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NEWS AND VIEWS

BY THE OBSERVER

HENRY GRUBEN has been quite busy of late. He has completed a new water well on his place just outside of town, is to install a pressure pump and expects to irrigate. Look out Henry, we will all be out to pick peaches from those trees you have been setting out.

There is a certain door in town, leading to three prominent lawyer's offices, that squeaks when it is opened, like the doors one reads about in murder mysteries or hears in every movie thriller.

Every time we miss the Boss, we know just where to find him, he is refreshing his thirst from that new Norge water cooler at the SPUR SECURITY BANK. . . BILL ANDREWS has been warned to keep an eye on that cooler.

It will be a case of "Who can top this one" when "COTTON" WHITE, DR. BRANNEN, SAMMIE and HODGES return from Possum Kingdom Dam.

It has been noticed that our most capable city manager, JAMES COWAN has cleared the ground to build his home, however, he states he has not secured his "Hunting License" as yet.

Have you noticed that "line of chatter" is missing from the RED FRONT DRUG this week? . . . UDELL'S Marine is home at last and she is on vacation. Missed? I should say so. . .

H. W. Richardson to Be in Dickens 9 A.M. Thursday, April 18

H. W. Richardson, senior claims examiner, for the Texas Unemployment Compensation Commission, will be in Dickens Thursday, April 18, at 9 a.m., at the courthouse.

Mr. Richardson will accept, in addition to work registration, three types of claims:

(1) Those from unemployed Texas workers who formerly worked for Texas employers covered by the state law. Payments on these claims come from the Texas Unemployment Trust Fund built up by contributions from Texas employers of eight or more. No tax is collected from the employees.

(2) Those from unemployed workers who formerly worked for out-of-state employers and are covered under the unemployment laws of other states. Such payments do not affect the Texas Trust Fund.

(3) Those from unemployed, or self-employed, veterans of World War II claiming Servicemen's Readjustment Allowances. The Texas Commission is the agent of the Veterans Administration in handling these claims. Money is supplied by the veterans administration and does not come from the state trust fund to which Texas employers contribute.

Mr. Richardson said there were more out-of-state claims and readjustment allowance applications than there were claims filed against the Texas Trust Fund.

Spur Cooperative to Get \$63,000 Loan

The Rural Electrification administration has approved a loan of \$63,000, to the Dickens County Electric cooperative for line construction, due to the efforts of Congressman George Mahon.

Robert Kuykendall, manager of the Dickens county cooperative office in Spur, stated "We are going ahead with construction as soon as materials are available."

Lines are being constructed in Motley, Stonewall, Kent and Dickens counties. There are 130 miles of complete lines, to date, in Dickens and Kent counties, with 50 additional lines complete, except for transformers.

Mr. Kuykendall said application is being prepared for another allotment and the only way people can get in on another allotment is to get application signed.

17th Annual Texas Cowboy Reunion Set Dates, July 2-3-4

Directors of the Texas Cowboy Reunion, Inc., confirmed the tentative dates of July 2, 3 and 4 for the 17th annual Texas cowboy reunion which were set at a meeting last fall. The annual affair, held in Stamford, Texas, exceeded all previous attendance records in 1945.

W. G. Swenson, president, presented a plan for a special call roping event for servicemen and ex-servicemen which was accepted unanimously by the directors. Winner of the event will receive a hand tooled saddle. The ten low roping servicemen and ex-servicemen in the previous two day go-round will compete at the night performance on July 4 for the saddle. All servicemen and ex-servicemen of World War II will be admitted free except for government tax at that performance to witness their buddies successes and failures. Roping is an event that requires constant practice, a deft touch and split-second timing, something the boys in service the past four years have missed.

In attendance at the meeting were: W. G. Swenson, president; L. M. Hardy, vice president; K. K. Francis, A. M. G. Swenson and A. C. Bishop, secretary.

Marines Need New Recruits

The Marine Corps is needing men now to serve with the Marine Corps Aviation. These men need to be between the ages of 17 and 25, have no dependants, and be in good physical condition. If you have the above qualifications, see the Marine recruiter or enlist in the Marine Air Corps for two years today.

To anyone joining the Marines before October 6, 1946, the GI Bill of Rights are still available.

After that, all benefits are to cease. The GI Bill has untold advantages for young men desiring to continue their education. Tuition, books, and laboratorie fees will all be paid by the government, plus added money for living expenses. All of this, plus many other advantages, are offered to any one joining the Marines for two years.

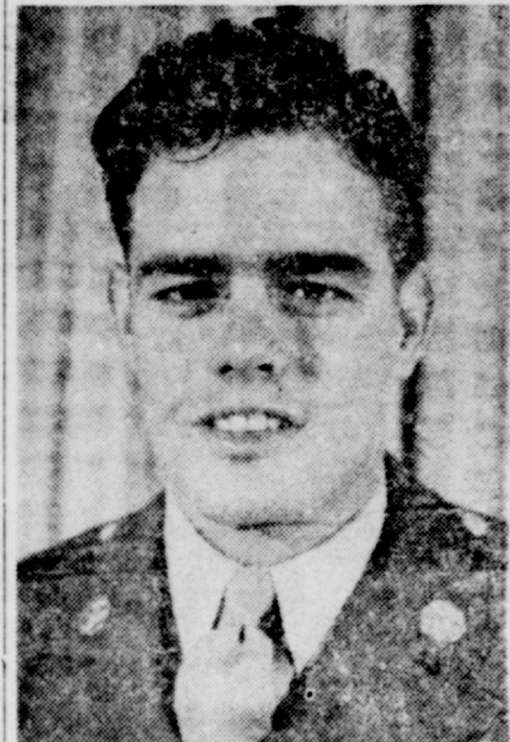
No one will be accepted from the draft to enter the Marine Corps. Every Marine is a volunteer. If you are over 18, you may still join the Marines providing you have not received your notice

The Most Valuable Assets to Dickens County Is Its Valuable and Useful Citizens

This week we are thinking of R. A. (Bob) Conner, who has recently moved with his wife, Mrs. Genevieve (Burnett) Conner, and son, Jett, now at home on Hill street. Mrs. Conner was the former Genevieve Burnett and was reared in Seymour, Texas. Jett is the four year old son and a real boy. R. A. (Bob) Conner has formed a partnership with L. D. Ratliff who is well known throughout West Texas and ranks with the outstanding attorneys throughout the state of Texas. The new firm will be known as Ratliff & Conner, and will maintain their offices in the Cowan building.

Mr. Conner lived in and practiced law in the city of Dallas and was associated with L. M. Rice and a brother, R. R. Conner, for seven years before enlisting in the army in 1942. This partnership represented one among the strongest law firms in Dallas. After serving his country as a soldier and returning to his first love "his chosen vocation", by mutual agreement, he has associated himself with just another such type attorney as we all know him to be and again establishes one of the most able law firms in West Texas.

Mr. Conner attended Texas A and M college and the Texas university, was admitted to the bar in 1935. While in the army he was stationed at Hondo Army Air Field, New York City and Washington, D. C. He is the son of A. B. Conner, formerly director of the Texas agricultural experiment station at College Station and is an extensive property owner in Dickens county. Mr. Conner has now retired and he and



L. J. "Jake" Varnell, Jr., who last week announced his candidacy for county-district clerk of Dickens county. Mr. Varnell is now convalescing in an army general hospital from wounds received in overseas service.

Region I Contest Class B Winners

Winners in Class B competition who will compete in the literary phase of Region I Interscholastic League contests to be held at Texas Tech. April 18, were named Saturday at Lubbock.

There were about 300 students participating in the contests Saturday from this area's smaller schools.

Winners were: Debate: Earl Hahn of Girard, second place. Declaration: Troy Myers of Peacock, first place for senior boys, Billie Galloway of Patton Springs, third place for senior girls.

Ready-writers: Aneta Allen of McAdoo, third place. Typewriting: Anne Lorene Phipps of Girard, second place. Bobbie Lea Smith of Girard, fifth place.

Number sense: Warren Garrett of McAdoo and Melvin Flinn of New Deal tied for first place.

Extemporaneous speaking: Boys, Bill Sharp of Dickens, third place. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Morrison left Spur Tuesday for Lockney, where they will visit a sister of Mr. Morrison, Mrs. Emma Ward, who is not expected to live.

for induction. By volunteering now is the only way that you can choose your branch of the service.

If you would like to be a Marine, see or write the Marine recruiting sergeant, post office building, Lubbock, Texas.

