



# THE TEXAS SPUR

and THE DICKENS ITEM



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## Consumers Register May 4-7 For Sugar Rationing Coupons

Sugar Ration Books will be issued to all consumers at the public school sites of Dickens County, May 4, 5, 6 and 7th. Each person will be required to register in his county of residence except transients and people living in county-line school districts. Such residents will register at their own school house where site administrators will represent each county. Registration hours will be from 9 a. m. throughout the day until 5 p. m.

All living persons will need to register one of these four days to secure sugar and probably other commodities that may be rationed later. Each member of the family is entitled to a sugar ration book. A college student over eighteen years of age will register for his book at college, if under eighteen years his family will apply for his book at home and send it to the student at college. When the college student goes home for the summer vacation he will take his ration book with him.

Each family should select one, and one member only, of that family to register for the whole family. State officials recommend that the mother register the entire family since the mother remembers ages better than the father. It will be necessary for the person registering others to know the other persons complete name, height, weight, color of eyes and hair, and age. It will also be necessary for the person registering the family to know the exact amount of sugar in that home at the time of registration. However, any member of the family over eighteen years of age can register the family group. Single persons, including hired help, who eat at other peoples homes are required to complete their own registration and they take their ration books to be used in the homes in which they receive their meals.

The Rationing Board has not been informed the amount of sugar that will be rationed either to consumer or retailers. Provision for canning will be made later, none have been made so far.

The Spur Schools will be dismissed May 4th and 5th so that the teachers can assist in the registration and all people living in the Spur School District are urged to register one of these two days. By doing this school will be interrupted as little as possible and the registration can be handled efficiently by following this method. In the Spur District the registration will be handled in the High School Gymnasium. Those failing to register either of the first two days will register at the Superintendent's office either May 6th or 7th.

There will be Registrars at Duck Creek, Wilson Draw, Highway, Spring Creek, Peaceful Hill, Red Mud, Dumont and Higgins Schools so that the people in these districts may register in their home districts, even though their children attend school in Spur. Opportunity for registration will be provided at each of these school houses May 4th only, and those failing to register the first day will attend to their registration at the Spur High School one of the other three days.

The following people will serve as Registrars in these Districts:

Duck Creek—Hugh Hagins  
Highway—Ike Simmons  
Wilson Draw—Alvis Wilson  
Peaceful Hill—Mrs. O. M. McGinty  
Spring Creek—Joe McDaniels  
Red Mud—Mrs. Tom McArthur  
Dumont—Mildred Collier Parks

Registration in Dickens, Patton Springs, McAdoo, Dry Lake, Wichita and Dumont will occur each of the four days provided for registration and will be cared for at each of these school houses excepting Patton Springs which District will provide registration at both Patton Springs and Croton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rennels, of Winters were in Spur this week visiting Mrs. Rennels' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Aston and J. M. Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Rennels were enroute to their home in Winters after attending the funeral of Mr. Rennels' father in Stamford last week.

## Shelterbelt, Windbreak And Screen Trees Distributed

Planting of shelterbelt, windbreak and screen trees met with a hearty response according to Miss Fae Bass, Home Demonstration Agent, who reported more than 25,000 having been distributed to Dickens County farm families interested in making improvements at their farm homes and on pasture lands.

The Commissioners Court deserves a vote of thanks for transportation of the trees from the Shelterbelt Nursery at Childress to Dickens.

## DEAR FOLK, LISTEN!!

We need every family in Dickens County to buy Stamps and Bonds. Gen. MacArthur is begging for equipment. We were glad Tokyo was bombed. We are glad when Russia drives the Germans back. Stalin says to the U. S. A.: "Give us planes and we will do the job." We were glad when England bombed Germany with 400 planes. Churchill says to the U. S. A.: "Give us the tools and we will get the job done."

Buy Bonds, Buy Bonds, and Buy More Bonds. We want every family in Dickens County to sign a pledge to buy Bonds in 1942. What will you do?

The Bond Committee

## Junior Class Will Present Annual Play Tuesday, April 28

The Junior Class of Spur High School will present their annual play Tuesday evening, April 28th at the High School Auditorium.

Title of the plays to be presented this year is "Don't Take My Penny." Admission prices will be 15c, 25c and 30c.

## Dickens Ladies To Organize Red Cross Unit Monday, April 27

The ladies of Dickens are invited and urged to meet Monday at 2:30 in the Crego building to organize a Red Cross Unit. Mrs. Johnnie Koonsman has been named contact chairman and will have charge of the program.

Officers to be elected are: Secretary—Treasurer, Reporter, Sewing Chairman, and Knitting Chairman.

## MISS LAJORISE LEE ON HONOR ROLL AT ACC

Abilene—LaVoris Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Lee of Spur, Texas is among the Abilene Christian College students listed on the scholastic honor roll for the mid-semester report, according to announcement made by Mrs. Clara Bishop, college registrar.

## Monday, April 27 Is Registration Date For 45-65 Age Group

Monday, April 27 is registration day for all men between the ages of 45 and 65 years.

All men who have attained their forty-fifth (45) birthday on or before February 16, 1942, and have not attained their sixty-fifth (65) birthday on April 27, 1942, will be registered in this the Fourth Registration.

Men registered in this age group will not be subject to Military training under the present regulations. Those who register may receive an occupational questionnaire but not a regular questionnaire.

The places of registration and the Chief Registrars will be the same as used February 16, as follows:

- SPUR—High School Auditorium—V. C. Smart.
- RED MUD—School House—W. G. Hinson.
- DRY LAKE—Church House—Archie Powell.
- DUMONT—School House—V. M. Hand.
- DUCK CREEK—School House—A. Lollar.
- DICKENS—Court House—Fred Arrington.
- CROTON—School House—Lee Mims.
- AFTON—G. W. Bennett.
- McADOO—School House—Charley McLaughlin.

## Attention Rural School Administrators

A school of instruction for School Site Administrators and their Registrars in the following Districts will be held at the Spur High School, Thursday at 5 p. m., April 30th: Duck Creek, Wilson Draw, Peaceful Hill, Spring Creek, Highway, Red Mud, Dry Lake, Wichita, and Dumont.

