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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DOINGS... SPUR TEN YEARS BEHIND STATES C. OF C. MGR.; AWAKENING URGED

What does another town have that our town doesn't have? Why does one city, of comparable size, income and potential growth, outstrip another in buildings, beauty, recreational facilities, commercial development and population? By comparison, Spur has been behind in its progress and obligations to its citizens for several years. Let's look at Stamford, Paducah, Hereford or Decatur, all are of the same category and comparable size, yet each of these cities have forged ahead in municipal development, and growth, and city expansion.

HOW ABOUT SPUR?
Spur has one of the best trade territories in West Texas for a town of its size. It has capable and intelligent leaders, good educational facilities and an excellent location, but we have not been able to keep pace with other towns of our size.

Could it be that we have been asleep for the past 10 years? Have we failed to realize the responsibility placed upon our shoulders as citizens? Could it be that our taxes are not properly equalized, and do not furnish enough income to meet even the present low city budget — a budget that is too low to accomplish the job of developing our city? Have we as citizens, given up the idea of city beautification, nicer residential sections, better recreational facilities and larger commercial development? Could it be that we are content with what we have without giving thought to the future?

PLEASE ASK YOUR ELECTION BUT PLEASE VOTE!
Russia had an election in March of this year. The voters had only one choice. Joe's name was at the top of the list — but almost 100 per cent of those eligible voted.

Spur has an election coming up July 22. What percentage of local citizens will take the trouble to go to the polls is hard to determine, but in the past far too many persons failed to register their preferences. One of our greatest privileges we have under our democratic form of government is the chance to vote. Yet, it is strange that out of 7,200 people in our county only 2109 consider it a privilege.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to urge each and every one to vote. It wouldn't be funny if we had to vote for Joe here in the United States, but it could happen. IT'S UP TO YOU.

MEMBERSHIP IN THE C. OF C.
Many of our local citizens have been inquiring concerning membership in the Spur Chamber of Commerce. The purpose of this organization is to organize and weld the citizenship of Spur and Dickens County so that they shall, through a unified and democratic Chamber of Commerce, work together in the fostering and promotion of all things pertaining to the welfare, betterment and continued growth of the City of Spur and Dickens County.

We are always happy to have anyone who wishes to become a member of our organization and who is interested in working together for this purpose. Information concerning membership can be obtained in the office of the Chamber of Commerce or by writing to the Spur Chamber of Commerce, Box 11, Spur, Texas.

OUR PARKING PROBLEM:
Since the parking is getting worse instead of better, the Chamber of Commerce would like to urge all employees and employers to please use the parking area behind your store. It is almost impossible to find parking accommodations in Spur and many of our local citizens have complained about the parking situation.

If our local business men and their employees would use the alley, it would relieve the parking situation considerably for your customers. Please cooperate with your neighbors in parking in front of their establishments.

Collision On Bridge Causes Little Damage

A two-car collision on the bridge one mile east of Spur resulted in no injuries and slight damage to both vehicles last Friday evening.

The accident occurred at dusk when the cars, both 1940 models, collided upon the bridge. Approximately \$30 to \$40 damage to each car was reported by local officers who investigated.

Failure to observe a car already on the bridge and no brakes were given as cause of the accident.

W. R. Freeman, a former resident of Spur, is recovering from a recent operation in a Lubbock hospital. The Freemans lived here while son Zane attended Spur High school. Mr. Freeman formerly taught in Crosbyton schools.

Station Registers 2.85 For July Rainfall

Rainfall for July, 1950, has already registered above the normal 1.96 inches, according to a report from the Spur Experiment station. A total of 2.85 inches has been recorded at the station for the month of July.

The Spur area has received 10.76 inches of moisture so far this year, which is 1.17 inches above normal.

Crop conditions are reported to be very favorable in all sections of the county. No hail has been reported during the past several days when severe electrical disturbances whipped through the area. Tree limbs were broken and roofs were reported slightly damaged by high winds.

What was first believed to have been a lightning strike setting off the fire alarm Sunday night was actually a shorted fuse causing the siren to blow intermittently during the evening.

A breakdown of the rainfall percentages during the first part of July follows: July 5, .24; July 7, .33; July 8, 1.27; July 12, .14; July 13, .09; July 17, .53; July 18, .25.

RETURN FROM VACATION

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Welborn returned last week from a fifteen-day visit with relatives in South and East Texas. In San Antonio they visited with his sister, Mrs. Grace King and in Moody with another sister, Mrs. Seth Bostit. In Waco they were guests of his brother, George Welborn, and in Valley Mills they visited in the home of another brother, Payne Welborn, before returning to Spur.

Spur Girl Enrolls In Band School

Betty Sechrist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sechrist, recently enrolled for the summer vacation band school at McMurry college. The school will be conducted July 24-Aug. 5 and will cover general musicianship, elementary and intermediate music theory, twirling, conducting and marching.

Bennett Rites Held In Michigan July 10

Services for Mrs. Lillian Bennett, 39, former Dickens resident, were held July 10 in Detroit, Mich. She was born Lillian Edwards on August 27, 1911, in Dickens, and had been in ill health for three years. She died July 8.

Among the survivors are her husband, Art Bennett; parents, Mrs. William Bouchane of Detroit, Mich., and Larry Edwards; one sister, Eron; two brothers, Jackie and Charlie; grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Kennedy, Dickens; husband, Art Bennett; parents, six aunts, Mrs. Pearl Richey, Mrs. Ruth Partridge, Mrs. Maud Haddock and Mrs. Mattie Edwards all of Dickens; Mrs. Goldie Nichols, Baird; Mrs. Ida Stayden, Spur; five uncles, Orville, Ted, Vernon, Lewis and Kennedy. Several cousins, nieces and nephews also survive.

Interment was in Arcecia Park cemetery, Detroit, with W. F. Hackett and Sons Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Spurets Score 7-2; To Meet Plainview

Spurets will meet the Plainview Southwesterners, both girls' baseball clubs, at 8:30 p. m., July 21, in the stadium diamond. Preparing for the clash with the out-of-towners, the Spurets took a 7-2 score from the Green Dodgers in a Monday night game. Van North is manager of the locals.

W. F. Godfreys Tour European Countries

After two years of planning and almost six months of waiting for passports, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Godfrey left Monday for New York City where they will sail on the Queen Elizabeth, July 22, for Southampton, England. With a party of American tourists, the Godfreys will spend one week in England before traveling to the continent to visit in Brussels, Holland, Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, the Riviera and France. A trip through Scotland is a tentatively planned excursion for the group.

The current international situation dampened our plans somewhat, but we were advised that no restrictions would be placed upon the trip and to consider it a peacetime tour," reported Godfrey. They will sail from Cherbourg, France about Aug. 30, and are scheduled to arrive in New York on September 2.

Bond Sales Rocket Above County Quota

Dickens county, with sales of \$32,100 against a quota of \$29,000, has purchased more than its share of the amount asked in the Independence Drive of Series E United States savings bonds through July 7.

Only one neighboring county, Garza, had met its quota when these figures were released. With a quota of \$9,000, Garza people purchased \$9,281.25 of the Series E certificates.

Kent county had raised only \$431.25 of its \$2,000 quota; Motley residents stacked to \$4,875, as against their \$16,000 quota, and King county failed to buy at all. Dickens county shows 10 per cent above its quota with 110.69 per cent attained in the drive. Garza ranks second in this area with 103.3; Motley shows 30.47; and Kent has attained 21.56 per cent.

New Arrivals

A son, Lawrence Douglas, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Merle L. Olson in Nebraska City, Neb., July 13. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wright of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nickels, Spur, are parents of a daughter, weighing 7 pounds and 4 ounces, born July 12 in Crosbyton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wolfe of Waco were visiting friends in the Spur area last week. They were residents of Spur for seven years.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

Candidates Wind Up Campaigning; Voters To Cast Their Ballots Saturday, July 22

Marilyn Sechrist Dies Rites Read July 16

Funeral services for Marilyn Joyce Sechrist, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sechrist of Spur, were held at 3 p. m., July 16, in the First Christian church.

Marilyn Joyce died July 15, after a week's illness. She was born Feb. 24, 1942, in Spur and had lived here all her life. She became a member of the First Christian church in August, 1949.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sechrist; three sisters, Norma, Betty and Texanita; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sechrist, Ralls, and Mrs. Luvelva Young of Arizona.

Pall bearers were Mansel Bragg, George Gabriel, Carl Murray and Seamon Reynolds.

Interment was in Spur cemetery with Chandler Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Koonie Park Scene Of Four Games

Koonie Park in Dickens will be the scene of four inter-city baseball games this week and next, according to Johnnie Koonsman, manager of the park.

At 8:30 p. m. tonight a Spur nine, made up mostly of the boys who played on the Spur Junior American Legion team, will meet a team from Ralls.

Friday night at 8:30, Dickens meets Hamlin. On Sunday afternoon, July 23, Merkel will play Dickens at 2:30 p. m.

Tuesday, July 25, the Dickens club will meet the Sandlin Grocery team from Lubbock.

Ollie Joyce, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Batchler, visited him in Spur Saturday. She has been attending Texas Tech this summer. They drove on to San Angelo to visit with Mrs. Batchler.

Dodgers Rock Cards 14-5 For Third Win

The Green Dodgers and Highway Cardinals, local girls' baseball teams, met at the East Ward playground for a seven inning, fast-moving ball game last week, the Dodgers leading with a final score of 14-5.

This win racks three in a row for the Dodgers; their second came when they bowled the Spurets for a nine point lead in the first inning of last Wednesday's game. The Dodgers held the first three up and the first three down, ending the game still out in front leading 17-5.

Manager of the Dodgers are J. B. Haralson and Al Marcy.

Farmall Wins 10-7 Over Proctor's Team

The Farmall House team handed first-round winner Proctor's their first defeat in the first game of the second round last Thursday, 10-7. The Farmall team was runner-up in the first half, losing only to Proctors. In the other game played last Thursday, the V. F. W. humbled McNutt's boys 9-5.

These are the only games that have been played in the second round. Games between Proctor's and McNutt's and between the Lions and Fireboys were rained out Tuesday.

Tonight the Farmall boys meet the Fireboys in the first game and the V. F. W. plays the Lions in the second.

Next Tuesday Proctor's meets the Fireboys and the Lions play McNutt's.

CHURCH OF CHRIST MINISTER TO VAN ZANDT COUNTY

Willis G. Jernigan, minister of the local church of Christ, will leave Monday for a fifteen day revival in Van Zandt County. Jernigan begins at Fruitvale, Texas on July 25.

During the minister's absence the local pulpit will be filled by the elders of the Spur church.

Population of the United States passed the 150,000,000 mark on March 1.

JUDGE, SHERIFF, SUPERINTENDENT RACES DUE TO BE CLOSE

Texas Poll Shows Shivers Favorite In Last - Minute Check With Voters
Saturday, July 22, 1950 is election day in the state of Texas. Pollsters and political columnists throughout the state are predicting a small turnout and local indications are that interest is low and the total ballots cast will be low.

With but three county candidates unopposed, some close races are in store for important county positions. The hottest race, according to popular opinion, will be for county judge. Judge A. C. Sharp, running for re-election, is opposed by two well-known and capable men, Van R. North and Wm. H. Hindman.

Davis Funeral Held At Roaring Springs

J. J. Davis, for several years a resident of Roaring Springs, died July 15 in Denver, Colorado. At the time of his death, Davis was visiting in the home of a daughter. Funeral services were held at 3:30 p. m., July 18, in the Roaring Springs Methodist church, with Rev. W. J. Knoy officiating.

Pall bearers included J. Frank Graham, John King, D. J. Dyess, W. F. Gilbert, Jim Simmons, and Richard Ensey.

Survivors include a granddaughter, Mrs. J. M. McCleskey, of Roaring Springs. MacDonald Funeral home of Matador was in charge of all arrangements. Interment was in Roaring Springs cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee McCombs and children, Rex and Betty Lee, of Gentry, Ark. visited in Spur last weekend. They were en route to points in Oklahoma for visits with friends and relatives. The McCombs lived in Spur for a number of years before moving to Abilene and later to Arkansas.

Frozen Foods Show To Be Presented

The Edwards-Kelley Implement Co. will present Miss Ruth Josey in a frozen foods demonstration to be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of next week.

The demonstration will be held at the East Ward Auditorium at 8:30 p. m. Wednesday evening and at 3:30 p. m. Friday afternoon.

According to O. L. Kelley, manager, door prizes will be given away. There will be refreshments at all three sessions and special gifts for all ladies attending.

Dist. Baptists Build Blanco Encampment

Baptists of District nine, comprised of eight associations and more than 180 churches, are realizing more than ever what a gem of a location they have on Blanco Canyon for their encampment grounds.

Scores of the churches have their camp homes already constructed and others continue to build.

The district goes as far north as Hereford, south to Spur and Dickens, west to the New Mexico line and east to Matador. A stream of spring water flows through the 70-acre site, together with an irrigation-type well which furnishes ample water for all purposes, including fresh water for a \$12,000 swimming pool.

The grounds represent probably the outstanding Baptist campsite in the state. Plans to greatly enhance the natural beauty of the grounds are being formulated. Scores of the churches have their camp homes already constructed. There is a large tabernacle and the cafeteria and kitchens are modern.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Parker of Jayton were visiting in Spur and McAadoo this week. He owns and operates Parker Butane company.