B-17 Flying Fortress To Be Exhibited Apr. 14, 20, 21, 27, 28

There will be an exhibition of the school's Flying Fortress, the B-17, and the BT-18, on April 14-20-21-27-28, from 1:30 to 6 p.m.

There will be a charge to see through the B-17, as there was no money available in the school budget for this expenditure.

Those that are interested in aviation and those that would like to see through this plane, there will be a small charge of fifty cents for adults and there will be no charge for school children accompanied by their parents.

There will be no charge to see through the BT-18 as this plane was given to the school by the George S. Link Aeronautics association of Spur.

After the showing of these planes, on these dates, the planes will be dismantled, the instruments will be instituted in our school for instructional purposes.

Services Held For Mary E. Johnson; Dickens Co. Pioneer

Funeral services were conducted at 2 p.m. Monday in the Church of Christ for Mary Elizabeth Johnson, a pioneer resident of Dickens county, who died Saturday afternoon, April 6, at St. Mary's hospital in Lubbock.

Mrs. Johnson was born November 8, 1865. She was married to J. E. Johnson July 28, 1880, moving to Dickens county in 1890.

She was converted at an early age, being affiliated with the Church of Christ.

Surviving are three daughters: Mrs. R. F. Self of Lubbock, Mrs. Will Walker and Mrs. Paul Douglas, both of Kermit, Texas. There were 10 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were: O. L. Kelley, O. M. McGinty, Billy Walker, Rufus Douglas, Clarence Self and Lloyd Johnson.

Rev. Mike Young officiated at the services.

Interment was in the Red Mud cemetery with Campbell Funeral Chapel in charge.

Visitors To Texas Experiment Station

George Sealing, head of the cattle buying department of Armour & Co., at Fort Worth, his two sons, who have extensive ranching holdings in Clay county, and J. A. Nored, livestock commission man of Fort Worth were visitors to the Spur Experiment Station last Friday.

The Clay county ranchers were especially interested in the feed lot studies that are now drawing to a close and the remarkably high gains at such low cost that have prevailed under the experiment station feeding program. Of equal interest were the results of a series of grazing experiments with these same cattle for 12 months before they were put into the feed lot for finishing.

Mr. Sealing advises that most of the station cattle will grade AA under the OPA marketing system and will bring top market prices.

Paul T. Marion, animal husbandman in charge of the feeding investigations at the station and Lester English will accompany the cattle to Fort Worth. Fifty of the steers will be trucked down Saturday and the remaining 50 head will go on Sunday so as not to interfere with the handling of the boys club calves.

Joe M. Rose Named to Good Neighbor Commission

It was announced Tuesday by Governor Stephenson, the appointment of Joe M. Rose of Roaring Springs, as a member of the Good Neighbor Commission.

Mr. Rose is to succeed Marcus Weathered of Coleman, who has resigned, Rose filling his unexpired term.

Mr. and Mrs. Truett Hutto and son, Bill of Lubbock, were guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Bell, over the weekend.

Jerry Ensey returned from Fort Worth last week, where he attended the Rexall druggist convention at the Texas hotel.



Crowned Queen Katharine Reeve, junior from Menard, Texas, was selected as Redbud Queen from Texas State College for Women. The attractive blond was chosen for possessing the ideal criteria of poise, beauty, graciousness and scholastic standing.

Last Rites Held For Hazel Cooner Paranto Saturday

Final rites were held for Hazel Dell Cooner Paranto, who died at Salina, Kansas, April 2, from injuries received in a car accident.

She had been to Salina, Kansas helping an uncle, Jim Boykin, who operates a beauty shop there and was returning to Russell, Kansas, where she lived and operated a beauty shop. She was approaching a curve and meeting a truck when her car hit a soft shoulder and overturned. She was carried to a hospital in Salina, but lived for only an hour and a half.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cooner of Spur and until recent years has made her home here.

She was married in 1942 to Francis Paranto of Kansas. To this union one son was born, Jimmie Francis, now three years of age. Her husband preceded her in death in 1943, having been killed in action while a pilot on a B-17.

Surviving are one son, Jimmie Paranto, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cooner of Spur, a brother, Warren Cooner of the United States navy, her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Boykin of Spur, Uncles are Jim Boykin of Salina, Kansas, who accompanied the body to Spur, J. E. Boykin, Port Arthur, Texas, Dick Boykin of Spur and C. D. Betts of Naples, Texas. Two cousins, Otice and Marion Betts, Naples, Texas.

Those from out of town attending the funeral were: H. M. Cooner of Knox City, Mr. and Mrs. M. F. McKnight and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Smith of Littlefield.

Services were held in the Church of Christ, with Roy Deaver, pastor, officiating. Interment was in the Spur cemetery with the Chandler Funeral Home in charge.

City Federation Women's Club Sponsor "Quarter For Cancer"

April was designated by act of congress as "Cancer Month". The American Cancer Society hoped to raise \$5,000,000 for its fight against the disease, which is number one killer of women and number two killer of men. Last year less than one-half million was raised as compared to eleven million for infantile paralysis. 163,000 men, women and children died of cancer as compared to 1100 who died of infantile paralysis. We do not want to do less to fight infantile paralysis, but we must do more to fight cancer.

The quarter is set as a minimum, as the dime in the March of Dimes, but it is not the limit, one may give any amount.

This campaign is sponsored by City Federation of Women's Club in Spur. Those who wish to contribute, that have not been contacted on streets of Spur Saturday, may send contributions to Mrs. J. E. Berry, City Federation president, or Mrs. T. H. Blackwell, general chairman of cancer research for Dickens county.

Third Annual Stock Show, Public Invited Participate In Parade

The show committee announced that everything is ready and all plans completed for the LARGEST Dickens County FFA and 4-H Fat Stock Show yet to be held in Spur. The show will be held on vacant lots east of Godfrey & Smart.

The superintendents of each division are eager that all exhibitors cooperate so that the day's program will be carried out according to schedule. The superintendents are: C. E. Fisher, cattle; D. C. McAteer, hogs; E. R. Ponder, assistant; Johnny Koonsman, horses; B. Haney, assistant.

This year the calves will be sold here in connection with the show. Anyone wishing to bid on these steers is cordially invited by the committee to do so and help the boys and the show. The sales committee will have a blanket bid on these steers from out of town buyers, if any one should buy a calf, he can dispose of it at the blanket bid to the buyer submitting same.

The show committee wishes to remind all junior exhibitors that only bonified FFA and 4-H members are eligible to exhibit animals competing for money prizes and that these animals must be shown by FFA or 4-H members during the time of judging. Boys having more calves than one in a class, should make arrangements with some other boy, who is also a member, to show his other calf. The committee also wishes to remind the owners of the calves, that a show is no place for an unruly calf. The committee is working not only toward a bigger show but also a better quality show, which we hope will be a credit to our county and this section of the state.

Spur School Band Enters State Contest At Plainview Friday

R. M. Pullis and forty-six selected band students will leave for Plainview Friday morning at 8:30 o'clock to compete in the state band contest. The band will play at 1:30 p.m. and they will play the following numbers: Symbol of Honor, a warm-up march, and two overtures, The Prince and Pauper and Pacific Moon. At two o'clock the band will be taken to a room where they will sight read a march and an overture. These two numbers have never been seen before by any band. Three judges will judge the concert playing, and one judge the sight reading. The finals of both will be averaged and the band placed in a division 1 through 5. Any band rating first or second division are considered top bands in their class. Mr. Pullis has stated that he would like a first division but that he would settle for a second division.

Band students making the trip are as follows: Saxophones: Ann Hull, Charles Lewis, Jimmie N. Bowman, Janice Jones, Jean Arthur. Flutes: Virginia McNeill, Joyce Williams, Beverly Wood, French Horns: Ernestine Berry, Johnny Berry, Maxine Williams, Pat Applegate. Trombones: Joe Bell, Kenneth Watson. Glockenspiels: Beth Watson, Betty Schrest. Basses: LaVerl Cash, Pike Robinson. Trumpets: Annette Lee, Margaret Wood, Norma Sechrest, Virginia Dunwoody. Clarinets: Jane Brannen, Lucy Boothe, Ernestine Boothe, Myra Ratliff, Dot Karr, Mary Marrs, Carolyn Hays, Franklin Gabriel, Billie Hindman, Gene Copeland, Joyce Johnson, Zella Watson, Ella Copeland, Doris Gibson, Annita Cunningham, Marilyn George, Creola Rector, Bassoon: Marie Lewis; Drums: Bobbie Morrow, Inez Penn, Juanell DeGraffenreid, Arlene Wilson, Jerry Graves, Bert Dunwoody.

