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RED CROSS SETS \$75,000,000 GOAL TO FINANCE ITS WORK

Washington, D. C. February 24, (AP)—The American Red Cross through 2,000,000 volunteer workers will ask the American people to subscribe \$75,000,000 to carry on its far-reaching program for the fiscal year 1948-49.

Actually, a budget of \$97,000,000 will be required for the combined service programs of the national organization and its 3,751 chapters during 1948-49. President Basil O'Connor said, but application of approximately \$22,000,000 from uncommitted surplus makes it possible to hold the campaign objective to \$75,000,000. This is 4,000,000 less than the amount subscribed during 1947 appeal.

"While the Red Cross will be able to reduce general operating costs in some activities next year," Mr. O'Connor said, "the organization is faced with increasing demands in other Red Cross endeavors."

As an illustration of increasing service requirements, Mr. O'Connor pointed out that prior to World War 2 Red Cross services for veterans and their families were extended to less than 150,000 persons. "Today," he said, "there are approximately 18,000,000 veterans, a substantial number who require the service and assistance of the Red Cross."

"Disaster relief provides another example. Red Cross must be prepared for all catastrophes. During 1947 approximately \$11,000,000 was allocated for disaster aid to over 300,000 persons. This departed our national disaster reserve fund, which must be replenished."

An entirely new activity to be financed through the 1948 fund, Mr. O'Connor added, is the ARC's national blood program. This may take five years to become fully operative throughout the nation. Some 20 or 30 major blood centers are scheduled to open in 1948 he said, and as rapidly as possible other centers will be established. Mobile units will be used to collect blood in outlying communities.

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Among Our Friends

Believe it or not, the little towns have a touch not found in the city. For instance you walk down the street, you see that tall Mr. Bill McArthur, you can't help it he stands above the crowd, not only in his six feet two, but in his friendly attitude and good qualities exemplified by men of West Texas.

Going across the street you observe A. C. Hull, Tom Milam, and Carl Proctor in a huddle talking shop and attempting to sell each other their wares. This trio enjoy a David and Jonathan friendship.

Around the corner you may find Mrs. Nona Starcher, supposedly selling insurance but in all probability talking politics, that lady has a yen for politics as keen as an old Democrat from the "Deep South."

More than likely you will encounter Charlie Applegate in Bell's cafe partaking of his usual cup of coffee and spinning a good yarn in his droll manner.

The chances are you will see Dr. Malcolm Brannen sauntering around town talking with friends in his soft southern voice.

In the afternoon around four o'clock you will find Mrs. Pauline Clemons and Mrs. John King, enjoying their traditional rick in the Red Froat.

Before you reach your destination you will very likely meet Jack Godfrey chattering fourth, it is being rumored by way of the "Grapevine" that he is going to retire, but in our wildest flights of fancy we can't imagine Mr. Godfrey keeping still and "growing old gracefully."

New Arrival In Winkler Family

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Winkler of Spur, have announced the arrival of a son, Michael Lin, born in Friday morning, February 20, in the Crosbyton General Hospital. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Winkler of Dickens and Mrs. J. W. Gunn of Girard.

Shugart's Studio Opens Here Monday, March 1

Shugart's Studio, under management of Seebe Shugart, will open here Monday, March 1. Everyone in and around Spur is familiar with the Shugart family and their photographic work. The last time they were here months ago, they were located on the lot between the Palace Theatre building and the West Texas Utilities in their Trailer Studio. Their new location will be in an office located over Proctor's store, and early appointments are urged as the opening special (notice ad in this week's issue) is for a short time only.

Mrs. H. V. Johnson, was carried by Chandler ambulance to Matador, Wednesday of this week where she entered the Stanley hospital for medical attention.

ROTARY INTERNATIONAL OBSERVING ANNIVERSARY

The Rotary Club of Spur today celebrated the 43rd anniversary of the founding of the international Rotary organization at the Club's regular meeting.

In tracing the growth of Rotary, President Spencer Campbell said:

"The first Rotary Club in the world was organized in Chicago, Illinois, on February 23, 1905. Paul P. Harris, a young lawyer, suggested the idea to a group of his friends and with them organized the Club. It was called the Rotary Club, because their first meetings were held in various rooms, in the offices of the various members."

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Spur High School Students Honored By Invitation To Canyon

We feel it is no small honor that has been bestowed on members of the Spur High School Band and with great pride we list the following pupils who have been selected from this group to play in the All Star Clinic Band in Canyon February 27: Misses Lucy Nell Boothe, Clarinet; Ernestine Boothe, Clarinet; and Creola Rector, Bass Clarinet; and John Berry Horn.

These players were selected by M. J. Newman, director of the West Texas State College Buffalo Band, through recommendations of Spur's director, Henry Goldwire.

The Fifth Annual High School Band Clinic sponsored by West Texas State College will attract between 700 and 800 high school musicians.

Former Gov. W. P. Hobby Will Direct Texas Cancer Control Fund Campaign During April

Houston.—Former Gov. W. P. Hobby, publisher of the Houston Post, has been selected state chairman of the 1948 fund campaign of the American Cancer Society.

His appointment was announced by Frank C. Smith of Houston, president of the Cancer Society—Texas Division.

Gov. Hobby will head a month-long drive for funds with which to carry on the Society's program of research, education, and service.

The campaign will open April 1, since April has been designated by an act of Congress as Cancer Control Month and thus is the official annual time for the American Cancer Society's fund gathering.

Governor of Texas during World War I, Gov. Hobby was executive officer at a time when woman suffrage became legal in the state, free textbooks were first furnished for school children, financial aid was given to rural schools, and a state budget system was first set up.

His newspaper career began with the Houston Post-Dispatch when he was 17—and when he worked with a reporter who later became famous as O. Henry. After serving as governor and as publisher of the Beaumont Enterprise, he returned to the Houston Post, as it is now called.

Gov. Hobby is an active civic leader and presently serves as chairman of the Houston Chamber of Commerce Highway Committee.

He is a thirty-second degree Mason and a Shriner. His memberships in civic and social organizations include the Houston Country Club, the Bayou Club, and the Houston Club.

An organization is being set up in every part of Texas with district and county chairmen directing the work leading up to the April campaign. Wallace Andrews of Houston has been named campaign director.

LIONS CLUB HEARS REPORT OF EUROPEAN CONDITIONS

Spur Lions, their ladies and guests were very fortunate at the Tuesday evening meeting in having the pleasure of hearing Miss Dorothy Willett, of Matador, guest speaker of the evening on conditions in Europe during her sojourn in the service of the American Red Cross for several months.

Miss Willett is young, talented, and a very intelligent speaker bringing to her audience a brief and concise report on the condition of the people, their likes and dislikes and other data pertaining to the occupation of Europe by troops in occupied zones.

Miss Willett explained, when the German was very anxious to learn if the United States was to keep them up, since Germany had surrendered. In other countries of Sweden and Switzerland no need for aid was foreseen since these two countries were neutral during the war and were not in bad shape at all. Financially, Miss Willett was high in her praise for England and France, stating that England had been harder hit than any of the countries and that the people had sacrificed more than any others.

France, Miss Willett explained was strictly a black market country and would continue to be for some time.

Miss Willett was accompanied to Spur by her parents, Lion and Mrs. Willett, who were guests of the Spur club.

A barbecue buffet luncheon was served to approximately 100 Lions and their guests, the luncheon was the outcome of the recent membership drive, with the losing team complimenting the winners with a feed which was enjoyed by everyone attending.

Matador Publisher Will Make Good Mayor

Douglas Meador, publisher of the Matador Tribune has announced as a candidate for Mayor of that hustling little city.

Doug, as he is known throughout the ranch country of our fair state, is a typical Texan and one of Texas best newspaper men and citizen. Lean and lanky, a philosopher and a poet of the range lands, a true friend and a really likeable cuss to all who know him.

Doug says that he has no incidence other than his little two-by-four newspaper, which in our opinion, is one of the cleanest and best edited weekly newspapers in Texas "bar none."