Mrs. Zeb Hill and small daughter Becky, of Amarillo, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Williams. She is the former Jean Williams. Seventy-five percent of accidents in 1949 were caused by drivers of passenger cars. It is true that there are more passenger cars than commercial vehicles

SAMPLE BALLOT

- For GOVERNOR:** (Mrs.) Benita Louise Marek Lawrence of Washington County
- For TREASURER:** Jesse James of Travis County
- For COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 2:** F. J. Offield, T. J. Randolph
- For COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 3:** Joe Draper, Murl Foreman, Arner Watson
- For COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 4:** G. C. Pierce, E. J. Nichols, Earl Robertson
- For JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PREC. 3:** W. M. Malone
- For JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PREC. 1:** A. B. Winkler
- For CONSTABLE, PRECINCT 3:** Byron Jenkins, George C. Robinson, P. G. Pierce
- For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS:** Herbert C. Martin of Lamb County, W. N. Stokes of Wilbarger County
- For STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 118TH DISTRICT:** N. C. Outlaw of Garza County, Sterling Williams of Scurry County
- For DISTRICT JUDGE:** Alton B. Chapman of Floyd County
- For DISTRICT ATTORNEY:** John B. Stapleton of Floyd County
- For STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION:** E. H. Boulter of Lubbock County
- For COUNTY JUDGE:** W. H. Hindman, Van R. North, A. C. Sharp
- For COUNTY ATTORNEY:** A. W. Walker
- For COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT:** Robert Williams, Dee R. Hairgrove
- For SHERIFF:** Russell Dan Williams, C. C. Kimmel, H. T. Burger
- For COUNTY-DISTRICT CLERK:** L. J. Varnell
- For COUNTY TREASURER:** Ava Johnson
- For COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 1:** Roy Ward, Forest L. Edwards
- For COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 2:** Tom Fairley of Travis County, Charlie McEllean of Colorado County, John C. White of Wichita County, J. E. McDonald of Travis County
- For REPRESENTATIVE OF 82nd CONGRESS, 19th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:** George Mahon of Mitchell County, Anton Mike Ripps of Howard County
- For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS:** Ben Ramsey of San Augustine County, Virgil E. Arnold of Harris County, Fred Red Harris of Dallas County, Cyclone Davis, Jr. of Dallas County, Peyton Elliott Womack of Travis County, Roger O. Evans of Grayson County, Preston E. Smith of Lubbock County, G. C. Morris of Hunt County, R. B. McAshan of Kerr County, Pierce P. Brooks of Dallas County, W. O. Reed of Dallas County, Kyle Vick of McLennan County
- For ATTORNEY GENERAL:** Price Daniel of Liberty County
- For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT (Place 1):** Fagan Dickson of Bexar County, Will Wilson of Dallas County, Walter L. Wray of Dallas County
- For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT (Place 2):** Alfred M. Scott of Travis County, Hicks Harvey of Cass County, Robert W. Calvert of Hill County
- For ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT (Place 3):** Robt. B. Keenan of Gregg County, Matt Davis of Upshur County, Geo. W. Harwood of Dallas County, Meade F. Griffin of Hale County
- For JUDGE OF COURT OF CRIMINAL APPEALS:** Robert L. (Bob) Latimore of Dallas Co., Cecil Storey of Gregg County, David Wunich of Smith County, James Hill Letts of Harris County, G. H. (Hobert) Nelson of Lubbock Co., William E. Myers of Tarrant County, Joel W. Cook of Harris County, W. A. Morrison of Milam County
- For RAILROAD COMMISSIONER:** William J. Murray, Jr. of Harris County
- For COMPTROLLER OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS:** Robert S. Calvert of Travis County, Clifford E. Butler of Harris County
- For COMMISSIONER OF GENERAL LAND OFFICE:** Bascom Giles of Travis County, James L. Alfred of Tarrant County
- For COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 1:** Willis G. Jernigan
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- For COUNTY CHAIRMAN, DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:** M. H. Brannen
- For PRECINCT CHAIRMEN:** Prec. 1 H. A. C. Brummett — Dickens, Prec. 2 Ernest Nolan — Elton, Prec. 3 B. S. Haney — Afton, Prec. 4 Archer Powell — Dry Lake, Prec. 6 Emmet Hagins — Gilpin, Prec. 7 Roland Murchins — Wichita, Prec. 8 Floyd Forrest — Dumont, Prec. 9 W. C. Pernel — Croton, Prec. 10 Martin Pope — West Spur, Prec. 11 R. R. Wooten — McAadoo, Prec. 12 C. E. Goodwin — Duncan Flat, Prec. 16 J. I. Mecom — East Spur

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Specialists To Hold Palsy Clinic Aug. 14

A clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children will be held Monday, Aug. 14. Five specialists will be present at the center to examine children. Cerebral palsy is a condition which may be present from birth or may be caused by childhood diseases such as whooping cough or measles, or by head injuries. Untreated, many of these children improve to the extent that they can care for themselves, attend school or become employable. Treatment begun at an early age is most effective.

Parents interested in bringing children to the clinic on August 14, are requested to register the child at the Center at some time before the clinic date. Further information may be obtained by contacting Dr. Esther Saeli, Director of the Treatment Center, 3502 Avenue N. or by calling Lubbock 541.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

BYRON JENKINS

Candidate For Constable
PRECINCT 3.
Your Vote And Influence Will Be Appreciated on July 22.

Dry Lake Community News

Dry Lake community reports well-distributed rainfall over the past several days. Farmers are beginning to get their crops in good order for a growing period. The Methodist church has a new pastor, Dry Lake Methodists are among the most endeavoring congregations in this area. The Dry Lake Baptist church will begin a summer meeting on August 11. Everyone is cordially invited to come and bring a friend. The meeting will last through two

Sundays. We still continue to have community meetings on the second and fourth Wednesday nights of each month. Residents of the Dry Lake community are asked to attend the meetings, and aid in making the community a better place to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon and family recently visited relatives in Lockney. While there, they were guests of her sister's family. Mr. and Mrs. Dail Williams, Billie Muri and Faydell remained in Lockney for a week's visit. The Lon Bass family went fishing Friday, and having fish-

man's luck returned without having caught any fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kidd attended a reunion with relatives Friday. They reported a nice time. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon gave a birthday party honoring their son, Billie Muri, on his ninth birthday, July 14. Guests were served cookies and iced drinks and played croquet and other games. Billie received many gifts.

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- 10:00 A. M. Song Service Luther Bilberry
- 10:15 A. M. Scripture and prayer Darvin Callihan
- 10:25 A. M. Loyalty to Christ Roy Boles
- 10:50 A. M. Loyalty to Church Morris Denson
- 11:15 A. M. Announcements
- 11:20 A. M. Organizer's report H. L. Burnam
- 11:25 A. M. Special Music Lee Dewees
- 11:30 A. M. Loyalty to Denomination C. Melvin Rathel
- 12: LUCH
- 1:15 Board Meetings
- 2:00 Song Service Luther Bilberry
- 2:10 Sermon O. L. Dewees

Outlaw Presents Platform Planks

TO THE VOTERS OF THE 118TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT:
I have tried hard to see every one of you but in a district as large as this that is practically impossible. I might have taken the easy way and procured poll tax lists, had form letters printed and stayed in a comfortable office and mailed them to you but in so doing I would have shown a total lack of interest in you and your problems and view points.

It is my belief that your representative should make as many personal contacts and acquaintances as possible in order that you may know him and he may know you, and that he may acquaint himself with your views, your needs and your problems because it should be his purpose, and will be mine, to represent the view point, serve the needs and solve the problems of his constituency to the best of his ability. That cannot be accomplished without

personal acquaintances of at least a major portion of the people of the district.

Two years ago Texas had a surplus of 90 million dollars in the general revenue fund. The last legislature spent that 90 million, created a deficit of over 167 million dollars and increased the cost of your state government to the unprecedented amount of 514 million dollars. MY OPPONENT WAS A MEMBER OF THAT LEG-

Political Announcements

The TEXAS SPUR is authorized to announce the following candidates for offices in Dickens County subject to the Democratic primaries.

FOR SHERIFF, TAX COLLECTOR-ASSESSOR

H. T. Burger
Charlie Kimmel (re-election)
Russell Dan Williams

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Dee R. Haigrove
Robert Williams (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY CLERK

L. J. (Jake) Varnell, Jr. (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY TREASURER

Ava Johnson (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY JUDGE

W. H. Hindman
Van R. North
A. C. Sharp (re-election)

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1

Forrest L. Edwards,
Roy Ward (re-election)

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2

E. J. Offield (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY ATTORNEY

Alfred Walker

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3

Joe Draper
Muri Foreman
Arner Watson (re-election)

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT

E. J. Nickels
George Pierce (re-election)
W. E. (Earl) Robertson

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT 3

W. M. Malone (re-election)

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 110 JUDICIAL DIST. STATE OF TEXAS

John B. Stapleton (re-election)

STATE REPRESENTATIVE 118th REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT - STATE OF TEXAS

N. C. Outlaw
Sterling Williams

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you see fit to honor me and my county with this important office you have my pledge of devotion to its duties and loyalty to you and the people of the district.

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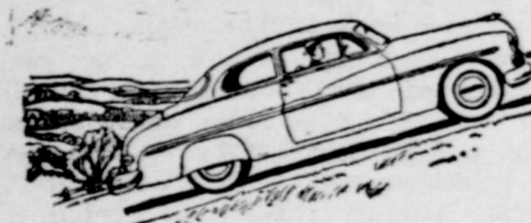
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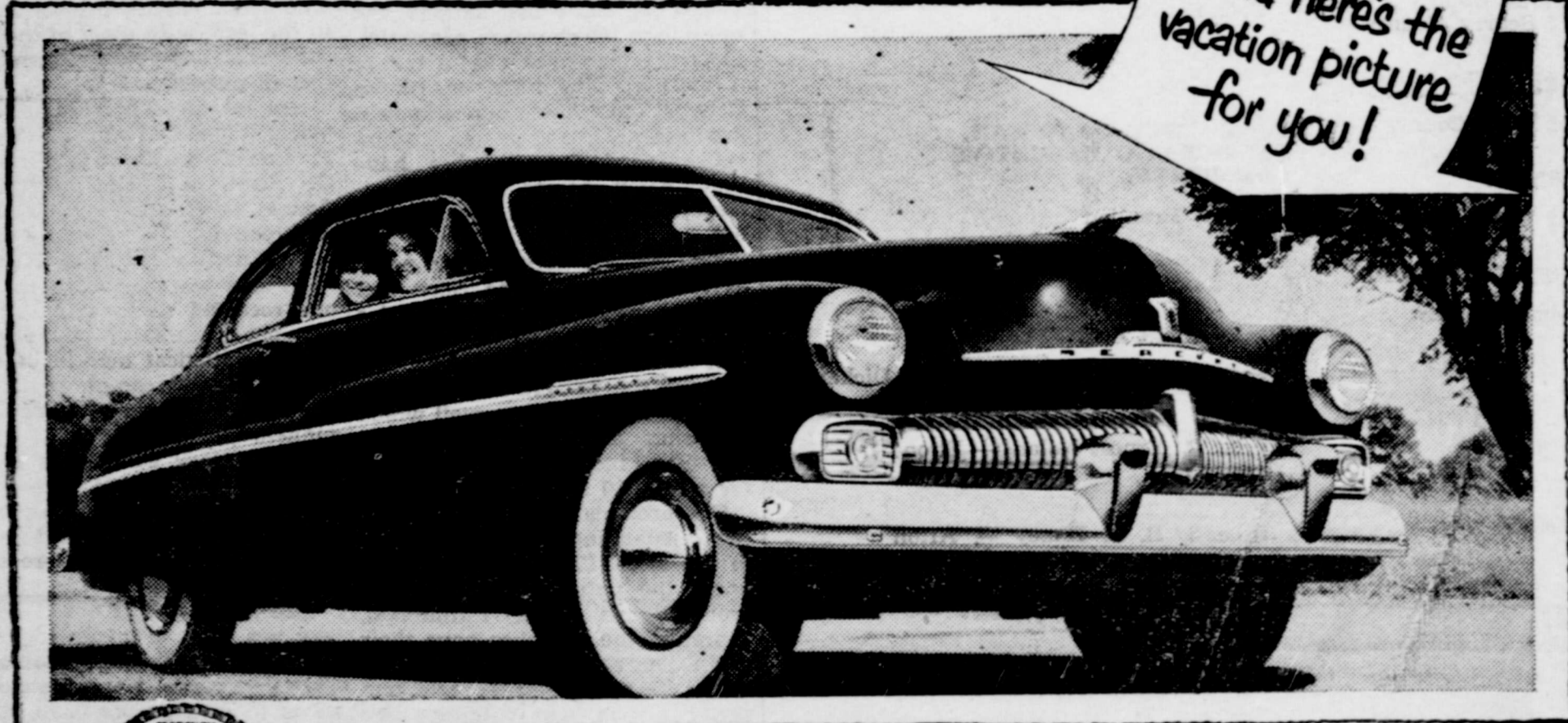
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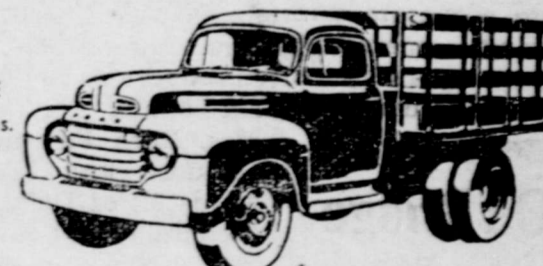
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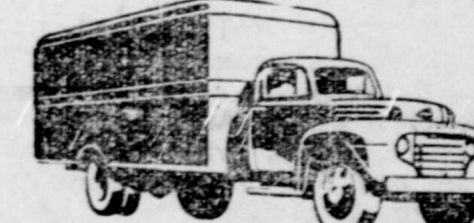
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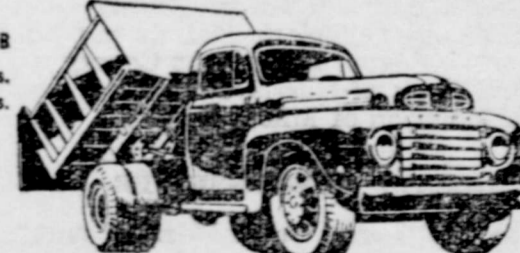


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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Peters Entertain On Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Pat) Peters, Dickens, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary with open house on July 9, 1950.

They were married July 8, 1900, at Dumont, and have made their home in Dickens county with the exception of one year spent in East Texas. For 37 years they resided on the family homestead north of Dickens. Mrs. Peters is the former Nannie Elmore.

Assisting in the celebration were two daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker and Ona Beth, Lorenzo, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Young, Pat and Nancy, Abernathy, and several friends and relatives of the couple from New Mexico, Oklahoma and other points in Texas.

Seven brothers of Mr. Peters' attended the celebration, the first time they had been together in many years. Picnic lunches were served on outdoor tables to 300

guests. Gifts and flowers were presented the couple during the afternoon.

Mary Munden Weds W. C. Nelson July 14

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Munden are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to W. C. Nelson, of Spur. Vows were solemnized at 2:45 p. m., July 14, in the home of Rev. W. M. Draper, pastor of Bethel Baptist church.

The bride wore a blue crepe dress with white accessories. The couple went to Big Spring and Lubbock for a wedding trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are at home in Spur where he is employed at Bingham laundry. He also attends the Dickens County Veterans Vocational school. She is an employee of South Panhandle Land and Title company at Dickens.

Simpson - Lassetter Reunion At Leuders

The Simpson and Lassetter families in the Texas-Oklahoma area held their annual reunion, July 16, at Leuders.

Approximately 83 persons attended, some of whom had never seen each other. Those enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Simpson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray James, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lassetter, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Leva Simpson and A. B. Girard; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simpson, Cloud Chief, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson, Dill City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Murule Simpson, Cordell, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Simpson, Olathe, Colo.; Mr. A. B. Simpson, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson, Roby; Mrs. H. B. Kieth and Wayland, Stephenville.

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Friends who attended the reunion were Miss La Juan Fincher, Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Vasek, Jr. and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vasek, Sr., of Stamford.

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Pink - Blue Shower Fetes Mrs. Leon Huff

Mrs. Leon Huff was honored at a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Bill Glenn, July 15. Assisting with hostess duties from 4 until 6 o'clock were Mrs. Edge Caudie, Mrs. C. P. Scudder and Dale Young.

Garden flowers decorated the entertainment rooms. Punch with pink and blue cakes and nuts were served to approximately 30 guests.

Cauthen Circle Has Mission Program

Members of the Eloise Cauthen circle of the First Baptist church met at 4 p. m., Monday, in the home of Mrs. Walter Johnson.