The School Site Administrators and Registrars will please attend this meeting without fail.

## Spur Security Bank Personnel Attends Lubbock Convention

The personnel of the Spur Security Bank attending the Bankers Convention in Lubbock Tuesday of this week were Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Foy Vernon, Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Lewis, E. S. Lee, Misses Maudie Palmer, Minnie Ola Ward, Nelta Boothe, and Mrs. Jack Carnes.

W. T. Andrews was elected Vice President of the South Plains Bankers Association at this meeting.

District Attorney Barber, of Carlisle City, filled the pulpit at the Baptist Church Sunday morning.

## John A. Hamilton Announces For Re-election

To The People Of Dickens County:

I am a candidate for re-election to the office of District Attorney, and have been trying for several weeks to get time to make this announcement, but have been unable to until now.

I appreciate tremendously your support in the past, and the splendid cooperation you have given me while I have been District Attorney. Such cooperation by the people is the key to the success of any public officer.

I believe that with the accumulation of experience, and an acquaintance with the officers of the district that constantly grows more thorough, and of citizens who make up the juries of the courts of the four counties in the district, that each year I am more capable of satisfactorily performing the duties of the office than I was in the preceding year. If you return me to the office of District Attorney I shall continue to perform the duties of the office honestly and to the best of my ability, and with deep appreciation of the responsibilities that rest upon me in prosecuting those who are charged with violating the law.

In the present crisis it is both a requirement and a patriotic duty to conserve automobiles and tires. As an officer I could probably get a new car and new tires because it would be presumed that they would be used in performing official duties, and for that function they are really necessary. To make a thorough campaign for office over this district requires the driving of from 7,000 to 10,000 miles. It would not be fair to you, nor honest, nor patriotic to our country for me to consume that much automobile and rubber trying to advance my own interest by getting re-elected, and then take advantage of my office to equip myself with new tires or automobile while the rest of you had to do without.

And also during such trying times as these, there is a constant and ever increasing demand upon the time of a lawyer and an office holder to help in the national cause. At the present I am devoting a large amount of my time to charitable, national and economic causes calculated to aid the successful outcome of this war and to alleviate suffering and distress caused by it; such causes, as to mention some of them, Red Cross campaigns, United Service Organization work, sale of defense bonds and stamps, patriotic speeches, clerk in registering men on registration dates, aiding registrants in filling out their Questionnaires, member of the scrap metal, rubber and paper committee of my co. While each of these seem insignificant, yet at the end of each month I find that I have

devoted a large percentage of my time to them, and it frequently requires me to work both day and night to catch up with my regular duties.

In doing these things I feel that I am doing my country more good than I would be if I were wearing out my car and tires and using time running over the district campaigns, and under the peculiar circumstances of the office that exist during these times, I do not think that I should, and I do not believe that you will expect me to, devote much of my time campaigning for this office. So I take this means of announcing my candidacy and at the same time explaining why I do not intend to make an extensive campaign in the orthodox manner, but expect to continue to devote that time and effort to patriotic causes, and leave it to you as to whether I shall be elected.

But I do want to assure you most sincerely that I do want your vote and your help and support in every manner, and will appreciate everything that you can do for me, although I probably will not get an opportunity to see you personally to tell you so.

I am 33 years old, and right in the middle of the draft age, and registered in the first registration. I have a wife and three small boys who are dependent upon me for support, but if and when the government directs that those who are in my class be called for service and my number comes up, I shall be more than ready to go, and I will not be making any claim for exemption, deferment or preference, but shall go, without protest like all of us should want to do, to whatever place or position those in command think I can do the most good, whatever or wherever it may be.

Again, may I solicit your vote and your support.

Sincerely,  
JOHN A. HAMILTON

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## Spur Students Placing In District League Meet At Lubbock

Spur students placing at the District Interscholastic League Meet in Lubbock the 17th and 18th of April were:

- Doris Lee Clower, 1st place in Junior girls declamation.
- Joe Ericson, 3rd place in Senior boys declamation.
- Alfred Walker, 3rd place in extemporaneous speaking.
- Melba Lewis, 5th place in typing.
- Doris Lee Clower will attend the Regional Meet which will be held in Canyon, April 24th and 25th.

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## Business Firms To Register 28-29 For Sugar Rationing

Sugar rationing for institutions such as wholesale and retail grocers, cafes, drug stores, bakeries, hotels, and boarding houses will occur at the various high schools over the county April 28th and 29th. Registration will be at the four high schools over the county between 9 a. m. and 5 p. m.

Owners of these establishments should determine the amount of sugar purchased and delivered to them, month by month, for the year of 1941. This information will be necessary for filing applications for sugar purchase certificates. Firms not in business last year should secure information from the Dickens County Rationing Board at the City Hall before filing their applications.

Quotas for purchase of sugar will be figured on a percentage basis which has not as yet been released to the Rationing Board.

Business firms should secure their applications from their school Site Administrator a few days in advance of registration days, take them to their places of business where they can make accurate estimate of their sugar business, fill in the application and return to the school on registration days. In no event should the application be signed until it is brought before the Administrator.

## Dickens High School To Sponsor Amateur Program Friday Night

The Dickens High School is sponsoring an Amateur Program, Friday evening, April 24, at 9:00 o'clock in the High School Auditorium.

The program will consist of singing, dancing, boxing, boys chorus, reading, quiz program and everything good.

You may have seen Joe Louis knock out Tony Galento and Clark Gable kiss Heddy Lamarr, but you've seen anything until you have seen this program, according to the sponsors.

## Don't Share Your Vegetables With The Insects

With the obvious scarcity of food throughout the world, it's the wise person who doesn't share his vegetables with the insects. Fae Bass, County Home Demonstration Agent, reports that quite a few people have already reported cut worms and other insects bothering their gardens.

