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Baccalaureate Service at Palace Sunday Morning

The following is the program for the baccalaureate services at the Palace Theatre next Sunday morning for the Spur High School Class of 1934:

Processional—"Lead on, Oh King Eternal"
Invocation
Anthem—Choir.
Special.
Sermon—Rev. Emmett Yeats, Pastor First Methodist Church, Spur.
Hymn—"Holy, Holy, Holy."
Benediction.
Recessional—"Lead On, Oh King Eternal."

The services will begin promptly at 11:15 o'clock and all churches of the city will dismiss their Sunday schools in time for their members to attend the baccalaureate services.

1917 Study Club Gives Show Tonight

The 1917 Study Club will present "Gold Dust", a three act comedy-drama at the Palace Theatre this evening. A picture program, Lionel Atwell in "Beggars in Erin" will be shown as a part of the program.

The proceeds from the program will be used in helping to defray expenses of the city library. The club ladies solicit you to attend their show and help keep the library up to its high standard of the past.

Cooking School Draws Good Crowds

The cooking school conducted by the West Texas Utilities Company on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons at the Palace Theatre was a decided success according to E. M. Wilson, local manager of the company. A large number of ladies were present each day. Miss Hazel Gibson, representing the Hot Point Factory of Chicago, day and much interest was manifested. Illinois, was the instructor and delivered some very helpful messages along with her demonstrations. She was assisted by Miss Eudora Hawkins, home economist of the West Texas Utilities Company, of Abilene.

A number of merchants of Spur cooperated with the utilities company in putting on the school. Other visitors here for the two days were: A. B. Simmons, district sales manager, Hot Point Factory of Chicago; Ray Hill, district sales manager, West Texas Utilities Company, Stamford; A. H. Leslie, Bob Corley, R. S. Cope, C. C. Rosamond, salesmen for the company of Stamford; Ward Boyce, commercial man and H. K. Porter, appliance contact man for the utilities company of Stamford.

Spur Leading Cap-Rock Golf League

Spur is far ahead in the Cap Rock Golf League according to points tabulated after last Sunday's matches. Matador and Lockney did not play last Sunday but are scheduled for next Sunday.

The league standings:

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| Spur | 86 |
| Crosbyton | 50 |
| Matador | 48 1-2 |
| Lockney | 25 1-2 |

Spur played Crosbyton at Spur last Sunday with the matches resulting as follows:

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| Spur | Crosbyton |
| Draper, 71-1 | Howard 67-2 |
| Culbert, 69-3 | Cooper 71-0 |
| Caraway, 77-0 | Crump, 71-3 |
| Lee, 72-2 | Carter 73-1 |
| Powell, 77-3 | Schwab, 82-0 |
| Williams, 75-2 1/2 | McLaughlin 77-1-2 |
| Dickey, 75-2 1-2 | Rankin, 78-1-2 |
| Andrews, 74-3 | Collier, 79-0 |
| Parrish, 70-3 | Gregg, 74-0 |
| Patterson, 73-3 | Noel, 77-0 |
| Totals | 23 |

C. B. JONES IN KANSAS CITY TO SECURE AID FOR W. TEXAS

Clifford B. Jones left Tuesday for Kansas City where he met a representative of the government for a conference in regard to relief for West Texas. Mr. Jones was accompanied by Amarillo by W. B. Lee, where they met Harry L. Hopkins and Amon G. Carter, the latter two going with Mr. Jones to Kansas City.

Mr. Jones is making an effort to get a larger allotment for West Texas counties under the Bankhead Act. He is urging that the drought years of 1929 and 1930 be not included in the five year cotton production averages as these were subnormal years and by their inclusion do not give West Texas cotton producers a fair chance.

Other relief matters will be discussed at the conference, the Texas representatives making a sincere effort to obtain their proper share of relief funds and a square deal on cotton acreage reduction.

B. C. Thorn, local representative of the Fidelity Life Insurance Company, was called to New Mexico Tuesday upon the sudden death of his brother, who was killed when a truck rammed his car.

For Congress



CLARK MULLIGAN

Judge, 99th District Court, Lubbock. Candidate for Congress, 19th District.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 19TH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT:

For nearly a year you have had before you my announcement for Congress from this new District.

Believing that the people generally have grown weary of the many-winded, time-worn, inflated structures in American politics we call "Platforms" that so often become the funeral biers of numerous forgotten promises, I formally submit my candidacy to you in four simple sentences:

"To keep faith with my fellow man.
To ever be mindful of my trust.
To remain loyal to those I represent.
To do, always, the best I can.

No man in this race can say more, nor should he say less.

These four sentences pledge me to support every emergency measure of the President's Recovery Program consistent with the needs of those who live in this District.

They also pledge me to sincere and profound consideration of every future question of Government tending to promote the welfare and happiness of the people who live in this District.

Were I to detail a platform several times as long, I could say no more. The multiple problems of Government that are perplexing the greatest minds in the world cannot be properly discussed in a political announcement, nor can they be solved in political campaign.

Questions of Currency, Revenue, Economy, Taxes, Tariff, Foreign Relations, National Defense, Commerce, Banking, Pensions, Transportation, Labor, Unemployment, Industry, Farming, Stock Raising, Marketing, Law Enforcement, and many others with their numerous related subjects, affect all mankind, and 434 other congressmen will have an equal voice. All my life I have been a student of Law and Government. I shall expect to apply the knowledge gained, and my very best thought, to these matters as they arise.

However, if there are some who desire an expression of my views on National subjects, I invite and welcome your inquiry, personally and otherwise, and assure you a courteous reply. Before the campaign is over, I hope in some manner to acquaint every interested person with these views.

So far as I am able to observe at this stage of the campaign, every candidate in the race, regardless of the number of words used, is running on the same platform, which is: "A sincere desire to render a public service to the greatest number of people." This being true, the only ISSUE raised or that can be raised is "THE PERSONAL ABILITY and the POWER of the individual candidate to PUT OVER the things he advocates and undertakes?" That is the only question for your determination, and one you must answer if you expect a full measure of representation in your law-making body.

Whether I fill the requirements in meeting this issue is for your determination. If I am not qualified to be your champion in any forum, and to stand man to man with any who oppose your interests, then I do not want to go to Congress. That is fair to you, and fair to me. I am conducting my campaign my own way, and concede the same privilege to the other candidates. I have no controversy with any man, and do not propose to engage in cheap, petty, local politics that might lead to one. To me, the Congress of the United States is a sacred institution, second only to the Flag, and I expect to depart myself with a dignity worthy of the high office I seek.