The program, "Prayer Available Much," taken from their mission study book, was taught by Mrs. C. P. Scudder. Mrs. Calvin Davis, co-chairman, presided over the meeting.

Christal - Olds Vows To Be Solemnized

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Olds of Sudan announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Yvonne, to James Pat Christal of Spur, which will take place Sunday at 2 p. m. in their home.

Miss Olds has been employed at a Lubbock radio station, and Pat, a 1940 graduate of Spur High school and recent graduate of Texas Tech, is employed by an oil company at Wichita Falls.

Former Resident To Marry In Waco

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wolfe of 701 North 12th Street, Waco, are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Bob Morris of that city.

Elizabeth is a 1938 graduate of Spur High school. The Wolfes are former residents of Spur, having lived here 7 years. In making this announcement, they invite all their friends in Spur to attend the ceremony.

The couple will be married in North Waco Baptist church at 8 p. m. on Sept. 2.

Bagby Circle Meets With Mrs. Shockley

Ten members of Bagby circle of First Baptist WNU met at 9 o'clock Monday morning in the home of Mrs. Sally Shockley.

"That The World May Know," a chapter from the circle's mission book, was taught by Mrs. Joe B. Long. Mrs. W. S. Patrick gave the devotional.

Those attending were Mrs. T. J. Seale, John Adams, John Hazlewood, G. B. Morris, Rosepe McCombs, W. S. Patrick, Myrtle Whitwell, Hattie Turvan, Joe Long and the hostess, Mrs. Shockley.

Lockett Circle Has Monday Meeting

Mrs. L. W. Langston was hostess to the Lockett circle of the First Baptist church Monday afternoon. A mission study, "Practice of Prayer," was conducted.

Punch and cookies were served to seven members. Those attending included Mmes. L. C. Ponder,

H. L. Burnham, Henry Gruben, E. L. Smith, J. A. Marsh, the hostess, Mrs. Langston, and Miss Saphria Ponder.

Dry Lake Club Has Health Program

The Dry Lake Home Demonstration club met in the home of

Mrs. Jack Gordon for a regular meeting on July 12. After the business meeting an interesting program on health was given, followed by a health quiz. A refreshment plate was served to Mmes. Ether Ballard, Jerry Ballard, Dopson, McMahan, Pickens, Lassetter and Hotcho.

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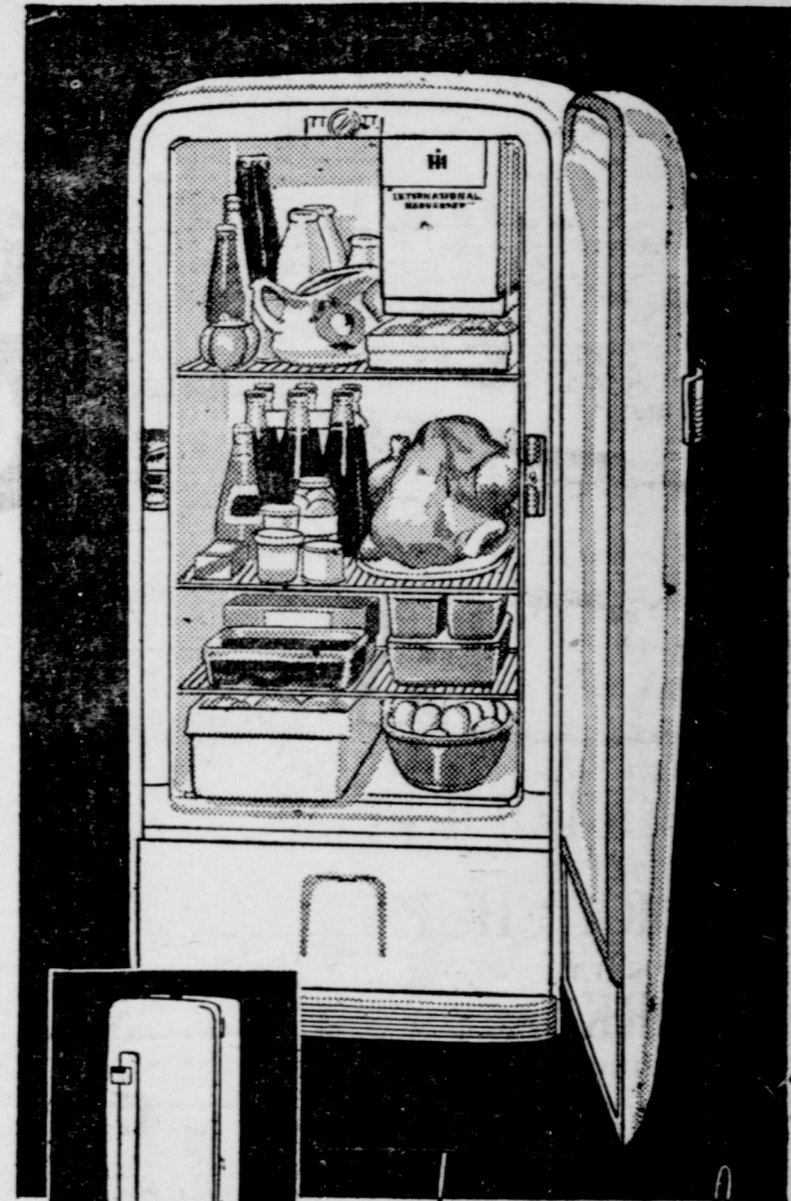
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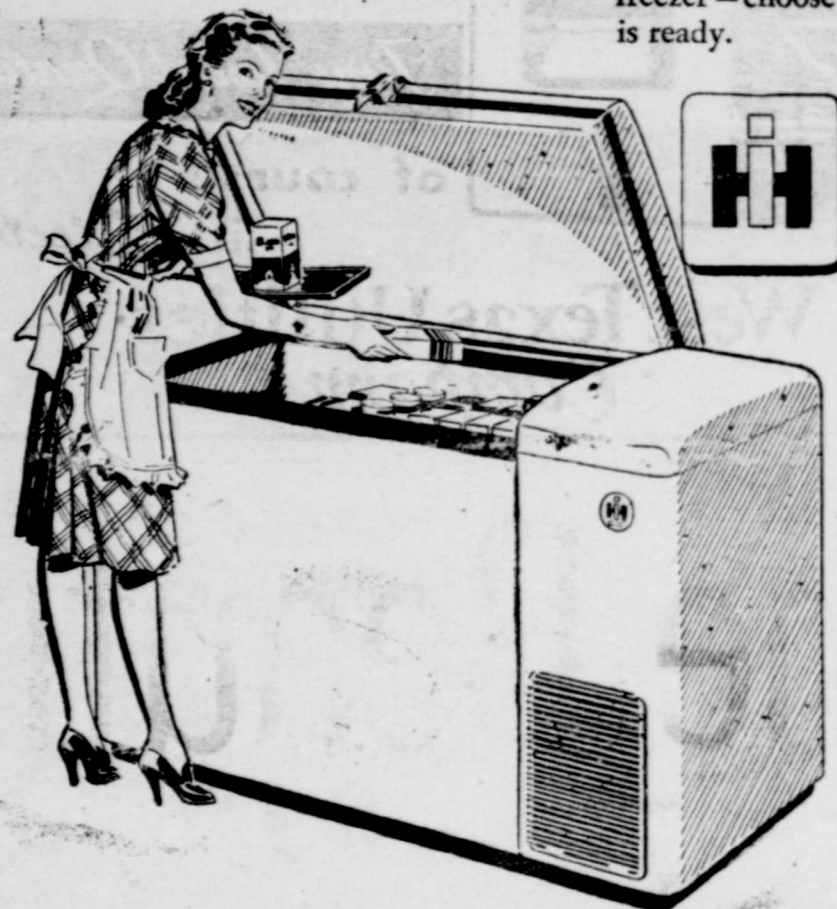


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Hill - Walden Vows Lead In Lubbock

Miss Tillie Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hill of Snyder, and Charles Ray Walden, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Walden of Lubbock, were married in the parlor of Lubbock First Methodist church Saturday evening. Rev. Uel D. Crosby officiated at the double ring ceremony.

White daisies in baskets stood on both sides of the fireplace and daisies and fern covered the mantel. "Because" and "Indian Love Call" were played by the organist, Robbie Clemmons, a former Spur resident.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white tulle suit and white accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid.

Attending the bride was Miss Jo Ann Henderson, maid of honor. She wore a navy crepe dress with navy accessories and a corsage of yellow lilies. Mr. Walden served his son as best man.

A centerpiece of daisies adorned the Madiera cloth covered table at the reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Walden, 2329 Fifteenth street. The bridal cake was decorated in yellow and white, the bride's chosen colors.

and was topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. In the receiving line were members of the wedding party, the bride's mother and Mrs. W. R. Walden. Misses Helen Carlisle and Majorie and Fatsy Prewitt assisted in serving.

Mrs. Walden formerly lived at Spur where she was graduated from Spur High school and has attended Texas Tech. He is a May graduate of Tech. The couple will live in Lubbock.

SETTLE - WRIGHT VOWS READ

Miss Edna Wright and Olyn Dean Settle were married at 11 p. m. July 17, in the Crosbyton home of Rev. Carl Grission, Baptist minister. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Conner and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Settle, all of Spur.

The bride wore an orchid eyed dress with red accessories. The couple will live in Spur.

Greaves - Simmons Vows Read July 10

Jaynette Greaves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Greaves, Spur, and G. W. Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmons, were married in a double ring ceremony in Portales, N. M., July 10. Rev. Doyle, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the service.

The bride wore a pink satin dress with blue accessories. Witnessing the ceremony were Mrs. Dock Terrill, Causey, N. M., aunt of the bride, and mothers of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons visited Carlsbad Caverns and points in New Mexico on their wedding trip. They will live in Spur where he is employed by Bryant-Link company.

Both the young people attended Spur High school, where he graduated in 1948.

Wesleyan Guild Meets In Home Of Mrs. Lawis Lee

Wesleyan Service Guild members met in regular business session, July 10, in the backyard of Mrs. Lawis Lee's home.

Mrs. C. O. Fox, president, called the meeting to order. Plans were made to entertain husbands of the group with a supper at the next meeting. A flower committee, composed of Mrs. Nina King, Mrs. Jack Rector, and Mrs. O. D. Thompson, was appointed.

Mrs. King was leader of the program, "Upon the Mountain of Our Lord." Others on the program were Mrs. Walter Johnson, Mrs. O. D. Thompson and Mrs. Jack Rector.

Refreshments of cupcakes and cakes were served to the following: Mmes. Raul English, C. O. Fox, Marion Hurst, G. W. Johnson, Jr., Nina King, Harry Miller, O. D. Thompson, Jack Rector, Raymond Higginbotham, Lane Bachman and the hostess, Mrs. Lawis Lee.

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We wish to express our appreciation for the many deeds of kindness shown during the illness and death of Marilyn Joyce Sechrist.

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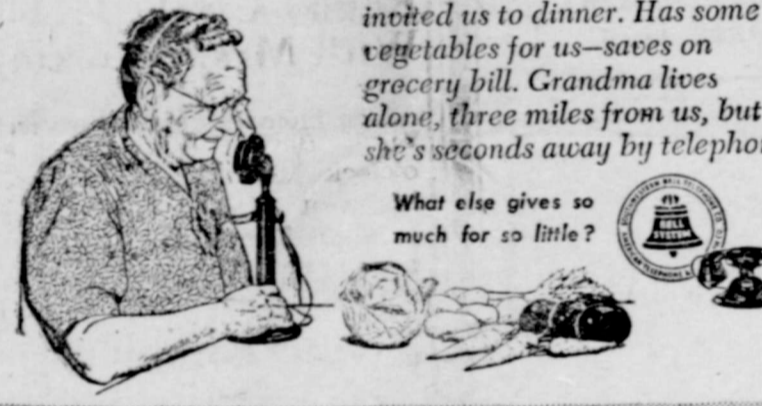
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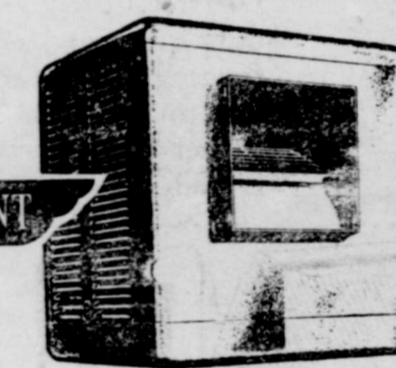
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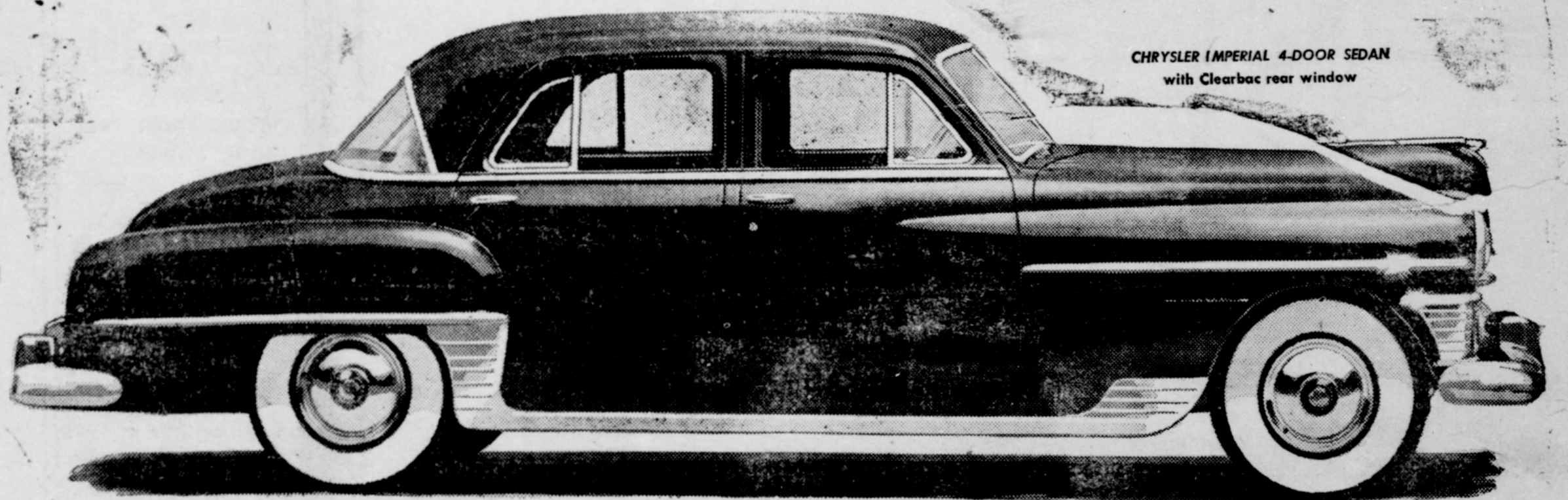
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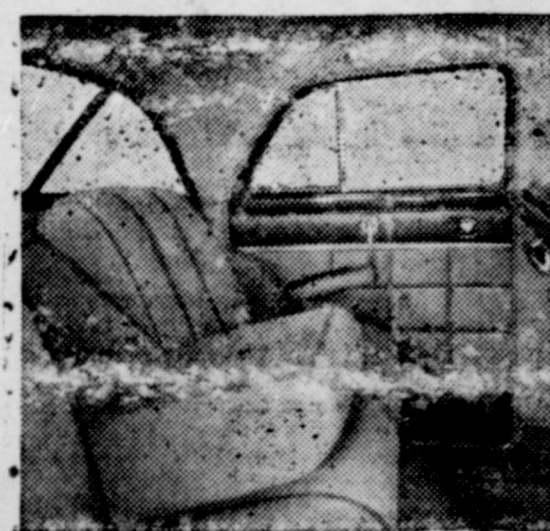
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W. F. FOREMAN VS NAT P. SHAW, ET AL.
IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS
 TO NAT P. SHAW, HARRY RAMSEY, THOMAS MCGEE and J. T. GARDNER, if living, and if not living, then to their heirs, legal representatives and-or assigns, if living, and if not living, then to their heirs, legal representatives and-or assigns and to all persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to Nat P. Shaw of Donley County, Texas as grantee and recorded in Vol. 17 pages 601-602 of the Deed Records of Dickens County, Texas, Defendants in the hereinafter mentioned cause, Greetings:

You and each of you are hereby commanded to appear before the District Court of Dickens County, Texas, to be held at the courthouse of said county in the City of Dickens, Dickens County, Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance hereof; that is to say, at or before, 10 A. M. of Monday the 7th day of August, 1950, and answer the petition of W. F. FOREMAN, Plaintiff, in Cause Number 2139 styled W. F. FOREMAN VS NAT P. SHAW, ET AL., in which W. F. FOREMAN is Plaintiff and all the persons to whom this citation is issued are defendants, which petition was filed in said Court on the 22nd day of June, 1950, and the nature of which said suit is as follows:

This being a suit in Trespass to Try Title, involving all of Lots Nos. 1 and 2 in Block No. 62, in the Original Town of Spur, Dickens County, Texas.