Mr. Cook, Mrs. Ratliff and Mrs. Wood will accompany the band to Plainview, and will act as chaperones. The band wishes to express their gratitude to these people for their help and cooperation.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Eldredge of McAdoo were in town Saturday, doing some shopping.

Ida Lee Cravey of Red Mud was in Spur shopping and visiting with friends last week.

Buckner Orphan Home Annual Egg Shower

There will be the Annual Egg Shower for the Buckner Orphan's Home on April 15. Every one is asked to bring their eggs to the Spur Produce on or before this date, where they will be packed for shipping.

The Baptists of the county have collected eggs for the Home for the past number of years.

Trustees Elected Here Saturday

Five trustees were elected to the school board of the Spur Independent school district here Saturday.

Those elected were: O. M. McGinty, Floy Watson, L. D. Ratliff, Hobert Lewis and George Gabriel.

There were 28 votes cast, these going to these five candidates. Holdover members were D. J. Dyess and Lynn Busbee.

In a meeting held by the school board Monday night, Hobert Lewis was elected president of the school board and Lynn Busbee, secretary.

Orval Robinson, who is a student of Texas Tech, spent the weekend in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. LaFayette Robinson.

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**SIDELIGHTS
FROM
WASHINGTON**

By GEORGE MAHON

On April 12 I plan to appear before the house committee on education in behalf of legislation to expand the vocational training programs in the high schools of the nation.

Aside from the over-all national requirements, there is a need for the reopening of the 24 vocational agriculture departments that were closed in our own congressional district by reason of the war. Additional units are also being sought for other high schools in our area.

A number of additional homemaking departments are also needed. In fact, in the state of Texas it is estimated that more than 400 additional homemaking and vocational agriculture departments are required to complete the vocational training set-up in the high schools.

Texas schools have shown tremendous interest in vocational training. In the high schools of our 25-county congressional district there are 51 homemaking departments and 36 vocational agriculture departments now in operation.

Our congressional district occupies a high place among the 21 congressional districts in Texas in the field of vocational training and in the number of vocational training departments. In the number of homemaking departments, we share top honors with congressional district No. 7, represented by Tom Pickett of Palestine, which also had 51 departments. In the number of vocational agriculture departments, we rank No. 3 among the congressional districts. District No. 21, represented by Fisher of San Angelo, occupies first place, and Pickett's district occupies second place.

Vocational training departments in the schools are financed under a system of state and federal co-operation, the system having been in operation since 1917. Benefits that have accrued to the nation are immeasurable.

The chances are excellent that congress will approve the bill for additional cooperation with the states in vocational training and that many new departments will be placed in operation in west Texas schools when the new terms open next August and September.

Congressman Adam Powell, the colored member from the Harlem district in New York, created quite a flurry in the house of representatives a few days ago. He offered an amendment to an appropriation bill for the District of Columbia which would have put an end to the time-honored practice in Washington of maintaining separate schools for the white and colored children. After a brief hour of heated debate, the vote was taken. Congressman Joe Martin, the leader of the Republicans in the house, and 48 other members, about evenly divided between the Democrats and Republicans, voted for the Powell amendment. The rest of us who were on the floor at the time 122 in number, voted against the Powell amendment. We voted to continue separate schools for white and colored children.

There is no likelihood that congress would tolerate the consolidation of schools for the white and colored children in Washington, and Congressman Powell did a service to the cause of racial understanding and good will by offering his amendment. It should be pointed out that the same high standards of service apply in both the white and colored schools.

Of the 88,000 school children in Washington, 39,000 are colored.

Capt. and Mrs. Vernon C. Gillison arrived in Spur Sunday from a two weeks vacation in Ruidoso, N.M. They are visiting in the home of Mrs. Gillison's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McCully, before going to Capt. Gillison's cabin on Lake Superior, where they will remain until May 5, when Capt. Gillison reports back to Camp LeJeune, North Carolina.

Observation Relative To The Revised Standard Version Of The Bible

By Roy Deaver

In response to requests, I am glad to make a few observations relative to the Revised Standard Version of the Bible.

The Authorized Version of 1611 justly holds rank as one of the noblest monuments of the English language. However, the Greek text used by the translators, the "Textus Receptus", resting on a few late manuscripts, was very imperfect. When more ancient manuscripts were discovered and appliances for criticism multiplied, the need for a revised text and translation became urgent. Therefore, at the instance of the convocation of the Province of Canterbury, the task of revision was undertaken by committees representing the best English and American scholarship. Their labors resulted in the publication, in 1881, of the Revised New Testament, and in 1885, of the Revised Old Testament. The preferences of the American Revisers were printed in an appendix, a pledge being given that no further changes should be made for fourteen years. The English companies were disbanded shortly after 1885, but the American committee, believing that further improvements on the English Revised Version were possible, continued its work. They gave to the world in 1901 the American Revised Version, or more accurately, the American Edition of the Revised Version.

Based upon the same principles which have produced the above and many other versions—viz. additional information made possible through archaeology, growth and/or changes in language—many have felt a new translation necessary. So, we have on the flyleaf of the new publication: The New Testament Commonly Called The New Testament Of Our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ Revised Standard Version Translated from the Greek Being the version set forth A. D. 1611 Revised A. D. 1881 and A. D. 1901 Compared with the Most Ancient Authorities and Revised A. D. 1946

On the flap of the paper wrapper one reads: "The Revised Standard Version of the New Testament is an authorized revision of the American Standard Version of 1901 and the King James Version of 1611." But, we want to know by whom the revision was authorized and who did the revising. One notes in the preface, "The American Standard Version was copyrighted to protect the text from unauthorized changes; and in 1928 Thomas Nelson and Sons, its publishers, transferred the copyright to the International Council of Religious Education, in which the educational boards of forty of the major Protestant denominations of the United States and Canada are associated. This body appointed a committee of scholars to have charge of the text, and authorized it to undertake further revision if deemed necessary. The charter of the committee contains the provision that 'all changes in the text shall be agreed upon by a two-thirds vote of the total membership of the committee—a more conservative rule than that which had governed revision hitherto, which required only a two-thirds vote of members present.

"In 1937 a comprehensive revision of the American Standard Version of the Bible was authorized by vote of the council. . . . "The committee has worked in two sections, one dealing with the Old Testament and one with the New Testament. As with former revisions, the work upon the New Testament has been completed first, and the revision of the Old Testament will take about four years more. All changes in the translation of the New Testament have been submitted to the entire committee, and in a few cases a majority vote in the section has been reversed by a failure to receive the support of two-thirds of the membership of the committee."

Concerning those who did the work of revising we have on the wrapper: "The version is the work of the American Standard Bible Committee, appointed in 1929 by the International Council of Religious Education on behalf of the forty protestant denominations associated in that body. Thirty-one of the foremost Biblical scholars and teachers of our time have been members of this committee.


"The nine members of the committee who worked on the Revised Standard Version of the New Testament are:
Prof. Walter Russell Bowie, Union Theological Seminary.
Prof. Millar Burrows, Yale University.
Prof. Henry J. Cadbury, Harvard University.
Prof. Clarence T. Craig, Oberlin Graduate School of Theology.
Prof. Edgar J. Goodspeed, Uni-

versity of Chicago.
Prof. Frederick C. Grant, Union Theological Seminary.
Prof. James Moffatt, Union Theological Seminary (died 1944).
Dean Luther A. Weigle, Yale University Divinity School, Chairman.

President Abdel Ross Wentz, Lutheran Theological Seminary." The Revised Standard Version sought to use more modern English than was used by the American Standard Version while at the same time retaining the beauty, rhythm and elegance of the King James Version. Hence "thee", "thou" and "ye" are replaced by "you" when man is addressed; but the old reverent form is retained when God is addressed.

I predict that the popularity of the Revised Standard Version will be in direct proportion to the measure of achievement of this difficult task.

Bob George, a former Spur citizen and now of Sweetwater, was in town over the weekend, visiting with his family and attending to business. Mrs. George and children expect to join Mr. George in Sweetwater at the close of school.



"MAYOR" COOPER says: "We need more sipping (. . . of good soup) and less blowing."

Cooper's CAFE

BAGBY CIRCLE MEETS IN STELLA MORROW HOME

Monday afternoon, April 8, the Bagby Circle met in the home of Mrs. Stella Morrow. There were twelve members present.