The people of the little city of Matador will do well to elect as their mayor, Douglas Meador, and poet. Here's wishing you best of luck Doug and trusting you will make Matador as fine a mayor as you have been a publisher.

CLYDE WALTHALL ATTENDING SCHOOL IN DALLAS

Clyde Walthall, manager of the Safeway Store, left Sunday for Dallas. He is attending the Safeway School, which all employees are required to attend once a year.

Mr. Walthall will return to Spur, Friday.

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Funeral Services Are Held Here Monday For Business Man

Funeral services for Homer Alexander Boothe, who died very suddenly Monday February 23, at his home in Spur, were held Wednesday afternoon at 2:00 P. M. in the Church of Christ, with pastor Frank L. Cox, assisted by Rev. C. N. Gilbert, officiating.

Mr. Boothe was born May 18, 1885, in Clay County, Texas, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Boothe. He came to Dickens County in 1912, located in Spur where he was married to Miss Dora Odensal in 1914, where they established their first home and raised two sons to manhood, Larry and Julian. Mrs. Dora Boothe preceded Mr. Boothe in death in 1932, and Julian, was killed in action over France in 1944.

At the age of 17, he was united with the Church of Christ of which he was a consistent attendant. He was married to Mrs. Hazel Campbell of Lubbock, in 1945.

He was well known in business circles, having been employed with the Gulf Oil Corporation for almost thirty years, was one of the first men in this section to have the Gulf Oil agency. About three years ago he received a certificate of award for 27 years of meritorious service.

His honesty and uprightness in his business contacts, his business associates became his friends.

He was a good husband, devoted father, and loyal friend. Spur and the surrounding communities are grieved at his passing.

Survivors include his wife, one son and daughter-in-law, Larry Boothe and wife of Lubbock; two daughters, Margie Lou, and Melba Lee Campbell of Spur; two brothers Preston and Garvie Boothe of Spur; two sisters, Mrs. R. E. Jones of Lubbock, Mrs. L. M. Randall of Fort Worth; two half sisters Grace and Jean Boothe of Spur.

Funeral services were held at the Chandler Funeral Home, in charge of arrangements. Interment was in the Spur cemetery.

Out of town relatives in attendance for the Boothe rites were, Mrs. Scoggins, Mrs. Fuell, and Mrs. Jones of Amarillo; R. E. Jones and family, Mrs. William Bunting, and Miss Emma Douglas of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Randall, Bill Muri Randall, and Joe Atkinson of Fort Worth; Mrs. J. E. Reams and daughter, Mr. Sidney Reams of Plainview; Mr. Lynn Reams of Memphis; Mrs. Opal Roberts, Mrs. Riley Hogan of Shallowater; Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Cooper of Tahoka; and Noel Boothe and son Melvin, Lamesa.

NEW ARRIVAL

Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Sullivan of Washington, D. C. are announcing the birth of a son, John Erian, on February 7, Mrs. Ed Lisenby is the maternal grandmother. Mrs. Sullivan is the former Miss June Lisenby of Spur.

FEDERAL SOCIAL SECURITY PROGRAM HAS 8,500 EMPLOYEES IN 8 COUNTIES

Over 8,500 workers are employed in the eight county area including: Colte, Crosby, Dickens, Floyd, Garza, Hale, King, and Motley, on jobs covered by the federal social security program, Ray L. Miller, Dallas regional director of the Department of Commerce reported today. The report made public by the Department of Commerce reveals the annual payroll in the 8 counties covered by social security taxes amounts to \$8,500,000.

The figures do not include non-taxable wages nor do they include wages drawn by workers in industries or occupations outside the social security law. (Taxable wages under the old-age and survivors insurance program are limited to the first \$3,000 which a worker received in a year from any one employer in covered industries.)

The report was the first made available on social security tax data broken down in detail by states and counties. Mr. Miller said the basic data presented in the bulletins are of prime value in deriving and analyzing market potentials and sales quotas, in the measurement of efficiency and effectiveness of sales operation and advertising efforts, and in the planning of sales territories.

In Texas 1,224,135 workers are employed in jobs covered by social security. The total payroll in the state from which social security taxes are drawn amounts to nearly \$2,250,000,000 a year.

The statistics were compiled as a joint project by the Department of Commerce, Federal Security Agency, U. S. Employment Service and other interested government agencies. The information was taken from social security tax reports by 2,254,445 American employers in 1946.

Throughout the nation almost 31,000,000 workers are employed on jobs which fall under the social security law. Their payroll, from which taxes were deducted in 1946, amounted to more than \$65 billion dollars.

Of 1190 employers in the 8 counties making reports for social security tax purposes, only 3 had more than 100 employees from which the tax was deducted, and only 11 had more than 500 employees. 1087 employers or 97 percent of the total had fewer than 20 employees.

The reports may be consulted by businessmen, at the field offices of the Department of Commerce and at business libraries.

BULLDOG FIVE LOSES TO FLOYDADA IN FINAL GAME

Floydada's Whirlwind quintet blasted the Spur Bulldogs hopes for a trip to Canyon in district play last Saturday night at the Matador court by a score of 58-40, to take over complete charge of second place in the district and a trip to Canyon with the Ralls Jackrabbits, district champions of 3A.

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Honored By Lingerie Shower

The home of Mrs. Dan Shaw, East Harris, was the scene of a lingerie shower, February 14th, honoring Miss Ethel Hyatt of Dickens, bride-elect of Basil Smith of San Angelo, Texas.

Hostess for the occasion was Mrs. Tommy Conway, who presided at the bride's book and Valentine "wish cards." She was assisted by Mrs. Dan Shaw at the punch bowl and Mrs. G. C. Pierce at gift display.

A valentine scheme was carried out in the table decorations and plate favors. Red and white carnations centered on a red and white heart were used as a centerpiece.

Refreshments consisted of jelly salad, heart shaped cookies, minis, open-faced sandwiches, and punch.

Guests calling or sending gifts were: Louise Bateman, Jackie Jackson, Minnie Pearl Stubblefield, Shirley Pierce, Hattie Stubblefield, Ella Earl Hyatt, Loneta Starrett, Bobbie Stanley, Gerline Stanley, Peggy Koonsman, Doris Ann Chambers, Mary Ruth Nichols, Nonale Bachman, Frances Staker, Alva Corby, Janice Dixon. And the hostess Mary Ann Conway, and co-hostesses Ava Pierce and Birdie Shaw.

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Speer and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil H. Meadors, Mrs. Jeff Green, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Edwards, of Dickens; Dr. and Mrs. T. H. Blackwell and Ned and Mrs. Eric Foster, of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Smith, Mrs. Minnie L. Smith, and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Green of Roaring Springs; Mrs. W. Y. Higgins, Mr. & Mrs. R. P. Moore, Randall Whitworth, W. J. Whitworth, C. W. Giesche and Douglas Meador, of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hunter of Turkey; Mrs. Irene Kuskendall of Quitaque, and the following from Flomott: Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Tanner, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hines, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Monk and Don, Rosella and Beryle; Bernice and Weldon Gates, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Jones and Francis, Frank Fisher, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stapleton, Winfred Joe Webb, Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Lee and Raymond.

BUTANE CONSUMERS WARNED TO DOUBLE STORAGE TANKS

Austin, February 24.—If Texas is to avert a recurrence of its butane gas shortage, the present indicated butane storage facilities will have to be more than doubled before next winter, William J. (Bill) Murray, Jr., chairman of the Governor's Emergency Fuel Commission, warned Tuesday.

The present indicated potential of home storage facilities for the state is a little more than 52,000,000 (M) gallons, he said. He recommended that if the state is to avoid another crisis in its supply of butane fuel, this amount must be increased by approximately 75,000,000 (M) gallon before next winter.

However, Murray pointed out in his statement that the figures, the result of a recent survey by the commission, were incomplete. "They are the best we have at present, and all of them are subject to revision," he said.

Murray urged an allocation of 65,000 tons of steel which, he said, would be required to fabricate sufficient storage to prevent another serious shortage next winter.