State Fair Features Boost Farm Interest

The Mid-Century presentation of Texas agriculture during the 1950 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 7-22, will feature a greater variety of farm products and highly developed techniques and procedures designed to raise farm incomes, Ray W. Wilson, agriculture department manager, has announced.

Progress of this two-billion dollar industry will be displayed in colorful and spectacular exhibits in the Agriculture Building, he said. The agricultural extravaganza will be colorfully showcased by the Lambert Landscape Company of Dallas, for greater eye appeal.

An outstanding exhibit of Texas soil and soil characters will be featured in the Texas A. & M. College display. Demonstrations on soil testing and information on plant foods will be given daily.

The Soil Conservation Service and Texas Research Foundation. The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs; if this citation is not served within 90 days after date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at office in the City of Dickens, Texas, on this 21st day of June, 1950.

L. J. VARNELL, Jr. Clerk, District Court, Dickens County Texas. (SEAL) 36-4tc

Wilson said. The Conservation Service exhibit will be located in the Agriculture Building. The Texas Research Foundation will develop a permanent outdoor display, located across the street from the building.

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When George H. Sheppard died in 1949, Governor Jester promptly

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appointed Calvert, and the Senate as promptly gave him a unanimous vote of confirmation. Earlier, Calvert had sound accounting and executive experience with the Santa Fe Railroad and the First National Bank of Sweetwater; and he has behind him two years overseas service in the Army Air Corps during World War I.

Now with a year and a half of experience behind him as head of this department, and long and intimate background experience in all phases of its functions and

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I am forty-five years old. I have lived my life in this district. I have witnessed all major economic changes through which this

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If it is your pleasure that I shall represent you in the next session of the legislature, I shall be happy to do so, as honestly, as economically and as efficiently as is humanly possible.

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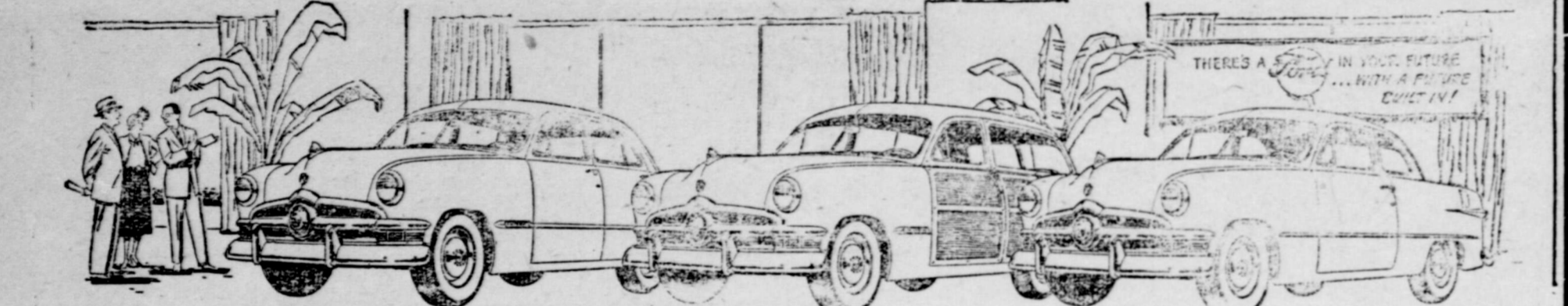
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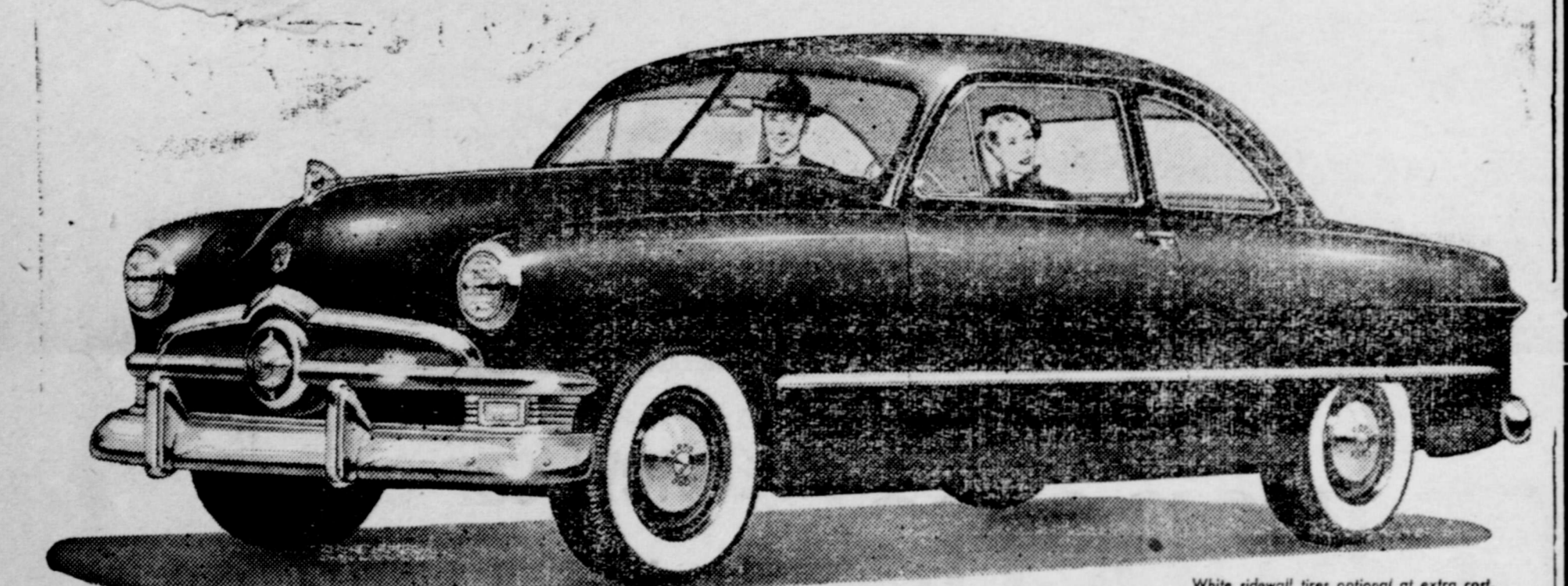
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Mrs. Mable Harle, Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star of Texas, presented a check recently for \$4500 to the hospital that aids crippled children from all over Texas, and Judge Young, president of the Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children in Dallas, voiced the appreciation of the board of trustees in accepting the gift. The charity institution is supported by contributions in the form of trusts, bequests and individual contributions. Other persons on hand for the presentation were (l. to r.) Asher Mintz, secretary of the hospital board; Mrs. Olsey Shirley, Grand Martha of the Eastern Star of Texas; Judge Young, Dean Gaudin, Worthy Grand Patron of the Eastern Star of Texas; Mrs. Irma Mitchell, superintendent of the hospital, and Mrs. Harle.

1. "Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, or an independent voter?"
 2. "Have you heard or read about the fuss between J. E. McDonald, the state agriculture commissioner and the Texas Democratic Executive Committee?"
 3. "Do you think a person who supports Republican candidates for President, but votes for Democratic candidates for state offices, should be allowed to run as a Democratic candidate himself?"

The results below are based on only those who profess to be Democrats (71 per cent of the voters interviewed). All who said they had heard or read about the controversy are classified as "informed"; those who sided with the committee are classified as "loyalists".

Classification of Democrats
 Informed loyalists 31%
 Informed non-loyalists 22%
 Informed but neutral 4%
 Total who have heard or read about the controversy 57%
 Uninformed loyalists 27%
 Uninformed non-loyalists 11%
 Uninformed and neutral 5%
 Total who have not heard or read about the controversy 43%

Grouping the "informed" and "uninformed" Democrats, you can see that 50 per cent favor the loyalist position. But the Democratic Executive Committee can count on only 31 per cent effective support from its party members

Texas Voters Favor Loyalty To Party In Seeking And Holding State Office

AUSTIN, Texas, July 15.—The position taken by the State Democratic Committee that only loyal party members should be allowed to seek office under the party banner has the support of a majority of rank and file Texas Democrats.

Recently the committee tried to bar McDonald from running in the July 22 Democratic primary on grounds he was not a loyal party member. The Texas Supreme Court decided, however, that McDonald was entitled to have his name on the ballot. The court held in effect that it was a question for the voters to decide whether or not McDonald was a loyal Democrat.

The fight centers over the fact that McDonald supported Republican candidates for President in 1940, 1944, and 1948. He has pledged himself to vote for the nominees of the July 22 primary. But he will not commit himself in advance to support the Democratic nominee for President in 1952.

RE-ELECT J. E. McDonald
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because the rest either are uninformed or don't agree with the committee.
 Also to be taken into account in the controversy are the views of independent and Republican voters who may cast ballots in the Democratic primary. Fifty-five per cent of these said they favor allowing a supporter of Republican presidential candidates to run for office on the Democratic ticket.

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CARD OF THANKS
 Mr. and Mrs. Pat Peters wish to thank their many friends and relatives who made it possible for their Golden Wedding celebration. They thank you from the bottom of their hearts for the beautiful flowers, gifts and food. They wish for their many friends the blessings of a happy, prosperous life. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Pat) Peters

NOTICE OF COUNTY INTENTION TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF OFFICE BUILDING.
 SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to A. C. Sharp, County Judge, Dickens County, at Dickens, Texas will be received at the office of the County Judge until 10 o'clock A. M., on the 1st day of August 1950, for the purpose of constructing one office building in Dickens, Texas

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 To The Voters of Dickens County:

Several months ago I made known through the TEXAS SPUR that I was in the race for County Judge of Dickens County, Texas. Since that time I have tried to see each of you personally. I know that there are some that I did not get to see, and I would like for you to consider this a personal solicitation for your vote.

I have worked for and with the public all of my life. I worked with the Texas State Highway Department for six years; served as County and District Clerk of Kent County for eight years, and since that time have been engaged in business for myself. During the time I served as County and District Clerk I was at all times in close contact with the office of County Judge; keeping the minutes of the Commissioners Court, Probate Court, County Court and District Court. I do know and understand the operation of county government, and at the same time I know and realize the responsibilities of a County Judge.

If I am elected as your County Judge, I promise to discharge the duties of that office to the best of my ability.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank each of you for the wonderful reception that you have given me during my campaign, and again may I solicit your vote and influence.

VAN NORTH.

VOTE AS YOU PLEASE, BUT PLEASE VOTE

Saturday, July 22, 1950, Is Election Day. Don't Waste One of The Greatest Privileges of Our American Way of Life.

Spur Chamber of Commerce
 L. M. HUFF, Jr., Sec.-Mgr.

Robert W. Calvert
 OF HILL COUNTY
 is a candidate for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, Place 2.

As a former member and Speaker of the House of Representatives, County Attorney of Hill County, and Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, Mr. Calvert has rendered faithful public service. His friends in this county respectfully solicit your vote for

Robert W. Calvert

In this case FEELING IS BELIEVING

No, the eye does not tell everything—not in this instance. True, it tells you ROADMASTER is smart. It tells you it's big. It shows, if you watch closely, that this brawny beauty rides level and unperturbed even when road-roughness has its wheels fairly dancing.

A glance may even indicate how much lolling comfort there is here—what wide-open freedom passengers and driver know in this gay traveler.

But how can the eye tell you how you feel touching off the great power that's under this broad bonnet?

How can it reveal the silken, swift-mounting surge of oil-cushioned take-off—smooth, silky, unbroken, as Dynaflo Drive works its magic?

Even when you watch a ROADMASTER settle down to a long steep pull and crest the top going away, how can it tell you what thrill your spirits get from such ability?

And what can it say of the lift that's yours traveling in a beauty that catches all eyes, swivels passing heads, marks you by its very lines as traveling in as fine a car as any man can ask for?

No, these things you have to feel for yourself, and we're delighted to help you do so.

Your Buick dealer wants you to know about ROADMASTER firsthand—wants you to drive it, try it, feel it out.

It doesn't cost a cent to arrange such a trial. It can do a lot toward opening your eyes to the day's highest standard of fine-car feel and fine-car action—not to mention "why pay more?" prices.

How about seeing your dealer right away?

Only BUICK has Dynaflo Drive* and with it goes:
 HIGHER-COMPRESSION Fireball valve-in-head power in three engines. (New F-263 engine in SUPER models.) • NEW-PATTERN STYLING, with MULTI-GUARD forefront, taper-through fenders, "double bubble" taillights • WIDE-ANGLE VISIBILITY, close-up road view both forward and back • TRAFFIC-HANDY SIZE, less over-all length for easier parking and garaging, short turning radius • EXTRA-WIDE SEATS cradled between the axles • SOFT BUICK RIDE, from coil-springing, Safety-Ride rims, low-pressure tires, ride-steadying torque-tube • WIDE ARRAY OF MODELS with Body by Fisher.

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 This rugged front end (1) sets the style note, (2) saves on repair costs—vertical bars are individually replaceable, (3) avoids "locking horns," (4) makes parking and garaging easier.

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CHAMBER OF COMMERCE DOINGS SPUR TEN YEARS BEHIND STATES C. OF C. MGR.; AWAKENING URGED

What does another town have that our town doesn't have? Why does one city, of comparable size, income and potential growth, outstrip another in buildings, beauty, recreational facilities, commercial development and population?