By following a few simple rules, it is an easy job. A duster may be obtained for a dollar up, but one may be made at home with a tin can, a stick and a piece of cheese cloth. Next, have ready a supply of insecticides for use at the first sign of insect injury. These are cryolite for control of bean beetles, cucumber beetles, cabbage worms and other insects which feed upon the fruit and foliage of the plants; rotenone and sulphur to control tomato fruit worm, flea beetles, plant lice and leaf hoppers, and concentrated pyrethrum dust for squash bugs, stink bugs, and harlequin cabbage bugs. Watch the garden for the first sign of injury and dust both sides of the leaves.

Apply poison bait late in the afternoon for control of cut worms, grasshoppers and adult wingless May beetles, or June bug. Poison bait also will control mole crickets which frequent sandy soils.

To control the bluish-gray pill bugs, or sow bugs, which damage young tomato plants, sprinkle a mixture of two parts flour, two parts sugar and one part paris green throughout the beds. Flea beetles, also dangerous to these plants, may be controlled by dusting plants with rotenone and sulphur each seven to ten days.

For further information about insecticides or for directions for making the duster mentioned above, ask any home Demonstration Club member or the County Home Demonstration Agent.

## With The Boys In Service

### L. D. FOREMAN ENLISTS IN UNITED STATES NAVY

L. D. "Sandy" Foreman, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Foreman, and who for the past six months has been associated with his brother, Clarence Foreman, in the Phillips 66 Petroleum Company Station, has enlisted in the U. S. Navy.

Foreman went to the Navy recruiting station at Lubbock Monday to place his application for enlistment for Foreign Service in the Navy Construction Regiment. Passing preliminary tests there Foreman was ordered to report Wednesday at Naval recruiting station, Amarillo for rating and from there he will go to Dallas for final physical examination and get his assignment in the foreign service.

Mrs. Foreman, who is a teacher in the Spur Schools, will finish the school term here then visit her parents in Oklahoma for some time.

### VAN D. HAIRGROVE ENLISTS IN U. S. MARINE CORPS

Van D. Hairgrove, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Hairgrove, and a student in McMurry College, has volunteered in the U. S. Marine Corps and has been accepted for an early call.

### J. C. BILBERRY UNDERGOES APPENDECTOMY AT FORT SILL ARMY HOSPITAL

J. C. Bilberry, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bilberry, who left Spur Thursday, April 9th, was operated for ruptured appendix at the Army Hospital at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, according to Mrs. Bilberry who with Mr. Bilberry was in Spur Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bilberry left this morning to attend their son's bedside.

### LESTER A. "JIM" GALLOWAY ASKS FOR CORRESPONDENCE

A card from Pvt. Lester Galloway of the U. S. Army, stationed at San Diego, Calif., whose home is at Afton, states that he is o. k., likes army life alright, and wants some letters from his friends in this section of country.

Lester known by his friends as "Jim" was inducted into the army early in April.

Anyone caring to correspond with Lester his address is:  
Pvt. Lester A. Galloway  
P.T. 329 - R.D. - M.C.B.  
San Diego, California

### PVT. MORRIS LAINE ON DUTY AT MIDLAND FLYING SCHOOL

Midland Army Flying School—Pvt. Morris (Tanner) Laine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Laine, of Spur, Texas has been assigned to duty on the public relations staff at this flying school, world's largest bombardier training college.

Private Laine, a graduate of Texas Tech, formerly was associated with newspapers at Spur and Midland. He has worked on various newspapers in West Texas and New Mexico.

He volunteered and joined the Air Corps Jan. 14, 1942 at Lubbock and did basic training at Sheppard Field, Texas, before he was assigned to Midland Army Flying School.

### JIMMIE McARTHUR, SHEPPARD FIELD, VISITS PARENTS

Jimmie McArthur, Air Plane Inspector in training at Sheppard Field Texas, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McArthur and other relatives at their farm and ranch home on Lower Red Mud.

### JOHN HAZELWOOD, SHEPPARD FIELD, VISITS PARENTS HERE

John Hazelwood, Air Corps mechanic, of Sheppard Field, Texas, spent the week end in Spur the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Hazelwood.

### MAC PARKS, OF U. S. ARMY SIGNAL CORPS, SPUR VISITOR

Mac Parks, of the U. S. Army Signal Corps, stationed at the Lubbock Army Flying School, spent the week end in Spur visiting relatives and friends.

### JULIAN BOOTHE HERE ON FURLOUGH AWAITING FLYING SCHOOL ASSIGNMENT

Private Oscar J. (Julian) Boothe, son of H. A. Boothe, who has been in training at Patterson Field, Fairfield, Ohio, came in Sunday for an extended furlough and will remain here until recalled for training in an Army Air School base.

Private Boothe has passed Aviation Cadet preliminary tests and is ready for training in flying.



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**Announcement**

Subject to the action of Primary July 25, 1942

For Chief Justice Court of Civil Appeals:  
J. ROSS BELL

For Representative 118th District:  
PAT BULLOCK

For District Attorney:  
L. D. RATLIFF, JR.

For County Judge:  
E. H. BOEDEKER  
(Re-election)

For County School Superintendent:  
O. L. KELLEY  
(Re-election)

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:  
D. F. (Fred) CHRISTOPHER  
(Re-election)

For County and District Clerk:  
E. H. OUSLEY  
(Re-election)  
JOE McLAUGHLIN

For County Treasurer:  
MRS. VELA TURPEN  
MRS. ALICE MURPHREE  
(Re-election)

For Commissioner, Pre. No. 3:  
G. L. DeLISLE  
BEN HOLLY  
O. P. MEADOR  
BOB HAHN  
W. H. HINDMAN  
(Re-election)  
L. W. LANGSTON

For Commissioner Pre 2:  
E. J. OFFIELD  
(Re-election)

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For Commissioner Pre. 2:  
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of the  
**Court of Civil Appeals**  
Amarillo, Texas

In the Democratic Primary,  
July 25, 1942.

