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## Whoa, Now!

By Grady Lackey

Columnists throughout the state will be writing literally millions of words this week telling their readers when to vote, how to vote, and why they should vote. But we're going to boil it down to just one big word in the American vocabulary—VOTE.

It's done us all good to have a helping hand in the Blair Family Fund the last couple of weeks. All of you gave generously to the relief of our neighbors, the Blairs. Regardless of your motive in giving—to get your name in the paper, to match the Jones, to get another income tax deduction, or just because you wanted to help a fine couple who needed help—your reason was noble and your response indicative of the high caliber of Spur and West Texas folks.

Just thought the following letter received Tuesday would make good reading:

July 21, 1952  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Grady,

I have wanted to write you for two weeks but seems I can't easily find time for extra things. We just wanted to tell you how very much we have appreciated your interest in us. Your wonderful articles have had such appeal that I know they have helped build the family fund that has made Speck's and Margaret's recovery possible.

We think that Speck will be moved to the veterans' hospital in Lisbon this week. If possible we will have an army ambulance plane to move him. Margaret left to go to Dallas this a. m. so soon we'll all be there. Speck's hospitalization there may be a long thing due to grafts that will be needed.

Before we leave I am going to send you a note of acknowledgment to print in the paper. I want to express our grateful hearts wonderful memories and warmest regards for the wonderful people who made up the Blair Family Fund. If it does not express properly the things I want to say, will you make the necessary corrections?

Let me tell you again how much we appreciate your help.

Sincerely,  
Joyce Blair

Of course we'll print the forthcoming note from Joyce to all of you that have helped, but we feel that this letter should have been addressed to Bob Conner and all the other people who have actively solicited and generously given.

Come Wednesday. It's rodeo time again in Spur!

There's no other time of the year, unless it's Christmas time, when the hearts of Spurrites and Dickens countians are happier, their spirits higher, their fun and fellowship merrier.

Yes, rodeos are true West Texas traditions. We look forward each year to the big parade, the happy children, the world-famous Texas cowboys, the curried ponies, the decorated streets and buildings (and the last minute rush to get the entry cards, score sheets, etc. printed for Eric Swenson).

## 19 Young People To Attend Encampment At Ridgecrest, N. C.

Nineteen young people and sponsors of the First Baptist Church left Spur early Monday morning to attend the Baptist Assembly at Ridgecrest, N. C. Plans were to visit points of interest enroute to Ridgecrest, and to arrive there for the opening sessions this afternoon, Thursday, July 24.

Training Union Week will be observed with emphasis being placed in the various conferences and classes on the work of the Training Union.

Recreation and sight-seeing tours will be conducted during the afternoons of the week, July 24-30, with worship services scheduled for each evening.

Making the trip from the Spur church were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Francis, Jr., Mrs. Joe Long, Ralph Gibson, Melva North, Joe Bruce Long, Neal Hindman, Gwen Ford, Thurman Morrow, Bertha Nell Walker, Gracie Lou Fields, Rita Jo Courtney, Chester Lindsey, Kenneth Swaingen, Kenneth Watson, Sandra Watson, Gayle Reese, Franklin Gabriel, and Jackie Cloude.

## Democrats To Go To Polls Sat. For Primary

### Repairs Made On Co. Courthouse, Jail

The Dickens county courthouse and jail are undergoing a "face-lifting", according to Judge W. H. Hindman, county judge.

Authorized by the county commissioners, the courthouse has been repainted, both interior and exterior, both upstairs and downstairs.

All chairs and other furniture in the county offices have been revarnished and foam rubber cushions purchased. Two air conditioners have been added, one in the sheriff's office and the other in the county treasurer's office. A new check writer has also been supplied for the county treasurer. Venetian blinds have been ordered but as yet are not installed.

The exterior of the county jail has been painted, the run-around is now being remodeled and the interior painted.

These much-needed repairs have been made at a cost to date of \$2,110.41.

County commissioners are Arner Watson, George Pierce, Jim Offield and Roy Ward.

### FARM-TO-MARKET ROAD CONSTRUCTION BEGINS

The moving of the high line poles today marked the beginning of construction on the extension of the present FM Nos. 265 and 1441, east of McAdoo.

Approximately eleven miles of highway construction will be made, Judge W. H. Hindman stated.

### 'Speck' Blair Moved To Dallas Hospital

Contributions for the Blair Family Fund were nearing \$1,500 as this article was written late Wednesday afternoon.

Word has been received that Floyd R. "Speck" Blair was moved by an army ambulance plane Tuesday night to a veteran's hospital in Dallas. Blair was reported to be improving gradually from the critical burns suffered in the gasoline explosion and fire which destroyed his home on June 30.

His wife, Joyce, who is a registered nurse accompanied him on the plane.

The Blairs' daughter, Margaret, 4, who was also seriously burned was moved to Dallas earlier this week.

Citizens of Spur and many other readers of this paper have rallied to the urgent need of this family. Those who have not contributed to this fund and wish to do so may bring or send their donations to the Texas Spur or to the office of Ratliff, Conner and Walker.