By comparison, Spur has been behind in its progress and obligations to its citizens for several years. Let's look at Stamford, Paducah, Hereford or Decatur, all are of the same category and comparable size, yet each of these cities have forged ahead in municipal development and growth, and city expansion.

HOW ABOUT SPUR?

Spur has one of the best trade territories in West Texas for a town of its size. It has capable and intelligent leaders, good educational facilities and an excellent location, but we have not been able to keep pace with other towns of our size.

Could it be that we have been asleep for the past 10 years? Have we failed to realize the responsibility placed upon our shoulders as citizens? Could it be that our taxes are not properly equalized and do not furnish enough income to meet even the present low city budget — a budget that is too low to accomplish the job of developing our city? Have we as citizens, given up the idea of city beautification, nicer residential sections, better recreational facilities and larger commercial development? Could it be that we are content with what we have without giving thought to the future?

VOTE AS YOU PLEASE BUT PLEASE VOTE!

Russia had an election in March of this year. The voters had only one choice — Joe's name was at the top of the list — but almost 100 per cent of those eligible voted.

Spur has an election coming up July 22. What percentage of local citizens will take the trouble to go to the polls is hard to determine, but in the past far too many persons failed to register their preferences. One of our greatest privileges we have under our democratic form of government is the chance to vote and it is strange that out of 7,200 people in our county only 2109 consider it a privilege.

The Chamber of Commerce would like to urge each and every one to vote. It wouldn't be funny if we do vote for Joe here in the United States, but it could happen. IT'S UP TO YOU.

MEMBERSHIP IN THE C. OF C.

Many of our local citizens have been inquiring concerning membership in the Spur Chamber of Commerce. The purpose of this organization is to organize and weld the citizenship of Spur and Dickens County so that they shall, through a unified and democratic Chamber of Commerce, work together in the fostering and promotion of all things pertaining to the welfare, betterment and continued growth of the City of Spur and Dickens County.

We are always happy to have anyone who wishes to become a member of our organization and who is interested in working together for this purpose. Information concerning membership can be obtained in the office of the Chamber of Commerce or by writing to the Spur Chamber of Commerce, Box 11, Spur, Texas.

OUR PARKING PROBLEM:

Since the parking is getting worse instead of better, the Chamber of Commerce would like to urge all employees and employers to please use the parking area behind your store. It is almost impossible to find parking accommodations in Spur and many of our local citizens have complained about the parking situation.

If our local business men and their employees would use the alley, it would relieve the parking situation considerably for your customers. Please cooperate with your neighboring merchants and refrain from parking in front of their establishments.

W. F. Godfreys Tour European Countries

After two year of planning and almost six months of waiting for passports, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Godfrey left Monday for New York City where they will sail on the Queen Elizabeth, July 22, for Southampton, England. With a party of American tourists, the Godfreys will spend one week in England before traveling to the continent to visit in Brussels, Holland, Germany, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, the Riviera and France. A trip through Scotland is a tentatively planned excursion for the group.

"The current international situation dampened our plans somewhat, but we were advised that no restrictions would be placed upon the trip and to consider it a peacetime tour," reported Godfrey. They will sail from Cherbourg, France about Aug. 30, and are scheduled to arrive in New York on September 2.

Station Registers 2.85 For July Rainfall

Rainfall for July, 1950, has already registered above the normal 1.96 inches, according to a report from the Spur Experiment station. A total of 2.85 inches has been recorded at the station for the month of July.

The Spur area has received 40.76 inches of moisture so far this year, which is 1.17 inches above normal.

Crop conditions are reported to be very favorable in all sections of the county. No hail has been reported during the past several days when severe electrical disturbances whipped through the area. Tree limbs were broken and roofs were reported slightly damaged by high winds.

What was first believed to have been a lightning strike setting off the fire alarm Sunday night was actually a shorted fuse causing the siren to blow intermittently during the evening.

A breakdown of the rainfall percentages during the first part of July follows: July 5, 24; July 7, 33; July 8, 127; July 12, 14; July 13, 99; July 17, 53; July 18, 25.

Bond Sales Rocket Above County Quota

Dickens county, with sales of \$32,100 against a quota of \$29,000, has purchased more than its share of the amount asked in its Independence Drive of Series E United States savings bonds through July 7.

Only one neighboring county, Garza, had met its quota when these figures were released. With a quota of \$9,000, Garza people purchased \$9,287.25 of the Series E certificate.

Kent county had raised only \$43,25 of its \$2,000 quota; Motley residents, slacked to \$4,875, as against their \$16,000 quota, and Kinney county had raised only \$200 above its quota with 110.69 per cent attained in the drive. Garza ranks second in this area with 103.3; Motley shows 30.47; and Kent has attained 21.56 per cent.

Candidates Wind Up Campaigning; Voters To Cast Their Ballots Saturday, July 22

Marilyn Sechrist Dies Rites Read July 16

Funeral services for Marilyn Joyce Sechrist, eight year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sechrist of Spur, were held at 3 p. m., July 16, in the First Christian church.

Marilyn Joyce died July 15, after a week's illness. She was born Feb. 24, 1942, in Spur and had lived here all her life. She became a member of the First Christian church in August, 1949.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sechrist; three sisters, Norma, Betty and Texas; grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Sechrist, Ralls, and Mrs. Luvelva Young of Arizona.

Funeral bearers were Mansel Bragg, George Gabriel, Carl Murray and Season Reynolds.

Interment was in Spur cemetery with Chandler Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Dodgers Rock Cards 14-5 For Third Win

The Green Dodgers and Highway Cardinals, local girls' baseball teams, met at the East Ward football ground for a seven inning, fast-moving ball game last week, the Dodgers leading with a final score of 14-5.

This win racks three in a row for the Dodgers; their second came when they bowled the Spurets for a nine point lead in the first inning of last Wednesday's game. The Dodgers held the first three up and the first three down, ending the game still out in front, leading 17-5.

Manager of the Dodgers are J. B. Haralson and Al Marcy.

Farmall Wins 10-7 Over Proctor's Team

The Farmall House team handed their first defeat in the second round last Thursday, 10-7. The Farmall team was runner-up in the first half, losing only to Proctors. In the other game played last Thursday, the V. F. W. humbled McNutt's boys 9-5.

These are the only games that have been played in the second round. Games between Proctor's and McNutt's and between the Lions and Fireboys were rained out Tuesday.

Tonight the Farmall boys meet the Fireboys in the first game and the V. F. W. plays the Lions in the second.

Next Tuesday Proctor's meets the Fireboys and the Lions play McNutt's.

JUDGE, SHERIFF, SUPERINTENDENT RACES DUE TO BE CLOSE

Texas Poll Shows Shivers Favorite In Last - Minute Check With Voters

Saturday, July 22, 1950 is election day in the state of Texas. Pollsters and political columnists throughout the state are predicting a small turnout and local indications are that interest is low and the total ballots cast will be low.

With but three county candidates unopposed, some close races are in store for important county positions.

The hottest race, according to popular opinion, will be for county judge. Judge A. C. Sharp, running for re-election, is opposed by two well-known and capable men, Van R. North and Wm. H. Hindman.

For county school superintendent, Robert Williams is opposed by Dee R. Hailgrove. This race will possibly result in the closest finish of them all.

Interest is also high in the race for sheriff. C. C. Kimmel is receiving strong opposition by both Russell Dan Williams and Constable H. T. Burger. The possibility for a run-off for both this office and the office of county judge is indicated to be strong.

Here in precinct 3 of Dickens county, the eyes of the voters will be watching the wide-open race for Constable. Burger has announced for Sheriff, so the position will be filled by one of Byron Jenkins, George C. Robinson or P. G. Pierce. (P. G. Pierce's name is misspelled on the official ballot—the initials P. C. on the ballot should read P. G.)

Election returns will be posted as soon as totals are received from the various boxes.

By Joe Belden
Director, The Texas Poll
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Davis Funeral Held At Roaring Springs

J. J. Davis, for several years a resident of Roaring Springs, died July 15 in Denver, Colorado.

At the time of his death, Davis was visiting in the home of a daughter. Funeral services were held at 3:30 p. m., July 18, in the Roaring Springs Methodist church, with Rev. W. J. Knoy officiating.

Funeral bearers included J. Frank Graham, John King, D. J. Dwyer, W. F. Gilbert, Jim Simmons, and Richard Ensey.

Survivors include a granddaughter, Mrs. J. M. McCleskey, of Roaring Springs.

MacDonald Funeral home of Matador was in charge of all arrangements. Interment was in Roaring Springs cemetery.

Koonie Park Scene Of Four Games

Koonie Park in Dickens will be the scene of four inter-city baseball games this week and next, manager of the park.

At 8:30 p. m. tonight a Spurets game, made up mostly of the boys who played on the Spur Junior American Legion team, will meet a team from Ralls.

Friday night at 8:30, Dickens meets Hamlin. On Sunday afternoon, July 23, Merkel will play Dickens at 2:30 p. m.

Tuesday, July 25, the Dickens club will meet the Sandlin Gro. every team from Lubbock.

In Spur Saturday night, the attending Texas Tech this summer. They drove on to San Angelo to visit with Mrs. Hatcher.

New Arrivals

A son, Lawrence Douglas, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Merle L. Olson in Nebraska City, Neb., July 13. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wright of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nickels, Spur, are parents of a daughter, weighing 7 pounds and 4 ounces, born July 12 in Crosbyton hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. W. Smith, residents of Spur for 17 years.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Welborn returned last week from a fifteen-day visit with relatives in South and East Texas. In San Antonio they visited with his sister, Mrs. Grace King, and in Mesquite with another sister, Mrs. Seth Bostic. In Waco they were guests of his brother, George Welborn, and in Valley Mills they visited in the home of another brother, Payne Welborn, before returning to Spur.

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Spur Girl Enrolls In Band School

Betty Sechrist, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sechrist, recently enrolled for the summer vacation band school at McMurry college.

The school will be conducted July 24-Aug. 5 and will cover general musicianship, elementary and intermediate music theory, twirling, conducting and marching.

Bennett Rites Held In Michigan July 10

Services for Mrs. Lillian Bennett, 39, former Dickens resident, were held July 10 in Detroit, Mich. She was born Lillian Edwards on August 27, 1911, in Dickens, and had been in ill health for three years. She died July 8.

Among the survivors are her husband, Art Bennett; parents, Mrs. William Bouchard and Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt, Detroit, Mich.; one sister, Erna; two brothers, Jackie and Charlie; grandmother, Mrs. Hattie Kennedy; Dickens; husband, Art Bennett; parents, six aunts, Mrs. Pearl Richey, Mrs. Ruth Partridge, Mrs. Maud Haddock and Mrs. Mattie Edwards all of Dickens; Mrs. Goldie Nichols, Baird; Mrs. Ida Stayden, Spur; five uncles, Orville, Ted, Vernon, Lewis and Kennedy; several cousins, nieces and nephews also survive.

Interment was in Arcadia Park cemetery, Detroit, with W. F. Hackett and Sons Funeral home in charge of arrangements.

Collision On Bridge Causes Little Damage

A two-car collision on the bridge one mile east of Spur resulted in no injuries and slight damage to both vehicles last Friday evening.

The accident occurred at dusk when the cars, both 1940 models, collided upon the bridge. Approximately \$30 to \$40 damage to each car was reported by local officers who investigated.

Failure to observe a car already on the bridge and no brakes were given as cause of the accident.

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Spurets Score 7-2; To Meet Plainview

Spurets will meet the Plainview Southwesterns, both girls' baseball clubs, at 8:30 p. m., July 21, in the stadium diamond.

Preparing for the clash with the out-of-towners, the Spurets took a 7-2 score from the Green Dodgers in a Monday night game. Van North is manager of the locals.

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SAMPLE BALLOT

- FOR GOVERNOR:** (Mrs.) Benita Louise Marek Lawrence of Washington County
- FOR TREASURER:** Jesse James of Travis County
- FOR COMMISSIONER OF AGRICULTURE:** Tom Faircy of Travis County, Charlie McClinton of Colorado County, John C. White of Wichita County, J. E. McDonald of Travis County
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 2:** F. J. Offield, T. J. Randolph
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 3:** Joe Draper, Muri Foreman, Arner Watson
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 4:** G. C. Pierce, E. J. Nichols, Earl Robertson
- FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PREC. 1:** W. M. Malone
- FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PREC. 1:** A. B. Winkler
- FOR CONSTABLE, PRECINCT 1:** Byron Jenkins, George C. Robinson, P. G. Pierce
- FOR COUNTY CHAIRMAN, DEMOCRATIC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE:** M. H. Brannen
- FOR PRECINCT CHAIRMEN:** Prec. 1 H. A. C. Brummett — Dickens, Prec. 2 Ernest Nolan — Eldon, Prec. 3 B. S. Haney — Afton, Prec. 4 Archer Powell — Dry Lake, Prec. 6 Emmet Hagins — Gilpin, Prec. 7 Roland Murchins — Wichita, Prec. 8 Floyd Forrest — Dumont, Prec. 9 W. C. Pernell — Croton, Prec. 10 Martin Pope — West Spur, Prec. 11 R. R. Wooten — McAdoo, Prec. 12 C. E. Goodwin — Duncan Flat, Prec. 16 J. I. Mecon — East Spur
- FOR REPRESENTATIVE OF 82nd CONGRESS, 19th CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:** George Mahon of Mitchell County, Anton Mike Rupp of Howard County
- FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF THE COURT OF CIVIL APPEALS:** Herbert C. Martin of Lamb County, W. N. Stokes of Wilbarger County, Kyle Vick of McLennan County
- FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 118TH DISTRICT:** N. C. Outlaw of Garza County, Sterling Williams of Scurry County
- FOR DISTRICT JUDGE:** Alton B. Chapman of Floyd County
- FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY:** John B. Stapleton of Floyd County
- FOR STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION:** E. H. Boulter of Lubbock County
- FOR COUNTY JUDGE:** W. H. Hindman, Van R. North, A. C. Sharp
- FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY:** A. W. Walker
- FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT:** Robert Williams, Dee R. Hailgrove
- FOR SHERIFF:** Russell Dan Williams, C. C. Kimmel, H. T. Burger
- FOR COUNTY-DISTRICT CLERK:** L. J. Varnell
- FOR COUNTY TREASURER:** Ava Johnson
- FOR COMMISSIONER, PRECINCT 5:** Roy Ward, Forest L. Edwards
- FOR ASSOCIATE JUSTICE OF SUPREME COURT (Place 1):** Fagan Dickson of Bexar County, Will Wilson of Dallas County, Walter L. Wray of Dallas County
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TO THE VOTERS OF THE 118TH REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT:

I have tried hard to see every one of you but in a district as large as this that is practically impossible. I might have taken the easy way and procured poll tax lists, had form letters printed and stayed in a comfortable office and mailed them to you but in so doing I would have shown a total lack of interest in you and your problems and view points.