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**HONOR ROLL**

**SENIORS—A**

- James Victor Allen
- Francis Atkison
- Boyd Ball
- Genet Byrd
- Charles Ensey
- Joe Ericson
- Wade Gilbert
- Idalee Golding
- Louise Ince
- Virginia Johnson
- Dorothy Kelley
- Ouida Lisenby
- Mildred Neaves
- Winona Pace
- Maxine Sandlin
- Bonnie Doyle Turpen
- Bobbie Lou Watters
- Bob Weaver
- Harland Weaver
- Betty Woodrum

**SENIORS—B**

- Ida Lee Arrington
- Billy Ray Barrett
- Nadyne Brewer
- Jessye Choate
- Lillie Fern Delisle
- Mary Helen Draper
- Iwanah Drennen
- Matthews Gruben
- Margaret Lusk
- Johnny McClain
- Charlene McClellan
- Betty Miller
- Yuba Lee Parks
- Johnny Peacock
- Eldon Smith
- Homer Ray Smith
- Lewis Ray Smith
- B. C. Stapleton
- Pete Swaringen
- Clarence Ward

**JUNIORS—A**

- Beth Arthur
- Marvin Blair
- Pat Christal
- Jewell Garrett
- Evelyn Ltwis
- Melba Lewis
- Winford Morrow
- Elizabeth Ramsay
- Melva Jo Swaringen
- Alfred Walker
- Marie Whitwell

**JUNIORS—B**

- Billy Addy
- Grace Boothe
- Ava Nell Bilberry
- Wilburn Brasher
- Colette Davis
- Paul Draper
- Alfred Elkins
- Dale Fry
- Mellie Gilmore
- Robbie Hoover
- Virgil Rogers
- Johnny Rucker
- Billy S. Smith
- Bertha Nell Walker
- Robert Ward

**SOPHOMORES—A**

- Mildred Burger
- Pete Dobbins
- Pike Dobbins
- Ruby Duboise
- Dollie Hagins
- Lou Emma Shugart
- Doris Taylor
- Patsy Turpen
- George Walker
- Betty Weaver
- Geraldine Wright
- Jo Ann Rummel

**SOPHOMORES—B**

- Maxine Adams
- Doris Lee Clower
- Eunice Denson
- Ila Rth Draper
- Jimmie Draper
- Gillene Elkins
- Lane Ericson
- Cecilia Fox
- Henry Gruben
- Thurmond Moore
- Wilma Dee Nix
- Shirley Powell
- Berniece Swanner
- Jimmie Vernon
- Elizabeth Watson
- Bennie Mason

**FRESHMEN—A**

- Doyle Akin
- Jerrie Condron
- Billy Glenn
- Nelda Jo Hindman
- Billy McCombs
- Frank McNeill

- Jackie Rector
- Byrlean Roberson
- Jo Ann Smith
- Norma Thurston
- Patsy Valentine
- Billy Jean Woodrum
- Robert Yarbrough

**FRESHMEN—B**

- Pete Adcock
- Ada Bell Anglen
- J. E. Bachman
- Aline Ball
- Roy Lee Ball
- Mary Louise Burnam
- Gerena Byrd
- Margaret Byrd
- Virginia Crockett
- Billie Louise Conway
- Doyle Davis
- Geeneta Dement
- Peggy Jean Donovan
- Alvina Evans
- Zane Freeman
- Emma Pearl Gruben
- Marjoene Hagins
- Billie Holloway
- Calvin Holloway
- Eurena Hoover
- Gwendolyn McAlpine
- Betty Jo Nix
- Vera Doris Pickens
- Charlese Powell
- Mary Puckett
- Doris Rape
- Betty Jo Reid
- Jewell Rich
- Woneva Stanley
- Billy D. Starcher
- Rex Taylor
- Vernell Wilson
- Lou Nell Wright
- Bob Hawley
- Joyce Fletcher

**EIGHTH GRADE A—A**

- Glyne Armstrong
- Jane Brannen
- Autrey Nell Dyess

**EIGHTH GRADE A—B**

- Patsy Arrington
- Gerome Byrd
- Sherry Campbell
- Laverne Choate
- Billy Crafton
- Alberta Dunwody
- Richard Elkins
- Elmer Gannon
- Thelma Gannon
- Dorothy Weatherman

**EIGHTH GRADE B—A**

- Joyce Hagins
- Dot Karr
- Mildred McCombs
- Ellese Petty

**EIGHTH GRADE B—B**

- Pauline Blair
- Harold Hankins
- Sadie Hankins
- Cleston Pritchett
- Imogene Rogers
- Royal Russell
- Robbie Nell Scott
- Ouida Smart
- Ted Smith
- Forestine Mecom

**EIGHTH GRADE C—B**

- Roland Hairgrove
- Jim Bob Moorhead
- Eula Mae McCarty
- Nina Mae Sonnamaker
- Pearl Vaughn

**SEVEN A—A**

- Mac Brannen
- Mafoi Carlisle
- William Gollihar
- Homer Wilson
- Howard Wilson

**SEVEN A—B**

- Marjie Brasher
- Wanda Browning
- Nancy Jo Caraway
- Mildred Casey
- Morris Denson
- Edgar Dodson
- Mary Lou Donovan
- Billy Wayne Dyess
- Nada Jo Fry

- Bob Loe
- Cloy Lusk
- John Haden Moore
- Nelva Jane Smart

**SEVEN B—B**

- Imajean Bilberry
- Norman Burns
- Joan London
- Wylene Moss
- David McAteer Jr.
- Gene McCombs
- Lynn McMahan
- Roy McMahan
- Earnest Roberts
- Jean Rummel
- Johnny Dan Smith
- Travis Smith
- Billy Gene Swaringen
- Mary Swenson
- Pansy Turpen
- Billy Lee Wade
- Louise Wade
- Ruth Henderson

**SIX A—A**

- Evelyn Barclay
- Ernestine Berry
- Dennis Bingham
- Creola Rector
- Carrie Louise Kimmel

**SIX A—B**

- Darlene Christenson
- Betty Jean Anderson
- Jean Collier
- Coy Ray Henslee
- Ann Hull
- Billy Mason
- Winona Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. Craig Parsons, of Calgary, spent several hours in Spur Thursday of last week shopping with the merchants and visiting with friends.

Weldon Delisle, of Dallas, is spending this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Delisle, of Dry Lake.