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Former Citizen Of Spur, Dies In Graham Buried Here

Funeral services for Joseph Douglas Elkins, 75, who died Saturday February 21, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Dot Dickerson of Graham, were held in the First Methodist church of Spur, Monday morning February 23, with Rev. L. L. Hill reading the last rites.

The deceased was born in Hill County December 17, 1873, was the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Elkins. He lived his entire life in Texas, was married to Miss Margaret Elizabeth Gilliland July, 1897, in Hill Co. Eight children were born to this union. He came to Spur in 1921 where he has lived until three years ago, when due to ill health he moved to Graham, Texas where he was living at the time of his death.

He was well known in Spur, where he leaves many friends to regret his passing.

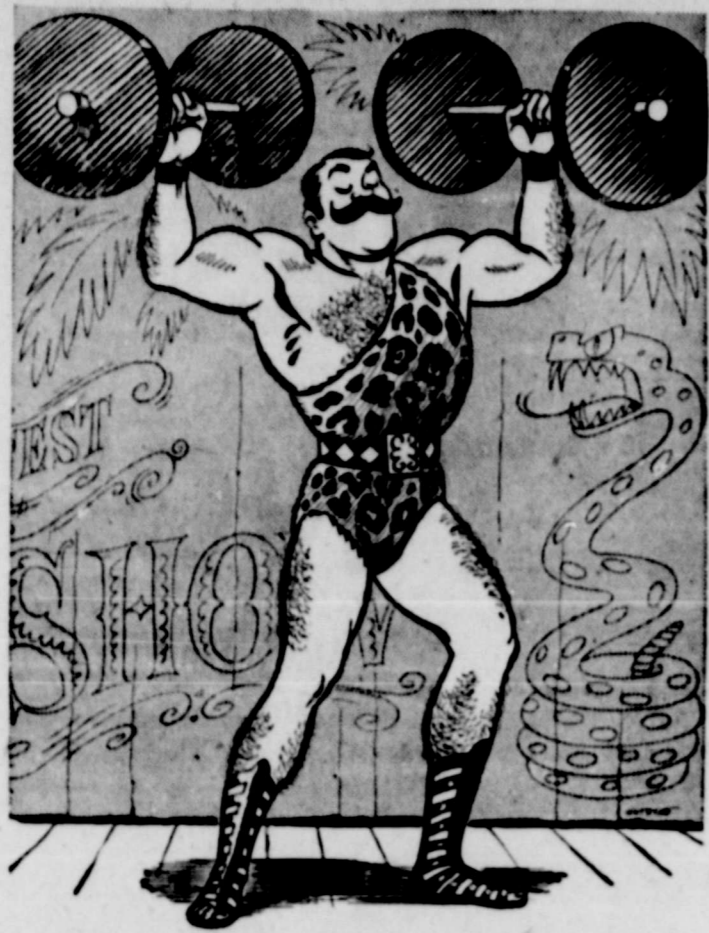
Survivors are his wife, five sons, C. D. Elkins, Breckenridge, Blanton Elkins, Wichita Falls, T. C. Elkins, Spur, W. C. Elkins, Gordon, W. W. Elkins, Lubbock; three daughters, Mrs. George George, Wichita Falls, Mrs. Minnie Brown, New Castle, and Mrs. Dot Dickerson, Graham; three sisters, Mrs. Robert Tucker, Pampa, Mrs. C. A. Chesnut, Strawn, and Mrs. D. B. Ince of Spur, also twenty-three grandchildren, and fourteen Great-Grandchildren.

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West Texas Utilities Company

Mrs. Lucy Cowan and daughter of Lubbock, were visitors in Spur, Monday.

Mrs. George Lisenby spent the week end visiting her sisters, Mr. Frank Terry in Longworth, and Mrs. Kidd Waddell in Roby.

There are 8 columns to the page of most newspapers.

Reverend James Hardison spent Sunday afternoon and evening in Abilene.

H. T. Hyatt has been on a visit to see his sister Mrs. William Farmer and her husband in Las Cruces, New Mexico, and various points in old Mexico.

Wilburn Brasher, who is attending a business college in Lubbock, spent the week-end in Spur with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Brasher.

Mr. and Mrs. Gramer of Panhandle, were guests of Miss Dorothy Love over the week end.

VA Will Move To New Offices

Removal of the West Texas Veterans administration regional office from Lubbock Army Air field to its new office building at 1000-24 Nineteenth street will be started Wednesday, according to the announcement Saturday of Robert W. Sisson, regional manager.

The regional office will be in full operation in its new quarters on Monday, March 1, but the official opening will not be held until March 19, he said.

On that date, he added, an open house to which the public will be invited will be held in connection with dedicatory ceremonies.

The chamber of commerce, assisting in preparation for the open house, announced the appointment of the following committee to be in charge of arrangements for the program:

H. L. Allen, C. A. Hubbard, F. W. Groce, A. C. Jackson, Chas. Whitacre, Glen Hess, Louis Murfee, W. C. Wood, H. D. Woods, George S. Berry, Earl B. Collins, T. A. Everheart, Carl Smith and W. H. McDonald. All are representatives of veterans' organizations.

Sisson said that VA services to West Texas veterans will not be interrupted during the five days required for the removal. The moving, he explained, will be done one division at a time, with only a few hours being required for each job.

Contact services will be maintained at LAAF, where the office has been located for 21 months, and in room 202 of the downtown Federal building until the close of business Friday afternoon, he added.

Cottonseed Shows Drop In January

January receipts of cottonseed at Texas mills dropped 62 per cent from December. The University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reported.

January receipts were 157 per cent above January 1947.

The Bureau's seasonally-adjusted index of cottonseed crushed rose 10 per cent to reach 108. (Base: 1935 - 39 - 100.) January crushings of 148,202 tons were 2 per cent below December, but 75 per cent above a year earlier.

Stocks on hand January 31 totaled 367,550 tons, 21 per cent below December 31, but were 232 per cent above year-ago figures.



KITCHEN MEMO

You'll need to serve more fish during Lent. Add this easy-to-prepare Salmon Casserole to your fish recipes file. Drain 1 lb. can salmon, flake, add 2 tbsp. lemon juice. Put fish and 2 cups cooked peas in alternate layers in greased 2 1/2 qt. casserole. Melt 3 tbsp. butter in double boiler. Add 1/2 cup cream and blend. Add 1/2 cup evaporated milk, 1/2 cup water or pea liquid, 1/2 tsp. salt, 1/4 tsp. pepper, 1 tsp. Worcestershire, 1 cup grated cheese. Cook over boiling water until thick, stirring constantly. Then pour over casserole mixture and top with 1 cup bread crumbs to which 1 tbsp. melted butter has been added. Bake in gas oven at 375° for 30 minutes or until crumbs are golden brown. Serves 6.

If you find raisins sink to the bottom of a cake, first put them into a pan set over a low flame. Stir occasionally to prevent burning. When heated add them to cake batter.

Don't stuff steel wool in the oven flue outlet of a gas range because it prevents free circulation of air. Freshly heated air gives best heat radiation for successful baking and broiling results.

Remember the hungry of the world before you throw out stale bread. Use up dry bread by cutting it into strips, toasting it very dry for use as a substitute for crackers with soup or salads.

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B AND H STUDIO

Coke Stevenson Hits Communism In Church Talk

Dublin, Texas, Feb. -- Ex-Gov. Coke Stevenson, speaking before a Dublin church meeting which he pointed out could not be held in any country dominated by Communists. Sunday night declared that the basic purpose of Communism is to destroy freedom.

ernor, an announced candidate for the United States Senate, did not touch on politics in his address. "The Communists realize they cannot survive if the people are taught the principles that Jesus brought to man on earth nearly two thousand years ago," Stevenson said. "They know that in any competition with God they are certain to lose. So they are against God. They are against religion. "The Communists stand for the use, by any means of power over people. That is why they destroyed the churches in Russia, why they eliminated the lodges and fraternal organizations, sup-



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Scoutmen to Hold Meeting in Crosbyton Scout officials and leaders from Floyd, Motley, Crosby and Dickens Counties have been invited to attend a dinner meeting to be held at the High School in Crosbyton on February 26, at 7:30 p.m. The dinner will be served by the Home Economics class of February 25th.