It is my belief that your representative should make as many personal contacts and acquaintances as possible in order that you may know him and he may know you, and that he may acquaint himself with your views, your needs and your problems because it should be his purpose, and will be mine, to represent the view point, serve the needs and solve the problems of his constituency to the best of his ability. That cannot be accomplished without

personal acquaintances of at least a major portion of the people of the district.

Two years ago Texas had a surplus of 90 million dollars in the general revenue fund. The last legislature spent that 90 million, created a deficit of over 167 million dollars and increased the cost of your state government to the unprecedented amount of 514 million dollars. MY OPPONENT WAS A MEMBER OF THAT LEGISLATURE.

ISLATURE. I oppose extravagance in government and believe in adherence to sound democratic principles.

you see fit to honor me and my county with this important office you have my pledge of devotion to its duties and loyalty to you and the people of the district. Whether in Post or Austin shall

always be as close to you as your nearest telephone.

Respectfully submitted,
N. C. OUTLAW.

WANT ADS GET RESULTS

Political Announcements

The TEXAS SPUR is authorized to announce the following candidates for offices in Dickens County subject to the Democratic primaries.

FOR SHERIFF, TAX COLLECTOR-ASSESSOR

H. T. Burger
Charlie Kimmel (re-election)
Russell Don Williams

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENT

Dee R. Haigrove
Robert Williams (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY CLERK

L. J. (Jake) Varnell, Jr. (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY TREASURER

Ava Johnson (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY JUDGE

W. H. Hindman
Van B. North
A. C. Sharp (re-election)

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 1

Forrest L. Edwards
Roy Ward (re-election)

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 2

E. J. Offield (re-election)

DICKENS COUNTY ATTORNEY

Alfred Walker

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT 3

Joe Draper
Muri Foreman
Arner Watson (re-election)

COMMISSIONER PRECINCT

E. J. Nickels
George Pierce (re-election)
W. E. (Earl) Robertson

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT 3

W. M. Malone (re-election)

DISTRICT ATTORNEY, 110 JUDICIAL DIST. STATE OF TEXAS

John B. Stapleton (re-election)

STATE REPRESENTATIVE 118th REPRESENTATIVE DISTRICT — STATE OF TEXAS

N. C. Outlaw
Sterling Williams

Specialists To Hold Palsey Clinic Aug. 14

A clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children will be held Monday, Aug. 14. Five specialists will be present at the Center to examine children.

Cerebral palsy is a condition which may be present from birth or may be caused by childhood diseases as whooping cough or measles, or by head injuries. Under treatment, many of these children improve to the extent that they can care for themselves, attend school or become employable. Treatment begun at an early age is most effective.

Parents interested in bringing children to the clinic on August 14, are requested to register the child at the Center at some time before the clinic date. Further information may be obtained by contacting Dr. Esther Soell, Director of the Treatment Center, 3502 Avenue N. or by calling Lubbock 6541.

GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

BYRON JENKINS

Candidate For Constable
PRECINCT 1.
Your Vote And Influence Will Be Appreciated on July 22.

Dry Lake Community News

Dry Lake community reports well-distributed rainfall over the past several days. Farmers are beginning to get their crops in good order for a growing period.

The Methodist church has a new pastor. Dry Lake Methodists are among the most endeavoring congregation in this area. The Dry Lake Baptist church will begin a summer meeting on August 11. Everyone is cordially invited to come and bring a friend. The meeting will last through two

Sundays

We still continue to have community meetings on the second and fourth Wednesday nights of each month. Assistants of the Dry Lake community are asked to attend the meetings, and aid in making the community a better place to live.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon and family recently visited relatives in Lockney. While there, they were guests of her sister's family. Mr. and Mrs. Dail Williams, Billie Muri and Faydell remained in Lockney for a week's visit. The Lon Bass family went fishing Friday, and having fisherman's luck returned without having caught any fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kidd attended a reunion with relatives Friday. They reported a nice time.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon gave a birthday party honoring their son, Billie Muri, on his ninth birthday, July 14. Guests were served cookies and iced drinks and played croquet and other games. Billie received many gifts.

Workers Conference Program WATSON BAPTIST CHURCH

Theme: Loyalty
JULY 28, 1950

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| 10:00 A. M. Song Service | Luther Bilberry |
| 10:15 A. M. Scripture and prayer | Darvin Callihan |
| 10:25 A. M. Loyalty to Christ | Roy Boles |
| 10:30 A. M. Loyalty to Church | Morris Denson |
| 11:15 A. M. Announcements | |
| 11:20 A. M. Organizer's report | H. L. Burnam |
| 11:25 A. M. Special Music | Lee Dewees |
| 11:30 A. M. Loyalty to Denomination | C. Melvin Rethal |
| 12: LUNCH | |
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| 2:00 Song Service | Luther Bilberry |
| 2:10 Sermon | O. L. Dewees |

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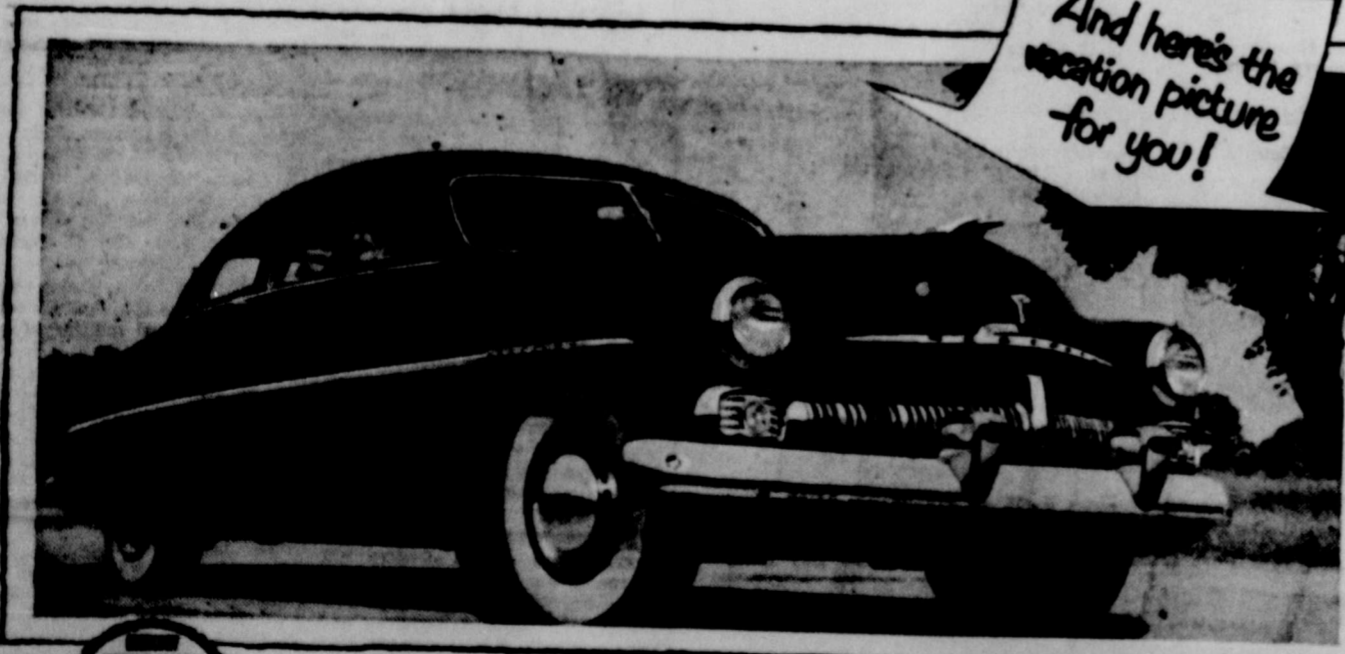
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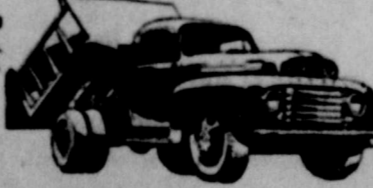


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Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Peters Entertain On Golden Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Pat) Peters, Dickens, celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary with open house on July 9, 1950. They were married July 8, 1900, at Dumont, and have made their home in Dickens county with the exception of one year spent in East Texas. For 37 years they resided on the family homestead north of Dickens. Mrs. Peters is the former Nannie Elmore. Assisting in the celebration were two daughters and their families, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker and Ona Beth, Lorenzo, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Young, Pat and Nancy, Abernathy, and several friends and relatives of the couple from New Mexico, Oklahoma and other points in Texas. Seven brothers of Mr. Peters attended the celebration, the first time they had been together in many years. Picnic lunches were served on outdoor tables to 300

guests. Gifts and flowers were presented to the couple during the afternoon.

Mary Munden Weds W. C. Nelson July 14

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Munden are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Mary, to W. C. Nelson, of Spur. Vows were solemnized at 2:45 p. m., July 14, in the home of Rev. W. M. Draper, pastor of Bethel Baptist church. The bride wore a blue crepe dress with white accessories. The couple went to Big Spring and Lubbock for a wedding trip. Mr. and Mrs. Nelson are at home in Spur where he is employed at Bingham laundry. He also attends the Dickens County Veterans Vocational school. She is an employee of South Panhandle Land and Title company at Dickens.

Simpson - Lassetter Reunion At Leuders

The Simpson and Lassetter families in the Texas-Oklahoma area held their annual reunion, July 16, at Leuders. Approximately 83 persons attended, some of whom had never seen each other. Those enjoying the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Simpson and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray James, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lassetter, Spur; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Leva Simpson and A. B. Girard; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simpson, Cloud Chief, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simpson, Dill City, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Murule Simpson, Cordell, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Simpson, Olathe, Colo.; Mr. A. B. Simpson, Chillicothe; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Simpson, Roby; Mrs. H. B. Kieth and Wayland, Stephenville. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Kieth, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Fisher and boys, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Kieth, Jr., and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne

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Pink - Blue Shower Fetes Mrs. Leon Huff

Mrs. Leon Huff was honored at a pink and blue shower in the home of Mrs. Bill Glenn, July 13. Assisting with hostess duties from 4 until 6 o'clock were Mrs. Edna Caudle, Mrs. C. P. Scudder and Dale Young. Garden flowers decorated the entertainment rooms. Punch with pink and blue cakes and nuts were served to approximately 30 guests.

Cauthen Circle Has Mission Program

Members of the Eloise Cauthen circle of the First Baptist church met at 4 p. m., Monday, in the home of Mrs. Walter Johnston. The program, "Prayer Available Much," taken from their mission study book, was taught by Mrs. C. P. Scudder. Mrs. Calvin Davis, co-chairman, presided over the meeting. Refreshments of cakes, small sandwiches and cookies were served to Misses Alfred Walker, W. F. Patrick, Calvin Davis, C. P. Scudder, E. E. Caudle and the hostess, Mrs. Johnston.

Christal - Olds Vows To Be Solemnized

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Olds of Sudan announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Yvonne, to James Pat Christal of Spur, which will take place Sunday at 2 p. m. in their home. Miss Olds has been employed at a Lubbock radio station and has a 1946 graduate of Spur High school and recent graduate of Texas Tech, is employed by an oil company at Wichita Falls.

Former Resident To Marry In Waco

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Wolfe of 701 North 12th Street, Waco, are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Elizabeth, to Bob Morris of that city. Elizabeth is a 1938 graduate of Spur High school. The Wolfes are former residents of Spur, having lived here 7 years. In making this announcement, they invite all their friends to Spur to attend the ceremony. The couple will be married in North Waco Baptist church at 8 p. m. on Sept. 2.

Bagby Circle Meets With Mrs. Shockley

Ten members of Bagby circle of First Baptist W.M.U. met at 9 o'clock Monday morning in the home of Mrs. Sally Shockley. "The World May Know," a chapter from the circle's mission book, was taught by Mrs. Joe B. Long. Mrs. W. S. Patrick gave the devotional. Those attending were Misses T. J. Seale, John Adams, John Hazlewood, G. B. Morris, Roscoe McCamba, W. S. Patrick, Myrtle Whitwell, Hattie Turvan, Joe Long and the hostess, Mrs. Shockley.

Lockett Circle Has Monday Meeting

Mrs. L. W. Langston was hostess to the Lockett circle of the First Baptist church Monday afternoon. A mission study, "Practice of Prayer," was conducted. Punch and cookies were served to seven members. Those attending included Misses L. C. Ponder,

H. L. Burnham, Henry Gruben, E. L. Smith, J. A. Marsh, the hostess, Mrs. Langston, and Miss Saphria Ponder.

Dry Lake Club Has Health Program

The Dry Lake Home Demonstration club met in the home of

Mrs. Jack Gordon for a regular meeting on July 12. After the business meeting an interesting program on Health was given, followed by a health quiz. A refreshment plate was served to Misses Ether Ballard, Jerry Ballard, Dopson, McMahan, Pickens, Lassetter and Hotcho. **WATCH Your Expiration Date.**

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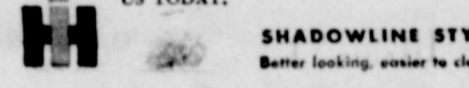
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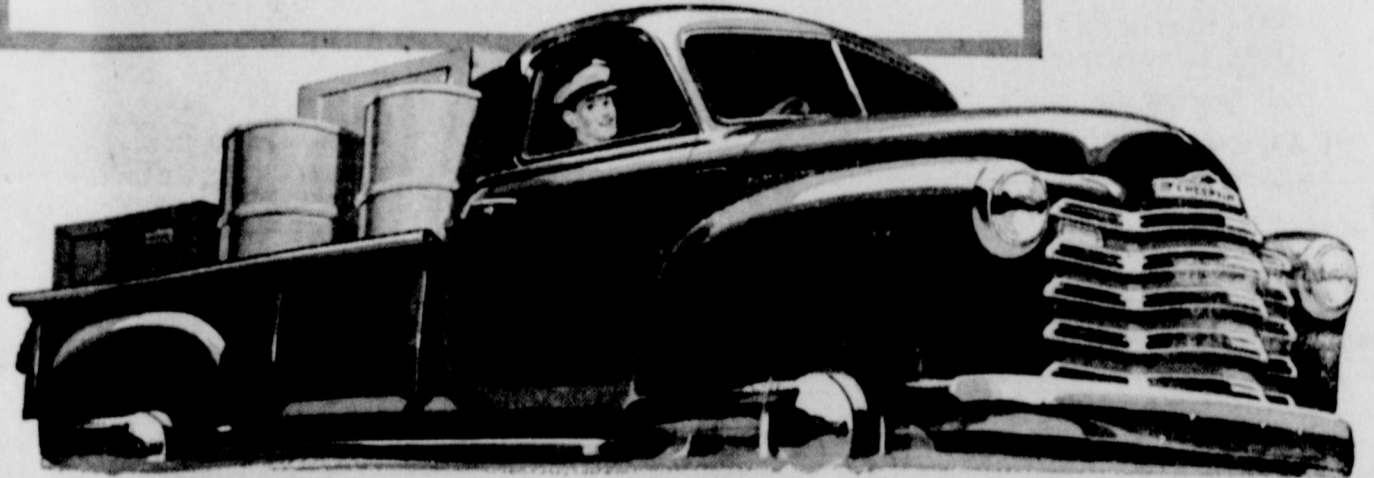
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Hill - Walden Vows Read In Lubbock

Miss Tillie Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hill of Snyder, and Charles Ray Walden, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Walden of Lubbock, were married in the parlor of Lubbock First Methodist church Saturday evening. Rev. Uel D. Crosby officiated at the double ring ceremony.