This issue will be the last one in which contributions will be published, but donations will still be accepted and appreciated. Those who have donated to the fund for the Blair family since last week are:

Mrs. S. T. Hawkes	\$5.00
W. F. Godfrey	10.00
J. C. Reese	5.00
Mrs. Luther Stark	5.00
David Clay family	2.00
E. W. Gibson	1.00
Roy and Beth Campbell	2.00
Annie Johnson	10.00
Lacie Mae Alexander	5.00
W. R. Weaver	5.00
West Texas Utilities	15.00
Clifford Leddy	5.00
Men's Class, Meth. Church	69.60
C. C. Haile	10.00
Archer L. Powell	5.00
R. J. McAteer	25.00
Dick Hindman	5.00
J. H. Miles	5.00
O. B. Ratliff	25.00

### IN SPUR LAST NIGHT: IN ALASKA TODAY

Mrs. M. H. Brannen left from Lubbock by plane last night at 9 p. m. and will arrive in Anchorage, Alaska today at 2:30 p. m. She will make an extended visit with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moore, who live in Anchorage.

Mrs. Moore, nee Jane Brannen, is a former employee of the Texas Spur.

## COUNTY CANDIDATES WIND UP CAMPAIGNS; SHERIFF RACE LOOMS

On Saturday, July 26, the Democrats of Texas will go to the polls to elect precinct, county, state and national officials.

The local candidates will be winding up their campaigns today and tomorrow with most of them indicating strong optimism.

The most talked about race in the county seems to be for sheriff with Deputy H. R. Cagle running against two younger hopefuls in Raymond Beadle and Cleo Rogers. Also on the county-wide scene is Horace Hyatt vs. Fred Arrington for county clerk.

Here in Precinct 3 the race for constable has caused much talk with a choice of five candidates for the now unoccupied post. They are Byron Jenkins, Roscoe McCombs, A. T. Duncan, R. D. (Bill) Greer, and C. A. Finch.

Opposing the re-election of Arner Watson for commissioner is J. B. (Bailey) Kimmel, A. M. Le-Croix and J. E. Berry, Sr. are justice of the peace candidates.

In precinct 1 the voters will choose between Jack Gipson, incumbent Roy Ward, and L. H. Richards for commissioner.

J. B. Greenwood, Jr., incumbent E. J. Offield and J. R. Speights are running for commissioner in precinct 2.

In precinct 4 G. C. Pierce is running for re-election against

H. C. Edwards for commissioner.

On the district level, voters will choose between John B. Stapleton, for re-election, and Enos T. Jones, both of Floydada, and former law partners.

An election returns board, to be sponsored by the Red Front Drug Store and the City Drug Co. will be erected and maintained on Burlington avenue Saturday afternoon and night. Returns will also be available from Grady Elder who will be located at Mrs. Nona Starcher's insurance office.

The Hoover-McAteer Hotrods lead the Spur softball league first place spot Tuesday night in a pitching duel between their Jerry Price and Proctor's new-comer, Lloyd Johnson.

After four scoreless innings, the Hotrods cut loose with a big four-run inning on two errors, one single and two home runs. Proctor's bunch managed one in the sixth and one in the seventh, but dropped by a 4-2 score.

Price allowed four hits, no walks and struck out six, while Johnson gave four hits, walked four and struck out eight.

In Tuesday's nightcap, the Lions moved back into a tie with the City Drug for third place, with a 13-6 win over Jayton.

Last Thursday the Hotrods bolted over the City Drug 15-4, followed by a 15-1 victory for Proctor's over the VFW. Johnson received credit for a no-hitter in his debut in the local league.

Tonight Jayton and City Drug tangle followed by VFW vs. Lions. Next Tuesday it will be City Drug vs. Lions and Jayton vs. Proctor's.

The City of Spur hosts the monthly business meeting and dinner of the Caprock Water Works and Sewer Association on Tuesday evening, July 22 at the Dyess hall.

The association is sponsored by the Texas State Department of Public Health to promote better and more sanitary water and sewer operation.

Twenty-nine persons were present for the evening meeting representing the towns of Plainview, Floydada, Lockney, Olton, Crosbyton, Matador and Spur.

The principal address was made by E. C. Cowan of Clowe and Cowan of Lubbock on the operation of turbine and centrifugal pumps. A question and answer forum was conducted by Cowan following his address.

Officers of the association are H. H. Mills of Lockney, president; Sam Davis of Crosbyton, vice-president; and Billie L. Powell of Spur, secretary.

Powell took the examination for Grade C water works operator's license Tuesday. Besides the technical knowledge, the requirements for this license include one year's work for a water works department, attendance at the regional association meetings, and attendance at short schools of instruction conducted at Lubbock and Texas A & M.

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Miss Nelda Ramey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. (Johnny) Ramey, formerly of Spur, was included in the list of students on the spring honor roll at North Texas State College. Miss Ramey was a junior student majoring in secondary education at NTSC.

Mrs. T. L. May and children, Barbara and Thomas Ralph, of Beaumont, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mullins this week. Mrs. May and Mrs. Mullins are sisters.

