Henry of Roaring Springs visited in Spur Fri-Heards in Jackson County-still day of last week. Mr. Henry attended the Farmer-Merchant Banquet have a league or part of a league granted an ancestor as a colonist by and Mrs. Henry visited her daughter Mrs. Carrie Belcher.

Afton H. D. Club Met THE STATE OF TEXAS

County of Dickens TO Those Indebted to, or Holding

DUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TERA

Claims Against, the Estate of C. Gollihar, Deceased: The undersigned having been duly

appointed Executors of the Estate of meting and the business was taken C. Gollihar, deceased, late of Dickens County, Texas, by the Judge of the County Court of said County, on the First day of April, A. D. 1940, during a regular term thereof for Probate business, and having duly qualified as Executors, thereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to present them to C. R. Gollihar, Executor, within the time prescribed by law at his residence near McAdoo, in Dickens County, Texas, where he receives his mail, this the 23 day of May, A. D. 1940.

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Oklahoma to join his parents and go to Shawnee, Oklahoma to at-Q. What year was known as Buftend the graduation exercises of falo Slaughter Year? H. T. A. In 1877 war broke out in deadhis brother from the University.

were taken in December of that

Zapata and Webb counties there are year and in January of '78. Fifteen hundred outfits were on the range a number of porciones granted by Spain in 1767 still in possession of west of Fort Griffin at the time, the heirs of the original grantees. which was the most important cen-A more limited number in the eastern half of Texas—such as the

cated in West Texas on the Clear Fork of the Brazos.

Do You Know

Texas?

A reader of this newspaper

can get the answer to any ques-

tion of Fact by writing to A.

Garland Adair, Curator of Patri-

otic Exhibits, Texas Memorial

Museum, Box 1770 University

Q. Where did "Berg, the Hermit

A. Near Fredericksburg, he lived

out his life in a stone house tucked

away in a ravine about seven miles

from the old German town. Berg

from Germany as far as Indianola,

and then, alarmed at the wilderness

of the country, had returned to her

Station, Austin, Texas.

of the Hills," live? G. F.

Q. When did Texas enter the Mexico during 1824-1835.

A. The treaty admitting Texas

bon lined with lilies of the valley. After the ceremony the bride and groom left for a short wedding tour after which they returned to Washington, D. C. where they will make their home.

TRUETT HUTTOS TO

Mr. Law is employed in the War Department Headquarters in Washington. He is a brother-in-law of was self-exiled to his lonely home Mrs. F. F. Henry and an uncle of after his promised bride had come Carrie Belcher of Spur. He is also

chicken salad and pressed chicken. **OKLAHOMA THURSDAY** Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hutto left Thursday of last week for Lawton,

was on chickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Hutto returned to their home in Spur Monday.

1940 Democratic Announcements

POLITICAL

Subject to the action of the Primaries, July 27, 1940

For Congress 19th District: C. L. HARRIS GEORGE MAHON (Re-election)

For Senator, 30th District: ALVIN R. ALLISON MARSHALL FORMBY

For Representative, 118 District: A. A. (PAT) BULLOCK

For District Attorney, 110th District: sarily confined to the cost of trans-JOHN HAMILTON portation alone. It may be used for

For County Judge R. C. BROWN W. D. STARCHER EDWIN H. BOEDECKER G. W. BENNETT

For County Attorney: L. D. RATLIFF

For Sheriff and Tax Collector FRED CHRISTOPHER WILLIE McCOMBS JOHNNIE KOONSMAN (Re-election) JACK GIPSON

For District Clerk: MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD (Re-election)

For County Clerk: ERIC OUSLEY (Re-election)

For County Treasurer:

MRS ALICE MURPHREE (Re-election) R. E. (ELZIE) HOLLY For Commissioner Precinct No. 1 S. T. (Tomp) JOHNSON D. P. (Bud) SMILEY HORACE D. NICKELS (Re-election) K. W. (WILLOW) STREET WAYNE VAN LEER AUSTIN C. ROSE

For Commissioner Precinct 2: E. J. (Jim) OFFIELD (Re-election) F. L. BYARS T. J. (Jeff) RANDOLPH J. D. HENLEY

the amount of the cost of the pro- 1846. On that date the Lone Star The plan is that any one desirious posed trip or tour. If the routine gave place to the Stars and Stripes of making a solicitation, be required credit inquiry indicates an ability infront of the early day capitor to secure approval of the Civic Club to meet monthly payments, he is building which site is now the site notified that his ticket is ready for of the Austin Municipal building.

him. The only contact in connection with the application is with the Q. Is Texas progressing very ticket or travel agent, just as though rapidly in the dairying industry? the ticket were being purchased for EBK.