White daisies in baskets stood on both sides of the fireplace and daisies and ferns covered the mantel. "Because" and "Indian Love Call" were played by the organist. Robbie Clemmons, a former Spur resident.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white pique suit and white accessories. Her corsage was a white orchid. Attending the bride was Miss Jo Ann Henderson, maid of honor. She wore a navy crepe dress with navy accessories and a corsage of yellow lilies. Mr. Walden served his son as best man.

A centerpiece of daisies adorned the Madiera cloth covered table at the reception in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Walden, 2329 Fifteenth street. The bridal cake was decorated in yellow and white, the bride's chosen colors.

and was topped with a miniature bride and bridegroom. In the receiving line were members of the wedding party, the bride's mother and Mrs. W. R. Walden. Misses Helen Carlisle and Majorie and Patsy Previtt assisted in serving. Mrs. Walden formerly lived at Spur where she was graduated from Spur High school and has attended Texas Tech. He is a May graduate of Tech. The couple will live in Lubbock.

SETTLE - WRIGHT VOWS READ

Miss Edna Wright and Olyn Dean Settle were married at 11 p. m. July 17, in the Crosbyton home of Rev. Carl Grission, Baptist minister. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Conner and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Settle, all of Spur.

The bride wore an orchid eylet dress with red accessories. The couple will live in Spur.

Greaves - Simmons Vows Read July 10

Jaynette Greaves, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Greaves, Spur, and G. W. Simmons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Simmons, were married in a double ring ceremony in Portales, N. M., July 10. Rev. Doyle, pastor of the First Baptist church, officiated at the service.

The bride wore a pink satin dress with blue accessories. Witnessing the ceremony were Mrs. Dock Terrill, Causey, N. M., aunt of the bride, and mothers of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Simmons visited Carlsbad Caverns and points in New Mexico on their wedding trip. They will live in Spur where he is employed by Bryant-Link company.

Both the young people attended Spur High school, where he graduated in 1948.

Wesleyan Guild Meets In Home Of Mrs. Lawis Lee

Wesleyan Service Guild members met in regular business session, July 10, in the backyard of Mrs. Lawis Lee's home.

Mrs. C. O. Fox, president, called the meeting to order. Plans were made to entertain husbands of the group with a supper at the next meeting. A flower committee, composed of Mrs. Nina King, Mrs. Jack Rector, and Mrs. O. D. Thompson, was appointed.

Refreshments of cupcakes and cakes were served to the following: Misses Raul English, C. O. Fox, Marion Hurst, G. W. Johnson, Jr., Nina King, Harry Miller, O. D. Thompson, Jack Rector, Raymond Higginbotham, Lane Bachman and the hostess, Mrs. Lawis Lee.

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LEGAL NOTICE

W. F. FOREMAN VS NAT P. SHAW, ET AL. THE STATE OF TEXAS, IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF DICKENS COUNTY, TEXAS.

TO NAT P. SHAW, HARRY RAMSEY, THOMAS MCGEE and J. T. GARDNER, if living, and if not living, then to their heirs, legal representatives and-or assigns, if living, and if not living, then to their heirs, legal representatives and-or assigns and to all persons claiming any title or interest in land under deed heretofore given to Nat P. Shaw of Donley County, Texas as grantee and recorded in Vol. 17 pages 601-602 of the Deed Records of Dickens County, Texas.

State Fair Features Boost Farm Interest

The Mid-Century presentation of Texas agriculture during the 1950 State Fair of Texas, Oct. 7-22, will feature a greater variety of farm products and highly developed techniques and procedures designed to raise farm incomes, Ray W. Wilson, agriculture department manager, has announced.

Progress of this two-billion dollar industry will be displayed in colorful and spectacular exhibits in the Agriculture Building, he said. The agricultural extravaganza will be colorfully showcased by the Lambert Landscape Company of Dallas, for greater eye appeal.

An outstanding exhibit of Texas soil and soil characters will be featured in the Texas A. & M. College display. Demonstrations of soil testing and information on plant foods will be given daily.

The Soil Conservation Service and Texas Research Foundation

will show actual living and growing specimens of more than 40 leading varieties of grasses. Grass is fast becoming Texas' leading crop because of its importance to the beef and dairy industries, Wilson said.

The Conservation Service exhibit will be located in the Agriculture Building. The Texas Research Foundation will develop a permanent outdoor display, located across the street from the building.

Supplementing the grass show will be an educational exhibit demonstrating research carried on by the Plant Research Institute of Texas University, in the development of grass farming.

Mid-Century advancements of Texas agricultural researchers and "working farmers" will be displayed through exhibits of leading crops, rural youth activities, irrigation and forestry.

Cultural crop phase displays will include exhibit of wheat, cotton, citrus fruits, grain sorghums, pecans, peanuts, rice, sweet potatoes, vegetables and other leading crops.

A huge animated horn of plenty showing leading farm products in all their natural beauty will tell the story of the growth and development of Texas agriculture.

Walter W. Cardwell, Luling, has been named general superintendent of the Agriculture Show.

PEACE, IT'S WONDERFUL!



"Peace, it's wonderful," sighs this pretty miss, who thinks the Mexicans have a point in their view. She is completely relaxed to enjoy the sun's tanning rays in her play outfit of cotton tickin' by White Stag.

It's Time for BROOKS!

Advertisement for Pierce Brooks, a candidate for Lt. Governor. It features a black and white portrait of a man in a suit and tie, looking directly at the camera. The text is bold and stylized, emphasizing his name and political aspirations.

A small advertisement for Fagan Dickson, a candidate for the Supreme Court. It features a black and white portrait of a man in a suit and tie, with the text "FAGAN DICKSON EARNED YOUR SUPPORT BY FIGHTING FOR YOUR RIGHTS AS THE PEOPLE'S LAWYER UNDER ATTORNEYS GENERAL JERRY MANN GROVER SELLERS PRICE DANIEL Let's elect the QUALIFIED candidate Fagan Dickson SUPREME COURT PLACE NUMBER ONE".

Robert S. Calvert Seeks Re-election

Robert S. Calvert, present Comptroller and candidate for his first elective term, is prominently qualified to continue serving you as your State Comptroller. He comes to you with a record of twenty years' service in the ranks as financial statistician, as Assistant Comptroller, and as Comptroller.

When George H. Sheppard died in 1949, Governor Jester promptly

appointed Calvert, and the Senate as promptly gave him a unanimous vote of confirmation. Earlier, Calvert had sound accounting and executive experience with the Santa Fe Railroad and the First National Bank of Sweetwater, and he has behind him two years overseas service in the Army Air Corps during World War I.

Now with a year and a half of experience behind him as head of this department, and long and intimate background experience in all phases of its functions and

operations, Calvert is asking for his first elective term in the office.

Advertisement for Dr. W. F. Patrick, an optometrist. It includes a black and white illustration of a man's face wearing glasses. The text reads: "Eyes Examined DR. W. F. PATRICK Optometrist 112 E. Harris Phone 499 Hours: 9 am. to 5 p.m. Spur, Texas".

Advertisement for Sterling Williams, seeking state post. The text reads: "Sterling Williams Seeks State Post It has been my privilege to serve as your representative during the past three sessions of the legislature. I am forty-five years old. I have lived my life in this district. I have witnessed all major economic changes through which this

Advertisement for Dr. W. F. Patrick, an optometrist, with contact information: "112 E. Harris Phone 499 Hours: 9 am. to 5 p.m. Spur, Texas".

Advertisement for U.S. Savings Bonds, featuring a black and white illustration of Uncle Sam pointing towards the viewer. The text reads: "Write Your Own Declaration Of Independence WITH REGULAR PURCHASE OF U. S. SAVINGS BONDS Secure financial independence for your years to come with America's safest investment. SAVINGS BONDS! Make regular purchases at each pay period . . . or let us arrange a systematic bond deduction plan from your regular deposits here."

Advertisement for Spur Security Bank, featuring a black and white illustration of a building. The text reads: "SPUR SECURITY BANK Member: Federal Reserve System Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation".

Advertisement for Mr. Farmer, a life insurance agent. The text reads: "MR. FARMER Why not insure with Farm Bureau and participate in profit made? Our Auto Insurance last year paid back 30% of premium; Life Insurance paid 10%; and Fire written with 30%. Experience credit off State rate. STERLING WILLIAMS."

Advertisement for D. P. Smiley, County Service Agent. The text reads: "D. P. Smiley County Service Agent. Why not insure with Farm Bureau and participate in profit made? Our Auto Insurance last year paid back 30% of premium; Life Insurance paid 10%; and Fire written with 30%. Experience credit off State rate."

Advertisement for W. K. Callan, a dentist. The text reads: "W. K. CALLAN DENTIST Spur Security Bank Bldg. Phone 37 Spur."

Advertisement for Campbell's Ambulance Service, featuring a black and white illustration of an ambulance. The text reads: "AMBULANCE SERVICE Air Conditioned Coach CAMPBELL'S".

Advertisement for Dr. W. C. Gruben, an optometrist. The text reads: "Dr. W. C. Gruben OPTOMETRIST Phone 177 Spur, Texas".

Advertisement for Knights of Pythias, featuring a black and white illustration of a pyramid. The text reads: "Knights of Pythias Meet each Mon. Visitors Welcome FIRST BANK Monday Night".

Advertisement for Spur Masonic Lodge, No. 1023. The text reads: "SPUR MASONIC LODGE No. 1023 Regular Meeting JULY 27, 1950".

Advertisement for H. S. Holly Insurance Agent. The text reads: "To our friends and customers: We have decided to close our office at 12:00 o'clock noon on Saturdays during the summer months. Trusting this will not inconvenience you in any way. H. S. HOLLY INSURANCE AGENT SPUR, TEXAS".

Advertisement for Dr. O. R. Cloude, a chiropractor. The text reads: "Dr. O. R. Cloude Chiropractor 108 West 11th Street Spur, Texas".

Advertisement for Howe Radiator Shop. The text reads: "Use HOWE RADIATOR SHOP Oldest Shop in Southwest SPUR, TEXAS".

Advertisement for Money to Loan. The text reads: "Money to LOAN If you are planning on building or buying a home. SEE NONA STARCHER STARCHER INSURANCE AGENCY SEE US FOR YOUR F. H. A AND G. I. LOANS PHONE 30 SPUR".

Advertisement for Willson-Young Lumber Co. The text reads: "FOR RENT: Hillco Floor Sander, Hillco Edger, Floor Polisher, New Concrete Mixer. Willson-Young Lumber Co. Phone 12 NOW you can BUY your complete HOME REPAIRS on a Easy-Pay Budget Plan! New 'Home-Fix-Up' Dept. You can buy both the Labor and Lumber and Pay by the Month."

Advertisement for Nothing Down for 1 Year. The text reads: "NOTHING DOWN UP TO 1 YEAR TO PAY! NO JOB TOO SMALL OR TOO LARGE! ANY WORK FROM THE ROOF DOWN! FIX UP! You can pay as little as \$5.00 per month for complete installations or If you want to do the job yourself, you can buy the materials and pay as you can on our EASY-PAY Budget plan. Either way you save time, worry and money by getting the best workmanship. Let Us Give You A FREE ESTIMATE No obligation to buy anything WHAT WORK DO YOU WANT DONE? Check these necessary improvements: Attics, Bathrooms, Club Cellars, Floors, Garages, Insulation, Kitchens, Pickle Panes, Porches, Remodeling, Roofing, Siding, Storm Eamb, Etc."

BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL DIRECTORY SPUR, TEXAS

Advertisement for H. S. Holly Agency. The text reads: "NICKELS BUTANE Call us any time for courteous service and Quality Products. Day Ph. 95 Nite Ph. 276-J McAdoo Phone 6. H. S. Holly Agency GENERAL INSURANCE AUTO LOANS 'Cash in 10 Minutes' Office Phone 201 Res. Phone 158 Spur, Texas".

Advertisement for Spur Cafe. The text reads: "SPUR CAFE Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Lisenby, Owners PLATE LUNCHES — SHORT ORDERS SANDWICHES GOOD COFFEE — COLD DRINKS".

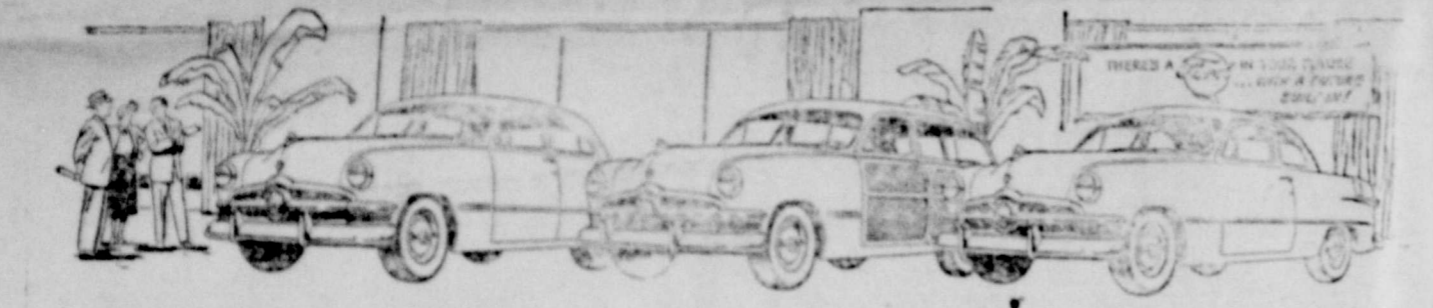
Advertisement for Chandler Funeral Home. The text reads: "Chandler Funeral Home Burial Insurance Plan That Anyone Can Afford Ambulance Service Phone 248 Spur, Texas. Gibson INSURANCE AGENCY GENERAL INSURANCE Day Phone 40 — Night Phone 152".

Advertisement for Star Feed Store and Hatchery. The text reads: "STAR FEED STORE and HATCHERY ALL KINDS FEED — GRINDING SERVICE — We Buy Produce PHONE 32".