ARRIVE IN JAPAN  
Mrs. Ben Slaton and little daughter, Nancy, formerly of Spur, have arrived in Tokyo, Japan, where Ben Slaton is stationed. They report a wonderful trip enroute.

Slaton is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Slaton of Dickens highway.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Edwards and Jana of Lubbock were in Spur Sunday visiting with friends and relatives. Mrs. Edwards played the organ for the evening worship service at the First Baptist Church last Sunday, and Mr. Edwards brought the special music. He is the former educational director of the local church.

## Cowboy Jubilee To Open Here Wed.

### HOOVER-McATEER CINCHES FIRST PLACE IN SOFTBALL LEAGUE TUES.

The regular season will end a week from Tuesday, August 5, with the VFW playing Hoover-McAteer. The playoff is scheduled to start Thursday, August 7.

STANDINGS

team	p	w	l	per.
H-McA.	14	12	2	.857
Proctor's	14	10	4	.714
City Drug	13	6	7	.461
Lions	13	6	7	.461
Jayton	13	4	9	.307
VFW	13	2	11	.154

SPUR BIG SIX

player	team	ab	h	aver.
Hoover, H.McA.	40	22	.550	
Ball, W. CD	37	20	.541	
Thomason, H-M	23	10	.435	
Lindsey, Pr.	28	12	.429	
Simpson, Pr.	43	18	.419	
Draper, H-Mc	31	13	.419	

Contest Winners At Spur Roping Arena

The Spur Roping Arena attracted crowds from adjoining counties as well as the Spur area Saturday night to see some of the best cowgirls and cowboys in West Texas perform.

Winners of the No. 1 calf roping jackpot were Murry Rogers, Clearmont, first with time of 17.3 seconds; Willard Davis, Crosbyton, second, time 17.7; and Red Watley, Crosbyton, third, time 23.3. The No. 2 jackpot was won by "Soapy" Stewart of Spur.

The ribbon roping No. 1 jackpot winners were first, Red Watley in 9.8 seconds; second, Bob Byrd, Clearmont, in 9.9; and third, Fred Dalby, Aspermont, in 10.9.

Winners of the No. 2 jackpot were all of Spur. Taking first with a time of 13 seconds was Alton Clark. Second place was won by Buck Thompson with a time of 13.4 seconds, and third place by Glen Smith with 17.6.

The old-timers breakaway roping was won by Bill Rucker of Spur with a time of 4.7 seconds.

The girls' barrel race winners were: first, Darlene Bryant, Crosbyton, time 21.6 seconds; second, Mary Ann Starrett, Calgary, 24.2; and third, Joan Davis, Crosbyton, 24.5.

The reining horse contest winners were first, Glen Smith of the SMS Ranch, Spur, second, Larry Carver of Crosbyton, and third, Rusty Welch of Dickens.

Bronc riding winners were Roy Anderson, Jr., Spur, first; W. C. Fincher of Girard, second; and Ted Gallagher of Girard, third.

Taking first place in the flag race was Darlene Bryant of Crosbyton; second, Bill Flowers of Aspermont; and third, Jimmie Lee Smith of Guthrie. The youngest contestant in this event was little Tommy Hart, 4 years of age, son of Mr. and Mrs. Pletz Hart of Spur.

The next show will be held at the local arena on Saturday night, August 9. Everyone is invited to attend.

REVIVAL AT MIDWAY NOW IN PROGRESS

Revival services at the Midway Church of Christ will continue daily through Sunday, July 27. Services are being held at 10:30 a. m. and 8:30 p. m.

Evangelist George W. Bryant is conducting the meeting with congregational singing under the direction of local talent.

Everyone is extended a cordial invitation to attend the remaining services of this series.

DRY LAKE COMMUNITY TO OBSERVE SAFETY WEEK

Members of the Dry Lake community will observe national farm safety week this week by presenting a play showing the needs for farm safety.

In addition to the play, a film will be shown entitled "Farm Tractor Safety", by Charles Taylor, county agent.

IN OKLAHOMA REVIVAL

Bob Lewis, education and music director of the First Baptist Church, is leading the singing in a youth revival in Maud, Okla. this week.

Mrs. Lewis is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, in Hobbs, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Bell of Vernon have been visiting in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Morrison, this week.

### BIG PARADE SET FOR 2:30 TO BE FOLLOWED BY FIDDLERS' CONTEST

The largest and most elaborate parade ever staged in Spur will formally open the Spur Cowboy Jubilee Wednesday, July 30, at 2:30 p. m.

Thirty four businesses and organizations have agreed to sponsor floats or entries in the annual parade, which is being organized by the 1931 Study Club this year.

GODFREY'S TO GIVE PRIZES

Godfrey Furniture has donated a total of \$50 cash prizes to be awarded the most attractive float, most typical cowboy, best junior cowboy or cowgirl, and the most unique entry in the parade.

The parade will form in the lot just east of the city light plant and proceed up Burlington Avenue and on to the rodeo grounds. Businesses and organizations with entries or floats are requested to be at the city power plant by 1:30 p. m. with their parade number displayed on both sides of their entry.

Bands from surrounding towns have been invited to participate, and the color guards will be furnished by the combined efforts of the local American Legion and VFW posts.