Work was started on the circle's book on Doctrinal Teachings of the Early Churches, under the direction of Mrs. Harris.

Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

CITY FEDERATION TO MEET APRIL 16 AT ROUND UP

The City Federation is to hold a meeting Tuesday afternoon at 2:30, April 16, in the Methodist Round Up. All clubs are urged to send delegates.

Mrs. Wilson Justice and children, Barbara and Jimmy of Brady, Texas, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Justice from Thursday to Saturday. Mrs. G. W. Justice and Mrs. M. C. Hurst and children accompanied them to Aspermont on their way home.



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West Texas Utilities Company

ELIZABETH HALE CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. SMITH

The Elizabeth Hale Club met in the home of Mrs. Doty Smith, the sponsor.

Pauline Yoes, vice president, presided in the absence of President Nell Horton.

Discussion of an Easter program was carried on and it was decided to give an Easter program at the church.

Members present were: Nelda Love, Pauline Yoes, Carline Yoes, Hazel Moore, Lou Nell and Faye Wright, Mary Munden, Geraldine McCombs, and the hostess, Mrs. Smith.

The next meeting of the club will be Monday night, April 15, in the Martin Turbyfill home.

SPECIAL SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH

Beginning next Sunday, April 14, we will have special services at the Methodist church. On each night throughout Holy Week we will present some phase of the life of Christ. Following will be the subjects which will be discussed:

Sunday: The Triumphal Entry.
Monday night: Christ Weeping Over the City. Tuesday night: Cleansing the Temple. Wednesday night: The Last Supper. Thursday night: In the Garden. Friday night: They Crucify Him. Saturday night: He Is Dead. Sunday night: He Is Risen.
We extend to the entire com-

munity an invitation to attend these services. Bring the family and invite your friends. Let us have a great time of spiritual refreshing together.

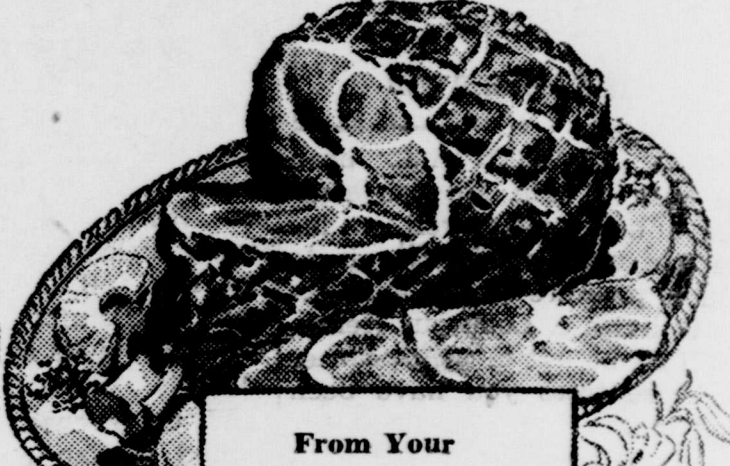
Raymond Van Zandt, Pastor.

DRY LAKE 4-H CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. POWELL APRIL 2

The Dry Lake 4-H club met April 2 with Mrs. Powell, the sponsor. Roll call was answered by "How I care for my shoes." A song was sung before reading of the minutes.

Mrs. Powell gave a very interesting talk on "How to Make a Shoe Rack."

Plans were made to exhibit products made by club girls at the FFA show.



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Garner Appliance Hold Sales Meeting

Lawrence Glenn, Serval sales manager of the Lubbock district, held a sales meeting at the Garner Appliance Co., April 4.

Attending this meeting were about fifteen representatives of the Garner Appliance Company of Post, Stamford, Aspermont, Jayton and Paducah.

A steak dinner was served at the Hill Top Cafe to those attending the meeting.

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Junior and Senior High Observe April 1

It was a gala affair when the variously - costumed students of Junior and Senior high schools went promenading into the gym on April Fool's Day in commemoration of that renowned lass who gave old males another lease on life, Sadie Hawkins.

Mmes. Kelley and Lee's seventh grades, of which the boys dressed as girls and the girls as boys, paraded before judges Martin Pope and Roy Deaver. Those selected or being most deceptive were Jackson Powell and Anita Cunningham of Mrs. Kelley's room; Burl Conway and Pauline McKinney of Miss Lee's room.

In the Senior high division freshmen Neal Chastain and Patsy Hyatt were selected for being typically "kiddish".

Typical Indians of the Sophomores were Pike Robinson and Wynell Degrafenreid.

The best cowpunchers of the Junior class were Donald Gage and Martin Turbifield.

The Seniors, dressed as the hillbilly "Yokums" were kept parading longer than usual because of their interesting costumes. Original plans called for the selection of two from this group as in those preceding, but because of the variety it was decided that four be selected. Hence, the entire "Yokum" family was obtained—including the pig. Jake Commander and Tillie Hill were most representative of "Pappy and Mammy". Jake carried a pig which he sometimes enticed to follow by means of a nipples coke bottle of milk. The honor of being L'il Abner went to James Sharp. Daisy May was portrayed by Jane Brannen.

After this program, everyone went to the stadium to witness the "bike" races and girls ball game. Perhaps arrangements can be made for another race with the contestants being Jane Brannen, Robye Scott, Patty Dupree and Ernestine Berry among the girls; Dickie Wathal, J. D. Williams, A. Z. Hays, Dean Wright and Ernest Roberts among the boys. Each of these won first place in their races on April 1. The Junior girls defeated the Seniors in the ball game 17-3.

One of the outstanding events of the day was the occasion in which the boys were lined up, with the girls about ten feet behind. At the signal—the Sadie Hawkins race took place. Each young lady ran for the man of her choice. He whom she caught had lunch with her. Needless to say we saw much faster running at the track meet in Girard than took place in the Sadie Hawkins race. Dean Wright went over the fence; Jane Brannen went under. Ju Don Rickels, a track man, mind you—was caught by Ann Hull!

At 2 p.m. began that Rotary-High school ball game. Let's forget it. . . . Score 21-9 'favor of high school. Congratulations to students and faculty for the good school system of Spur.

Announcements For Office

The Texas Spur is authorized to announce the following as candidates for nomination to the offices listed, subject to the Democratic primaries in July and August:

For Judge 110th Judicial District:
ALTON B. CHAPMAN
Re-Election
E. H. BOEDEKER

For District Attorney, 110th Judicial District:
JOHN B. STAPLETON
RICHARD F. STOVALL
Re-Election

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector:
E. L. (Elbert) HURST
FRED CHRISTOPHER
Re-Election.
C. C. KIMMEL
CLEO E. ROGERS
W. G. (Red) CAUSEY

For County Judge:
M. (Monroe) B. GAGE
JOHN L. GREEN
A. C. SHARP

For County Treasurer:
MRS. VELA TURPEN

For School Superintendent:
ROBERT WILLIAMS

For County and District Clerk:
E. H. OUSLEY (Re-Election)
L. J. "Jake" VARNELL, Jr.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
BILL (T. J.) WRIGHT
PRESTON CYPERT
K. W. (Willow) STREET
Re-Election.

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 2:
E. J. (Jim) OFFIELD

For Commissioner Precinct No. 3:
MURL FOREMAN
W. H. HINDMAN Re-Election
ARNER WATSON

For Commissioner, Precinct No. 4:
G. (George) C. PIERCE
H. C. (Henry) EDWARDS

For Justice of the Peace, Precinct No. 3:
W. M. MALONE

Capt. and Mrs. V. C. Gillison and Mrs. Clarence Foreman and daughters spent the weekend in Lubbock, as guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Soladay and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hardberger. Joan Foreman remained for a more extended visit. Clarence Foreman drove to Lubbock Sunday to accompany the others home.

Winston Barclay, RM 1-c, returned Sunday to New Orleans after spending a month's leave in Spur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Barclay and brother, Joe Max.

Clyde Walthall, manager of the Safeway store in Spur, was taken to the veterans hospital in Amarillo Tuesday in a Chandler ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gruben and little daughter were Sunday visitors in Royston where they visited Mr. Gruben's mother.

D. R. Thompson who had been ill the past two weeks at the home of his son, Otto Thompson, was taken to his home in Lubbock Monday by a Chandler ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Raul English and daughters were in Haskell Sunday as guests in the homes of their mothers, Mrs. Boothe English and Mrs. W. D. Kemp.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ince received word this week that their son, Sgt. Raymond Ince left Germany April 3 and is due to dock in New York about April 15. Raymond has been with the First Armored division of the army of occupation, leaving the states on September 21, 1945.