Dr. F. B. Malone of Lubbock, Council President and Mr. K. N. Clapp of Lubbock, Council Commissioner will be present to help in the discussion. The main purpose for the meeting is a discussion of plans for the securing of a field scout executive to serve the program of scouting in the four counties mentioned. Interest shown by the attendees will have much to do with securing of this fieldman. Send all reservations to the Boy Scout Office, 410 Myrick Building, Lubbock, Texas, before Wednesday.

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FOR SALE - 3 room house, to be moved \$750.00 See J. O. Morris ayton or M. H. Costelaw, Spur 17 - 21c

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FOR SALE - Texas Tire and Furniture and my residence, 6 rooms and bath, garage and out buildings, 1 blk east of High School. See R. A. Gilcrease, 17-17c

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FOR SALE - 1947 Dodge Truck long wheel base with steel dump bed Mrs. Ava M. Johnson Spur Route 1 17-21c

HOUSES FOR SALE 6 room bath, corner lot, 85'x162' concrete sidewalk, excellent location, has loan of \$2,164.85, priced to sell \$4500.

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FOR SALE - 2 Room House, located on corner lot, 1 block north of West Harris, on Clarity St., priced "cheap." Inquire at Upstairs Barber Shop.

FOR SALE - Dressed Hens and Fryers. Leon Ice Co., Phone 171, 13-17c

FOR SALE - One trailer house, priced cheap and one acre of land on Clarity St., north of West Harris. Inquire at Upstairs Barber Shop.

FOR SALE - one International tractor. See Ollie Hindman, 3 miles N. of Spur, Texas. 15-41c

FOR SALE - United States Batteries, \$8.95 Exchange and up. O. K. Rubber Welders, 6-tfn.

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FOR SALE 1947 Case Tractor and Equipment Bargain. See J. W. Holloway 5 miles West of Dickens 16-31c

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FOR SALE - I have a few sewing machines for sale. Joe Watson, 15-41c

FOR SALE - 1945 Ford Truck Excellent condition. 1-2 mile north Antelope School contact Clayton Willis 16 - 4 1x

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FOR SALE - Three room modern house, cellar, garage, smoke house, located in Dickens. Immediate possession. Price \$2500.00. See O. L. Kelley, Spur, Texas, 18-11c

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Political Office Announcements

The Texas Spur is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, election to be subject to action of the Democratic Primary, Saturday, July 24:

FOR SENATOR
30th Senatorial District
Kilmer B. Corbin
Of Dawson County

FOR COUNTY JUDGE
A. C. Sharp
(Re-Election)

FOR SHERIFF
Tax Assessor-Collector
C. C. Kimmell
(Re-Election)

FOR TREASURER
Mrs. Vela Turpen
(Re-Election)
Mrs. Ava Johnson

FOR DISTRICT AND COUNTY CLERK
L. J. (Jake) Yarnell

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Precinct 1
F. L. Edwards
(Re-Election)
Arch Green
Roy Ward

Precinct 2
Jim Offield
(Re-Election)

Precinct 3
Arner Watson
(Re-Election)

Precinct 4
G. A. Pierce
(Re-Election)

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
Precinct 3
W. M. Malone

Three Spur Boys Injured In Wreck

Three boys were painfully injured as a result of a car accident which occurred Sunday night at 11:15 in front of the Foster residence, on Hill Street.

It was reported that a car driven by Wendell Parker, in which Dewey Watson, Cleston Pritchett, Cotton Johnson, Billy Mossy, Roy Lee Ball, and J. W. Wilson were riding, was racing another car on the way to the Hill Top Cafe, when the third car attempting to pass between the two cars side swiped the Parker car, crashing it head-on into a light wire pole. The front of the car was completely demolished.

The most painfully injured was Dewey Watson who suffers a head wound. Cleston Pritchett received a deep gash across the face, Wendell Parker an injury to the nose. Other occupants of the car received slight cuts and abrasions. All received treatment at the Nichols General Hospital.

The boys' parents, who were notified immediately, are Mrs. J. H. Hagins, Mrs. J. H. Hagins, and Mrs. J. H. Hagins.

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Charles V. Harris Dies in El Paso

Charles V. Harris, who lived in Dickens County from 1897 until 1903 died in an El Paso hospital February 13, at the age of 78. Some three weeks ago he suffered a cerebral hemorrhage and became partly paralyzed. He never regained consciousness.

Mr. Harris was born in Hill County, Texas November 8th, 1869. At the age of 20 he came to West Texas, and for many years was engaged in ranching, breaking horses, and freighting.

Old timers of Dickens County may remember Mr. Harris and his brother, R. S. Harris who ran the old Tap store from 1900 until 1903.

They were first cousins of the McArthurs, of Spur. He came to New Mexico when it was a Territory in 1903 and engaged in stock raising and farming. He had resided in Carlsbad, New Mexico for the past five years. In the earlier part of the year he went to El Paso for medical attention, where he died.

Through out his life he was a God fearing man, at the age of none he was converted and joined the Methodist church, in later years he joined the Nazarene church of which he remained a member the rest of his life.

One daughter, Mrs. Mattie Wallace preceded him in death in 1928.

Survivors: his wife, and two sons, Henry and Vernon Harris and one daughter, Mrs. Oleta Jones of El Paso; one brother, H. H. Harris of Lea County; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Dr. Blackwell And Rob Simmons Buy Ranch Here

Last week Dr. T. M. Blackwell closed a deal purchasing the "Old Manly" ranch land and homestead just north of Dickens. This tract of land comprises about 1100 acres.

This land was purchased by the late Minter Hamby, in the late years of the 1800, and is one of the best known land marks in Dickens County.

Rob Simmons, also closed a land deal last week purchasing two sections of ranch land ranging into the Croton Brakes.

Both ranches will be well stocked.

Mrs. Cross Celebrates With Birthday Party

Mrs. Susan Cross, celebrated her 62 birthday February 8, with a party in the home of her daughter, Mrs. R. L. Benson on the third.

Five of the guests were friends who had birthday's also coming in this month, whom we list as

following. Mrs. Susan Loe, February 6th, eighty, Mrs. John Luce, February 13, seventy eight, Mrs. G. W. Potts, February 13, eighty two, and Mrs. F. N. Oliver, who will have her birthday on the 29 of this month will be 78. A large two tiered white cake decorated with pink candles arranged in figures representing the ages of those coming this month, centered the serving table, where the cake was cut and served with sanka to those present for this occasion. Gifts of bubble bath bearing the names were used as plate favors. Those present were Mesdames:

Jessie Morris, Ollie Malone, Dalton Johnson, John Luce, F. N. Oliver, Susan Loe, Lem King, and Miss Geraldine Starley. Other friends stopped in for a short visit during the evening, to wish Mrs. Cross "Many Happy Returns of the Day."



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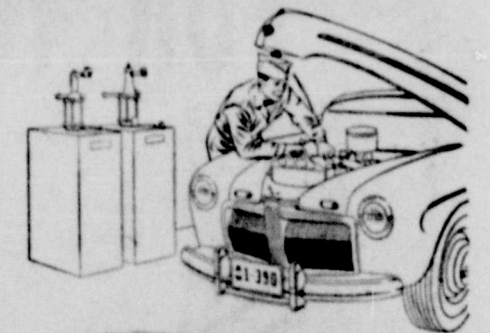
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PERSONALS

T. A. Rowland, State Highway patrolman of Lubbock was transacting business in Spur Monday.

Mrs. Garvy Boothe, was carried to Lubbock Tuesday night for medical attention.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Carnes were in from the Carnes Ranch on Wednesday of this week looking after business affairs and trading with the Spur merchants.

Mr. John Luce, who has been in Scott and White clinic at Temple for examination, returned to his home in Spur Tuesday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Cox, attended a Lectureship meeting at A.C.C. in Abilene this week.