Norton Barrett and Johnnie Koonsman are parade chairman.

OLD FIDDLERS' CONTEST

At the conclusion of the parade, an old fiddlers' contest will be held at the intersection of Burlington and Harris Street. Buck Denton will be master of ceremonies for the contest and old time fiddlers should contact him at Denton Implement and Hardware company to enter the contest. Awards for this contest will be given by Proctor's Department Store and Burt Drug. The event will be judged by unknown judges in the audience and by applause.

Spur, boasting the most beautiful arena in West Texas, is planning the most complete rodeo in its history with many added attractions. Cash prizes totaling \$2,200 will be given to hard working cowboys in this year's show.

The events will include calf roping, bronc riding, bare back riding, double mugging, steer riding, and a newly introduced contest, head and healing.

The old timers roping contest and the cowgirls sponsor contest.

Four entries have been made in the sponsor's contest.

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test will also attract their share of attention from participants and rodeo fans.

MOUNTED QUADRILLE

The mounted quadrille, an added feature of the jubilee this year, should be a highlight in the four days of entertainment. Taking part in the quadrille will be Slim Durham, Mary Norman, Charles Payne, Toots Beardon, John Stotts, Dorothy Traweck, Louis and Lois Bleudis, Claude and Glenda Flippen, Jessie Charleswood, Marlene Bailey and Charles and Sue Bird. Water Ray is the caller for this event which will be presented at each performance.

The cowboys of West Texas are going to like the average money put into the roping events by Campbell's, Brazleton Lumber, Tri-County Lumber, Farmers' Co-op Gin and Leon Ice Company, according to Eric Swenson.

"Nearly all the cowboys that come to this show ride and rope for the fun of it and to determine the best cowboy of the year, but there will be a few hungry Republicans that will enter and work hard trying to make red bean money," Swenson stated.

ENTRIES COMING IN

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**ALLAN SHIVERS**  
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**THE TRUTH ABOUT  
OLD AGE ASSISTANCE**

Governor Allan Shivers wrote and helped pass the first Old-Age Assistance Law in Texas.

He stands for equitable distribution of funds for the needy.

Two years ago he was one of the leaders who tried to get more money for the aged, a cause that failed because the voters disapproved a constitutional amendment.

Governor Shivers has, in the past and will in the future, advocate making available to our deserving aged citizens not merely enough for a meager existence, but sufficient funds to carry them through the evening years of life as proud, dignified citizens.

An increase of \$5 in each pension check is due next October.

**THE TRUTH ABOUT  
COUNTY ROAD FUNDS**

Farm-to-market road building has been the greatest in history during the Shivers administration.

During Governor Shivers' administration, Dickens county has received \$573,385 rural road benefits from state highway user taxes as follows:

License fees \$158,451, road bond surplus \$54,324, bonds paid \$20,109, construction of farm-to-market roads \$171,000, authorized but not under construction \$169,400.

In this county, 16 miles of farm-to-market roads have been built, and an additional 15 miles have been authorized for construction, for a total of 31 miles.

Governor Shivers' administration has consistently supported the Dickens county road building program and will continue to do so in the future.

**McAdoo News**

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hardin visited in Hale Center Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewell Buckner, Jr. and Rex of Lubbock, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Buckner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Butler and Robert of Brownfield, spent the week end with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Tidwell and Bill. Robert remained with his sister for a visit.

Mrs. George Paul Waynette and Georgene of Wichita Falls, and Ross Goodwin of Paducah, and Jackie Dean Mayberry visited Saturday with their parents and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Bass.

Mrs. Lewis Bass spent Wednesday in Matador visiting her mother, Mrs. Lela Poteet.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Armstrong, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. L. M. Powell and his sister, Gladys Powell, visited Wednesday and Thursday with the Zack Armstrongs of Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Christopher and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Christopher and baby attended a Drennon Family reunion at Mackenzie Park Sunday.

Jim Manager C. R. Cooper and the directors of the Farmers' Gin attended a directors meeting in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dean and children of Levelland visited Friday and Saturday with their parents the Loyd Deans and the Jim Griffins.

Billy Hardin of Floydada, visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hardin.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Van Leer spent last Thursday in Lubbock with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Brannamen and Peggy, and the new grandbaby, Debby Jane. The baby was born July 11 and weighed five pounds, 11 ounces.

Neil Cransby of Lubbock is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Van Leer. Another grandson, Arthur Bruce Mc-

Laughlin of Lubbock also visited last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Denzil McMillan and Ronnie are spending a few days with her parents the G. D. Potts.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dobie and family of Springfield, Ohio, spent the week end in the home of his aunt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hickman. Other Sunday guests were their son, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hickman and girls, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Picketts of Spur. Also visiting last week in the Hickman home were her brother, R. N. Powell, and his grandson, Everett Powell, and family of Wabash, Indiana.

Jeanine Spitzer of Lubbock visited several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Nickels.

Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Nettles of Abilene, were last Saturday night guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Harris. They attended Sunday morning services at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Allen and Barbara of Big Four, visited relatives Sunday and attended services at the Baptist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Garrett of Crosbyton, visited Friday night in the O. T. Boucher home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Formby spent several days in Hereford last week visiting their son, Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Formby. They also visited the Taylor and Austin Rose families and reported Uncle Taylor in very serious condition. He had been in an unconscious condition for several days.

Clawson Pipkin, of Midland, has been spending the week with relatives while his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Pipkin are vacationing in Arkansas.

Recent visitors in the W. C. McClure home were his brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Max McClure of Seminole, and Oran McClure, also of Seminole, her niece, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blanton, Judy and Tommy of Carrollton.

Mrs. J. E. Cleaver of New Salem, is visiting in the home of her daughter, the John A. Allens.

Mrs. Dave Hodges, Jack and June, and Pete Merritt of Brownfield enjoyed several days outing last week in Palo Duro Canyon and Buffalo Lake near Happy. They also visited the museum at Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lumsden are vacationing in California. They will visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lumsden and the new grandbaby in San Francisco.

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**TO THE VOTERS OF DICKENS COUNTY**

Horace Hyatt is still in the race for County Clerk of Dickens County. I have tried to make the county house to house, however, I know that I have missed some. I assure you it was unintentional on my part.

But at this time I would like to ask you for your vote this Saturday. I want the office, I need the job. It means a living

for me and my family. I will not say that I will make you the best county clerk you have ever had, but I assure you that I will do the best I can, and I will look after the duties of this office. Come to the polls this Saturday and vote for Horace Hyatt for county clerk. I assure you that it will be appreciated.

I was born and raised in Dickens county. My mother and father were the third couple married in

Dickens county, so you see I am an old-timer here myself. I surely will appreciate your vote and influence in the primary election, July 26, 1952. Remember there will be no run-off in my contest; it's the first time or nothing. I want your vote.

Thanks,  
**HORACE HYATT**  
Candidate for County Clerk of Dickens County, July 26.  
(Pd. pol adv.)

laws is in capable hands when he sits on a case. His opinions are notable for their clarity and he doesn't camouflage his thinking with legal gobbledeyook.

Losing lawyers have been known to write him agreeing with his decision. And his opponent has admitted Smedley is "a mighty good judge."

Judge Smedley is an acknowledged authority on the difficult and complex questions of land titles, oil and gas rights, and irrigation laws. Prior to his appointment to the Supreme Court he served in the Attorney General's Department where he was in charge of all cases involving public school lands, oil and gas rights. He handled the State's successful recovery of more than 100,000 acres of West Texas land paid in excess for construction of the present State Capitol.

In the interest of maintaining the Supreme Court of Texas at a high level we hope the voters will not lose sight of the importance of this post in the excitement of national issues.

(Pol. adv. pd. for by Ratliff, Conner and Walker, and H. A. C. Brummett.)

**LOCAL LAWYERS SUPPORT GRAHAM B. SMEDLEY**

We have on our Texas Supreme Court a justice who, during the 19 years he has served on the highest court of the State, has won the respect and esteem of lawyer and laymen alike.

Justice Graham B. Smedley, who is running for his second elective term on the Supreme Court, deserves not only the vote of each public spirited citizen but his active support as well.

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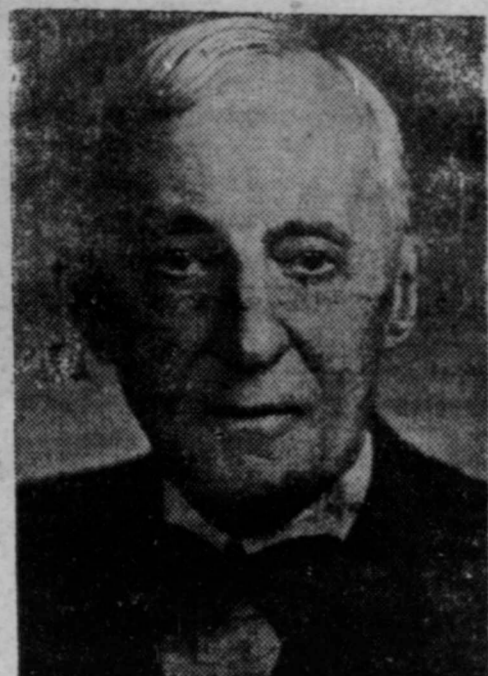
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- He is an overseas combat veteran of World War II with 2½ years service in the Southwest Pacific as an artilleryman.
- He is a native West Texan who has been a resident of Floyd County for 37 years. He is married and has two children adopted in 1949.
- He is active in church and civic affairs: a Sunday School teacher, church trustee, Brotherhood president; past president of two service clubs in Floydada; member of American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.
- You know the job he has done for Dickens County and the district, and you know he will continue that job—you do not have to speculate on John B. Stapleton's ability to serve you.

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**VOTE FOR**

**JOHN B. STAPELTON for District Attorney**

From: The HOUSTON PRESS — July 15, 1952

**Shivers Agin Auto Inspection Law; 'Shall Change or Repeal it' He Says**

By Ben Kaplan, Press Staff Writer

Governor Allan Shivers today said that the new auto inspection law should be either modified or repealed.