A. Since 1930 great strides have cash. The application is passed upon been made in the dairying industry in Texas, it being estimated that Use of the Travel Credit Plan rethere are now some five hundred quires no collateral-only the signatrue of the individual. The cost of thousand more milk cows in Texos the proposed trip, however, must than in 1930.

total \$50 or more to be eligible for Q. What are the greatest onione purchase on credit. No down payment is required. There is a nomi- producing areas of Texas? H. B. A. The districts tributary to Lanal service charge for the credit redo, Raymondville and Farmersville are the leading onion produc-It is predicted that the largest use ing areas of Texas. of the Travel Credit Plan will be

for vacations and other recreational Q. What are some of the inducetrips and tours, although the service ments Texas has to offer in the esis intended to cover any form of tablishment of industry in Texas? railway travel. Credit is not neces-0. S.

A. Texas has the greatest supply of natural gas and crude oil: it has large stores of lignite, numerous gulf ports, splendid highways, unexcelled year round climatic conditions, great potentialities for increase involume of sweet potatoes, vegetables of various kind, corn and hogs, dairying and poultry raising, water power throughout the state, favorable labor and capital relationto forego trips or vacations because ships, sand and gravel and other building material.

> Whose words of praise are carved on the imposing monument erected over the grave of Sam Houston at Huntsville?

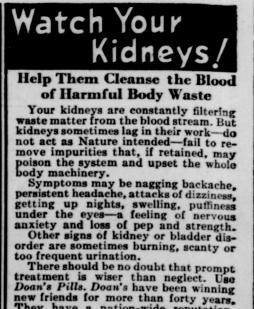
Others will use the plan, it is ex-A. Andrew Jackson's 'enconium pected, who might have sufficient and the words are: "The World Will cash to make a trip, but who would Take Care of Houston's Fame." have to rompromise on its extent

or would be forced to economize too Q. In what manner may the total rigidly in order to meet normal exqualified voters in Texas be espenses of traveling, apart from the tablished?

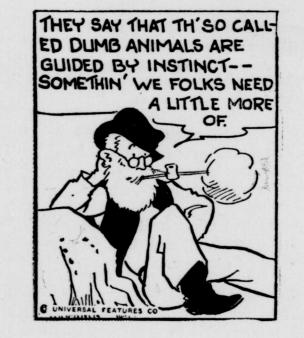
actual railway fore. By taking ad-A. In Texas the total number of vantage of the credit for the pdr qualified voters is estimated by addchase of all or a part of the actual ing 15 per cent to the number who transportation, the trip could be paid their pall Taxes. made in proper fashion and with

Q. Do any families still own land As an example of the potential granted an ancestor by Spain or money-saving advantages of the Mexico? J. H.

plan, in addition to its convenience, A. Yes. State Land Commissiona railway's spokesman cited the er, Bascom Giles, answers that hypothetical case of an eastern or along the Rio Grande in Starr, midwest couple who might plan a



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For Public Weigher Precinct No. 1 C. P. AUFILL, JR.

For Public Weigher Precinct No. 2 JESSE BASS

KENT COUNTY For Commissioner Precinct No. 2 JAKE JONES

Alaskan Cruise from that point. Now, instead of abandoning that dream, or at least being put to the expense of retracing the trip to Seattle and thence to Alaska at some improbable date in the future, they could use the travel credit plan and go the whole way at one time and at a great saving. Economists look upon the plan as probably the most dramatic and far-reaching step ever taken by the roads in their effort to make rail travel a commodity which can be enjoyed by the whole public. It is regarded as evidence of the progressive policy of the American railroads of today, alert to every opportunity for providing new and im-

proved service.

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make it a Success . . . So fall in line and let's put it over.

Spur Roundup and Rodeo-June 13, 14, and 15

Rodeo Booster Trips To Start June 5; Texas Ranks High **Trips Planned; Bus Chartered** Three

trips will start Jun 5, with additional trips on June 6 and 7. Trips will include all nearby towns as well as one at Lubbock and one at Sweet- and dances. water.

carried out:

Trip No. 1, Wednesday, June 5 Leave Arrive Spur 8:00 _ _ _ Crosbyton 9:15 Crosbyton 9:30 _ _ _ Ralls 9:45 Ralls 10:00 _ _ _ Floydada 10:30 Floydada 10:45 _ _ _ Lockney 11:00 Lockney 11:15 _ _ _ Plainview 11:45 Lunch at Plainview Plainview 1:00 _ _ _ Lubbock 2:00 Radio Broadcast KFYO, 2:30 to 2:45 (to be verified). Lubbock 3:00 _ _ _ _ _ Slaton 3:20 Slaton 3:35 _ _ _ _ Post 4:10 Post 4:30 _ _ _ _ Clairemont 5:20 Clairemont 5:35 _ _ Jayton 6:00 Jayton 6:15 _ _ _ _ Girard 6:30

Plans of the Booster Trip Com- | will consist of music and dancing. | play an important part in this year's mittee for the Spur Rodeo are that Also a special dance number will be show. featured by Miss Gollihar in special attire. String music will feature a few distant points. Two radio pro- popular and western tunes and will pecially big hat and loud shirt. grams are scheduled on the trips, be accompanied by vocal numbers

special tap dance and Misses Peggy occupants. Hogan and Sammie McGee will sing duets.