Mrs. Dempsey Sims, Croton, was in Spur Tuesday shopping with Spur merchants and visiting with relatives and friends.

Dr. B. F. Hele returned Tuesday from Marlin, Texas where he has spent the past four weeks taking the famous mineral water baths, resting and recuperating in general.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Ball, of Route 1, were among the business visitors to Spur Monday.

Hugh Hagins, of Duck Creek, was among the business visitors to Spur Tuesday.

Doc Love, of Red Mud, was a business visitor in Spur Thursday.

H. C. Allen, of Dry Lake, was a business visitor to Spur Monday.

R. D. Ford, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ford of the Calgary community, was a business visitor in Spur Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Overton and young son, spent Sunday in Royston visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Overton and family.

Leonard King, director of Cisco High School band, and formerly of Spur, spent Sunday in Spur the guest of friends.

Mrs. Bertha Horn and Clyde Horn and children, of Red Hill, were shopping and attending to business matters in Spur Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gruben and son, Henry Jr., spent Sunday in Royston, visiting his mother, Mrs. E. Gruben.



From where I sit...

by Joe Marsh

VERY OFTEN these days, I get to thinking about the soldier boys at camp. And the sailors, too.

What worries me is... what happens when they get a day off after working their heads off all week? They go to town... and what then?

What happens? The answer is... mostly nothing! Because most towns near army camps just don't have nearly enough entertainment facilities to take care of the soldiers on leave. So the boys just stand around, leaning against lampposts or sitting on doorsteps. And sometimes, the local townsfolk find themselves wondering what's changed the town... instead of pitching in to help the boys have a good time in decent surroundings.

In many towns, however, the situation is better. Many towns have nice, community places where a soldier can go sit down and "chew the fat" and enjoy some cake and milk, or maybe a good glass of beer. The boys like that. And they're not likely to get in trouble... because common sense tells you

nothing can be wrong about a couple of glasses of beer.

There's another reason, too. The beer industry is cooperating with the army and with the law-enforcement officers to help keep the places where beer is sold, clean and decent. The brewers don't want their beer sold to soldiers in places where bad conditions exist... and they're right.

Seems to me that we Americans ought to get together and do everything we can to make things pleasant for the boys who are in training. They're doing their duty... maybe we have some duties, too, in this direction.

There are lots of ways of helping. We ought to support them all. All of us have our part to play in winning this war... and making life a little easier for the boys in camp is something we all can do something about.

Joe Marsh

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J. A. Olson and W. L. Pierce, officers of the Fort Worth National Bank, were in Spur Wednesday visiting the Spur Security Bank force and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrel Hale, of Three Rivers, New Mexico, spent the week end and Monday in Spur visiting their daughter, Mrs. Earnest McNutt and Mr. McNutt and her sister, Mrs. Alma Hale and daughter.

A. C. White, affable and genial salesman for Lubbock Sash and Door Co., was calling on customers and visiting with friends while in Spur Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Caraway and Mrs. Bynum Brittan spent Friday in Lubbock shopping.

Ben Schuessler, stock farmer of Highway, was buying supplies of Spur merchants while here Tuesday.

Mrs. Bill Davis, of Espuela community, was shopping with Spur merchants Tuesday.

Mrs. Walter Gruben was a business visitor to Aspermont Saturday.

Miss Katherine Gardener, student at McMurry College in Abilene, was a week end guest of her aunt, Mrs. Neal Chastain, Mr. Chastain and Neal A. Jr.

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"I will buy carefully anything I must have and will buy U. S. Defense stamps or bonds with all the money I can.

"I will work hard with my family and neighbors and help people to be cheerful, to have courage and to take part in all war activities."

#### The Victory Honor Roll

- Mrs. V. S. Ford, Afton
  - Mrs. Lance Smith, Duck Creek
  - Mrs. Floy Watson, Soldier Mound
  - Winona Adams, Wichita (4-H)
  - Wanda Fay Lester, Wichita (4-H)
  - Mrs. Ott Denson, Highway
  - Mrs. Emma B. Russell, Dry Lake
- It is interesting to note that this week's Honor Roll for Home Demonstration Club members is made up of one person from each of the Home Demonstration Clubs in the County.

#### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks to the friends who helped us during the death of our son, we especially thank the Baptist and Methodist Church members of Roaring Springs who prepared the dinners, Bro. Revis and Bro. Brian who read the funeral rites, the friends who sent flowers, and to Mr. Chandler of Spur who was in charge of funeral services. May God's richest blessings rest on each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Joohnie Williams and daughter, Glendia

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Williams and family

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner

Mrs. M. E. Turner and family

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Hunter and family.

Mrs. W. S. Campbell and daughter, Miss Bonnie, motored to Lubbock Saturday morning to spend the day shopping and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob King and son, Bob Jr., of Floydada, are spending this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Welborn, of 2 miles south of Spur.

W. R. Weaver, manager of the local West Texas Utilities office was a business visitor to Stamford Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Blair, of two miles east of Spur, spent several hours here Thursday shopping with merchants and visiting friends.

Mrs. Emma Russell, of Espuela was a business visitor Wednesday in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Murray, of the Spur Produce Co., were in Lubbock Friday attending to business interests and shopping.

### Christian Church News

Jesus said that it was better to build a defense for that part of man that is Eternal long. The soul of man. Material defenses are only for this world. But material defenses are necessary. Yet the Eternal defense is more essential. We have our Governments for material defenses, and they must be strengthened. The church, as the Body of Christ, is the Eternal Defense of man. But one must take advantage of that defense for himself. Evil forces are striking at your soul; are you buying Spiritual Bonds, and using spiritual guns to protect your soul. There are several places in Spur for you to go and find out about these things. Pearl Harbor was bad, yet the Pearl Harbor of the Soul is many times worse. The Devil will do you exactly like the Japs did us on December 7th. This difference, watchmen are telling you about the approaching danger, yet you will not heed it. We ask you to awaken before it's too late.

Go to church some place every Sunday.

Program next Sunday at our church:

Bible School—10 a. m. (CWT)

Morning Worship "Launch Out Into the Deep"—11 a. m.