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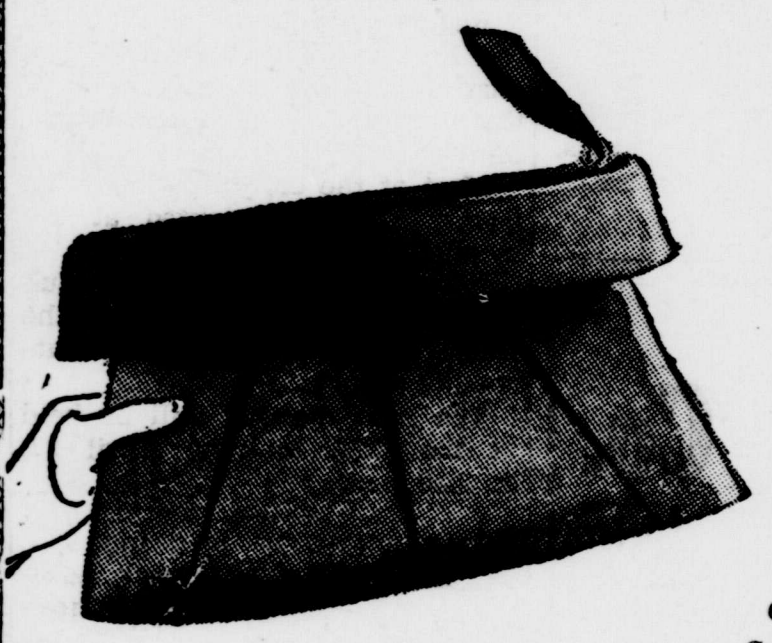


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Society-Club News

Betty Louise Blackwell's Betrothal To Capt. Herbert M. Carr Revealed

The chapel at Randolph Field, San Antonio, Texas, was the scene of the marriage ceremony of Miss Betty Louise Blackwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Blackwell of Girard, and Captain Herbert M. Carr, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Carr, Sr., of Palestine, Texas. The marriage took place on April 5 in the evening.

Chaplain M. D. Felton read the single ring ceremony before an altar banked with lilies of the valley. Palms, ferns and candelabras holding white tapers, formed the background.

Traditional wedding music was played during the ceremony.

The bride wore a dress of charmeuse pure silk, with brown accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of brown orchids.

Carrie Lou Ryan of San Antonio, Texas, attending the bride as maid of honor, wore a brown and white printed silk dress, with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias.

Capt. Robert White of Randolph Field served as best man.

Mrs. Blackwell, mother of the bride, wore a dress of black trimmed with pink, with black accessories and wore a corsage of pink carnations.

A reception followed in the

Officers Club at Randolph Field. Baskets of white stock, snapdragons and gladioli were arranged in the receiving rooms.

The couple left immediately following the reception for a wedding trip.

The bride has been employed as a civil service employee at Randolph Field Pilot School the past year.

Captain Carr attended Southern Methodist university at Dallas, Texas before entering the Army Air Corps. Prior to his assignment at Randolph Field Pilot School, Captain Carr completed a tour of duty in the European theatre of operations as a P-47 pilot.

They plan to make their home in San Antonio, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Cooner left this week for Russell, Kansas to return their grandson, Jimmie Paranto to their home in Spur, where he will make his home in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lowe of Girard were in Spur Saturday, visiting with friends and shopping.

R. C. McMahan of Espuela was a Spur visitor Saturday.

1933 Study Club Has Guest Speaker On Juvenile Delinquency

Mrs. Coy McMahan was hostess to the 1933 Study club Friday afternoon, April 2.

"The Youth of Today" was the subject of an interesting program. Leader, Mrs. L. S. Wilson, introduced George Forrester, pastor of the First Christian church, who was guest speaker, giving a most impressive talk on "Juvenile Delinquency."

Home made ice cream, angel food and chocolate cake was served to the following members: Mmes. C. H. McCully, O. R. Cloud, George Gabriel, Adrian Rickels, L. S. Wilson, C. F. Cook, J. C. Payne and Johnny Koonsman of Dickens. Guests were Mmes. Myrtle Whitwell, Kate Morris, O. L. Hale Thurman Moore, John Starr and Mr. Forrester and the hostess.

Mrs. Golding Hostess To 1925 Bridge Club

Mrs. M. C. Golding was a most charming hostess last Wednesday afternoon to the 1925 Bridge club. The house was beautifully decorated with tulips and other spring flowers, cut from her own gardens.

A lovely plate of chicken salad, pimiento cheese sandwiches, Ritz crackers, a fruit jello dessert, served in a cake ring, topped with a cherry and angel food cake were served.

Mrs. Nellie Davis received high score prize.

Members attending were Mmes. Nellie Davis, Fred Jennings, W. T. Andrews, A. C. Hull, C. L. Love, Carl Proctor, L. D. Ratliff, Cuba White, Cecil Godfrey, Riley Wooten, Eric Swanson, Ed Engleman and Miss Julia Mae Hickman and the hostess, Mrs. M. C. Golding.

1917 Study Club Studies Psychology

Mrs. R. E. Dickson was hostess to the 1917 Study club Tuesday afternoon, April 2, at 3:30 o'clock.

Roll call was answered by "Your peculiar characteristic". The leader, Mrs. J. H. Bowman led a very interesting program.

Mrs. Fred Haile gave a test to tell how grown up one really is.

Mrs. Clyde Bingham gave a talk on the subject, "Kindness Pays Dividends." Mrs. Bingham added personal experiences to back up this subject.

"Fancies That Hold Us Back" was discussed by Mrs. Nellie Davis in a very true to life manner.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

H.D. Council Women Hold Business Meet

Regular business meeting of the Dickens County Home Demonstration Council, was held at the Methodist Round-up Saturday, March 23.

Most of the eleven clubs of the county were represented at the meeting.

Miss Virgie Watley, a 4-H club girl from McAdoo was given the Achievement Award for her outstanding work.

The next meeting will be held at the REA building April 27, at 2:30 p.m.

DAUGHTERS OF THE 1933 STUDY CLUB MET APRIL 3

The Daughters of the 1933 Study club met April 3 in the home of Joyce Williams.

The meeting was called to order by Tillie Hill. There were two new officers installed, Susie Sullivan, vice president and Virginia Shugart, reporter, also eight new members were voted into the club.

They were Nada Jo Fry, Marleen Rogers, Bonnie Beth Henry, Patti Jo Dupree, Marleen Wagner, Vennie Mary Louise and Vera and Vivian Reynolds.

Roll call was answered with, "My Favorite Club Women".

Selected music was played by Jean Arthur, the club collect and junior pledge were read by the group.

THE EXCHANGE CLUB MET IN FLOYD GREEN HOME

The Exchange club met Wednesday, March 27, in the home of Mrs. Floyd Green.

Plans were made for the club anniversary luncheon, which will be April 10.

We were glad to welcome Mrs. W. Flippen as a new member.

Refreshments of home made ice cream and cake were served to Mmes. Mervin Wright, Marion Jordan, Jake Jones, L. R. Barrett, Fred Kinney, B. F. Moore, C. V. Allen, W. Flippen, Wray Carlisle and two guests, Mrs. Vaniver and Mrs. Wallace Barnett and the hostess.

Miss Julia Mae Hickman and Mrs. Eric Swenson were Lubbock visitors last week.

Spec Lunsford of Olney, owner of the Palace theatre, was in Spur Wednesday of last week attending to business and visiting with friends.

Afton H.D. Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Byron Haney

The Afton Home Demonstration club met Wednesday afternoon, April 3, in the home of Mrs. Byron Haney.

Roll call was answered by the naming of a favorite picture and the artist. It was interesting to note that no two people selected the same picture, although, at least one artist had more than one of his paintings named.

Mrs. Ralph Bennett gave a very interesting discussion on the selection and arrangement of pictures, also exhibiting a portfolio of reproductions of paintings of old masters, which provoked a very stimulating round-table discussion.

Mrs. Curtis Goodwin exhibited and discussed the construction of a pillow protector.

At the conclusion of business, a refreshment plate of sandwiches, cookies and punch were served to the following members: Mmes. Ralph Bennett, Curtis Goodwin, Vurl Hinson, Homer Hughes, Gilbert Ragland, Clark Forbis, John Belaska, W. A. Ligon, Ted McInroe, W. A. Avara, Allie Barton, Jim Offield, Frank Forbis, Clayton Bridge and hostess, Mrs. Haney.