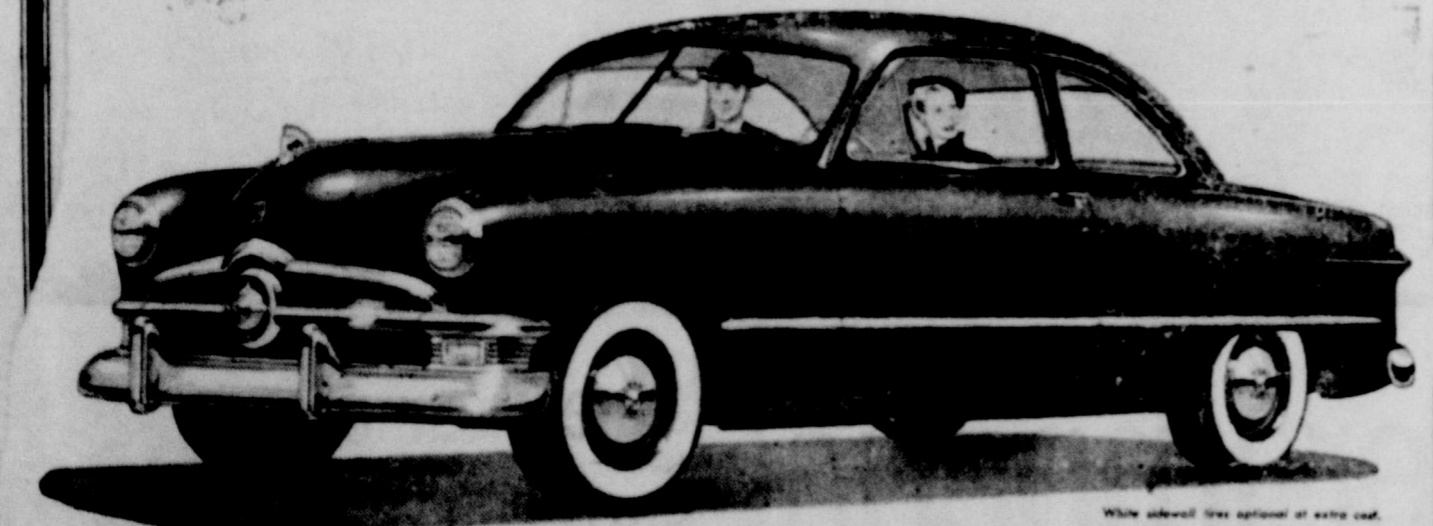
Advertisement for Hill Top Cafe. The text reads: "HILL TOP CAFE — OPEN ALL NIGHT — Serving the Best in Foods Good Coffee — Tobaccos Cold Drinks Mr. and Mrs. Joe Jeffers".

Advertisement for 66 Service Station. The text reads: "66 Service Station WHOLESALE & RETAIL Open 24 Hours Phone 20 Spur. South Panhandle Land Title Company Abstracts of Titles Established 1917 Phones 21 or 55 Dickens, Texas".

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Advertisement for Godfrey & Smart, Spur, Texas. The text reads: "'Test Drive' the FORD 'SIX' today! GODFREY & SMART SPUR, TEXAS".



Mable Harle, Worthy Grand Matron of the Order of the Eastern Star of Texas, presented a check recently for \$45,000 to the hospital to aid crippled children from all over Texas, and Judge Tom...

Texas Voters Favor Loyalty To Party In Seeking And Holding State Office

AUSTIN, Texas, July 15.—The position taken by the State Democratic Committee that only loyal party members should be allowed to seek office under the party banner has the support of a majority of rank and file Texas Democrats. But the committee cannot count on a majority to back up its rights against State Agriculture Commissioner J. E. McDonald, because many party members have never heard about the controversy. Recently the committee tried to bar McDonald from running in the July 22 Democratic primary on grounds he was not a loyal party member. The Texas Supreme Court decided, however, that McDonald was entitled to have his name on the ballot. The court held in effect that it was a question for the voters to decide whether or not McDonald was a loyal Democrat. The fight centers over the fact that McDonald supported Republican candidates for President in 1940, 1944, and 1948. He has pledged himself to vote for the nominees of the July 22 primary. But he will not commit himself in advance to support the Democratic nominee for President in 1952. A few days after the court announced its decision, The Texas Poll put these questions to a statewide cross section of qualified voters:

1. "Do you consider yourself a Democrat, a Republican, or an independent voter?"
2. "Have you heard or read about the fuss between J. E. McDonald, the state agriculture commissioner and the Texas Democratic Executive Committee?"
3. "Do you think a person who supports Republican candidates for President, but votes for Democratic candidates for state offices, should be allowed to run as a Democratic candidate himself?"

The results below are based on only those who profess to be Democrats (71 per cent of the voters interviewed). All who said they had heard or read about the controversy are classified as "informed"; those who sided with the committee are classified as "loyalists".

Classification of Democrats
Informed loyalists 31%
Informed non-loyalists 22%
Informed but neutral 4%
Total who have heard or read about the controversy 57%
Uninformed loyalists 27%
Uninformed non-loyalists 11%
Uninformed and neutral 5%
Total who have not heard or read about the controversy 43%

Grouping the "informed" and "uninformed" Democrats, you can see that 50 per cent favor the loyalist position. But the Democratic Executive Committee can count on only 31 per cent effective support from its party members.

RE-ELECT J. E. McDonald

Commissioner of Agriculture

● PROGRESSIVE
● COURAGEOUS
● FAITHFUL

He is rendering Texas a valuable service and is worthy of your vote.

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The family of Mr. R. E. Dickson acknowledge with deepest gratitude the many expressions of love and sympathy during his illness and death.
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Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hilley
Mrs. W. A. Holley
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Polanovich

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SPUR, TEXAS

Let's Elect . . . ALLAN SHIVERS

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Qualified by Experience
Worked way through University of Texas . . . Experienced as State Senator and Lt. Governor . . . Volunteered in World War II, served overseas . . . Married; father of three children . . . Farmer, businessman, home owner, taxpayer.

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25,000 acres deeded, 7000 acres lease, mostly state. Lots of gram: In A-1 condition; Everything goes; Write or call C. E. Dynart, Clayton, New Mexico. Phone 539-R-1. 38-41p

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Spur, Texas

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COMMISSIONER of the GENERAL LAND OFFICE

HIS OUTSTANDING RECORD
★ TREBLING the Permanent Public Free School Fund. Was \$56,000,000 Now \$160,000,000
★ QUADRUPLED the University and A. & M. Permanent Fund. Was \$27,000,000 Now \$105,000,000
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when footsteps lag, refresh at the familiar red cooler

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YOU GET IT ONLY IN **DODGE TRUCKS**

Power that's right for your job! Your Dodge truck will have plenty of power—and then some! Each Dodge engine is a high-efficiency engine—"Job-Rated" to provide ample power for the weight range of the model in which it's used. To give you this "Job-Rated" power, Dodge makes available 8 different truck engines.

Base Van, Power Wagon	94 HP
B-4 ton, C-4 ton	96 HP
D-1 ton	102 HP
F, G, H-1 1/2 ton, HH-2 ton	109 HP
I, K-2 1/2 ton	114 HP
R-7 1/2 ton	122 HP
T-3 ton, V-2 1/2 ton	128 HP
Y-4 ton	154 HP

Power that's tops for economy and long life! Dodge truck engines are "Job-Rated" to give you high compression, better carburetion, and efficient ignition for low operating costs. Valves seat inerts, four piston rings with the top ring chrome-plated, and many other advanced features, contribute to economy and long life.

Job-Rated ...for low-cost transportation

POWER: ... 8 great truck engines—each "Job-Rated" for PLUS power.
ECONOMY: ... priced with the lowest "Job-Rated" for dependability and long life.
BIGGER PAYLOADS: ... carry more without overloading axles or springs because of "Job-Rated" WEIGHT DISTRIBUTION.

EASIER HANDLING: ... sharper turning! Parks in tight places. "Job-Rated" maneuverability!
COMFORT: ... widest seats ... windshield with best vision of any popular truck. Air-cushioned, adjustable "chair-height" seats.
SAFETY: ... front truck brakes in the industry ... hand brake operating independently on propeller shaft on all models—1/2 ton and up.

Now! **FLUID DRIVE!** Available on all 1 1/2, 3/4, and 1-ton models. Saves wear on over 80 vital parts; lowers upkeep cost, prolongs truck life. Ask for interesting Fluid Drive booklet.

With all their extra value **DODGE "Job-Rated" TRUCKS** are priced with the lowest **JONES MOTOR CO.**
124 - 126 E. Harris Spur, Texas

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 Old Bethel Baptist Church Building. Very Reasonable. See Rev. W. M. Draper at Parsonage. 38-17c

FOR SALE: One 3 room and bath, good location, priced to sell quick. \$2,500. One 5 room and bath on paved street, worth \$3,500., going for \$2,650. Two lots, bath and half well improved for family or could be made into duplex, only \$8,900.

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Will stand a FHA loan. A modern home on West Harris street, terms. You will have to see this house to appreciate the arrangements, \$7,300. See me for your insurance. We can now make a 95% loan for new homes. Starcher Insurance Agency, phone 30, Spur, Texas. 39-21c

FOR SALE: 1939 Ford Tudor. Good tires, new battery. See at Farmall House. 39-11c

FOR SALE: Butane cook stove. Apartment size, slightly used. Also square dining table. Call 251-W. 39-11c

FOR SALE: American Pit Bull puppies, Purple Ribbon registered, whelped July 1. Contact Rip Garner. 39-41p

STOCKER CATTLE FOR SALE: The right kind at the right price. Sell one or a truck load. Two fresh loads ever Friday. See Melvin Adams or Jack Lewis at Farmall Lots. 39-41p

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BARBECUE EVERY FRIDAY. throughout weekend. Next to Rock church, Annie Brown. Come one, come all. 38-27p

FOR SALE: One lot, 50 x 165, on Clarity street, \$315. See Byron Jenkins at barber shop. 39-11c

For Sale: Jeeps and Jeep Pick-ups. New and Used. Braselton Implement Co. Phone 696 or night 636, Roaring Springs. 44-17c

FOR SALE: Batteries 44-65. Exchange. O. K. RUBBER WELDERS. 29-11c

FOR SALE: Large variety late model, clean used cars. Priced very reasonable. Small down payment, easy terms. JONES MOTOR COMPANY, Dodge-Plymouth, Dealer, Spur. 28-11c

GUARANTEED WHIZARD batteries \$3.95 up exchange. Western Auto Assoc. Store, Spur. 29-11c

USE COOP tractor tires or more power and less fuel cost. Consumers Fuel Ass'n 33-11c



RICKEL'S MOTOR CO.
 Spur, Texas

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BUY and SELL used furniture. Howe Trading Post, Spur, Texas. 36-133p

FOR RENT

MOORE'S TRAILER COURT is now ready for business. One mile south of Spur; bath, lights, sewerage and gas. 38-37p

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- A new man for the Supreme Court
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 Wisconsin, Michigan, New Hampshire, New York, North Carolina, and Florida are considered cobalt-deficient areas; farmers in these states are often advised to add this mineral to feeds for cattle and sheep in order to prevent nutritional disorders.

WHAT GOOD PREMIUM motor oil, advertised for 35¢ a quart. We sell 5 gallons for \$15. Consumers Fuel Ass'n 33-11c

THERE IS A BRAND New Floor under your shabby old one. Uncover it by sanding the surface with our rental sanders and edgers. Rates are low. WILLSON-YOUNG LUMBER CO. Spur, Texas. 28-11c

CARBIDE FOR HOME users sold by Consumers Fuel Ass'n 33-11c

LUZIER'S FINE COSMETICS: Selected for your individual requirements by an experienced consultant. Myrtle Whitwell, call 268-W. 52-11c

PLAN NOW TO ATTEND the frozen foods demonstration. See advertisement for time and place. EDWARDS-KELLEY IMP. CO. 39-11c

Do You Have Troubles. Need a plumber prompt service. Reasonable prices. Phone 12. A. H. Shelley Willson & Young Lumber Co. Phone 331M. 20-11c

FOR repairs on electrical appliances and motors call C & W Electric. 15-11c

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WANTED: Painting and paper hanging. Call 340-W or 468-J. (34-41p)

WOMAN WANTED for Secretarial work in Spur. Typing Essential, Shorthand desirable, permanent position with good pay and excellent advancement opportunities. Address Inquiries to SCHLUMBERGER WELL SURVEYING CORP. SPUR, TEXAS

WANTED TO BUY BIRD CAGE or cage and stand. Bob Newman at The Texas Spur. 39-11c

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LOST: Female Pekingese, one eyed. Please notify Mrs. Cal Martin, phone 203-J. 37-31c

LOST: Man's billfold. Contains valuable papers, \$65 bills. Reward. Leave at Texas Spur or see A. M. Hoover. 39-11c

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Peters wish to thank their many friends and relatives who made it possible for their Golden Wedding celebration. They thank you from the bottom of their hearts for the beautiful flowers, gifts and food. They wish for their many friends the blessings of a happy, prosperous life. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. (Pat) Peters

NOTICE OF COUNTY INTENTION TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR CONSTRUCTION OF OFFICE BUILDING.

SEALED PROPOSALS, addressed to A. C. Sharp, County Judge, Dickens County, Texas, will be received at the office of the County Judge until 10 o'clock A. M., on the 1st day of August 1950, for the purpose of constructing one office building in Dickens, Texas.

Building to be 50' by 34'. Puccine tile walls, concrete floor covered with asphalt tile, 6 ft. hall length of building, 6 office rooms in building, 2 rest rooms, partition walls to be Sheet Rock, Celux Ceiling, and Composition Built up Roof. Outer walls 12', ceiling 8'. For additional information see plans and specifications in the office of County Judge at Dickens, Texas.

Robert W. Calvert

OF HILL COUNTY

is a candidate for Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Texas, Place 2.

As a former member and Speaker of the House of Representatives, County Attorney of Hill County, and Chairman of the State Democratic Executive Committee, Mr. Calvert has rendered faithful public service.

His friends in this county respectfully solicit your vote for

Robert W. Calvert

ANNOUNCING OPENING OF
Pope's Produce
 Tomatoes 12 1/2¢ per Lb.
 WATERMELONS
 Fresh Vegetables
WHOLESALE & RETAIL
 On Dickens Highway
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VOTE FOR VAN R. NORTH

COUNTY JUDGE - DICKENS COUNTY

To The Voters of Dickens County:

Several months ago I made known through the TEXAS SPUR that I was in the race for County Judge of Dickens County, Texas. Since that time I have tried to see each of you personally. I know that there are some that I did not get to see, and I would like for you to consider this a personal solicitation for your vote.

I have worked for and with the public all of my life. I worked with the Texas State Highway Department for six years; served as County and District Clerk of Kent County for eight years, and since that time have been engaged in business for myself. During the time I served as County and District Clerk I was at all times in close contact with the office of County Judge; keeping the minutes of the Commissioners Court, Probate Court, County Court and District Court. I do know and understand the operation of county government, and at the same time I know and realize the responsibilities of a County Judge.

If I am elected as your County Judge, I promise to discharge the duties of that office to the best of my ability.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank each of you for the wonderful reception that you have given me during my campaign, and again may I solicit your vote and influence.

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Saturday, July 22, 1950, Is Election Day. Don't Waste One of The Greatest Privileges of Our American Way of Life.

Spur Chamber of Commerce

L. M. HUFF, Jr., Sec.-Mgr.



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But how can the eye tell you how you feel touching off the great power that's under this broad bonnet?

How can it reveal the silken, swift-mounting surge of oil-cushioned take-off—smooth, silky, unbroken, as Dynaflo Drive works its magic?

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And what can it say of the lift that's yours traveling in a beauty that catches all eyes, swivels passing heads, marks you by its very lines as traveling in as fine a car as any man can ask for?

No, these things you have to feel for yourself, and we're delighted to help you do so.

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