Juniors—7:45 p. m.

Evening Service "The Power of the Cross"—8:45 (CWT).

Come and worship with us. Bring your Bible for that is what we try to go by. Come and see for yourself. The door is not locked.

Pearce J. Burns, Pastor.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Chandler had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harmon, of Floydada.

Mrs. Buck Childress spent Sunday in Abilene with her husband, Sgt. Childress, who is stationed at Camp Barkley.

Miss Mozelle Baum and Weldon McCrary, of McAdoo, were Sunday visitors in Spur.

Miss Margaret Mae Weaver, Home Economics major in Texas Tech, spent the week end in Spur the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weaver, Bob and Betty.

Miss Pearl Meyers, spent Sunday in Aspermont the guest of her sister, Mrs. Tom Rutherford and Mr. Rutherford.

Jimmie Richey, of Dry Lake, was a business visitor in Spur Monday.

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While enroute Sunday to attend a directors meeting of the Brazos River Reclamation Conservation Project at Waco, Texas, Dr. M. H. Brannen stopped over in Wichita Falls for a brief visit with Captain Bob Alexander who is in charge of the Army Air Corps Hospital at Sheppard Field, Texas.

Mrs. C. E. Robinson, of McAdoo, was a business visitor in Spur Thursday.

Mrs. B. F. Hale returned last week end from an extended vacation since about March 20th when she with Dr. Hale went to Marlin. After 10 days at Marlin Mrs. Hale went to Hondo to visit her daughter, Miss Helen, teacher in the public schools at that place and in accompany with Miss Hale spent the Easter holidays in Corpus Christi, returning to Hondo and from there Mrs. Hale went to Dallas and Greenville to visit relatives and friends.

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NEW METHODS of efficiency and economy are being worked out to provide an ample supply of light and power for military training camps and wartime industries in this West Texas country in addition to your home and business. But the factories that once turned out an abundance of electric appliances today have been converted to production of war materials. Since these appliances are vital in maintenance of civilian morale and in conserving time and energy for wartime work, it is essential that we all take steps to prolong the usefulness of the appliances now on hand. We are offering some suggestions to help you make them last.

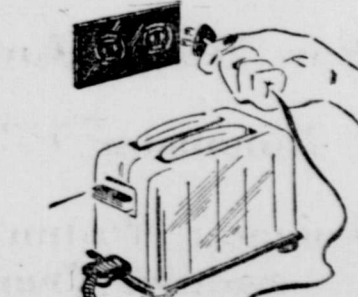
### How to take care of Your Electric Refrigerator

Some older models should be oiled every six months. Those with belts should be checked and new belts installed if needed. Condensers in all models should be cleaned once a year. Defrost at regular intervals, allowing the ice to melt rather than using an ice pick. (There's danger of punching a hole in the metal or freezing coil.) Close the door quickly after putting in or taking food out, using care NOT to touch rubber insulating seal around door with greasy hand. (Grease causes the rubber to deteriorate.) Let food cool before putting in refrigerator. Be sure that motor shipping bolts are fastened to prevent damage in transit when moving to new location. Be careful with ice trays—it's difficult to get new trays of any kind. Wash inside of refrigerator with baking soda and water whenever defrosting to prevent food odors.



### How to take care of Your Electric Range and Small Appliances

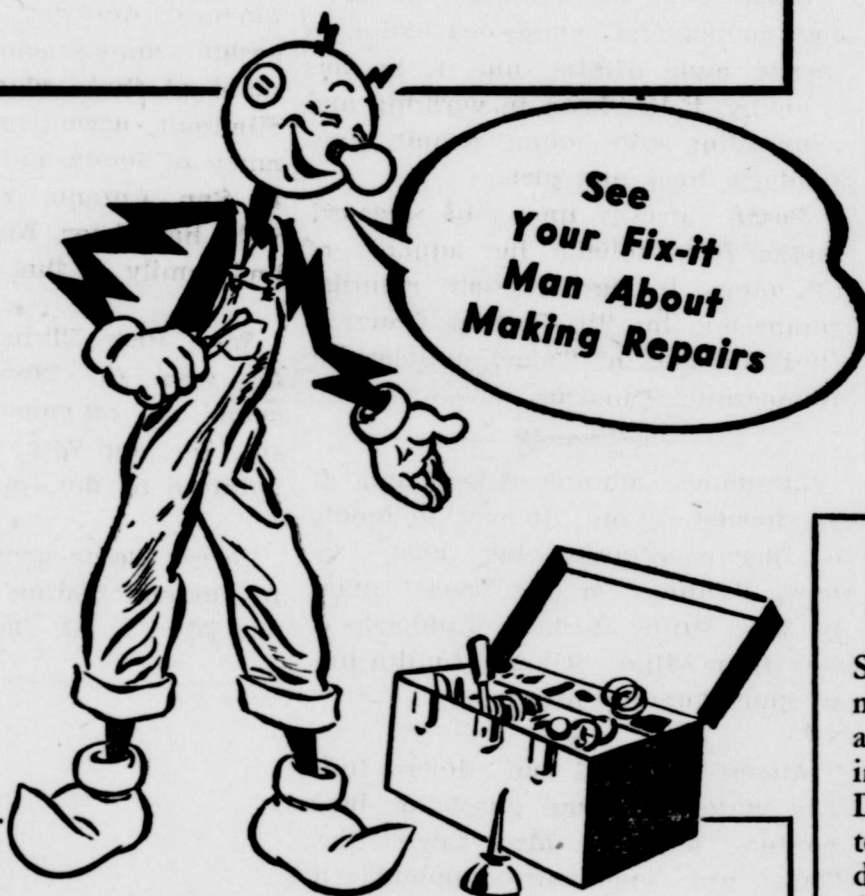
Plan menus so that entire meals are cooked at the same time in oven or thrift cooker. In top-burner cooking turn burner to low as soon as boiling begins. Be sure to turn burners off when through using them. Don't allow liquids to boil over onto the cooking coil. (Metals in coils include copper and magnesium oxide and are hard to replace.) Wash outside of range with warm soapy water when cool. Food spilled over on surface cooking coils should be burned off. Wipe oven with damp cloth and remove food spillage after it cools.