Due to limited space on the bus In order to make trips on schedule it will not be practical to take the it will be necessary for all buses Spur Band on the trips, as the bus to leave on schedule time. will only accomodate about 35 people. Spur Band was very instru- will be featured at the start and April 1939. In the 12 months of the mental in making the show a suc- finish of each trip and each trip will cess last year and will probably end before dark.

These Merchants Want Sponsors

The following list of merchants First Monday, it will be necessary memberships are Iowa, Illinois, have signed up to sponsor some girl to postpone the show until next Indiana, Kansas, Texas, North Dain the local sponsor contest to take Trades Day. place at the Rodeo on June 13, 14, and 15: Fair Store, Hogan & Patton, H. S. same as usual, with a large num- sin. Holly Agency, Milams 5c to \$1.00 ber of events in the morning and Store, City Drug, Henry Alexander, the grand award in the afternoon. Sanders-Chastain, Red Front Drug, Godfrey & Smart, B. Schwarz, Leon Ice Co., Dickens County Times, Campbell Furniture, Sinclair Station, Safeway Store, Spur Security dially inited to come out and take lieves Gramlich. Bank, Western Auto Suppy, King & part in the events. Paducah 2:30 _ _ _ Guthrie 3:15 Putman, Shugarts Studio, Hestand Musser Lumber, Hopkins Station, Littlefield Man Is Hurt Roosevelt And Speers 5c to \$5.00 Store, Elliotts In Car Mishap Near Appliance, Thacker-Godfrey, Spur Dickens Cafe, Jimison Barber Shop, Spur Motor Co., West Texas Utilities, Bill Pass, 34, of Littlefield was Foodway Grocery, Texas Spur, Triseriously injured about 6:30 o'clock County Lumber, Spur Produce, Spur Monday afternoon when the auto-Laundry, Spur Creamery, Burton mobile he was driving struck a Funeral Home, Brazelton Lumber, culver and embankment a half mile Simpson Barber Shop, Clover Farm west of Dickens. Grocery. He was carried to Lubbock sani-Many of these merchants have al- tarium where an attending physiready chose sponsors, but at the cian said his injuries included skull present time there are several who fracture, and shoulder and hip frachave not secured a sponsor. Giris tures. who wish to sponsor some merchant Sheriff Johnnie Koonsman said are requested to get in touch with Pass was given emergency treat-T. E. Milam, chairman of the comment at a service station in Dickens, mittee and make their arrangements where a passing motorist had taken Tickets for trip No. 1 have all to act as sponsor for some merchant. him. The injured man was carried to Lubbock by another motorist. The sheriff, who conducted an in-City Of Dickens On vestigation, said Pass, riding alone, **Building Spree** apparently had fallen asleep at the wheel. The car had gradually pull-Moving forward at a rapid pace, a ed to the right side of the road for number of new buildings are going 400 or 500 yards. up in Dickens at this time. Also one It struck the high embankment new residence is under construction. and a corner of the culvert. It did One building will house a new not overturn but was badly damaged cafe while another will furnish a

The committee requests that all going on the trip dress in typical cowboy and cowgirl attire, or es-

Bus engaged for the trips is one of the newest and is air condition-Misses Ida Lee Golding and Jean ed with rubber air-cushioned seats The following itinerary will be Engleman will entertain with a and will be very comfortable for the

Schedules start at 8:00 o'clock each morning without any delays.

Trades Day Rodeo Is Postponed

Due to inability to secure stock for the free show advertised for

In Shorthorn Memberships

Texas ranks fifth in the nation in numbers of new members in the American Shorthorn Breeders' Association, Chicago, Illinois, according to figures released recently by the Association. This is the highest ranking of any southern state.

In a banner year for Shorthorns, asserts Secretary H. J. Gramlich of the Shorthorn Association, the organization received 503 new members up to May 1, which is a 74 1/2 percent increase over the same period last year. April business this

A short musical entertainment year more than doubled that of last fiscal year there were a total of 740 new members.

> An increasing number of Texas cattlemen, Gramlich states, are turning to Shorthorns, both for purebred purposes and for crossing on their range cattle.