With an abiding faith in the sincerity and the ability of our Democracy to choose for the best interest of all concerned, I humbly submit my candidacy for your deliberate and careful consideration.

CLARK M. MULLIGAN, Democratic Candidate For Congress

Mrs. J. J. Crouch of Temple, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. L. Underwood of the Soldier Mound community. Mrs. Crouch and Mrs. Underwood were town Saturday doing some shopping.

Mrs. Hayden Pearce is acting as stenographer at the Spur Security Bank this week during the illness of Mrs. Joe Long.

Part of Highway 18 To Be Re-Topped

Bids will be received in Austin for the placing of a Sittuminous Seal Coat on Highway 18 in the north part of the county until May 28th according to an official notice received by the Times from the State Highway Department the past week.

The strip of road to be treated is 11.96 miles long from the Motley County line south. The road was covered a few years ago with an oil mixture and is still in good shape. It will be one of the best pieces of road in this part of the state when this new work is completed, which will be some time this summer according to the announcement.

The contractor receiving the bid will pay not less than the following listed prevailing rates of per diem wages: Tractor operators, distributor operators, roller operators and motor mechanics, \$4.00; broom men and truck drivers (large trucks) \$3.60; truck drivers (small trucks), teamsters, firemen (asphalt plant), spreaders, and common laborers, \$2.80; watch men, \$2.40; water boys \$2.00. These rates are based on an eight hour working day, should contractor work different hours per day, the rates paid shall be proportional.

"Bolero" and "Going Hollywood" Coming To Palace Theatre

Two of the feature programs coming to the Palace Theatre this week are "Bolero" and "Going Hollywood."

Telling the intimate story of the life of a world famous dancer, George Raft's latest starring picture for Paramount, "Bolero," comes to the Palace on Saturday matinee and night. The picture, directed by Wesley Ruggles, features Carole Lombard, Sally Rand, the Fan Dancer and Frances Drake.

It reveals the long struggle for success by an ambitious youth, who finally achieves fame only by denying his emotions, by trampling on the hearts of the beautiful women who help him on his way to the top.

George Raft, who himself, was an internationally famous dancer before he came to the screen, plays the lead. In the supporting cast are the blonde beauty of Carole Lombard, as the only woman he loves, Sally Rand, whose startling fan-dance is recorded in the picture, Frances Drake, as one of his partners, and William Frawley, who plays the role of his brother-manager.

Based on Ravel Music Maurice Ravel's world-famous "Bolero" and in one sequence, Raft and Miss Lombard present the tango "Raf-tero," which promises to become enormously popular in ballrooms throughout the country.

"Bolero" is based on a story written by Carey Wilson and Kubec Glasmon, and adapted by Horace Jackson, presents Raft, in its opening sequences as a coal worker, who has dancer, and who is avid for fame and recognition of his talents.

Jealous of Partner He is ruthless, crafty and determined to achieve success. When he discovers that the public does not watch him but focuses its attention on the beautiful women with whom he dances, he discards one after another of his dancing partners, as each outlives her ability to attract notice.

When he meets Carole Lombard his plans are defeated by love. The tragic intervention of the World War, and its effects upon him and his ambition, lead to a dramatic ending.

Marion Davies, in her new starring role in "Going Hollywood," the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer picture which comes Saturday midnight and Sunday and Monday, offers ample proof that she is one of the most versatile dancers among the picture stars.

"Dancing," said Miss Davies, "has been my uppermost pleasure since my earliest childhood recollections. "Though I began my career as a dancer in Ziegfeld Follies and later left the stage for the pictures, I have never forsaken my dancing."

"I believe in this picture, I do more dancing than in any of my previous pictures. There are four dances, and each different from the others—a tap dance, a soft shoe dance, an eccentric dance and a waltz.

"While the picture was in production, I kept in practice at my home by installing a tap board and a mirror, in front of which I went through my steps each evening."

Nor are these varied dances her only forte. Should she be called upon by a director to do so, Miss Davies could expertly oblige with an ballroom step classic dance (an Irish jig or even a golf dance, all of which she is capable of doing.

So, in "Going Hollywood," Miss Davies again dances. It is the story of a love-lorn lass who falls in love with a radio crooner, played by Bing Crosby, finds him, pursues him to Hollywood and wins her crooner.

RECITAL TUESDAY NIGHT

Mrs. Webber Williams will present her pupils in recital at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hogan next Tuesday evening. The program will start at 8:30 and is by invitation.

Cooking School At McAdoo and Dickens

The West Texas Utilities Company will conduct a free cooking school at McAdoo this afternoon, 2:00 to 5:00 o'clock. Tomorrow, Friday, they will hold a school in Dickens at the same hours. The ladies of these communities are given a special invitation by the company to attend and learn the latest methods of cooking electrically.

School Exercises Begin Friday

Friday marks the beginning of Commencement week for Spur schools. That evening the Ward School will give a general program, put on by students at that school.

Miss Ella Mae Hogan's classes in art are exhibiting their work in the rooms of the Spur National Bank the last three days of this week. The public is invited to visit the bank and see the work done by these students.

Sunday morning at 11:15 the Commencement sermon will be preached by Rev. E. L. Yeats to the Senior High School Class.

Monday night, Miss Hazel Gibson will present her pupils in a recital at the East Ward School. The public is invited to attend.

Tuesday night the Ward School promotion exercises will be held and an operetta, "In the Land of Dreams" will be put on by the 4th and 5th grades. The speaker for the promotion exercises has not been announced.

Thursday night, May 31st the Junior High School will hold their graduation exercises and award honors for the term.

Friday evening, June 1st, the Senior Class Graduation exercises will be held. Dr. J. D. Sandifer, President of Hardin and Simmons University, Abilene, will be unable to deliver the class address because of the celebration of his twenty-fifth anniversary as President of the University, Supt. Sam Z. Hall received this word from Dr. Sandifer Tuesday and stated that he would announce the speaker for the occasion in a few days. Mr. Hall regretted very much that Dr. Sandifer was unable to come.

Beer Election In Spur Friday

Voters of the incorporated City of Spur will vote Friday for or against "the sale of beer containing not more than three and two-tenths per centum of alcohol by weight."