Take good care of your small appliances because parts are becoming hard to replace. For example, the bristles in your sweeper come from China—or did. Not any more. And rubber belts and cords. You know about rubber and copper. Even electric elements in all appliances and switches for lamps are becoming scarce. So take care not to abuse them. All lamp and appliance cords should be handled a bit more carefully. Keep them off the floor if possible so they won't be trampled, knotted or kinked, causing the rubber insulation to break.



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### How to take care of Your Electric Washer

Don't overload the washer, or use it to wash out just a few small pieces unless necessary. Drain immediately after using. Rinse thoroughly. Rolls and frame of wringer should be wiped dry. Release pressure on rolls when not in use. Leave cover off tub until all dampness has evaporated. Cord should be wiped dry and carefully wound on hooks. In using wringer, take care that no objects are left in pockets or metal buckles are allowed to scar or nick the rubber rollers.



### How to take care of Your Electric Water Heater

No special care is required for an electric hot water heater. If properly installed, you can forget it. It will take care of itself. But be sure the thermostat is set to give the correct temperature. Keep it in operation all the time. (Since it's automatic, turning it off and allowing the water in the tank to cool, then reheating it, uses more current than continuous operation.) If you live in a section where the water is extremely "hard," it occasionally may be wise to have the heating element taken out and the lime deposit removed. Other than this, there is nothing for you to do except don't waste hot water by letting it run down the sink.



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## Volunteers, 18-19, May Select Their Branch Of Service

A War Department announcement will be welcome to the young men of 18 and 19 years who wish to get in the Army and have a favorite branch in which they wish to serve.

The West Texas Recruiting and Induction District has been allotted quotas of enlistments for the Air Corps, the Armored Forces, the Coast Artillery Corps, Cavalry, Field Artillery, Engineers, Signal Corps, and Infantry, exclusively for men who are not yet 20.

Enlistments of men who are 20 and over, and are therefore of draft age, are welcome in the Army of the United States, Unassigned. Their preferences are followed in assignment whenever possible. But only men of 18 and 19 years of age are allowed the preference of enlisting direct into the branch in which they wish to serve. 18 and 19 year old men should see the Army Recruiting Service today.

### MISS MARTHA NICHOLS ON DANCE COMMITTEE TO ENTERTAIN SOLDIERS

Denton, April 22—Serving on a class committee, Miss Martha Nichols of Spur will assist in planning the junior class annual spring formal dance, Saturday, April 25, at Texas State College for Women.

Arrangements have been made to carry out the theme of spring in floral decorations and program covers. Miss Nichols is chairman of the decorations committee.

Soldiers from Camp Wolters will be entertained at the dance which will be given in the ballroom of the new Student Union Building. The college dance orchestra, Serenaders, will play.

Miss Nichols is the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. P. C. Nichols. She is a junior majoring in interior decorating.

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## O.E.S. Entertains Grand Officers Thursday, April 9

Spur Chapter No. 164 Order of the Eastern Star entertained with a buffet supper Thursday evening, April 9th at the Masonic Hall, honoring the Worthy Grand Matron and other Grand Officers of the Grand Chapter of Texas Order of the Eastern Star.

After supper the Grand Officers were presented with lovely corsages after which every one entered the chapter room for the opening of Spur Chapter.

The Grand Officers were presented in the East then all visiting members were introduced. The welcome address was given by Rev. H. L. Thurston, and the response was by Sister Lillian Barnard, Associate Grand Conductress, of Lubbock.

Sister Viva Huffman, Worthy Grand Matron of Texas Order of the Eastern Star, made the address of the evening, using Love and Patriotism as her theme.

Tokens of love were presented to each officer. The Grand Officers present were: Sister Viva Huffman, Worthy Grand Matron of Texas O.E.S., from Houston. Sister Lillian Barnard, Associate Grand Conductress of Texas O.E.S., from Lubbock; Sister Mary Lawson, Deputy Grand Matron of District 2, Section 4 of Texas O.E.S., from Post; Sister Lena Ericson, Deputy Grand Matron of District 2, Section 5 of Texas O.E.S., of Spur.

Two candidates were initiated into Spur Chapter No. 164 O.E.S.

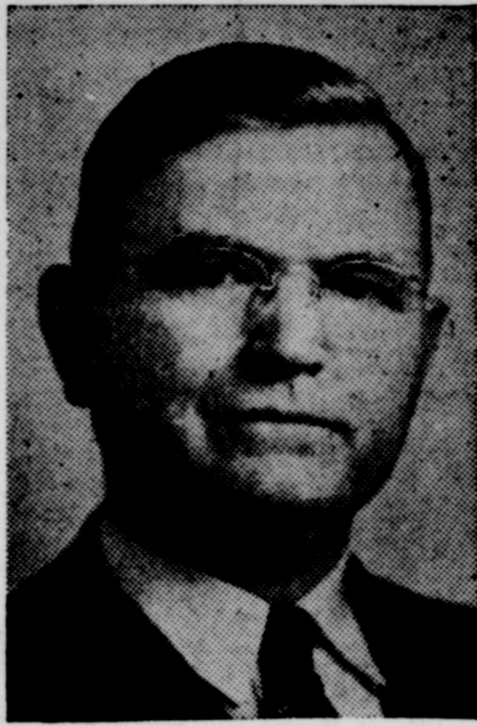
Out of town guests were: Sister Willie Ann Dirksen of Matador, Sisters Lawson, Everetts and Fumigalli of Post, and Bro. Barnard of Lubbock. There were forty members of the local chapter present.—Rep.

Johnnie Wheeler, with the State Health Department as an inspector of dairy products, and who attended the Dairy meeting held in Lubbock Monday to Wednesday, stopped over in Spur Wednesday afternoon while enroute from Lubbock to his home in Linden, Cass County, to visit Max McClure, not knowing that Max had enlisted in the Air Corps. Mrs. Wheeler accompanied Mr. Wheeler.