Dr. Chase Thompson of San Antonio arrived in Spur Sunday, where he visited in the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Ince over night and to accompany Mrs. Thompson and children to their home in San Antonio. They have been visiting in Spur for the past three weeks. Mrs. Thompson will be remembered as the former Edith Ince.

Bill McArthur from Red Mud was in Spur Friday, attending to business and visiting with friends.

Mrs. Billy Addy is missing from her place at Jones Drug, this week because of illness. We hope at this time she is much improved.

Englemans Entertain Saturday Night Club

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Engleman entertained the Saturday Night Bridge club, Saturday night, April 6, in their new home on West Harris street.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with blue bonnets and other spring flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews were high score winners and received a double deck of Congress playing cards.

Refreshments of strawberry pie ala mode, coffee and salted nuts were served to the following members: Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Wooten, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Swenson, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Elliott and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Engleman.

English Home Scene Of Entertainment

Mr. and Mrs. Raul English were hosts Saturday night to a number of friends.

A delicious salad plate was served after which bridge was played. The rooms were beautifully decorated with peach gladioli, which lent a touch of spring to the atmosphere.

High score was won by Mr. and Mrs. Walter Labay. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Neal Chastain, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Labay, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Holly, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Proctor, Mr. and Mrs. Burford Johnston and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Raul English.

Mr. and Mrs. Fagan of the Home Variety Store, left Tuesday afternoon after receiving word of the death of Mr. Fagan's father, L. C. Fagan of Hawley, Texas. Mr. Fagan died in the Hendrix Memorial hospital in Abilene at the age of 92, April 9. He had been a resident of Hawley for the past 38 years. Funeral arrangements have not been completed.

MRS. RENTON RETURNS FROM LONDON, ENGLAND

Mrs. Nona Starcher left Friday for Abilene, where she will visit her niece, Mrs. Daisy Renton and children.

Mrs. Renton and children arrived in the states March 28 from London, England. Mrs. Renton's husband, Col. Renton is now in Hong Kong where he will be stationed for the next three years.

Mrs. Renton and children expect to remain in the states and will make her home with Mrs. Starcher part of this time.

Mrs. Renton is well known in Spur, as she has visited here a number of times, making interesting talks at Rotary and the various clubs in Spur and Lubbock.

Mrs. Monk Rucker returned from Hobbs, N. M., last week where she visited with her sister.

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Jones Drug Store

Mr. and Mrs. B. Street and daughter, Patsy of Billings, Okla., were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hagins of Gilpin were in town Saturday, visiting with friends and shopping.

Homer Miller of Croton was in town Saturday attending to business.

Mrs. O. W. Young was in Lubbock Thursday of last week, shopping and visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Slaton were in town Saturday from their home on the Dickens highway, shopping and visiting with friends.

Lester Garner of Garner Appliance Co., returned to Spur Friday from Dallas where Mr. Garner was buying stock and attending to other business matters.

Leon Hale, a former resident of Spur, but now of Muleshoe, is seen back at his old stomping grounds at the Clover Farm Store and will remain here several days.

Lee McShann of Brady is in Spur this week attending to business matters. Mr. McShann owns a ranch west of town and other business property in and around the county.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Crow and daughter of Lamesa, visited in the home of Mrs. M. C. Hurst over the weekend.

C. H. Elliott flew to Fort Worth and back Monday on a business trip. Mr. Elliott believes in getting his business attended to in a hurry.

Capt. and Mrs. V. C. Gillison left Wednesday for Lubbock, where they will take a plane to Duluth, Minn., to visit Capt. Gillison's parents for a few days.

Mrs. Fred R. Garrett of Kermit, visited her sister, Mrs. Lloyd Johnson and family the past weekend and attended the funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Johnson.

Carl Proctor returned to Spur Saturday after a trip on his territory and will remain in Spur the next few days with his family, and attending to business matters at Proctor's.

Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Fox and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Lane of Lubbock were guests over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otho Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gruben spent the weekend in Royston with the mother of Mr. Gruben. Mrs. E. Gruben returned home with them for a visit in the W. C. Gruben home.

Mrs. Addie Joe Lott and Mrs. Bud Morrison returned from Dallas last Thursday where they visited in the home of their sister and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Anderson.

We Have With Us

J. D. McCAIN, one of Spur's progressive young business men, was born in Bridgeport, Texas. In the early days of his life, he moved with his parents to Olney, Texas, living there until he moved to Spur in June 1942, to become manager of the Palace and Spur theatres.

J. D., a single man when he moved to Spur, soon met the girl who was later to become his wife, Nell Schreve, who was then an employee of the Palace theatre. They were married in 1943 and there are now two fine boys in the family, Brent Nelson, who is two years of age and a two-

month old baby, Charles Baxter. J.D. is affiliated with the Methodist church, is on the board of directors of the Rotary club, secretary of the K.P. lodge and is chairman of the Red Cross fund campaign.

Mrs. Ben Overstreet of Dickens was shopping in Spur Thursday and greeting friends.

After skipping church the other day we met the minister on the street and he expressed his regrets by saying that it wasn't that he missed the vacant chair, so much as it was the vacant stare.



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The students of S. H. S. were very lavishly entertained with a band concert put on through the Ladies' Aid Society (S. H. S. Band). Jean Arthur acted as Mistress of Ceremonies through the program. The "ladies" were directed by that elegant leader, Professor Stoopnagle (Mr. Pullis). The members of the band, as well as their director, were dressed very fashionably—1890 style. The program was full of jokes (also 1890 style) and musical numbers. Many "here-to-fore" hidden facts, concerning both teachers and the students, were brought to light. All of the students of Spur high school are sending to Professor Stoopnagle and the Ladies' Society a heartfelt thanks for a very enjoyable afternoon.

'cause Gosh! he's so cute, and June Allyson because she has such cute ways!" Ernest Roberts: "Van Johnson and June Allyson. I don't know why except I just like them." Virginia Ruth Shugart: "I like Greer Garson because she's so natural, and Errol Flynn because he's the flashing type." Donna Gene Wright: "Judy Garland and Perry Como because they sing so well!" Deane Wright: "Bud Abbott and Lou Costello because they're funny! No actress appeals to me!" David McAteer: "Van Johnson, I don't know why. And Betty Grable—can't you SEE why?" Susie Sullivan: "Cornell Wilde because he can sing and is real good-looking, and Betty Hutton because she's crazy."

HAVE YOU HEARD?

It's hard to write about the romances up here at S.H.S. 'cause they change so much, but if you promise not to tell a single person I'll tell you a little bit about these spring crushes as they are now. Promise?? O.K. then, here goes — We wonder if there'll ever be an end to the Rickels-Hull romance. Seems like they've been going together since time was!

Gene McCombs and Joyce Williams have found each other at last. Might be the beginning of a beautiful friendship, you know! Ju Ron and Zella enjoy each other's company. Cute couple, isn't it?

Dyess swears it's the Junior Play that's making him fall down in his studies, but I think it's what goes on back-stage. Wow! Donna Gene and Homer are seen together quite frequently now! It's really amazing what Spring can do!

How Jean Arthur does get

around! Lane, James Robert, etc. Girls, what do you think about the boy's new hair-do? Jake Commander just almost overdid it, though, don't you think?

I notice Doris Dell and Eugene have exchanged bracelets again—that's tough luck, kids! Inez was with an old flame Sunday—Kenneth Carlisle!

Joe Max and Mary Olive have some pretty good times together. I heard she was "No. 1" on his list now (But what a list!)

I overheard some say Mac and La Nelle Brashear were cooking up quite a case. What about it, Brannen?

Tillie, you'd better do something about that dog! Byers might get hurt!

Autrey Nell's having the mumps makes it pretty convenient for Mafoi, doesn't it?

What's that we heard about Voneta and Clyde Thompson? Wonder if—

Flash! Girls, we've got to do something about Jake! We just can't let such a cute boy go foot-loose and fancy-free!

By the way, Gollihar, if you'll meet me at (censored) at sunrise, I'll tel lyou pal-to-pal like of an unknown admirer.

Wasn't it a disappointment that the new boy, Bob Gray, couldn't get the subjects he wanted and had to go back? And a cute boy like that could have been such an asset to the Junior class! (Sigh)

Is there anything in this story we hear about Deane and Bert?

ALL IN FUN

Eugene was driving his girl, Doris, through the park one hot summer night when they passed a popcorn stand. "Yum," said Doris. "That popcorn sure smells good."