The election will be held in the Directors' Room of the Spur National Bank, there being only one box in the city for this election with a special set of officials.

EMERGENCY CROP LOANS IN DEMAND

More than 43,000 applications for emergency crop loans aggregating \$3,550,000.00 have been received at the close of business May 31st, Chas. W. Sherrill, Regional Manager of the Southwestern Office, serving Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, announced today.

Extension of the period for receiving emergency crop loans through May 31 has been authorized to accommodate those having ready applications to a Production Credit Association prior to May 15 which was not granted. The applicant whose loan may be rejected by a Production credit association prior to May 31 is eligible to apply for an emergency crop loan.

SPUR HOTEL BEING IMPROVED

The Spur Hotel is receiving a coating of stucco this week. W. L. Hyatt, the owner, stated that he felt it is time to change the appearance of the hotel, and as a result the steel lath has been nailed on and the stucco is being applied. Also, there has been some changes in the plumbing.

Other properties in town that have been improved are as follows: H. P. Gibson is just completing the concrete walks, curb and gutter on the front and west side of his residence lots at the corner of Trumbull Avenue and Second Street.

H. E. Blendon has just finished walks and curbing in front of his two homes on West Third Street. Henry Gruben has improved the front of his residence lot on West Harris Street. The wood work of the Sunshine Service Station is being treated to a coat of new paint.

All of these improvements and others to follow add to the appearance of our city.

RECITAL

Miss Hazel Gibson will present her pupils in a musical recital at the East Ward School, Monday night, May 28. The program will begin promptly at 8:30.

STENOGRAPHY AND TYPING

Miss Clara Cammack, an experienced stenographer and typist, is at the Dickens County Times Office. Call 30 Will appreciate getting your work to do.

J. A. Goodwin, Spur gin man, has returned after trip through New Mexico.

"Poppy Day" Next Saturday

Memorial poppies which the women of the American Legion Auxiliary will distribute on "Poppy Day", May 26th, have been a means of providing employment to hundreds of disabled World War veterans through the winter and spring months, according to Mrs. Dave Wilson, rehabilitation chairman of the local Auxiliary Unit. The little red flowers have made earnings of approximately \$100,000 for these disabled men, she stated.

"Making of the paper poppies which the American Legion Auxiliary offers on 'Poppy Day' to be worn in honor of the World War dead is reserved strictly for the war disabled", Mrs. Wilson explained. "It offers a means of employment to veterans unable to do other work and not only brings them money for the support of themselves and families, but aids in their rehabilitation by giving them beneficial, interesting work.

"The poppies are made in government hospitals and in special poppy workrooms maintained by the Auxiliary. This year 58 different poppy making centers have been in operation in the states. Employment is restricted to men unable to do work of other types of work and preference is given those with families to support. The paper poppy is used exclusively by the Auxiliary because its making is a hand rather than machine process.

"The best of working conditions are, of course, provided for the disabled men employed in the poppy project. The number of poppies that a man can make in one day is restricted in order that the workers will not tax their strength. The work is directed in such a manner that it will aid in the physical and mental rehabilitation of the veterans, as well as giving them financial benefits. The money contributed for the poppies pays the wages of the poppy-makers and helps support the Legion and Auxiliary's activities for the welfare of the disabled veterans and dependent families'.

Girls Make Record In Club Work

CLARA PRATT, Home Agent

The 4-H club girls of the county have made their bedroom reports this month. Of the 107 girls enrolled at the beginning of the school year 82 have continued in the work and are included in this report. Of the 82 girls 73 made their beds correctly 25 times. 55 made pillow slips, and 57 provided adequate clothes closets. Those were the three county goals for the girls' bedroom work this year. That is 80% reached one goal and 70% reached all three.

Each club had a demonstrator who improved her room to the best of her ability making a complete room. These rooms are in the county contest and are being judged this week. Announcement of the county winners will be made next week. Aside from reaching the three county goals the bedroom cooperators, who are all the girls in the clubs except the demonstrators, have made many improvements as the following figures show.

Of the 82 girls making a report, 42 have improved the walls of their rooms with either paper, paint, or calcimine. 36 painted, stained, or calcimined the wood floor; 35 stained, painted or oiled the floor; 34 rugs were added; 34 pieces of furniture were refinished with paint, varnish or wax; 341 pieces of bedroom linen, that is sheets, pillow cases, towels and scarfs were added; 23 new clothes closets were built and 34 others improved; 12 bookshelves, 13 reading tables, 6 dressing tables, 5 dressers, 7 chests of drawers, and 13 chairs were added; and 24 new mattresses make the beds comfortable.

The girls are happy over the improved rooms and will not be content to stop but will continue to improve their rooms as they can. The stories of the demonstrator which will be printed from time to time, show that the girls have enjoyed the work and feel that even though they may not win a place in the county contest they will not lose for they will have their improved rooms.

THIRD TIME SHOULD BE RIGHT

It seems that we can't make our own correction correct. The fact is that Horace Fielding was accused of stealing Clayton Bridges saddle, for which Mr. Bridges offered a \$25.00 reward. Sheriff W. B. Arthur went to California last week to return Fielding to Dickens County for action of the grand jury.

METHODIST NEWS NOTES

Sunday school will begin promptly at 9:45 next Sunday morning and dismiss at 10:50 o'clock. There will be no church services at the church, being dismissed for the baccalaureate services at the Palace Theatre. Regular services at the evening hour.

Dr. and Mrs. Lawler returned Monday from New Mexico and are temporarily located at the Hotel Wilson. The fact is, they have been enjoying their honeymoon at Plainview, Cloudcroft and other places the past three weeks. Dr. Lawler is an eye specialist and oculist.

Directors For Old Settlers Assn. To Meet In June

As the summer approaches the Old Settlers of Motley and Dickens Counties begin to think and plan about their next meeting.

C. C. Haile, president of the Association, has called for a meeting of the Board of Directors to be held at the purpose of discussing plans and Roaring Springs Friday, June 15, for arranging for the various committees. There will be some new ideas offered this year at this meeting, and it is hoped that all members of the directorate will be present at the meeting June 15. Also, this meeting is open to any others who desire to be present. There are no secrets about the Old Settlers Association. The directors this year are the same as last year as all officers and directors were re-elected by acclamation last year.