The top 15 states in Shorthorn kota, Missouri, Minnesota, Ohio, However the regular First Mon- Michigan, Oklahoma, South Dakota, day attractions will take place the Nebraska, Washington and Wiscon-

David McAteer Sells Calf For \$125

Local Chapter O.E.S. **Elects Officers**

A four month old calf sold last At the regular meeting of the week by David McAteer for a neat local chapter O. E. S. Thursday price of \$125. The calf is of the night, May 23, the following offi-Shorthorn Milk Breed. cers were elected for the coming Morgan Dennis of Dimmitt, Tex- year:

as was the purchaser of this calf. Lourine Sauls, Worthy Matron; He is featuring the breed in that Nellie Carlisle, Associate Worthy section of the state and chose the Matron; Robert Reynolds, Worthy calf of McAteer's above others of Patron; Lester Ericson, Associate the state to add to and improve his Worthy Patron; Pauline Jimison, herd. Secretary; Pauline Scott, Treasurer;

McAteer has several more of these calves for sale and states that he is having a number of calls from various parts of the state in regard to the breed.

La Fay Marcy, Conductress: Helen Harrison, Associate Conductress. The officers will be installed at a meeting Friday night, May 31.

RODEO PARKING SPACE

We have greatly enlarged our parking lot to adequately care for all cars coming to the Spur Rodeo ... At reasonable prices ...

Trip No. 2, Thursday, June 6 Leave Arrive Spur 8:00 _ _ Roaring Springs 8:45 Roaring Springs 9:00 _ Matador 9:15 Matador 9:30 _ _ _ Turkey 10:15 Turkey 10:30 _ _ _ Estelline 11:15 Estelline 11:30 _ _ _ Memphis 11:45 Memphis 12:00 _ _ _ Childress 12:30 Lunch at Childress Childress 1:30 _ _ _ Paducah 2:15 Guthrie 4:00 _ _ _ _ Dickens 5:00 Dickens 5:15 _ _ _ _ Spur 5:30

Girard 6:45 _ _ _ _ _ Spur 7:00

Trip No. 3. Friday, June 7

Leave A	rrive
Spur 8:00 Peacock	8:5
Peacock 9:05 Swenson	
Swenson 9:30 Aspermont	9:4
Aspermont 10:00 Stamford	
Stamford 11:00 Anson	
Lunch at Anson	
Anson 12:45 Roby	1:30
Roby 1:45 Sweetwater	2:15
Radio Broadcast Sweetwater	
Station KXOX, 2:45 to 3:00	
Sweetwater 3:30 Roscoe	3:4
Roscoe 4:00 Snyder	4:40
Snyder 5:00 Rotan	6:00
Rotan 6:15 Spur	

been sold. 13 reservations remain on trip No. 2, and 8 on trip No. 3. O. B. Ratliff is chairman of the Trip committee and is assisted by T. E. Milam.

The following tentative program has been worked out for the three trips:

Miss Jeanne Gollihar is in charge of the entertainment features which



IF THEY'RE GOOD ENOUGH TO DRIVE ON THEY'RE VALU-**IBLE TO US.**

See how much cash we can BRAKE-ACTION give you for TREAD

SMOOTH TIRES ARE DANGEROUS * LET US SAFETY-CHECK YOUR TIRES TODAY *

JACK RECTOR'S

SERVICE STATION

PHONE 137

the sheriff said. business home for a cafe and tire

shopping with Spur merchants Wed- this was approximately two to one nesday.

Most of the new members are comparatively young men whose According to the committee on herds have just reached a size to arrangements there will be a large justify membership in the Associanumber of awards offered to First tion, which indicates a promising Monday visitors. Everyone is cor- future for the Shorthorn breed, be-

O'Daniel Are Favored

Texas voters want Franklin D. Roosevelt for a third term President; W. Lee O'Daniel for a second term as Governor and Pierce Brooks to succeed Lon A. Smith as Railroad Commissioner, it is indicated from an incomplete poll being taken throughoutthroughout the State by the Texas State Network radio stations.

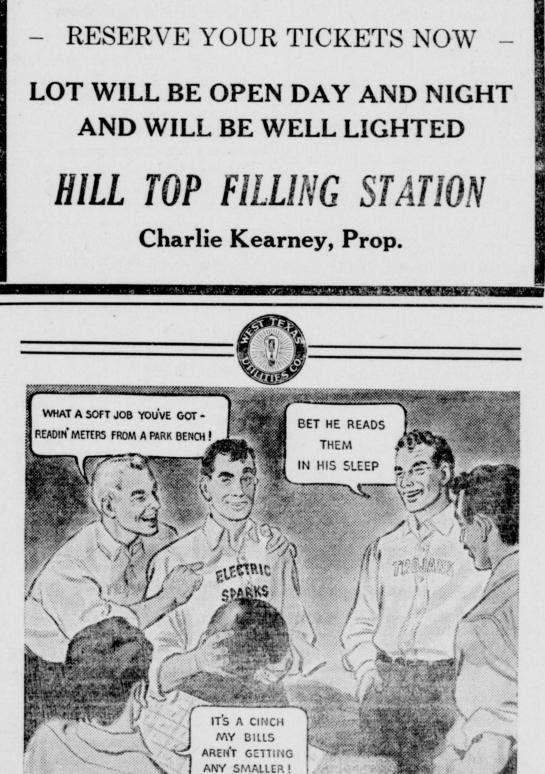
The stations are polling every tenth voter on the poll tax lists in the State. This is done without reference to occupation, or whether or not the poll tax holder is a man or woman.