E. S. Lee cashier of Spur Security Bank, accompanied by Mrs. Lee and Mrs. Floyd Barnett, attended a Board of Trustees Meeting at Abilene, for A.C.C. Mr. Lee is a member of the board. They returned to Spur Tuesday.

Clifford B. Jones of Lubbock, President of the Spur Security Bank, attended the regular monthly meeting of the Directors here Tuesday.

Ollie Hindman, who has been ill in a hospital in Lubbock, is able to be back at work. Mr. Hindman is employed with Sears and Roebuck and Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Andrews, visited Mrs. Ella Andrews at San Angelo Sunday.

T. E. Milam, was a business visitor in Lubbock on Wednesday of this week.

Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hill left Friday morning for Bryan, where they spent the week end visiting in the home of their son - in-law and daughter. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. M. Brown, they also visited their son, Lester Lee Hill who is a student in A. & M.

Jack Patton, spent last Friday morning in Rotan, where he visited his mother Mrs. Mat Patton, who has been confined to her bed for some time, due to a broken hip.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wright and son, Elvis spent the week end in Lamesa, where they visited their parents. They returned to Spur Monday night.

Mrs. W. R. Weaver, and Mr. L. P. Hamilton, office staff of the State Department of Public Welfare, of Spur, attended an Executive meeting in Sweetwater last

Joe Long of the City Drug Company is transacting business in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ripple of Gilpin, Texas, were Spur visitors Saturday.

Miss Bettye Weaver, student in Texas Tech was home for the week end to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Weaver.

With Our Churches

DRY LAKE BAPTIST CHURCH

A. McAuley, Pastor
Church Calendar
Sunday
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service 11:00 a. m.
B. T. U. 7:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.
Everyone is cordially invited to be present.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH

610 Burlington Ave.
SCHEDULE FOR THE WEEK
SUNDAY
10:00 Bible School: "The Church's Mission"
11:00 The Lord's Supper
11:20 Sermon: "Fishers of Men"
6:30 Young People's Meeting
7:30 Sermon: "We That Are Strong" Romans 14 and 15

MONDAY

3:00 Ladies Mission Study
7:30 Victory Bible Class: "Prayer And The Holy Spirit"

WEDNESDAY

7:30 The Hour of Power: "Why Prayers Go Unanswered"
All are invited to these meetings -- bring your bibles.
James Hardison, Minister

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

Lester L. Hill, Pastor
CHURCH CALENDAR
Sunday School - - - 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service - - - 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. Meetings - - - 6:30 P. M.
Evening Worship - - - 7:30 P. M.

MONDAY

W. S. C. S. Meeting - - - 3 P. M.
WEDNESDAY
Youth Choir Practice - 6:45 P. M.
Mission Study - - - 7:00 P. M.
Adult Choir Practice - 7:45 P. M.

Nearly all of the terms used in music are from Italian.

SPUR CHURCH OF CHRIST

Frank L. Cox, Minister
Sunday Services
Bible School at 10:00 a. m.
Sermon at 11:00, subject, "The Fruit of Liberty."
Communion at 11:45.
Young people's meeting at 6:15 p. m.
Evening service at 7:00, sermon subject, "The Cost of Discipleship."

Mid-Week Meetings

Ladies will meet at 3:00, Monday afternoon for Bible study with Mrs. Oscar McGinty at teacher.
Prayer meeting with Bible classes for all Wednesday evening at 7:30.

The Empty Pew Speaking

Though silent, the empty pew speaks in language most eloquent. It says to the minister: "Your sermon is worthless. There is no need to preach." It says to the church treasurer: "There will be a shortage in the treasury." It says to the song leader: "Too bad that you have to sing alone." It says to the faithful few: "Your efforts to building up the cause of Christ has been in vain. Why serve any longer." But remember that the occupied pew is also eloquent and powerful in speech. It gives a large measure of encouragement to the

minister, the elders, the deacons, the teachers, and to all who are deeply interested in the cause of Christ. Let us attend the services of the church not merely on Lord's day morning, but every time we can. The Lord's day evening service is just as important as the morning service.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Woodrum of Crosbyton, were business visitors in Spur, Monday. Mr. Woodrum was formerly employed with the bank here, and Mrs. Woodrum was employed as bookkeeper for Miami's Variety.

CARD OF THANKS

It is with deep gratitude we express our sincere thanks to all who assisted us in our hour of sorrow, we especially extend our thanks and appreciation to those who brought food and for the beautiful flowers.
Mrs. Hazel Boothe and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Boothe, Mrs. R. E. Jones and family, Mrs. L. M. Randall and family, Mr. P. R. Boothe and family, Mr. G. R. Boothe and family, and Miss Grace and Jean Boothe.
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Junior High Echo

Valentine Parties
By Jean Barclay

Monday February 16, Junior High school students had their Valentine parties, due to the bad weather they were a few days late.

After the students in Mrs. Campbell's and Mrs. McNeil's rooms had opened and exchanged a few minutes admiring their Valentines, refreshments were served.

Mr. North and Miss Hampton entertained their students in Mrs. North's room.

Students of Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Kelley and Mrs. McArthur enjoyed a treat at the school store.

Reading Certificate
By Peggy Reid

The State Department of Education offers a certificate to each child that reads the number of required books it lists. The books must be on a list the department has made out.

The fifth grader must read at least six books, sixth grader 10 books, seventh grader 15 books, and the eighth grader must read all 30 books. These books must meet the requirements: 5 fiction, 1 biography, 1 travel, 1 history, and 5 non-fiction.

"How and Why Club"
By Ada Lou Chambless

The How and Why club met in Mrs. Kelley's room with Peggy Reid president. The minutes were read and approved. There was no old business and no new business. There was no report from the committees.

Mrs. Kelley ask us to find a selection for declamation during the rest of the period. Many had already found their selections, but others had to find theirs.

A to Z With The 7th and 8th Grade Girls

Adorable - Ella Hill, Bashful - Tennie Jane Kidd, Crazy - Seventh Grade Class, Dangerous - Ella Mae Copeland, Earnest - Beth Watson, Funny - Maxine Williams, Glamorous - Barbara Nalley, Handy - Vera Cralton, Innocent - Helen Harris, Jazzy - Peggy Reed, Kind - Bettie Lou Arnold, Likeable - Emma Lena Simpson, Moody - Jimmie Nell Bowman, Naughty - The Eighth Grade Class, Opposing - Beverly Wood, Popular - Ada Lou Chambless, Quick - The Basketball Team, Rowdy - Nancy Pritchett, Sweet - Betty Joyce Hammonds, Tiny - Paulita Karr, Useful - Gloria Lawis, Victorious - Every one, Wonderful - You, Young - Wayne McCarty.

Declamation
By Reba Senn

Junior High School will again have declamation. Mrs. Kelley is teaching the seventh and eighth grades, Mrs. McNeil is teaching the sixth grade and Mrs. McArthur is teaching the fifth grade.

There are about 31 in the seventh and eighth grades taking declamation, thirty four in the sixth grade and all of the fifth grade are going to take declamation.

We are proud of these teachers who use their spare time to help us acquire a skill, which within itself is an art. We wish to thank these teachers.

Spelling
By Emma Lena Simpson

Every year the students of Junior High go to county meeting spelling. The 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grades are taking contest spell-

ing. The 5th and 6th grades are spelling together and the 7th and 8th grades are spelling together. The students are now just getting started good. This requires work and hard study but the students that are taking it are doing fine. After the students have worked on all of the words a team of two will be picked from each grade. These two will represent Spur Junior High at County meet. We are in hopes of winning so wish us luck!

The three papers following are editorials written by 8th grade English students. These received recognition by being chosen to be printed.

Things We Shouldn't Do
By Paul Cox

There are many rude and ill mannered things going on in our school. An ill mannered thing happened which was also dangerous when Bill tripped Jane in the hall while Kate looked on laughing. Helen and Jane whisper frequently in public. John handles his book too roughly and Ann points a lot.

I think good citizenship begins in the school and class room. Bill should know it is dangerous to trip a person and Kate should not laugh when this happens. Helen and Jane should know better than to whisper in public. John should know how to care for his books. Pointing is rude and Ann should know it.