The constitution of the association provides the date for the meeting. It is the Fourth Thursday in August of each year.

The organization was begun in August, 1923, and was fostered by Mrs. C. D. Bird of Matador, and Mrs. J. H. Smith, then of Roaring Springs. C. D. Bird was elected the first president and Mrs. J. H. Smith, the first Secretary-Treasurer. A committee on Constitution and By-Laws was appointed and instructed to report at the meeting the next year. The meeting this August will be the twelfth one.

It is the opinion of the Board of Directors at this time that the meeting will be changed from the Roaring Springs to the town of Roaring Springs where the people may have the use of the gymnasium and auditorium. There has been so much confusion at the Springs that the programs have not been enjoyed as much as they should have been. All the trees in the grove where the first meeting was held, have died and there is no adequate shade there any longer except at the falls where the roar of the water is too great.

The opinion now is that there will be no free barbecue this year. People will be given the privilege of selling barbecue to those who attend the meeting. Also, there will be other concessions granted, such as ice cream, lemonade, bottled drinks, candy and others. The free barbecue has involved a lot of responsibility on the part of the officers and directors.

A resolution was passed at the meeting in 1932 which forbids any political Settlers Association. It is a day of speaking at the meeting of the Old Fellowship and congenial association and a vast majority said by their vote that they want to keep politics out of the meeting.

It is the hope of the officers and directors to make this the greatest thing in the history of the association will send in their names and be enrolled with the membership. The organization should have a membership of 1200 at least in the two counties.

Palace Bank Account to Be Awarded Tuesday

Manager Everts of the Palace Theatre announced yesterday, beginning Tuesday, May 29th the Bank Account formerly awarded on Wednesday would be awarded on Tuesday night of each week. This is due to a change of policy in that programs are now being shown on Saturday Matinee, Sunday Matinee and Monday Matinee and Night, with a new picture Tuesday Night and the Bank Account.

In the future beginning Wednesday May 27th, each Wednesday and Thursday will be known as Bargain Days. Every person, young and old will be admitted to the Palace for one thin dime. And the programs in line for these bargain days are top notch. The first will be "The Cat and the Fiddle" to be followed by "Rainbow Over Broadway", "Lazy River", "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi", "Spiffire" and many other outstanding pictures.

SEVENTH GRADE COMMENCEMENT OF DICKENS SCHOOL

Thursday, May 31, 1934
Processional, Miss Mary Estes.
Class Song—Commencement Song—Mary Sanford Morrison.
Invocation, Rev. Billie Porterfield.
Salutatory, Ardene Bilberry.
Musical Reading, Dana Austin.
The Little Old Town, Doris Harkey.
Valedictory, Dan Parker.
Commencement Address, Alton Chapman.
Presentation of Certificates, Odes F. Martin.
Benediction, Rev. L. S. Bilberry.

DICKENS SCHOOL TO CLOSE NEXT WEEK

The Dickens Schools will close next week. The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered next Sunday morning by Rev. E. C. Crowell, pastor of the First Methodist Church at Crosbyton. The 7th grade graduation exercises will be on Thursday evening, May 31. Alton Chapman, county attorney, will deliver the address. The Senior graduation exercises will be Friday night, June 1. Dr. M. F. Ewton, pastor of the First Baptist Church at Spur will be the principal speaker at these exercises.



YOUR STOMACH

It's time to do something when:
 —You can't look a meal in the face;
 —Eating always means stomach pain, distress;
 —Gas, belching, bloating give you daily discomfort;
 —You're nervous; you lose sleep; you're dragging around "half alive."

If that describes you, then you already know baking soda and things like that don't do any lasting good.

If you're going to get that stomach back on the job—so where you can eat what you like and enjoy it, sleep like a log, feel "like a million dollars"—isn't it common sense to get after the cause?

Every day your body must purify itself of certain poisons and purities that otherwise result in sickness and pain. When it cannot do this vital work properly it must have help.

Many already have found this help in Crazy Water Crystals. Thousands of them have written us: "I can eat what I like once more. I am sleeping soundly. I feel ten years younger."

Crazy Water Crystals are taken from a great cleansing, purifying mineral water—they were prepared by old Mother Nature herself. They are not some human being's idea of how this cleansing ought to be done. Nothing is added to them. Anyone who tells you a different story does not tell the truth.

This cleansing means a great deal more than just moving the bowels. This mineral water—made at home with Crazy Water Crystals—cleanses the system—not just the digestive tract. The part played by the kidneys in this purifying work is as great as, or greater than that of the bowels. And drinking this mineral water increases elimination through the kidneys as well as through the digestive tract.

This explains why so many thousands of victims of other troubles besides stomach disorders—many of the aches in muscles and joints which they call "Rheumatism," "Arthritis," or "Neuritis;" terrible backaches; headaches; loss of sleep and extreme nervousness; and some things less serious, like ugly skin, foul breath, etc.—bless the very name "CRAZY." The way to up-root a trouble like this is to get right at its cause.

We do not believe Crazy Water Crystals are magic. They are not a cure-all. But if your life is being made miserable by one of these troubles give them a thorough, honest trial. Get a package to day. Stay with them a month at least. It will cost you only a few pennies a day, at the most. And then let your own common sense tell you how much better you feel.



For Sale At
All Leading Drug Stores

NEW COTTON VARIETY DEVELOPED FOR WEST TEXAS

The Experiment Station near Chillicothe has developed a new cotton variety known as Mebane 141 which is particularly adapted to the Northwest Texas cotton producing region. J. R. Quinby, Superintendent of this Station, reports that this year 23 acres planted to this cotton on the Station produced 24 bales. Its average annual yield for four successive years in tests on the Station there has been 350 pounds of lint cotton per acre, leading all other varieties except Half and Half by as much or more than 8 per cent. It is a bread and butter cotton which will ordinarily produce 15-16 inch staple. In 1930, one of the driest years on record, this variety produced 7-8 inch staple and for the last two more favorable seasons it has produced 15-16 inch and 1 inch wide staple. The lint percentage is ordinarily between 37 and 38 and about 60 bolls will make a pound of seed cotton. The variety is quite storm-proof but pickers say picks well, and this feature is one that, along with its good producing ability, will make this variety popular in the region to which it is adapted.