The Governor told the Press before he left Austin for Houston to make a campaign appearance that he had some ideas for changing the controversial law.

His idea is to take the red tape and confusion out of the law.

"The law was intended to bring about real safety and not inconvenience," said Governor Shivers.

"We need to stop killings on the highways. Texas has become the number one State in the United States for murder on the highways."

"The Legislature passed this inspection law by a vote of 117 to 12 in the House of Representatives and 19 to 9 in the State Senate, with the thought that it would save more than 200 Texas lives each year. If the law fails to do this and instead causes confusion and inconvenience, it ought to be changed or repealed."

The Governor said that he would recommend to the next session of the Legislature that it re-study and examine this law in view of the experience and either modify or repeal it.

(Several months ago, when it became apparent that the new law was causing inconvenience and confusion, Governor Shivers ordered it suspended until it can be reviewed by the Legislature.)

(Pol. Adv.—Paid for by Jack Dillard)

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**DRY LAKE  
Community News**

Mrs. Joe Allison of Los Angeles, Calif., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lasseter last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Allison is the sister-in-law of Mrs. Lasseter. Mrs. Allison, a former resident of Spur, also visited her brother, Bill Dement, and family of Spur.

Coy Dopson made a business trip to Wichita Falls on Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Wigley and children, Tommy and Rose Ann, of Waco, were overnight guests Friday night of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Lasseter.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Wright and family drove to Brownwood for the week end to visit Mrs. Wright's parents.

Mrs. Horace Gibson was assessing school taxes in Dry Lake community last week.

Mrs. W. M. Calvert made the trip to Amarillo Tuesday with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Morris, to visit the parents of Morris. Morris left this week for overseas duty in Germany.

Mrs. J. R. Cole is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Allen were the house guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Allen.

Jerry Calvert is now employed at Levelland.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aston had as their guest their grandson, Jerry McLaughlin of Hereford, for the week end.

Mrs. Ethel Ballard and son Lanny drove to Rochester last Sunday.

Several Foreman Chapel people attended the Methodist conference at Dickens Sunday. The new district superintendent in charge is Bro. E. J. Shewbert of Lubbock.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith is Charlie Smith, a cousin, from Mira-Loma, Calif.

John Johnson is back in our neighborhood working for Coy Dopson.

Mrs. Jack Gordon is at Lockney this week at the bedside of her father-in-law who is very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Ballard of Rochester visited Mrs. Ethel Ballard and sons, Billy Ray and Lanny, on Sunday. They also visited with Buck Ballard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McMahan drove to a family reunion at Gainesville last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith had as their guest Sunday their daughter and family of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Martin, Jr.

Several Dry Lake folks attended the religious film Monday night shown by the First Baptist Church pastor, Rev. T. B. Allen, at Spur and sponsored by the Home Demonstration Clubs of the county.

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- HE HAS EARNED THE RIGHT TO A PROMOTION. LET HIM SHOW WHAT HE CAN DO AS YOUR SHERIFF.

I regret that I have not been able to personally contact each voter in the County regarding my candidacy for the office of Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector of this County. My present job keeps me on the run night and day, and I have found very little time to actively campaign. I am convinced that it would not be right for me to neglect my present job to carry on a campaign. I want each voter to know, however, that I covet his vote and influence on July 26th.

I need the job, and I feel that I am well qualified for it. I want to publicly state that I have not made any promises or commitments concerning the deputies' jobs in the event of my election. If elected, I will take office without being bound or obligated to anybody.

If you see fit to elect me, I will work as hard as I know how to be a peace officer that you can be proud of, and I assure you that I will work faithfully to enforce all of our laws, including the liquor laws.

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There have been five District Attorneys in the 110th Judicial District since the district was organized, and a comparison of ages, education and experience shows that ENOS T. JONES is equally, if not better qualified than any one of the five.

**COMPARE:**

**FORMER DISTRICT ATTORNEYS' QUALIFICATIONS**

1. The average age of the five District Attorneys at the time they went into office was 31 years of age.
2. Only two of the five had a law degree from an accredited University Law School.
3. Only 3 of the 5 had previous experience as a prosecutor.
4. The average length of experience in the practice of law was four years.

**ENOS T. JONES' QUALIFICATIONS**

1. 32 years of age. Young enough to investigate and vigorously prosecute all criminal violations.
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3. Four years as County Attorney, a prosecuting office.
4. In his fifth year in the active practice of law.

Each of the five District Attorneys who have served this District have made good District Attorneys because they were young and ambitious and willing to work, and the people of this District were willing to give them an opportunity.

We have always had good law enforcement in the 110th District. Statistics show that for the 25 years the District has been organized the crime rate has been considerably less than the aver-

age for the State. This is due to the high type of citizenship found in these four counties, and no one person should try to claim the credit.

ENOS T. JONES is a war veteran, married and has two small children. He needs the job and deserves the promotion. He does not have a large civil law business which will take his time away from the District Attorney's office, and he will devote all of his time and effort to the job.