Editorial
By Emma Lena Simpson

Lately reports have been com-

ing in that students of our school are doing things that they shouldn't do. Boys have been tripping and knocking people down. Both boys and girls are throwing dirty paper in the halls and making it hard on the teachers. Students also bunch up in the hall to do all of their talking.

All of these things are very bad habits and should be stopped. Our School has activities for the students to do so let's join in and do these things and help our teachers.

Editorial
By Ella Hill

Some bad reports have been coming in about the pupils in the halls at the noon period. There is too much loud talking, whistling, shouting, and some very unmanly boys tripping the girls. The girls are bunching up in small groups and leaving some girls out.

Please, do not throw paper on the floor, it makes it very hard for the janitor to clean up a lot of unnecessary paper.

Please, lets all keep our school clean and make everybody happy.

Under the Basket
By Loyd Womack

In the lockers the coach spoke loudly to his eager listening players.

"Tonight," he said, "is the night of the championship ball game. I want you to do your best and use good sportsmanship."

The players rushed out upon the field quickly and the championship game was on in a whirlwind. Spur passed the ball back and forth alertly. Quickly they shot and made a goal. The minutes ticked away slowly. At the half Spur cheerers yelled im-

mensely for the score was in favor of Spur 21-20.

After the half the players speedily ran back and forth, sweat streaming freely down their bodies. The players were having a hard time trying to score. They were throwing the ball wildly back and forth. With only a few moments to play the dazed players came to an abrupt halt by the referees whistle. A Spur boy would get a free shot.

Slowly he took the ball and took careful aim the ball whizzed through the air speedily and began to roll around the rim slowly. The people looking breathlessly. The people came up from the Spur rosters as the ball rolled off easily, but a Spur player quickly grabbed the ball and shot swiftly to make a score and the game ended 32-30 in favor of Spur.

Jokes and Jeers
By Jean Barclay

Hello, boys and girls. Well I hope that you are not getting tired of me, because I am not getting tired of writing.

It seems that Neida Jo Love is still hanging on to that boy at Girard, Marell Beadle how are you and Leonard Brown?

Orville Claude I hope that you and Ada Lou are alright.

(Woo-Woo) Emma Lena how are you and James Brown getting along? Paul Simmons who is going to be the unlucky girl now

Q FEVER GERM IN MILK KILLED BY PASTEURIZATION

San Francisco, February 12 — the germs of Q fever, a disabling disease resembling flu, can be present in raw milk but are killed by pasteurization, state and federal health researchers reported Thursday.

The report removes some of the apprehension of health authorities over an outbreak in the Los Angeles area last year and discover of the germ in the blood of dairy cows in 10 states. Although there is no evidence

that humans can get the disease even from drinking raw milk, the researchers said, the tests give assurance that pasteurized milk is not a potential source of infection.

How the disease spreads is a mystery. Thus far it has been confined mostly to people working around dairies and livestock.

Announcement of the milk test, conducted in Los Angeles, was made jointly by Dr. Thomas Farran, surgeon general of the U. S. Public Health Service, and Dr. Wilton L. Haverson, California health director.

Guinea pigs inoculated with infected milk developed symptoms of the disease. The same milk was pasteurized and failed to produce signs of the illness.

Animals inoculated with samples of cow urine, manure, dust from hides and corrals and insect parasites of cows failed to get the disease.

Despite this, the blood of 10 out of 77 persons tested in a retail camp near one dairy show-

ed evidence that they had been infected. None of the people used milk from that dairy. They said, however, they could smell the dairy.

Cattle ticks are suspected as carriers.

Since the disease was first found in Queensland, Australia, in 1935, fewer than 1,000 cases have been recorded. The over-all death rate is less than 1 per cent. Symptoms are headache, fever and lung congestion. Recovery usually follows in three or four weeks.

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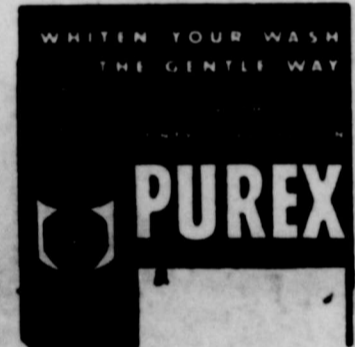
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VETERANS NEWS

Only veterans taking full-time courses in schools or colleges will be entitled to increased subsistence allowances under a law signed February 14 by the President, the Veterans Administration has announced.

Veterans taking any of the following types of training are not entitled to the increases, but will continue to receive subsistence allowances at the old rates of \$65 monthly for those without dependents and \$90 for those with dependents:

1. Institutional on-the-farm training and part-time institutional training.
2. On-the-job training or apprenticeships.
3. Combination training in which students attend school part time and are employed part time, usually in a related field.
4. Internship and residency training; and graduate training under a Fellowship requiring a reduced credit course-load because of services rendered under provisions of the Fellowship.

Eligible veterans now in school who are entitled to \$75 (no dependents) or \$105 (one dependent), will not have to apply for the increases, VA, requesting that these veterans not white, said it had sufficient information to make automatic increases.

However, veterans entitled to \$120 a month because they have more than one dependent, will be required to submit evidence of their additional dependents before the increased payments can be made. For dependent children, photostats or certified birth certificate copies will be necessary. For dependent parents, evidence of actual dependency must be submitted. If veterans are now training submit evidence prior to July 1, 1948, they will receive retroactive payments at the new rates back to April 1, 1948.

The higher rates are applicable after April 1. However, since subsistence allowance checks are not due until the end of the month in which the veteran is in training, most of the eligible veteran-students will receive their first checks at the higher rates on or shortly after May 1, VA said.

VETERANS QUESTIONS & ANSWERS
Q -- I have been granted ad-

mission to a Veterans Administration domiciliary home and now would like to know if it is possible for me to take my wife with me to stay at the Home?

A -- No. The law does not permit the wives of servicemen to be admitted to any domiciliary home of the Veterans Administration.

Q -- How do I calculate the period of eligibility time consumed while I am taking a correspondence course under the G-1 Bill?

A -- One-fourth of the elapsed time in following your correspondence course will be charged against your period of entitlement.

Q -- If I am hospitalized in a Veterans Administration hospital, must the benefits from my hospitalization insurance policy be assigned to VA?

A -- If treatment is rendered for a non-service-connected disability, the amount of the policy that provides for hospital expenses must be assigned to the Veterans Administration. If the policy provides for stipulated amounts for the period of disablement, it is not necessary that it be assigned.

Blind Occupational Therapist Receives Degree At TSCW

After four years of taking notes in Braille, learning weaving, pottery making, and art design, Genevieve Powell, Wichita Falls, finished the first step in becoming the first registered blind occupational therapist in the nation Feb. 1 when she received her degree from Texas State College for Women and congratulations from Pres. L. H. Hubbard (left), and Registrar Francis W. Emerson. Her faithful seeing-eye dog Blackie will accompany her to Detroit, Michigan, for the first of her nine months clinical training.

PERSONALS

Mrs. C. H. McCulley accompanied by Mrs. Clarence Foreman and Sandra Sue, spent Thursday of last week in Lubbock, where they were looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bird of Matador were here last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Bird.

Mr. J. J. Ensey is on an extended visit to his daughters, Mrs. Mark Nelms of Caddo and Mrs. Marcus Lee of Mineral Wells.

Spur folks attending the Alee Templeton, concert in Lubbock last Wednesday night were Mesdames, Eris Foster, Pauline Clemmons, Neitha Campbell, Misses Dorothy Love and Bonnie Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Long and Cate Snider.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henry of Roaring Springs, were business visitors in Spur last Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Gunn of Girard, is here visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Winkler.