This new variety has been in the process of development since 1925. This new variety has been in the process of development since 1925. One thousand and twenty-four selections were made in that year from a strain of Mebane that was the most valuable Texas variety 20 years ago, and as selection progressed from year to year it finally became apparent that selection 141 was the best of the lot as it was outstanding in production, produced staple of tenderable length and of good character, had sufficiently high lint percentage of 37, and was highly storm-resistant but was easy to pick. The method used to identify this single superior strain from among its thousand-odd fellows required five years. The selections were judged by the behavior of their offspring and as it is with animals and with other plant species, strains of many different types grow from the original selections. Strains were eliminated for being low in production, for being too late in opening, for lint that was too short, for lack of storm-resistance, and poor picking qualities, and for too low lint percentage. About 15 strains had by 1930 escaped elimination of these grounds and in that year these strains, among them selection 141, were put in a variety with about 30 commercial varieties. After three years of testing, selection 141 had been judged to be the best from all standpoints and in the spring of 1933 it was decided to see what the variety would do in the hands of farmers.

Distribution of this new variety was therefore, begun last year when approximately 50 farmers grew about five acres apiece. Of these 50, all of those who have reported were favorably impressed with the variety and put up their own seed, except two who objected to it on the ground that the lint turnout was below 40 per cent. N. C. Conley, of Quanah, estimated that his crop would have been 25 bales greater had it all been planted to Me-

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Finest quality of shirting, also suitable for quilts. Special per yard—

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Smart new patterns in checks, stripes and plaids. 50c values, special per yd.

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Have You Seen the Frigidaire '34?

End your refrigeration worries the modern electrical way!

The safe preservation of foods, according to food chemists and medical authorities, require a temperature below 50 degrees . . . constantly maintained.

Modern Electrical Refrigeration assures this necessary low temperature . . . automatically. When the temperature in your Electric Refrigerator rises to 50 degrees, the freezing unit is automatically turned on . . . when it has been brought down to the correct level, the unit automatically switches off.

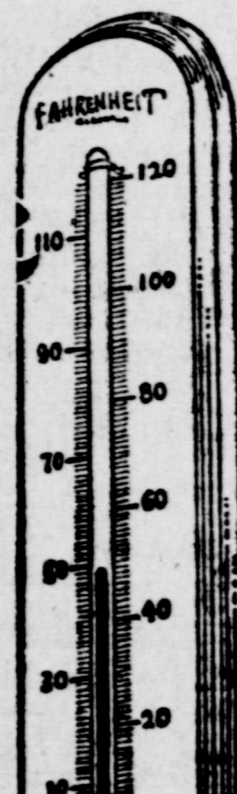


Moderate first cost and low operating expense are added considerations suggesting the immediate purchase of a new model Frigidaire.

The Frigidaire '34 operates quietly and with amazingly small amount of current, has automatic ice tray release, automatic defrosting and many other important features.

This is the "Electrical Age. A Frigidaire will be another step to your All-Electric Kitchen.

Your increased use of electric service is billed on a surprisingly low rate schedule and adds only a small amount to your total bill.



West Texas Utilities Company

bane 141. At the Spur Experiment Station this variety produced 568 pounds of lint per acre, or approximately 8 bales on 7 acres. Since the behavior of the variety in the hands of farmers has proven to be satisfactory, five hundred bushels of the seed will be distributed this year in the Northwest Texas area.

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Geo. Mahon Spoke At Jayton Saturday

Hon. Geo. H. Mahon, candidate for Congressman for the 19th Congressional District, addressed the voters at Jayton at four o'clock last Saturday afternoon. Mr. Mahon had to speak to the people in a strong gale of wind and sand, but he said it did not affect him so much since he was used to the wind and sand of West Texas.

He stated that he came to Mitchell County with his parents in 1908 when he was eight years of age. He said, "I have grown up among the people of this section of the State. I think, my friends, that the man you elect to Congress, if he is to serve you, he should know something about what the people of this country have gone through the past 25 years."

Continuing, he said, "You cannot expect to send a Congressman from the industrial section—let the people of that section send their representative from the factories, but the great agricultural section of this country is entitled to a representative and this is the place to elect one . . . I have grown up like you and members of your families, and I offer myself and ask you for your support in this race for Congress."

Mr. Mahon outlined that he had been accused of being too young to make the race, then he pointed out that many of the great accomplishments in statesmanship had come from the work of young men. He also stated that many men sent to Washington had become far removed from the wishes and needs of the people. He told of the great expenditure of

building a large Public Office building at great expense of the taxpayers. He stated that he believed congressmen and other public officials should have certain conveniences, but it is wrong for them to languish in luxury at the people's expense.

He made his address chiefly along the line of service and what it should

mean to the people of the 19th Congressional District. He asked that he be given a change to prove his loyalty and show his appreciation for the support of the voters of this district.

Bud Morrison of Catfish country, was in town Tuesday attending to business matters.

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THURSDAY NITE MAY 24th

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 A Comedy Drama
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REVIVAL AT ROARING SPRINGS

A revival meeting at the Church of Christ in Roaring Springs will begin the first Sunday in June. Rev. E. S. Fitzgerald will do the preaching and the public is cordially invited to hear him.

COUNCIL MEMBERS HAVE TEA

"If this is going to be repeated, I think I'll run for Council member from our club for next year," said Mrs. Clark Forbis of the Chandler home demonstration club. The 'this' referred to was a tea and social hour in the home of Miss Clara Pratt, home demonstration agent for the Council members Saturday afternoon. In the short business meeting the club representatives drew the name of the club to be entertained in August when each club will entertain another and be entertained by another. It was decided that the cooperators in the wardrobe demonstration in each club would score their own dresses the morning of the county clothing contest and the winners in these elimination contests would be judged by the judge of the clothing contest to select the winners in the county. The County Council is sending the first place winner in the cooperators' contest to the Short Course the last of July.

Those attending the tea were: Meses. F. B. Crockett, E. L. Spivey, Wylie Ball, Espuela; J. L. Hagins, Miss Nellie Sue Durham, Duck Creek; Matt Howell and W. O. Garrison, Red Top; L. B. McMeans, Twin Wells; I. E. Abernathy and John Bachman, Soldier Mound; Forest Martin, Thurmond Moore, Peaceful Hill; Leon Robertson, R. C. Alexander, Prairie Chapel; W. M. Hunter, Brink Carlisle, Steel Hill; Roy Arrington, Red Hill; Clark Forbis, Chandler and Mrs. Cecil Fox. —Council Reporter.