"Wait a minute," said Eugene generously, "and I will drive up closer so you can get a better whiff of it."

Neal A. went to a party in a brand new suit. When he came home, ragged holes had been cut into it with a pair of scissors. His mother gazed at him in consternation. "What did you do to your beautiful new suit?" she gasped.

"We decided to play grocery store," explained Neal A. "I was a piece of Swiss cheese."

The postal clerk weighed Susie's letter and said, "It's too heavy. You have to put another stamp on it."

"What!" groaned Susie, "and make it even heavier!"

A bore usually has the bit in his teeth.

It's easiest to find fault with your eyes shut.

Some women are the best of friends until they understand each other.

A figure of speech is one worth talking about.

Mary Olive: I wonder if he really loves me?

Mafoi: Of course, why should he make you an exception

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(1) The said partnership is to be conducted under the name, firm and style of the "TEXAS SPUR, Ltd."

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Junior High Wins In District Meet

The boys and girls of Junior High feel proud to acknowledge the following winners in the meet held last Friday at Girard.

Declamation: Annette Lee, Charles Lee.

Spelling: Jackie Cloud and Paulita Karr, 5th and 6th grade. Arithmetic: Carolyn Hays and Charles Lee.

Spelling: Robbie Gibson and Annette Lee, 7th and 8th grade. Ready-writers: Annette Lee.

Track and Field

440—Clayton Cantrell, Joe King and Joe Bailey Whitner.

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Local Teachers Help In District Meet

At the Interscholastic League meet held at Girard last Friday several teachers took part.

A. Z. Hays, and Misses Rena and Florine Noack acted as judges for ready-writers. Robert Williams was in charge of arithmetic; Miss Smith conducted the spelling.

Mrs. Kelly conducted the ready-writers contest while Miss Lee judged one act plays, debate and extemporaneous speaking.

Junior High Play Day April 1

The different classes in Junior High observed April Fool's Day by picnicing and observing the Rotary while playing baseball.

The different classes under supervision of their sponsors, prepared picnic lunches and after different forms of recreation, spread the lunches in picnic style.

The seventh grade observed the custom of dressing as some special group. These boys and girls chose to dress as the opposite sex.

Burrell Conway and Jack Powell were the best dressed girls. Pauline McKinney and Anita Cunningham were the best dressed boys.

Prizes were given these couples. Everyone had a lot of fun and each fellow retained vitamins in the form of blisters as souvenirs.

Regional Meet April 18

The Regional Meet will be held at Texas Tech at Lubbock on April 18.

The following contestants will take part: Declamation, Annette Lee and Charles Lee. Ready-writers, Annette Lee. Spelling, Paulita Karr and Jackie Cloud. Mental arithmetic, Charles Lee and Carolyn Hays.

Spur hopes to win the meet.

Deaver, McGinty Read Poems

Thursday at one o'clock the seventh grades had two people to read poems to Junior High. They were Mrs. O. M. McGinty and Roy Deaver.

Mrs. McGinty read "Annabelle Lee" by Edgar Allan Poe, "O Captain My Captain" by Walt Whitman, "Sneezles", "Brinker" and "The King's Breakfast" by A. A. Milne, "The Girl I Used To Be" and "A Prayer for Woman-kind" by Grace Noll Crowell, "High Flight" by John G. Magee, Jr., "Us Twins" author unknown and "The Whistle" author unknown.

Mr. Deaver read "Massa In the Cold, Cold Ground" by Stephen F. Foster, "Seein' Things" and "Little Boy Blue" by Eugene Field, "It" by Kipling and "In Schooldays" by Whittier. Mr. Deaver also read two selections in Italian dialect.

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and also wears the Presidential Citation.

He expects to enter school in the fall. Mr. and Mrs. Bankston left this week for Waco, where they will visit Mrs. J. W. Bankston, mother of Corporal Bankston, for about ten days.

Social Security

Owing to unavoidable circumstances, John D. Palmer, social security manager, was unable to be in Spur April 11, as previously announced and it will not be possible for him to be in Spur until his next regularly scheduled trip, which will be May 16.

Simmons Opens Welding Business

Henry Simmons who has been employed by the Spur Creamery the past two years, has again opened a business of his own. He has opened welding business again in his building on North Willard street. He is equipped to do all types of electric and acetylene welding, both at his place of business and out of town. He also will do all kinds of mechanical work. Calvin Simmons, a son, who has recently received his release from the navy, will be associated with his father. For the past three years he has been a welder in the navy.

We welcome them back into business and know they will do well as they are both experts in their field.

Victory Singing Convention At Girard April 21

The three county Victory Singing Convention will meet the third Sunday in April, at 10:30 a. m. for an all day singing and basket dinner in the high school auditorium in Girard, R. E. Beaver reports.

The convention is expecting singers from Kent, Stonewall and Dickens counties to be present. T. D. McKinney will be there with his trained quartet, also the Camel quartet and the Stamps all star quartet are to be present.

The ladies are asked to bring well filled baskets for the occasion which will begin at 10:30 a. m., April 21.

Troop 36 of Scouts Hold Court of Honor

A Court of Honor for Scout Troop 36, was held at the Methodist Round Up April 9.

James Fox presented the Tenderfoot Badge of Honor to: Collin Reese, James Thomas, Charles Russell, Glene Cherry, Mack Driggers, Bobbie Galliger, Elmo Beadle and Glenn Glass.

First Class, presented by Cecil Fox—Darvin Callihan, Billy Hoover and Bobby Wright.

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Card of Thanks

We take this means of thanking each and every one who helped with the plowing last Monday. We also thank the ladies who were so nice to help serve lunch. It was indeed greatly appreciated and all other courtesies since the illness we have had in our family. Thanks again, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Faulkner and Sandra.

Mrs. T. W. Woodson of Girard, Mrs. Ivey and son Merel Ivey of Haskell, were visitors in the W. C. Gruben home last week. Mrs. Ivey and Mrs. Woodson are sisters of Mrs. Gruben.

CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 98.778 miles of Seal Coat From Cottle C.L. to Guthrie: From 1 mile south of Guthrie to Stonewall C.L.: From Hwy. 70 south of Dickens to US 82 west of Dickens: From Crosby C.L. to Dickens: From Dickens to 9.1 mi. east: From 9.1 miles east of Dickens to King C.L.: From Dickens C.L. to Guthrie: From Guthrie to Knox C.L.: From Good Creek Road west 3.2 miles on Highway No. US 83, Loop 120, US 82 & US 70, covered by Controls C 32-5-8, C 32-6-5, C 106-13-2, C 131-6-17, C 132-1-5, C 132-2-8, C 132-3-7, C 133-1-12, C 146-4-10, in King, Dickens and Foard County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A.M., April 25, 1946, and then publicly opened and read.

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 3 for each craft or type of "Laborer," "Workman," or "Mechanic" employed on this project.

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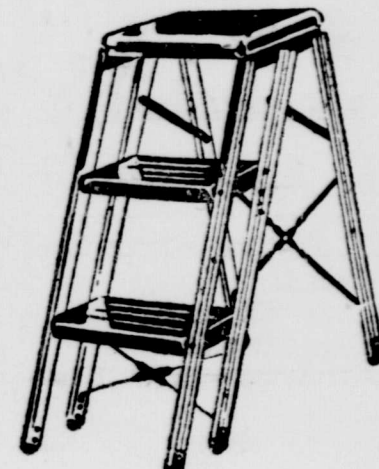
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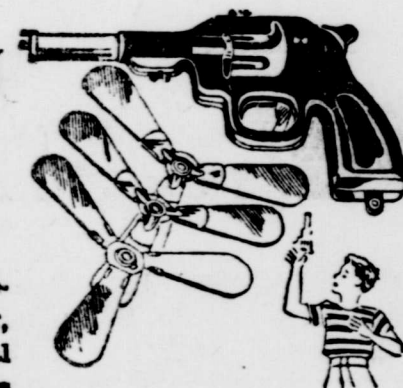
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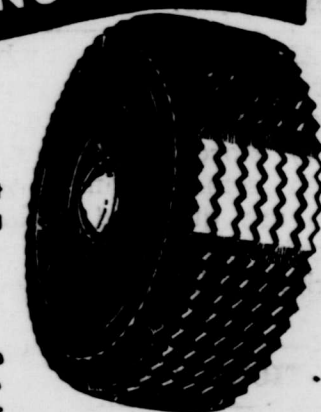
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Swiss holiday; New Ambassador to Russia; Hoover in Europe; Last voyage envoy; Capitol blossoms out; New Jap clean-up; Navy carrier invades Arctic; UNO Security Council starts session in New York.