Mrs. Jack Rector and daughters, Miss Creola and Kathleen left Friday morning of last week for Bryan, where they will spend a week and visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Decker. Mrs. Decker is the former Miss Jackie Rector.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Dickerson Jr. of Dallas spent Sunday visiting in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben M. Dickerson Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Koon of Spur. On their return home Sunday night they were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Dickerson Sr. who will spend a month's visit in Dallas and Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kelley returned Friday of last week from Fort Worth, where they attended the funeral of a relative, Mrs. Dorothy Duke.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clemmons and two children, Elizabeth and Sue, of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Wooten of Lubbock, spent the week-end visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan and Mrs. Pauline Clemmons of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Page E. Gollhar returned Saturday from Temple, where they entered Scott and White for medical check up.

Mrs. Norton Barrett, spent last Saturday in Post City where she visited friends.

NOTICE

To the patients of Dr. Chas. C. Murray, Jr.:

My files of your eye examination records have been moved to the office of Dr. C. M. Neel, 1628 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas, who will assume further eye care and servicing of your glasses.

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By Frances Alsworth

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Color can be used for safety! Mr. Quinn explained that industry has long used color to help reduce accidents and raise morale in plants. Well, it is a certainly logical that we housewives can do the same, isn't it? For instance, Bright colors may be used as danger signals — other colors used to induce cleanliness and good housekeeping. I'd like to tell you some of the new uses for paint that we found after thinking over this idea.

First, we painted our basement steps a light color. As these steps are generally not lit as well as others, the light color paint helps to see better and saves dangerous falls. Then we painted the electric switches and the furnace door handle in bright red — as a danger signal.

After we had accomplished these safety precautions, my husband decided to paint each one of his tools with a different color handle — to help choose them in a hurry... and, not to be outdone, I did the same thing with my kitchen utensils. You'd be surprised how much time I actually save by knowing which handle is painted what color!

We're planning to outline our house numbers and mailbox in a deep color which harmonizes with our house — and we are going to use our new safety paint idea in dozens of other places, too. I think that all of us should use every method we know of to insure home safety — don't you?

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Gift Shower Honors Miss Martin Turbyfill

Thursday afternoon, February 19, from 3:00 to 6:00 in the home of Mrs. R. H. Wright on N. Calvert. Mesdames J. W. Steele, Paul Bateman, and Billy McCombs were co-hostess for a gift shower honoring Miss Martin Turbyfill. The rooms were decorated with pink carnations.

Mrs. McCombs greeted the guests at the door and directed them to the serving table, where pink tapers burned in crystal holders. Mrs. Wright, assisted by Mrs. Steele, presided at the table where punch, coffee, canapés, and cake was served. Miniature bride's dolls bearing the inscription "Martin and Alex" were plate favors.

Mrs. Bateman presided at the bride's book.

A lovely selection of gifts was arranged in the display room.

Those calling and sending gifts were Mesdames: Clarence Foreman, Pauline Kidd, J. R. McArthur, Arner Watson, J. T. Anderson, A. Gilmore, James B. Reed, Billie B. Saxon, Bertha Vandiver, S. C. Raymond Beadie, Dillard Williams, C. F. Watters, R. L. Westerman, A. A. Fry, Richard

Elected President Of Scottish Rite Hospital

E. B. Germany, prominent Texas businessman and Masonic leader, was elected president of the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children at a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees in Dallas.

Nearly 5,000 crippled children from all over Texas received treatment at the hospital in 1947, according to the report made to the board by Asher Mintz, secretary.

In complimenting the hospital staff, Dr. Brandon Carrell, chief surgeon, pointed out that this number was more than twice the average of cases handled at six other similar crippled children's hospitals in the United States. More than 58,000 patients have benefited from the services of the hospital since its inception in 1924.

Nearly \$200,000 will be needed to operate and maintain the hospital in 1948, according to the secretary's report. It was emphasized that the institution is entirely dependent for funds upon donations and bequests, and offers the finest available treatment free of charge to crippled children who otherwise would find adequate medical attention unobtainable.

Other officers, all well known Texas Masons, elected at the board meeting are: John L. DeGrazier, vice-president; Towne Young, second vice-president; and William H. Dubs, third vice-president. Respected workers: Nathan Adams, chairman of the board; Hiram F. Lively, vice-chairman; George R. Jordan, treasurer; and Mr. Mintz, secretary. Dr. Carrell was re-elected chief surgeon and Miss Annie Laurie Little was re-elected as hospital superintendent.

Marriage Vows Read For Starrett and Reid

Miss Loneta Starrett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Starrett of Broadway, and Mr. John W. Reid of Spur, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Reid of Spur, were married in a double ring ceremony February 15th, in the First Baptist church in Matador, with Rev. Clifford Potts officiating.

The bride wore a blue suit with black accessories, her corsage was of white gardenias.

The bride's only attendant Miss Eunice Parsons wore a black dress, with black accessories and a corsage of red roses.

Mr. Wimpy Morrow attended the groom.

Others attending were Misses Betty Jo Reid, Bonnie Spears, Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Middlebrook and Sharon Kay.

Immediately following the marriage service, a reception was held in the home of the groom's sister, Mrs. Middlebrook of Matador.

Vows Read For Miss Turbyfill And Mr. Stafford

Miss Martin Turbyfill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mart Turbyfill of Spur and Mr. Alex Stafford, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Stafford of California, were married Thursday night at 7:30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wright, 612 N. Calvert.

Rev. C. N. Gilbert officiated in a double ring ceremony.

Pink carnations decorated the room.

The bride wore a blue silk afternoon frock, with a finger-length coat of darker blue and black accessories. Her corsage was of red roses. As "something old" she wore a ring which belonged to her aunt, Mrs. T. O. Bingham; for "something borrowed" she wore a gold bracelet belonging to Mrs. J. W. Steele.

Miss Grace Boothe, Maid of Honor, wore a spring print. Her corsage was of white carnations.

The bride's attendants were Miss Louise Bateman and Miss Dolly Hagins who wore dresses of blue and beige. Both wore corsages of pink carnations.

Mr. M. B. Sprayberry, uncle of the bride, attended the groom as best man.

They left on a short honeymoon trip to California where they will visit the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Stafford.

Mrs. Lodie Herbst Honored on Birthday

Mrs. Lodie Herbst was honored with a birthday party Sunday, February 22, when a group of friends and relatives showered her with gifts and served dinner at her home in Dickens.

The huge white birthday cake, decorated with pink, made an attractive centerpiece for the dining table. The dinner of boiled ham, chicken and dressing with all the trimmings, was served to the following: Mrs. Bessie Martin and children, Dickens; Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Stapleton and daughter, Paula, and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Burchett, of Lubbock; Mrs. Goerie Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDaniel and Billy Joe, of Spur.

Tommy Gene Bass Honored on Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Bass entertained Sunday evening February 22, in honor of their son Tommy Gene Bass, on his thirteenth birthday.

A good hour was enjoyed, then the gifts were opened. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following guests: Jennie Jane Lee, James and Neta Kidd, Nella Jean and Stella Calvert, Allen Kissinger, Don Hill, Dorothy and Nancie Powell, Easner Barrett, Glen Martin, Marvin Pichens, Jane Max and Neal Holloway, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman, Graynell Graden, Carlos Von, and Larry Don Bass.

A refreshment plate of individual cherry pies with whipped cream, olives and coffee was served by the hostess.

Thirteen members were present.

1931 STUDY CLUB

The 1931 Study Club met February 17, in the home of Mrs. Billy Bob Saxon.

"New Standards are Old Standards" was the topic of discussion and a talk on "Everybody Else Does It", was given by Mrs. Dee Hairgrove in a very interesting manner with Mrs. Loyd Ball talking on "Not to the Swift". Mrs. Abb Bingham brought the closing topic "Wreck Reaction".

Mrs. Dorothy Wright, a new member was present.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to the following members: Mesdames: Loyd Ball, Abb Bingham, C. F. Cook, J. B. Morrison, Jesse Morrison, Dee Hairgrove, J. C. Payne, Adrian Rickles, Chap Reese, Geo Sloan, C. H. McCulley, and Mrs. Dorothy Wright.

PROUD GRANDPARENTS

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YOUR SPRING SUIT WILL HAVE A SWIFTER LOOK LIKE THE SUIT OF SWIFTNESS SHOWN, WITH A COAT, SHOWN ABOVE AS PICTURED IN THE FEBRUARY ISSUE OF GOOD HOUSEKEEPING MAGAZINE.