RED HILL H. D. CLUB MEETING

The Red Hill Home Demonstration Club met Friday, May 11, with Mrs. J. R. Cozby. The house was called to order by the vice-president, Mrs. Roy Arrington, and an interesting discussion was given by Miss Pratt and the history and use as well as how to make the tufted bed-spread.

Recent trends in needlework were also discussed. Old members were: Mesdames A. L. Grantham, Roy Arrington, W. F. Shugart, and Floy Watson, besides the hostesses; new members were: Mrs. Chas. Dunlap and Mrs. G. T. Carr. The club will meet May 25 with Mrs. Floy Watson. —Reporter.

SUPT. HALL ATTENDS EDUCATIONAL RALLY

An enthusiastic Educational Rally of the third district took place Saturday in Paducah. Some five or six hundred teachers, superintendents and coaches from this part of the state attended the meeting where Miss Godfrey acted as chairman.

Among the speakers for the day was Supt. Sam Z. Hall of Spur. The theme of his talk centered around the organization and financial management of the Spur Public Schools during the last four years. Mr. Hall was complimented by many of those present upon his thorough understanding of the complex problems underlying the financing of a well organized public educational system. Due to Mr. Hall's persistent and untiring efforts, the public schools of Spur are now heading the list of the better schools of this state.

THE CHURCH OF CHRIST

Services for Sunday, May 27. Bible Study—10 a. m. Preaching and worship—11 a. m. Subject: "The Salt of the earth and the light of the world." Preaching—8:15 p. m. Splendid interest and attendance were the characteristics of both services Sunday. We were favored with a number of visitors both from in and out of town. We welcome visitors at all of our services. Albert Smith, minister.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killingsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ritchie of Haskell, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Engleman Sunday.
 Mrs. M. K. Lawson and daughter, Miss Gladys, of Afton, were doing some shopping in our city Monday.
 Mrs. J. M. Jacobson of Eagle Lake, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Lawson of Afton, was in our city Monday.
 Mrs. W. R. Cammack and daughter, Miss Lora, of Matador, were guests of their sister and aunt, Mrs. W. D. Starcher, Sunday and Monday.
 Miss Nevada Baker of Lubbock, was a guest of Mrs. Kate Morris and other friends here Saturday and Sunday.
 M. E. Franklin of Prairie Chapel, was attending to business affairs in our city Monday.
 A. C. Martin of Afton, was looking after business matters in our city Monday.

"MICKY" AND HIS GANG



By Sam Iger

DRUGSTORE COWBOYS



By Gus Standard

DUCK CREEK GIRLS GO HIKING

The Duck Creek 4-H Club girls went on a hike Saturday morning to the Croton bracks, starting out about 7:30 with their lunch.

After lunch some of the girls discovered two caves which they explored. Late in the afternoon weary and footsore we returned home each having had a wonderful time.

Every member, excepting Pauline Hagins, was present, being, Robbie Lou Driggers, Ruth Matlock, Arloine Hagins, Katherine Thach, Artie Mae Franz, Dot Swearingen, Marguerite Bural, and our sponsor, Miss Nell Durham.—Reporter.

McADOO MAKES GOOD REPORT

Of the 10 McAdoo 4-H club girls making their bedroom report in club meeting Tuesday morning 10 had made their beds correctly 25 times, 7 had made and turned in their pillow slips and 9 had provided an organized clothes closet either by building one or adding shelves and shoe racks to the ones they had.

The club met at the home of Mrs. W. O. Cherry for a demonstration in the use of spinach and carrots, canned and fresh.

Those present were Reba Dozier, Modine Nettles, Juanita Rose, Winnie D. Neeley, Marcelle Miller, Cleo Pair, Vana Medford, Nell Van Leer, LaRue Holmes, Clara Rich and Mrs. W. O. Cherry.—Reporter.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL CLUB MEETS

After roll call in the Prairie Chapel home demonstration club Wednesday afternoon when the club met in the home of Mrs. F. Alexander, the members decided we were living in a great old world for the roll was answered by each member responding with "something beautiful I saw or heard today".

In the business session Mrs. R. C. Alexander gave a report of the council meeting and Miss Rosa Lee, chairman of the expansion committee gave a report of the expansion work in the club.

Each member drew names for a "sunshine sister" for the social to be held at the home of Mrs. J. W. Hilton June 6 in connection with the bedroom achievement program.

Those present were: Mrs. Leon Robertson, Mrs. Paul Braddock, Mrs. F. Alexander, Mrs. Annie Johnson, Mrs. E. C. Galloway, Mrs. J. E. Hale, Mrs. Anna Bell Hale, Mrs. R. C. Alexander, Mrs. C. W. Van Cleve, Mrs. J. W. Hilton, Mrs. R. L. Glenn, Mrs. Sarah Goodwin, Mrs. Leslie Peak, Miss Rosa Lee. Visitors were Mrs. Florence Capshaw, Meadow, and Mrs. H. E. Alexander of Afton.

SOLDIER MOUND CLUB

"Seeing the Beautiful." "I was awakened this morning by the song of a mocking bird which was inspiration for my day's work," said Mrs. Bachman in answer to the roll call at a meeting at Mrs. Nalley's Thursday, May 17.

The program, "Seeing the Beautiful" was given. There were several talks given on value of trees to man kind and a reading given, "Trees."

Mrs. John Bachman is giving an ice cream supper, Friday, May 25 for the benefit of the Soldier Mound club. Everyone is invited.

Those attending this meeting were Mrs. John Bachman, Mrs. George Nalley, Mrs. Abernathy, Mrs. Nalley, Mrs. Ray Walker and one visitor, Mrs. Charles Applegate.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Ray Walker's, May 31.—Reporter.

DRY LAKE CLUB

Much interest was shown Thursday afternoon when Miss Pratt gave the demonstration on making tufted bedspreads. Patterns were transferred to six sheets to be worked.

Nine members and one visitor answered the roll call, "Recent trends in needle work." They were Mrs. Jim Smith, Mrs. Ellis Draper, Mrs. Bostick, Mrs. B. Rogers, Mrs. Oia Miller, Mrs. P. R. Davis, Mrs. Reed, Mrs. Delisle and Mrs. Hutto.

We have an interesting program planned for the next lesson, "Seeing the Beautiful." We will meet for this lesson at the church house.