Latest announced returns gave President Roosevelt 64.3 percent of the total on a basis of 27,728 votes cast, with Vice President Garner second with 19.4 percent.

For Governor, the poll gave Governor O'Daniel 51.2 percent of the total with Col. Ernest O. Thompson

The poll gave Pierce Brooks 34.9 percent of the vote for Railroad Mrs. Bostic of Dry Lake was Commissioner. It was announced over his nearest opponents.





"They thought they had me on the spot!"

"T WORK for the electric company, and when I tell the L boys rates have gone down, they say, 'Why don't our bills go down?'

"Now all those fellas pay money to bowl, yet they don't give it a second thought. I suppose because they see what they get. It would be the same if they bought an extra pack of cigarettes. But electric service, that's different. When they want to do somethin' nice for their wives they buy some electric appliance to make the housework lighter. Or they buy an electric razor for themselves. They get lots of comfort and pleasure out of those gadgets. But when the bills come in they forget how much they got for that money.

"The reason some bills don't go down is that most people use a lot more electricity than they used to. All the boys ave electric light, a radio, a washing machine and a toaster in their homes, and most of 'em have electric ice-boxes and vacuum cleaners too. Yet it doesn't cost 'em much more, if any, to operate all those things than it used to cost for light alone, because rates have been cut just about in half during the last twelve or fifteen years.

Condition of Pass remained seri- second with 21 percent. ous at midnight.

The dwelling house is to be the new home of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Harkey. The building is a modern cottage of four rooms and a bath.

Dempster Heavy Duty

FORCE PUMPS

(Fig. 210-F

illustrated.)

Ruggedly

builtfor

years of

heavy work. For wells of

any depth. For hand or

windmill

. S. ROYAL DE LUXE

ST. JO EDITOR VISITS SPUR MONDAY

early date.

Doyle H. McGregor, publisher of the Saint Jo, Texas Tribune, was a pleasant caller at the Texas Spur office Monday morning while on his way to Lubbock. McGregor is a young man and has the appearance of being an excellent newspaper man. He was very

and accessory store. Both are on the

It will be ready for occupancy at an

west side of the Highway.

them on the purchase of

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the Texas Spur office.

MRS. CAMPBELL CONVALESCING Mrs. W. S. Compbell who has been ill the past six weeks and has been intermittently in West Texas Hospital, Lubbock, for special treatment and an operation for the removal of tonsils, was returned home in Spur Sunday and is reported as able to receive visitors.

much impressed with Spur and with

John Hiner Wilson traveling salesman out of Lubbock was a business visitor in Spur Monday.

L. H. Perry returned Thursday from a ten days visit with his son, James Hill Perry, of Los Angeles, California.

Under Every Condition!

Dempster Dependable Windmills pump more water with lighter winds. No wonder! They're designed with latest improvements. The special type wheel gives extra power. Then, precision engineering with auto-matic lubrication, Timken bearings, machine cut gears, and straight lift—actually gives quicker pumping start— smeother pumping—and more pumping hours per day.



DICKENS LUMBER COMPANY DICKENS, TEXAS

"If we could sell electric service by the pound, people could see what they get. They'd realize how much they use and how many jobs it does. And they'd appreciate how much less it costs now.

"I'm glad to be in a job where I help people get more of the good things of life. All of us at the plant feel that way. We know people depend on us to give them better service for less money, and that's just what we aim to do." Bo

West Texas Utilities

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THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1940

THE TEXAS SPUR

composed of ten men.

Educational Institutions:

GRUBENS VISIT MOTHER

W. C. Gruben, son and daughter.

Mathew and Emma Pearl, and Mr.

and Mrs. Henry Gruben and son

with their mother and grandmother,

respectively, Mrs. E. Gruben at her

Dupree Allen of the Naval train-

ing station, San Diego, California,

left Wednesday of last week after

a visit with his parents, Mr. and

Mrs. C. V. Allen and James Victor

Patton Springs School To CLASSIFIED **Close Next Friday Night**

The Patton Springs School will close the year's work next Friday night with Commencement Exercises in the school auditorium. Faculty of the school reports a very successful school year has been enjoyed. Ninieteen students will be graduated from the school Friday night.

Program to be rendered Friday Sweetwater. night.

Processional, Mrs. Will Lee Clark; Invocation, G. W. Bennett; Salutatory, Josephine Johnston; Music, Margie Nell Haney; Song, Charus; Valedictory, Maxine Slayden; Music, Helen Kelly: Address, O. L. Kelley; Presentation of Diplomas, John Norris; Scholarships and Special Awards, Paul W. Patillo! Recessional, Mrs. Will Lee Clark; Benediction, M. L. Kelly.