Mrs. George Givens, the former Miss Carmen Shockley, of Los Angeles, Calif. has been visiting with her mother, Mrs. Sally Shockley for the past ten days. Also Mrs. Julia Lewis, of Eunice, New Mexico, another daughter of Mrs. Shockley spent several days visiting with her mother and sister during the time of Mrs. Givens visit. On her return trip home, Mrs. Givens went by way of Dallas to visit another sister, Mrs. Joe Merchant and was accompanied by her mother who will spend a month's visit with Mrs. Merchant and family.

Mesdames Ella Miller, Era Barnes, and Misses Jenny Shields and Margaret Brown, spent Wednesday in Lubbock shopping and visiting over night with relatives near that place returning Thursday night to Spur.

## Judge E. L. Pitts Seeks Office Of Chief Justice



E. L. PITTS

District Judge E. L. Pitts of the 99th District Court at Lubbock, has announced for the office of Chief Justice of the Court of Civil Appeals, 7th District to succeed Chief Justice M. J. R. Jackson, who retires voluntarily next January 1.

Judge Pitts is 53 years old, a native Texan, born in Fannin County. His parents moved to West Texas when he was a child; and he grew to manhood in Palo Pinto County, where he resided until he moved to Northwest Texas some years ago. Judge Pitts' education was received in the public schools, East Texas Normal College, Commerce, Texas, and the University of Texas. Subsequently he taught school; and then he entered the law profession. Before his election as District Judge, he served as County Judge of Lubbock County.

Friends of Judge Pitts are convinced that his education, training, natural ability and twenty years experience as a trial judge qualify him exceptionally well for the position he now seeks. They point out that in his judicial career he has had come before him almost every conceivable type of case; and that he has conducted his courts to achieve prompt, impartial, courteous and satisfactory settlements of the issues involved. Attention is also called to the much study he has given to the new rules of procedure for the Texas Judiciary, and his conviction that the proper application of them will expedite trials to the end that justice will be better served.

Judge Pitts has a record for having participated wholeheartedly in varied civic affairs; and if he has a hobby, it has been in working and counselling with young people, particularly boys and girls.

Based strictly upon his record, Judge Pitts solicits the support of all voters in the forty-six counties comprising the 7th District, Court of Civil Appeals of Texas, subject the Democratic Primaries.

Mesdames Johnnie Koonsman, E. H. Boedecker, and Robert Reynolds, of Dickens attended the book review, "Lantern on the Levee" given by Mrs. Rufus Rush, of Lubbock, at the Spur High School Auditorium in Spur Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Winifred and Helen Ruth Lee were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawis Lee. They are sophomore students at Tech.

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## East Ward P.T.A. Met Tuesday, April 14

The East Ward P.T.A. met Tuesday, April 14th at 3 o'clock in the auditorium.

The P.T.A. theme song and "God Bless America" sung by all opened the program. The president, Mrs. J. A. Koon called the meeting to order and the minutes were read and approved. A message from the new National President of P.T.A. was read.

The subject for discussion was "Children of Today are Builders of Tomorrow."

Mrs. McAlpine won the banner in the room count.

Delegates were elected to attend the P.T.A. Convention to be held at Anson.

Arrangements were made for sponsoring a show.

Mrs. G. B. Wadzeck had charge of the program on "Family and Community Health." This was a panel discussion by ten or twelve children from Mrs. Wadzeck's room and was an interesting discussion. There were 70 parents present.

### MILAM FAMILY HOLDS FAMILY REUNION HONORING SOLDIER SON AND BROTHER

Private J. C. Milam, of Fort Belvoir, Virginia, was granted a seven days furlough and visited with his mother, Mrs. J. L. Milam, of Houston, and other members of his family in Fort Worth.

Members of the family present other than the mother and soldier son, J. C., were two daughters, Mrs. J. C. Overall, of Brownwood, and Mrs. Wesley Shullea, of Houston. Two other sons, B. A. Milam, of Houston, and T. E. Milam, of Spur.

Mrs. Milam accompanied Mr. Milam on the visit to Fort Worth and while away they bought merchandise in Dallas for the Milam's Store in Spur.

Mrs. P. E. Hagins and Mary Pearl returned last Saturday after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ernest and boys of Dallas, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Porter, of Denton, Texas, Mr. W. J. Hagins, of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Webb, Jr. and Misses Ruthie Dell and Mattie Lou Lee, all of Fort Worth.

Mrs. Milton Stencil, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ted McInroe, of Afton, left Thursday for her home at Hondo, Texas. Accompanying Mrs. Stencil to Hondo were mother and brother, Dean McInroe of Spur, and a sister, Miss Marforie McInroe, who remained to accept employment in a defense plant at that place. Mrs. L. A. Hindman accompanied the McInroe party to Hondo and from there went to San Antonio where she visited with her sister, Mrs. J. W. Conwall and family of that place.

Mrs. Rose Elkins left Monday of last week for New York City to spend an extended visit with her son, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Elkins and children of that place.

Perry Davis spent last week end in DeLeon visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Davis and family.

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FOR SALE—Jersey Milk Cows and Heavy Springers.—REX ROBINSON, Croton, Texas. 2tp

### Mrs. Paul Loe Hostess To Soldier Mound H. D. Club

"Family Life" was the subject of the program given at the home of Mrs. Paul Loe Thursday, April 2 when the Soldier Mound H. D. Club met there. Mrs. V. O. Davenport, Mrs. H. Condon and Mrs. Ollie Hindman rendered the parts. Among the most interesting points brought out were: learning to be a happy home member, problems of home life and contentment among family members.

The club is to meet with Mrs. J. H. Boothe Friday, April 24 to help that community organize a club.

Mrs. John Aston won a pitcher for game prize. The next meeting will be Thursday, May 7 with Mrs. Dan Pritchett.

Those present were Mesdames Ollie Hindman, Paul Loe, John Aston, Fannie Allen, Ethel Allen, V. O. Davenport, H. Condon, Pete Gannon, Dan Pritchett, Floy Watson and Blanche Collier.—Rep.

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