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FOR SALE—Real Estate

FOR SALE—Two houses for sale; to be moved. One of the best farms in Dickens County, priced right. Two 4-room houses, well located for sale. I am now in my new location on East Harris Leonard Joplin. 24-tfe

FOR SALE—400 acres grass located just three miles from Spur. A well of good drinking water, good fences. Own a ranch and live in town. Here is your chance. O. L. Kelley, Spur, Texas. 24-2tc

FOR SALE—3 room house, lot, good barn, chicken house, all under fence. \$2,250.00. Fannie Feaster, Spur. 24-4tx

FOR SALE—12 lots, price \$150 each. Nice location. On Clarity street, off West Harris Inquire Byron Jenkins Barber Shop, upstairs by City Drug. 24-1tc

FOR SALE—One 7 room house with two baths. See W. P. Shurgart. 24-1tc

FOR SALE—6 rooms, bath and hall, near the east ward school. -2,500.00 down payment, the remainder \$21.00 month. Ranch 1600, six miles south of Spur. Plenty of water. House, 4 rooms and bath, pavement, \$3,800.00. See Nona Starcher. 23-tfc

FOR SALE—Choice lots, 65x130 at a price you can afford. Let us show you these desirable lots in the Gabriel Addition.—George Gabriel. 15-tfe

FOR SALE—5-room house, 2 baths, garage, 2 lots, large screened porch, floor furnace, new paper, paint, hot water heater, a lovely home, ready to move into. Will sell furnished; in Garner addition.—Mrs. Chas. Fox, call 274. 17-tfe

FOR SALE—Livestock
FOR SALE—2 pure bred Chester White boars, subject to registration. Raymond Powell, Route 1, Spur. 23-2tx

FOR SALE—Sweet Sudan seed, cane seed, 1 W.W. hammer mill, 1 feeder, milk cow, 2 registered Hereford bulls. Robert Reynolds. 23-4tx

FOR SALE or TRADE—20 head Jersey heifers. Will trade for bulls or dry cows. A square deal. that's our motto. W. B. McIver, Route 1. 23-4tx

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FOR SALE—'41 Ford pickup, John Deere planter. Both in good condition. Floyd Green, Bryant-Link Co. 24-2tx

FOR SALE—32 volt Jacobs electric wind charger, first class condition. A bargain. C. C. Haile, Afton. 24-2tx

FOR SALE—Heavy duty stock trailer. Good condition. 6 ply tires. O. W. Young, Wilson Lumber Co. 24-1tx

FOR SALE—Windmill and tower; some 2 inch pipe and 4 inch casing. Priced for quick sale. Robert Williams, Box 611. 24-1tx

FOR SALE—One 1940 Ford radiator. One reconditioned Ford V-8 motor. Thurmond Moore Garage. Phone 59. 23-2tx

FOR SALE—Storm proof cotton seed at Hoarding Springs Gin. See J. F. Hardin. 23-31-x

FOR SALE—Storm proof Macha cotton seed been re-cleaned, run two years. Joe Kidd, Rt. Box 117. 22-4tx

FOR SALE—150 bu. Highbred cotton seed, 1.50 bu. S. C. Thomas. R 2, Spur, Texas. t 21-4x

FOR LEASE—RT-7 Caterpillar tractor and 66 grader. 15% of gross take.

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WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—Work of any kind. W. H. Anderson. See at Frank Stewart place.

WANTED—Will take long lease on furnished or unfurnished house or apartment. See Mrs. Gray at Texas Spur.

WANTED—Veteran who is interested in government GI "on the job" training in good variety store. Prefer married man with some business experience. We are qualified under government training program. See or write T. E. Milam, Spur, Texas. 24-1tc

NOTICES—Special

LOST—Wednesday, March 27, hound, spotted hip with scar on right flank. Finder bring to Bill McClung, Spur, Texas. 24-1tx

I will buy your cattle, fat or stockers. For any kind of deal see W. B. McIver, Route 1, Spur. 23-4tx

In Nacogdoches, Texas, the tornado wrecked the house but left intact a bowl of eggs, on the kitchen cabinet.

Leo Peters, Former Creamery Employee Develops Container

A revolutionary new package for oleomargarine that is expected to stimulate market of the food product has been developed in Chicago, it was learned recently. Using the new package, margarine may be colored without removing it from the container, thus overcoming one of the principal objections to the product in the past.

The container was developed and patented by Leo Peters, a former Spur resident and employee of the Spur Creamery. He is now a resident of Chicago and is with the firm of Harris, Hall and Co., Inc.

Mr. Peters, before the war, was employed in the commercial research department of a Chicago margarine maker. In studying the marketing of oleo, he decided that the coloring disadvantage was the principal factor to be overcome for more successful selling of the product.

He experimented with his present device, to which his employer relinquished all rights. Patents on the package were obtained in 1944.

Bulldogs In Second Week of Training

The Spur Bulldogs are in their second week of Spring football practice under Coach O. C. Warden, who played fullback on the Ranger High school team. He graduated from Texas A&M in 1939, playing guard on the Texas Aggie team.

Warden announced the 1946 Bulldog schedule, with open dates yet to be filled. Opening September 13, with Haskell at Haskell and concluding November 28, which is Thanksgiving, with Floydada at Spur.

Approximately 46 boys have turned out for Spring practice.

Coach Warden, a veteran, is married and has one daughter, Marilyn, age three and one-half his family here.

The Bulldogs work out each afternoon from 2:30 to 4 o'clock.

years. Due to the housing situation, he has been unable to move. The public is welcome to watch these workouts.

Thursday, May 2, there will be an inter-squad exhibition game, this being the closing blast of the Bulldogs Spring training.

The public and fans are invited to turn out and see this battle, which will be free to the public.

The Bulldog schedule:

- Sept. 13: Haskell at Haskell.
- Sept. 27: Petersburg at Petersburg.
- Oct. 4: Hamlin at Spur.
- Oct. 11: Matador at Matador.
- Oct. 18: Ralls at Ralls.
- Oct. 25: Lockney at Spur.
- Nov. 1: Crosbyton at Crosbyton.
- Nov. 8: Open.
- Nov. 15: Paducah at Spur.
- Nov. 22: Open.
- Nov. 28: Floydada at Spur.

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Mrs. Floyd Adams was in Spur Saturday from her home north of town, shopping and visiting with friends.

Dr. M. H. Brannen and Cuba White left Saturday for Possum Kingdom Dam, where they will enjoy a few days fishing.

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Ripe Olives Large Stone 7 1/2-Oz. Can 25c
Pickles Magic Cut Sour or Dill 24-Oz. Jar 33c
Del Monte Tomato Catsup 14 oz. bot. 22c
Dried Prunes Cello Pack 3-Lb. Pkg. 39c
Sweet Peas Highway Extra Std. No. 2 Can 14c
Tomatoes Extra Standard No. 2 Can 13c
Wax Beans Eureka, Extra Standard, Cut No. 2 Can 13c
Corned Beef Hash Armour 16 Oz. 23c
Peanut Butter 1-lb. jar 25c
Coffee Admiration 1-Lb. Tin 33c
Airway Coffee 2 1-Lb. Pkg. 41c
Nob Hill Coffee 1-Lb. Pkg. 23c
Canterbury Tea 1/4-Lb. Pkg. 22c
Corn Meal Mummy Low 5-Lb. Bag 27c
Favorite Matches 4-Box Crts. 23c

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Fresh Catfish Small Whole Lb. 59c
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Filletts Perch or Codfish Lb. 47c
Pickles Heinz Sour Each 2c
Beef Stew Short Ribs Lb. 17c
Hamburger Fresh Ground Lb. 24c
Sausage Pure Pork Bulk, Type 1 Lb. 33c
Luncheon Spiced Meat Lb. 48c
Frankfurters Skin-less Lb. 32c
Lunch Meat Assorted Loaves Lb. 29c
Cooked Salami Sliced Lb. 33c

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Winesap Apples Washington Lb. 14c
Yellow Squash or White Lb. 8c
Carrots Texas Tender 2 Bun. 9c
White Onions Texas Lb. 10c
Potatoes Red Triumph 10-Lb. Bag 55c

NEW POTATOES Texas 4 Lbs. 25c
GREEN BEANS Fresh Texas Lb. 19c

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CRACKERS Fine Quality Crisp, Crunchy 1-Lb. Box 15c

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