Baccalaureate Services were held last Sunday, May 26, in the school auditorium, with Rev. Joshua Stephens delivering the sermon. Graduating from the school this year are: Tommie Bridge, Lowell Cates, Albert Cates, Oletha Cates, Cleona Choate, Troyce Daniel, Jim Tom Haney, Elda Havens, Marie Hill, Ila Mae Hodgin, Peggy Hutson, Josephine Johnston, Elsie Lee, A. J. Paul, Jr., Maxine Slayden, Florine Eedgwick, Wiley Pool Stark, Melba Starrett, Dolly Jo Thanisch.

Homemaking Girls Of **Patton Springs School Entertain Mothers**

The homemaking club girls of the are honoring new officers and sen-Patton Springs High School enter- jor members with a garden tea at tained their mothers and other the home of Mrs. Neal A. Chastain members of the Home Demonstra- Saturday, June 1 from 4 to 6 o'tion clubs of the school district, with clock. a buffet supper on the lawn of the

R. H. Cates Accepts **Position In Spur**

R. H. Cates, formerly of Bartlett arrived in Spur Friday to accept a position with the Dickens County Times replacing Ray D. Russell who

Following is the Commencement resigned to accept a position at

R. H. Cates is a son of Frank Cates, an early day citizen and em-

ployee of the Spur Farm Lands. Frank Cates as salesman assisted by the Texas Spur as an ardent booster of the "Great Spur Country" is probably responsible for locating in the then new and unsettled area more farm families than any other one of the early day land salesmen employed by the Spur Farm Lands and under management of Mr. C

A. Jones, deceased. Mr. Cates paid the Texas Spun force a pleasant call Saturday morn-

ing. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cates maintain their residence at Bartlett and are getting along in years as expressed by R. H. Cates.

NOTICE ARTABAN CLUB

The Artaban Chapter of Future lighter for me to bear. Homemakers of Texas is having a meeting Thursday evening at 8 p

m. in the home of Louise Ince. Purpose of the meeting is to elect new officers. Games will be played following the business.

Present officers of Artaban Club

FOR SALE OR TRADE - One Maytag Washing Machine. Good condition .- Spur Farmall oHuse. 2t

FOR SALE-Improved Half and Half Cotton Seed at John Albin's Grocery.-E. J. Lassater, Spur, Tex.

FOR SALE-Cliett Cotton Seed. First year planting seed.-See A. W JORDAN. 25-tc

WANTED-Kodak finishing. Free 5x7 enlargement with each \$1.00 worth of work.-ART STUDIO.

WANTED-Piano for storage. If for sale and reasonably priced, may be interested in buying. - MRS. KATE BUCHANAN.

CARD OF THANKS

To those of you who assisted in any way, great or small, during the of the University of Texas; T. O. recent death of my daughter, Mrs. Walton, president of Texas A. Mae O'Guinn, I wish to thank from

for all who came or assisted was most gratefully appreciated and shall never forget you in my sincere prayers.

I offer an excerpt from the prose Henry, Jr., spent Thursday, May 23 poem, "The Wise Angel," that reflects my sorrow, which your goodness has made a heavy burden home at Royston.

The occasion of the visit on this "One morning God looked down particular day was the home coming from the windows of heaven upon of the Gruben family for the 75th the world, meditated for a moment birthday anniversary of their mother and bade an angel come near. Mrs. E. Gruben.

JACK TAR

"Go down into earth and dwell there ten hundred years" said God.

"and when that time shall have some to pass, gather unto thy bosom the seven most precious things thou wilst have seen, and return with them unto Me in paradise."

And forthwith the angel did God's since May 10.

Dr. C. B. Jones, Tech 417 Candidates To Pres., Named On **Receive Degrees Defense** Committee To promptly render maximum service to the federal government

From Tech "in matters pertaining to national defense" Governor W. Lee O'Daniel, With 417 candidates for degrees Tuesday appointed a committee at the anual commencement exercises June 3, Texas Technological The personnel of the committee College will graduate the largest are heads of State Departments and number ever to receive degrees at

Brady Gentry, chairman of the state highway department; W. H. represents a twenty per cent in-Richardson, chairman of the departcrease over last year. Added to the ment of public safety which total of 3939 already awarded deministers state police work: Atgrees by the institution the total torney General Gerald C. Mann; Adjutant General J. Watt Page: the new graduates. Claude V. Birkhead, commanding

Graduation exercises will be held general of the Texas National guard; this year in the college stadium to Marvin Leonard, chairman of the take care of the expected large Department of Public Welfare; Harcrowd. The gymnasium which has ry Knox, chairman of the Board of been used will seat only 2500. More Control, the State's purchasing than 600 persons will be in the agency; Homer P. Rainey, president academic procession. Services will

be held Monday evening, June 3, at 8 o'clock. Fifteen graduating cadets M. college; and Clifford Jones, presiwill receive commissions as second dent of Texas Technological college. lieutenants in the reserve of the United States Army during the

> graduation ceremony. Honorary degrees of Doctor

Laws will be conferred on four prominent Texans at the exercises. Those so honored are Gen. John A Hulen of Fort Worth, John W. Carpenter of Dallas, Col. Ernest O. Thompson of Amarillo, and President Clifford B. Jones.