**Enos T. Jones for District Attorney**

PROMOTE  
**ENOS T. JONES**  
to  
**DISTRICT ATTORNEY**  
110th Judicial District

THERE ARE MANY OLD TIME RESIDENTS, PIONEERS AND CITIZENS OF DICKENS COUNTY WHOSE NAMES DO NOT APPEAR ON THE "POLL LIST". THIS LETTER IS DIRECTED TO THEM.

Dear Friends:

You have seen many election years come and go. You have heard campaign promises and high sounding statements throughout the years. Some of them were accurate; some were not. Your mature judgment and knowledge have shown you long ago that it is the man you should look to and not his big talk or promises.

For that reason, it has been my belief that it is mighty hard to fool the people that actually take an interest in our government, and those that have observed the antics of different candidates throughout the years.

The fact that I was born and raised on a farm has always been one of the things of which I was proud. When I was in law school I was known as "Route One" Jones, and I have been glad that we live in a country where it was possible for a boy to be born and raised on a farm and work his way through college and law school, and then serve the people of West Texas. It has been a high privilege for me to serve as County Attorney for the past two terms, but I feel that I have kept that job long enough, and I am now asking the people for an advancement - a promotion, if you please - to the office of District Attorney.

You are interested in whether a man attended a Christian law school. I am a graduate of Baylor law school, a Christian University, and one that is recognized by the American Bar Association. I am sure that these things are means by which you judge a candidate for District Attorney.

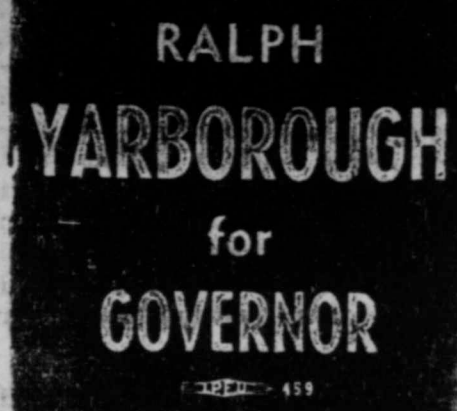
Take a look at this district - Motley, Dickens, Briscoe, and Floyd Counties. You probably remember how it looked 30 or 40 years ago. Our farm-to-market roads, our modern gins, beautiful homes and pleasant communities have been made possible by your mature judgment and knowledge, and for that reason I thought it right and proper to direct this special letter to you.

You may be assured that I will ever appreciate your consideration.

Very truly yours,  
ENOS T. JONES

**Highway News**

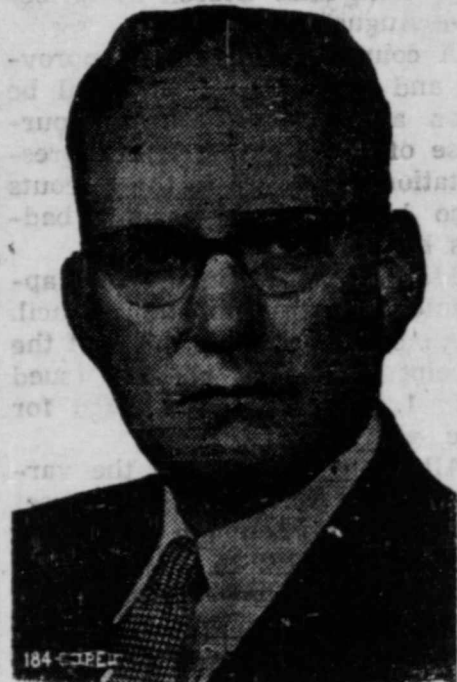
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visited in the home of Jimmie Hahn. They left Paula to spend the week with Nelda Hahn. Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rinehart and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Pace. The girls remained to spend the remainder of the summer with their grandmother. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hahn had their grandson, Jerry Hahn of Brownfield with them the past



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two weeks. Our farmers are all busy planting in the high spots this week. If we don't have rain again soon, our community will look much better as it has been so dry we didn't even have weeds. Now everyone is getting a nice feed crop planted and the ones lucky enough to have cotton are getting it cleaned out.

Miss Patsy Boykin of Lubbock is visiting Mrs. Loyd Thomason this week. Mr. and Mrs. Gus Thomason, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomason, Grover Thomason, Raymond Thomason and Elmer Thomason attended the funeral of Mrs. Scott White of San Antonio at Moran, Texas. Mrs. White was a sister of Grover and an aunt of the

others making the trip. Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith visited Ted and Larry Smith at Hereford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holloway visited Mr. and Mrs. Conley Smith on Sunday. The Holloways are from Olton, Texas.

The Cecil Estep family is working in Dry Lake community this week.

Mrs. Earl Thomason was hostess to the Home Demonstration Club last week. She served cup cakes and punch to Mmes. Putman, Morgan, Westfall, Rucker, George, Smith, Dagley and Hatcher. Mrs. Hatcher gave a demonstration on putting in a zipper. Mr. and Mrs. Forest Martin have a new living room added

to their house, and it surely does look nice.

Mrs. Gene Westfall is helping Mrs. Roberson paper and paint her house in Spur this week.