CROTON

We had another good rain Monday morning. The crop prospects are fine at present, there are some weeds but they are being turned under fast.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pernel came in Monday from California, where they had been for the past three months. Clyde said he saw some real pretty country, but he sure was glad to get back to Croton.

C. Y. Allen was attending to business in Spur Saturday.

Miss Sylvia Mayo spent the week end at Dickens with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Lee.

Several from this place attended the singing at Wichita Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Ozie Shaw have moved to Croton. Mr. Shaw has been working for the Pitchfork ranch.

Mrs. Frank Mayo who has been sick for a week was able to be out again Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Rogers visited Mrs. Rogers' parents in the Wichita community Sunday.

Last Thursday night the senior class presented their play to a large audience.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Butler and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Butler in the Highway community.

Prof. H. L. Groner and J. C. Porter returned Wednesday from a trip to Livingston.

Croton high school and the sixth and seventh grades went to Roaring

SCHOOL DAYS

By DWIG



SPRINGS Friday evening on a picnic. They report a very nice time.

Mrs. J. P. Legg and mother, Mrs. T. S. Lambert and J. A. Legg and Jack Morgan went to Anson Wednesday. Mrs. Ed Hemphill was in Spur Thursday visiting at the Nichols sanitarium.

C. E. Butler and family left Saturday for Rotan to be at the bedside of a nephew who is critically ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Beaver and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Stinson of Sneadville, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hemphill and they all visited Sam Hemphill at Nichols Sanitarium Sunday morning.

Prairie Chapel school closed Friday. Friday night they gave a program and was a good one. The auditorium could not accommodate the crowd.

20TH CENTURY CLUB

The Twentieth Century Study Club met on May 15 for the last club meeting of the year. Mrs. V. C. Smart was hostess and the club was entertained with luncheon at noon. Tables were placed under the shade trees on the lawn and a most delightful meal was served, consisting of turkey, dressing, cranberries, salads, rolls, pickles, olives, ice cream and angel cake.

A business session was presided over by Mrs. Cowan in the absence of Mrs. Nichols. Plans and prospects for the new year were discussed. Club voted to give five dollars to County Home Demonstration Council to help defray expenses to Short Course in July. Sewing and conversation were the program the rest of the afternoon. The club closed one of the most interesting and pleasant years in its history.

The course of study for next year will be Folk Drama as depicted in "One Act plays, portraying life in various sections of our country. Officers for next year are Mrs. E. L. Caraway, President; Mrs. B. F. Hale, Vice President; Mrs. J. A. Koon, second Vice President; Mrs. G. J. Lane, Corresponding Secretary; Mrs. T. H. Blackwell, Treasurer and Librarian; Mrs. Mack Brown, Recording Secretary.—Reporter.

Sanitarium News

Jeff Pate, 11, of Roaring Springs, underwent a tonsillectomy Wednesday and is getting along fine.

Mrs. G. G. Bellgard of McAdoo, continues to improve after an operation two weeks ago.

Ray Blair of Clairmont, who is in the sanitarium as a result of an injured skull, continues to improve.

Miss Helen Douglas, of Sylvester, continues to improve and is able to be up some now.

V. C. Bromley of McAdoo, is improving very much the last few days.

Miss Mary Pearl Hagins of Gilpin, is in the sanitarium under medical treatment, with an operation pending.

Mrs. C. H. Morris, of Hals, underwent an operation Monday and is doing all right.

Mrs. V. L. Pickens, west of town, underwent an operation Tuesday and seems to be doing fine.

Sam Hemphill of Croton community, had recovered sufficiently to be able to return home Tuesday.

WINS HONORS AT A. C. C.

Wallie Craddock, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Craddock of Spur, recently won first place in the formal essay division at the meeting of the Intercollegiate Press Association at A. C. C., Abilene. His formal essay, "The Three Perils of the Novels of Willa Cather," received a prize of \$10.00. Wallis is a senior at North Texas Teachers College, Denton, and has received much recognition in both literary and chemical fields.

DUCK CREEK GIRLS CHECK GOALS

Duck Creek 4-H club girls are 100% on two of the three bedroom goals set for the county: namely, have made her bed correctly 25 times, and making and turning in a pair of pillow slips, and are 80% on having organized clothes closets. One bedroom demonstrator's bedroom is complete and will be judged next week.

The members were 100% in attendance in their last meeting of the school year Tuesday morning. Club will meet at the home of the bedroom demonstrator Tuesday, June 5.

Katherine Thach, reporter.

CROTON GIRLS MAKE REPORT

Seven of the ten Croton 4-H club members present for their meeting Wednesday afternoon had made up their beds correctly 25 times; seven had made a pair of pillow slips; and six had provided an organized clothes closet, a check of the county goals showed. Dressing tables, reading tables, dressers, bookshelves and shoe racks were added in the various rooms to give comfort and service.

Club members present were Oletha Harvison, Mildred and Juanita Bradley, Bernice Mayo, Frances Wasson, Joyce Hemphill, Gladys Morris, Dornie Lee, Alene Jackson, and Alvertie Butler.

Joyce Hemphill, reporter.

HIGHWAY

Rev. J. V. Bilberry filled his regular appointment here Saturday night and Sunday. Good crowds attended each service.

Rev. Bilberry and wife, J. T. Bilberry and family spent the afternoon with the Pansy church Sunday. They report a large crowd for the home coming and some interesting talks.

Our school will close next Friday. The program will be Friday night.

Rev. H. C. Draper spent a day or two of the past week with a brother-in-law in Fort Worth, who is very ill at this time.

Mrs. Mildred Chapman of Pampa, is visiting relatives here at this time. Ruby Reece visited at Girard the past week.

Seven quilts were quilted for Mrs. Ola Estep on Wednesday. Visitors were Mrs. Woods and daughter, Mrs. Henry Reece of Dry Lake. About 35 were present.

A short time ago seven nice quilts for Mrs. Austin Frazier were quilted for Mrs. Terrel Sandlin's home.

Mary Rucker visited in the Dry Lake community Friday night.

Mrs. Bob English visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon in Spur a part of last week.

Mrs. J. E. Sparks was called to the bedside of her mother, who is very ill at Mangum, Okla., Saturday.

Rev. J. V. Bilberry and Bob Hahn attended the Southern Baptist Convention at Fort Worth three days of last week. They each made an interesting talk on the convention just before church services Sunday.