Mrs. McArthur Hostess To Demonstration Club

The Soldier Mound Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Dee McArthur Thursday, February 18, at 2:30 p. m.

Roll call was answered with a plate favor for a party or shower.

"Party Refreshments" was the theme discussed by Mrs. Floyd Barnett. "The shortest month in the year is long on party-giving holidays," said Mrs. Barnett, and answering the ever-recurring question "What shall we eat?" Mrs. Barnett presented an idea for a refreshment plate for each month of the year.

Mrs. John Aston was the winner of the club prize.

A delicious refreshment plate was served to the following Mesdames: John Aston, Hayde Conrad, Floyd Barnett, Joe McDaniels, Bank Ballard, and the hostess, Mrs. McArthur.

Miss Snow Is Honored at Dinner

Mrs. Nona Starcher attended an announcement dinner, at the Western Hotel last Saturday evening February 21, at 7:00 o'clock, honoring her niece, Miss Nona Mae Snow, who is to be married March 12 to Dr. Henry Fain of Galveston, from which place he received his medical degree in December of last year.

They will make their home in Nashville, Tenn.

Services Are Held For T. S. Adams At Jayton, Monday

Funeral services for Thomas Smith Adams, who died at Search Light, Nevada, February 18, were held in the Church of Christ at Jayton, Monday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock with Minister Loyd Connel officiating.

Survivors include one brother, R. I. Goodall, Clairemont, three sisters, Mrs. Jen Hunter, Kingman, Arizona, Mrs. Willie Holden, Brownwood, and Mrs. Olive Rickley, Big Springs.

The deceased died in Search Light, Nevada, the body was shipped to Lubbock and brought by Campbell Funeral coach to Jayton for burial in the Jayton cemetery.

Spur Motor Co. Opens Paint Shop

The Spur Motor Co. has just recently opened a new paint and body aligning shop, at their place of business on South Burlington.

W. A. Watson of Matador has been placed in charge of the new department and will prove an asset to Spur, as he has had several years experience in this type of work, having been in the employ of the Chevrolet Company at Matador.

NEW BANK EMPLOYER

Loyd Walker, a former employee of the Spur post office, has recently accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Spur Security Bank.

Loyd is a son of W. K. Walker, who lives near Spur.

Mrs. McCulley Entertains W.C.S.

Mrs. C. H. McCulley entertained the "Women's Society of Christian Service", Monday afternoon February 16, at her home on N. Willard.

After a short business session, Mrs. L. L. Hill brought a very inspiring devotional.

At the close of the social hour, refreshments of hot ginger bread topped with whipped cream, olives and coffee was served to 18 members.

Mrs. A. M. Walker Entertains Study Club

Mrs. A. M. Walker was hostess to the Twentieth Century Study Club Tuesday afternoon February 17, with the president, Mrs. Page E. Gollihar presiding.

The theme for the afternoon program was "Physical and Mental Hygiene".

Miss Manzell Braag was leader. Mrs. Cliff Bird gave a very interesting discussion on "The Hogg Foundation for Mental Hygiene".

Mrs. Saxon Entertains 1931 Study Club

The 1931 Study Club met in the home of Mrs. P. C. Nichols, Tuesday afternoon February 17, with Mrs. Spencer Campbell as hostess.

The president, Mrs. Lynn Busby presided, with Mrs. Billy D. Bell leader of the program.

Mrs. Busby very ably discussed "Career Woman No. 1 Dorothy Shaver", with Mrs. Bell bringing an interesting paper on the Careers of Hildegrade Fillmore and Hedda Hooper.

A lovely refreshment plate consisting of congealed apricot salad topped with whipped cream, cream cheese sandwiches and hot sanka, was served by the hostess.

Sharon Campbell, student of Texas Tech spent the week end here visiting his mother, Mrs. Neitha Campbell, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Snider.

Rev. O. P. Stokes and son O. L. Stokes of Afton were in Spur, Saturday afternoon. They report the farmers are quite busy at this time putting up their land.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Street and small daughter, Patsy, of La Verne, Oklahoma, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thompson of Spur. Mr. and Mrs. Street also visited Mr. Street's mother, Mrs. W. D. Street of Dickens.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Addie left Saturday of last week for Temple, where Mrs. Addie will enter Scott and White for medical check up.

*** Fashions ***



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Apricots Valley Gold	No. 2 1/2 Cans	27¢	Airway Coffee	2 1-lb. Pkg.	79¢
Fresh Plums Libby's	No. 2 1/2 Cans	25¢	Coffee Evards, Valgers or Administration	1-lb. Can	51¢
Juice Blend O'Gold Orange and Grapefruit	44-Oz. Can	19¢	Margarine Sunbush or Parkay	1-lb. Pkg.	38¢
V-8 Cocktail & Vegetable Juice	16-Oz. Can	14¢	Shortening Swift Jewel	2-lb. Can	99¢
Banjo Hominy	3 No. 2 Cans	25¢	White Beans Small Cello Pack	1-lb. Pkg.	23¢
Corn Highway White Cream Style	No. 2 Can	18¢	Baby Limas Cello Pack	1-lb. Pkg.	17¢
Tomato Sauce Garden of Eatin' Standard	2 8-Oz. Cans	13¢	Pinto Beans Cello Pack	1-lb. Pkg.	15¢
Green Beans and Peas Garden of Eatin' Ayrone	No. 2 Can	12¢	Blackeye Peas Cello Pack	1-lb. Pkg.	25¢
Sauerkraut Libby's	No. 2 1/2 Cans	15¢	Choice Rice Cello Pack	1-lb. Pkg.	20¢
Pork & Beans Van Camp	2 14-Oz. Cans	25¢	Cane Sugar Pure Cane	10-lb. Bag	87¢
Brown Beans Brown Beauty Mexican Style	No. 100 Can	12¢	Fresh Bread Mrs. Wright's Extra Tender	24-Oz. Loaf	19¢
Brick Chili	1-lb. Pkg.	53¢	Flour Kitchen Craft Top Quality	10-lb. Bag	85¢
Swift Prem Luncheon Meat	12-Oz. Can	49¢	Flour Gold Medal Kitchen Tested	10-lb. Bag	85¢
Tuna Fish Priority Grated	No. 1 1/2 Cans	39¢	Flour Harvest Blossom Guaranteed	10-lb. Bag	75¢
Tomato Soup Campbell	2 10-lb. Cans	19¢	Dog Food Red Heart	2 1-lb. Cans	27¢
Gerbers Meats	2 8-lb. Cans	37¢	Faultless Starch	12-Oz. Pkg.	10¢
Apple Butter Goodwin's	14-Oz. Jar	17¢	Oxydol Granulated Soap	24-Oz. Pkg.	35¢
Salad Dressing Miracle Whip	12-Oz. Jar	37¢	Duz Soap Granulated	21 1/2-Oz. Pkg.	35¢
Catsup Brook's Tomato Catsup	12-Oz. Jar	19¢	Super Soap Granulated Soap	24-Oz. Pkg.	35¢
Jell-Well Desserts	3 Reg. Pkg.	19¢	Ivory Soap 11 Florets	2 1-lb. Bars	35¢

SAFeway GUARANTEED MEATS

Roast Beef Shoulder Blade Gov't Graded	Lb.	49¢	Apples Fancy Red Delicious	Lb.	9¢
Sausage Pure Pork 1-Lb. Rolls	Lb.	49¢	Grapefruit Texas	8-Lb. Bag	25¢
Hams Smoked Shank Cuts	Lb.	53¢	Potatoes Idaho Russets	10-Lb. Bag	69¢
Bacon Black Hawk Sliced	1-lb. Pkg.	65¢	New Potatoes 3	Lb.	25¢
Jowls Dry Salt	Lb.	25¢	Cabbage Crisp Solid Heads	Lb.	3¢
Fryers Dressed and Drawn	Lb.	65¢	Celery Crisp Tender Pascal	Lb.	9¢

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