Ray Don Thomason is staying this week with his grandmother, Mrs. Walter Thomason of Spur. Loyd Womack of Spur was a visitor at church Sunday and he made a very interesting talk. Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Rinehart, Frank Walker, and Fred Blackman and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McMahan had as their guest last week their niece, Mrs. Grath Gardner of Clifton, Colorado.

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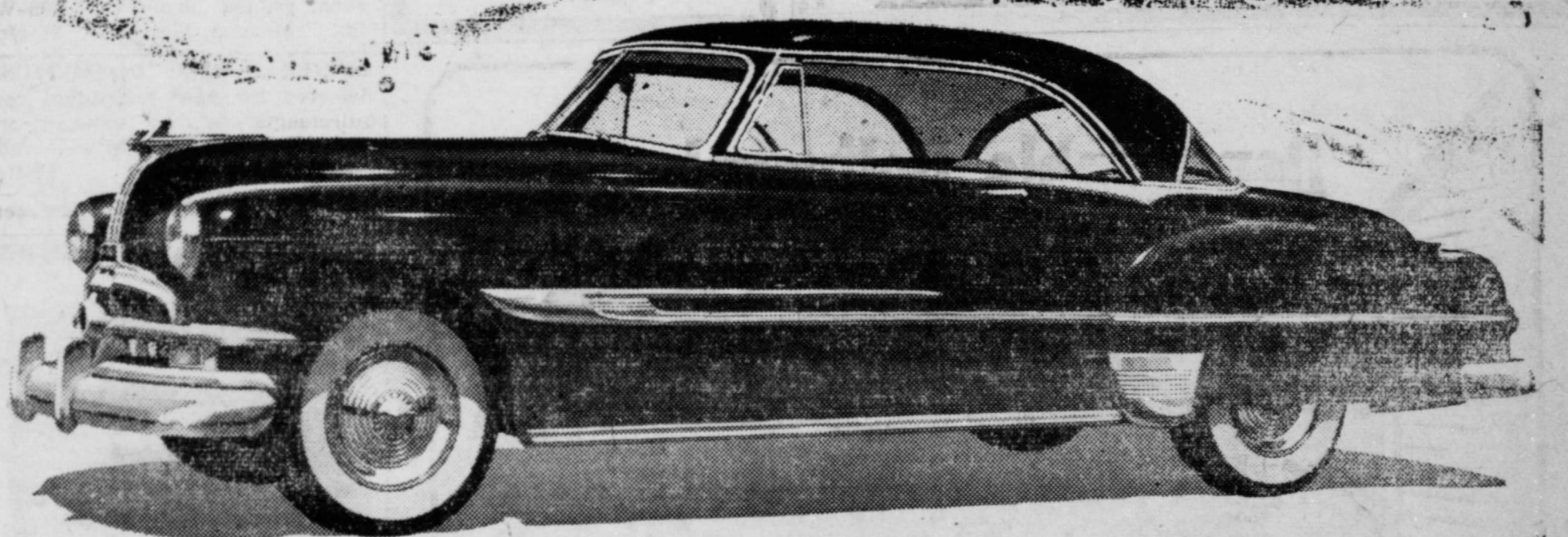
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### Girl Scouts

The Dickens County Girl Scout Council met on July 21 in a business session. The date for Girl Scout Day Camp was set for August 19-22. Miss Doris Gibson was approved as director of the camp. Each troop leader will be expected to file enrollment of its members with Miss Gibson by or before August 15.

A court of awards was approved and the time for this will be soon after August 19. The purpose of this meeting is the presentation of badges to those scouts who have finished earning badges by that time.

Mrs. John Bachman was appointed registrar for the council. Announcement was made of the receipt of a new charter issued July 1. This charter is dated for one year.

All representatives of the various troops are expected to meet at Miss Gibson's home at 4 p. m. Thursday, July 24, to complete plans for the rodeo parade.

songs, including a marching song, were chosen for future study. Definite plans for the rodeo parade were made.

The Troop was honored by the attendance of Scout Sharon English of Lubbock and her cousin, Sharon is a former member of Troop III.

The next meeting of the troop will be today, Thursday, July 24, to make special preparations for the parade.

### TROOP IX

The Brownies of Troop IX met in a regular meeting on Monday, July 21, with seven members present.

Day Camp was discussed and plans made for the attendance of the troop. The remainder of the meeting time was spent on the art project.

Iris Jean Moudy, reporter

### Jackie Cloude Is Honored at Party

Jackie Cloude was honored on his seventeenth birthday with a party at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. O. R. Cloude, 103 West Hill, Monday evening, July 14.

Those present were entertained with music played by Wayne Bishop on a steel guitar.

Games of "42" and canasta were played during the evening. Refreshments of coneys islands, potato chips, birthday cake and punch were served.

Attending the party were Lawrence Cook, Dean Reagan, Kathleen Kelley, Carolyn Kelley, Sue King, Billie Sue Gregory, Ginger Walker, Vera Crafton, Walton Walker, Wayne Bishop, Loyd Womack, Robert Ensey, Orville Cloude, Dean King, Jane Alexander, Betty Sue Dyess, Jackson Powell and the honoree, Jackie Cloude.

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