Ralph Budd of Chicago, President of the Burlington railroad lines, will deliver the annual commencement address. Baccalaureate sermon will be given by Dr. Jack M. Lewis, pastor of the First Presbyterian church in Lubbock, Sunday evening, June 2. Candidates for degrees from Spur are:

Julia Mae Albin, B. B. A., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Albin. James Henry Cowan, B. S., son of

SPUR, DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS

MR. AND MRS. J. I. MECOM AND FORESTINE ON **EXTENDED VACATION**

Mrs. Mecom left Sunday morning going by automobile to Los Angeles, California for an extended visit with her sons-in-law and daughters, Messrs and Mesdames R. J. Bell and John Estes and baby Rita Ann:

Little Miss Forestine Mecom left the same day going to Ardmore, Oklahoma to spend the summer with one time in its history. This number her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Huss and family.

With the family all out of town. J. I. took off to Fort Worth where he joined his son Hardy Mecom on number will be swelled to 4356 by his rounds through Louisiana. Mr.

Mecom will visit his brothers and their families at Shreveport, Monroe and other nearby points and on the return trip to Spur will spend several days visit with his son, Mc. and Mrs. Hardy Mecom and baby at their home in Houston.

MRS ABERNATHY GOES TO CALIFORNIA

Mrs. I. E. Abernathy and daughter, Mrs. Sam Caldwell of Crosbyton, accompanied by Mrs. J. I. Mecom left Sunday morning for Los Angeles, California.

Mrs. Abernathy will visit in the home of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden Pearce and children.

Mrs. Caldwell also will spend a few days visit in the Pearce home and later lease an apartment and spend the summer near the beach.



the depth of my very heart. Surely you will know the kindness

homemaking building.	bidding. When ten hundred Junes	Dupree has completed his requir-	the late E. J. and Mrs. Cowan.	Mrs. Smith's
Eighty guests, mothers, and ON 8TH BIRTHDAY	had painted the meadows green and	ed period of intensive training and is now ready to ship out to the	Jane Kathryn Godfrey, B. S.,	
	i- eted the hills in snow, the angel	Hawaijan Islands where the fleet	daughter of Mit. and Mits. W. F.	Nu-Way Cafe
ing menu:	y made ready to carry out the bidding	has been ordered for concentration	Godfrey.	nu-nuy curc
Old lashioned meat ple, buttered for her grandson Larry Smith		activities.		
new potatoes, iresh shelled black-		Dupree is now a full fledged Jack	Ida Ranking Rucker, of the Red	
eye peas, cornoread squares, pickels, Outdoor games were the ente	1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	Tar and was anxious to ship out on		
radishes, ires garden onions, iced tainment for the afternoon	bright gold, the marble figure of a	the briney deep in one of those big	pleasant caller at The Texas Sour	AUTO LOANS
tea and iced cocoa, ice cream and Refreshments of ice cream, cool	- Greek boy, a pomegranit, a piece of	boats notwithstanding the know-	office. Ida recently suffered severe	AUTO LUANS
The Vocational Agriculture boys ies and fruit punch was served	o purple, and a mothers love.	ledge that this was to be his last	hurns on her lower lims but at pros	I will loan you money to buy
served the menu.	Across the field of years this angel	furlough and visit to home folks for	ent is practically well and even be-	new car at 5%.
Preceeding the supper the club	sped in a chariot more fair than pearl and swifter than the flaming		lieves that only slight, if any, scars	Complete Insurance
had a very interesting program: A Randy Murphy made a busine			will be left.	
welcome address by Jackie Young, trip to Guthrie Friday night of la	came unto the gates of heaven, and		Mar Dame Drive 1.44 Cateral	H.S. Holly, Agency
a song, "Mother McCrea," by Oletha week.		Charlie Kearney left the first of	Henderson to visit her parents and	II. S. Holly, Agency
Cates and Wiley Pool Stark, and a Weldon Cannon returned Tuesda		week for Waco. He is in the Vet-	Thenderson to visit her barents and t	
get acquainted game.	n throne of God the seven most	erans Hospital for an examination		
After the supper the following of- ficers were elected: Johnnie Ruth employed on a ranch for the pa	st precious things of earth. But lo!-	and check up.	A REAL AND A REAL AND AND A REAL AND	
Belcher, President; Jackie Young, several months.		Mr. Kearney expects to be back		
Secretary: Melba Robinett, Treasur-	I a harde a hit had a then to down	in his place of business in Spur by	I HYATTS FO	OD MARKET
er: Pauline Ford, Parliamentarian: Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan at			I IIIAIID IU	OD MANIEL
Addie Lee Kissinger, Reporter; family had as their dinner gues		E. D. Engleman left the first of		
Hellen Kelly, Song Leader. Lubbook Mr. Patton is leaving Fr	out of color and form, the piece of		Just A Home Town Bo	by Trying To Get Along
day for Los Angolas California		bring back two pickups and a truck	We Deliver	Phone 59
TWENTY-FIVE PATTON SPRINGS GIRLS TO TAKE establish his permanent residence	mothers love remained unchanged.			
SUMMER WORK	Seeing this, God smiled and was		DANANAC I	10
Twenty-five girls of the Patton Robert Reynolds, of Croton cour		W. A. Grizzle came in Saturday	BANANAS. dozen	10c
Springs High School Homomolying try was in Spur Tuesday morning		from his farm home in the Kalgary community and spent the day in the		
classes plan to continue their work his tractor tires and tubes.		city transacting business affairs and		
as summer projects with problems his tractor tires and tubes.	is a mothers love!"	visiting friends in the city.	LARGE Dunch	POLK SALET
as: Renewing My Wardrobe, Sup- Miss Lucille Lucas, teacher in th			Turnin-Tons 5c	Greens, 3 for 10c
plying Canned Food for My Family, schools at Longview, arrived la		Miss Ana Mae Lasseter, teacher		0100100, 0101 100
Renovating and Replacing Clothes week to spend the summer with h		in Monohans school the past school		2 BOXES
Needed for This Summer, Improv- ing My Wardrobe, Care and Repair Wester of Maddan		year returned Saturday, May 18th to spend the summer vacation in		
of My Clothes Close and Wardrobe, Wooten of McAdoo.	Ann	Spur.	Spuds, 10 lbs, 23c	Dewberries . 15c
manual Mr. Bad Baser Improving	Alling Conform With	opur.	Space, 10 1001 100	200000000000000000000000000000000000000
My Yard.	Allison Confers With	Plans are being made to break the	WHITE SWAN	
My Yard. Mrs. Joe Jeffers, Home Econom- Miss Dorthea Foot, teacher of the	Gov. O'Daniell	record attendance of 1,036,709 visi-		1 11 10
ics teacher of the Patton Springs , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	Governor W. Lee O Daniel and	tors at the 1940 State Fair of Tex-	ILA, with glass, I	-4 lb 19c
School, will be in the Homemaking building every Monday morning for ante and miniting friends in the site	- Levelland conferred in Big Spring	as, it has been announced by Harry L. Seay, President. Practically every		
conferences with the girls and their ants and visiting friends in the cit		featue of the Fair will be greatly en-	FIAID V. 1 10	D . 10 11 01 FF
mathan	her of Commerce Convention or	larged for the 32nd annual expo-	I ILUUK, Kimbell's	Best, 48 lbs \$1.55
the parents of an 8 pound son bo	current old age pension problems.	sition, Mr. Seay said.		,
Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Garrison, of at 7:30 a m Tuesday May 21	Discussing the conference, Allison		CUCID C 1.	1 95 11 61 95
Red Mad were business visitors to their home on North Calvert	candidate for State Senator of the	One of the problems facing the	SUGAK, Granulat	ed, 25 lbs \$1.25
Spur Wednesday.		poultry industry is to find more uses for the whites of eggs, as it is easier		
W. A. Craddock, of some twelve		to get 25 cents the pound for egg		ucket 69c
miles southwest of town was trans- opting bustness in Spur Wedness 92 YEARS		yolk than five cents for the whites.	LAND, I ule, O D. D.	ucket 05c
acturg positiess in opur weaters		Egg producers are busily engaged	JONOCO - ANY FLAVOR	
day. LJ AGO		s trying to create new markets for	GELATINE DESSE	RT. 3 pkgs 10c
	State Representative in the las	this part of the egg.		, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
Taken from the files of The Texas	Allison further stated that he		LIGHT BREAD	
Tire Service Spur. published 23 years ago this week. Oran McClure, Editor and	would support any reasonable, ad		ROLLS, dozen	5c
Washing publisher.	aptable plan that would speed so	For That		
Greasing RETURNS TO SPUR	- lution of the State's obligations to	The second se	CANDY RARS 2	for 5c
COUNTRY TO BUY FAR	the aged citizens, needy blind	Well Dressed	Children Drinto, El	
		Well Dressed	GUIGED DIGON	
Sometime ago F. F. Henry so	Id activ und debitate entitaten.	1	SLICED BACON	nound 13c