Mrs. Calvin Wright and children of Borger, are visiting relatives here at this time.

Mrs. A. C. George spent a few days in Girard the past week.

MRS. EATON ENTERTAINS 1925 BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Della Eaton entertained the 1925 Bridge Club in decorated parlors at her home in the Spur Inn Wednesday afternoon of last week. Cut flowers made up the decorations.

Bridge was the means of amusement. Beautiful prizes were given in various honors. An attractive and delicious salad plate was served. Pink and red roses were used for plate favors.

Those enjoying the occasion were: Guests—Mesdames E. M. Wilson, Jack Rector, M. H. Brannen, Tom Dorsey, J. E. Samples, D. H. Zachry, R. A. Taylor, Dick Speer, Misses Dorothy Carson and Jane D. Wilson.

Club Members—Mes. W. T. Andrews, Nellie Davis, F. W. Jennings, Clifford B. Jones, M. L. Jones, E. F. Laverty, C. L. Love, Hill Perry, Elzy Watson, W. R. Lewis, A. C. Hull, D. L. Granberry, Guy Karr, McGuire, Cash Wilemon, Misses Julia Mae Hickman and Eralm Lisenby.

Mrs. W. F. Godfrey and Mrs. B. C. Johnson returned Saturday from Fort Worth where they attended the Southern Baptist Convention.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Miller and Miss Jennie Shields returned from Fort Worth the first of the week where they attended the Southern Baptist Convention.

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To the many of these heroes who silently lie beneath the stars we can only say God Bless You—but to those who live and need it—the maimed and martyred World War defenders, we can actually extend a vital helping hand. Let each of us buy and wear a poppy Saturday—not just in honor—but in order that we may literally bring some material good and cheer to those hospitalized heroes and in many cases their needy families. It is to express our undying gratitude in practical concrete form that the sponsors of this page have made this extra effort to urge you to give without stint Saturday.

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The Times is authorized to announce the following candidates subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 28, 1934 and August 25, 1934.

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- ALTON B. CHAPMAN of Spur
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NEAL FORTSON FOWLER
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FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

- JIM CLOUD

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- W. B. ARTHUR
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JOHNNIE KOONSMAN

FOR COUNTY TREASURER

- MRS. NANNIE COBB
MRS. HATTIE TURVAN
Mrs. ALICE GOODWIN MURPHREE
ELZIE HOLLY
ONA LEE SHOCKLEY

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:

- NETTIE LITTLEFIELD.

FOR COUNTY SCHOOL SUPT.:

- HUBERT W. TAYLOR
MRS. MADGE D. TWADDELL (Re-Election)

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: Precinct No. 3.

- W. M. MALONE

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER Precinct No. 2.

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FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 1.

- AUSTIN C. ROSE
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FOR COMMISSIONER Precinct No. 4:

- E. POGERS
L. MIMMS (Re-Election)
ROY CUNNINGHAM.

For Constable Precinct No. 3:

- G. H. (JACK) McCULLEY (Re-Election)

MOTHER OF SPUR WOMAN DIES AT ABILENE

Mrs. J. P. Graves, Abilenian, succumbed unexpectedly at her residence 541 Kirkwood Avenue, Saturday morning at 5:20 o'clock. She was stricken the preceding night at 11 p. m., while apparently in good health.

Mrs. Graves had resided in Abilene the last 14 years, moving there in 1920 from Clyde. Born and married in Mansfield, Texas, she and her husband moved to this section in 1900, living at Clyde until her removal to Abilene.

Funeral services were held from the residence Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, under direction of Dr. E. E. Surface, Presbyterian minister. Burial was made by the Laughter Undertaking Company in the Cedar Hill cemetery, beside the grave of her husband, who died December 9, 1930.

Surviving are three sons, George D. and Richard Graves, of Abilene and Earnest Graves of Post and three daughters, Mrs. W. N. Henderson, Abilene; Mrs. R. K. Rowland, Stamford, and Mrs. G. W. Grimes, Spur.

Those attending the funeral services from Spur were: Mr and Mrs. E. F. Lavery, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. King, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. White, Mrs. Luther Powell and Mrs. Lela Evans. Mr. and Mrs. Grimes went to Abilene at the time Mrs. Graves was stricken.

Cousins from San Antonio attending the services were Mrs. B. C. Bender and Miss Gladys Lain.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks and appreciation for the many messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from our many friends in Spur during the recent loss of our husband and father.

Mrs. J. E. Johnson.
Mrs. W. O. McCrary.
Mrs. R. G. Mowat
Herbert C. Johnson.

MRS. L. W. FITE HOSTESS TO QUILTING CLUB

Mrs. L. W. Fite was hostess to the Afton Quilting Club Thursday, May 17. Two quilts were completed, "The Dresden China Plate" and "Double X." A good dinner was served at the noon hour and enjoyed by all.

The quilts were completed about 3:00 p. m., then the club enjoyed a very pleasant hour, being entertained by Mrs. Fite with her French harp.

Those present were Mesdames A. P. Stokes, J. M. Dawson, Burnett Haney, B. S. Haney, J. N. Haney, A. J. Dozier, J. H. Palmer, Allie Barton, S. E. Hickman, Jack Fite, W. E. Burt, Bud Johnson, Norman Lawson, Bonnie Bone, W. R. Stafford, Luther Stark, A. K. McAllister, Jim Hardin, Henry Palmer and Stovall.

Everyone reported a nice time. The club will meet next time with Mrs. J. M. Dawson, Thursday, May 24. — Reporter.

CARROTS ARE GOOD IN SALADS

"I thought I did not like carrots, but this carrot salad is good," said Iva Smith after tasting the salads prepared in the demonstration given the Dry Lake 4-H club members in their regular meeting Wednesday morning at the home of Mrs. Ellis Draper. Recipes for using carrots and spinach were given each of the girls.

The report of the bedroom work was made in the business meeting. Those present were: Dorothy and Mildred Calvert, Leota and Edith May Stuckey, Edith Jewel Sprayberry, Iva Smith, Ava Nell Swanner, and Mrs. Draper.

LEOTA STUCKEY, REPORTER.

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IMMUNE YOUR CHILD OF DIPHTHERIA WARNS DR. JOHN W. BROWN

Make sure that your child is immune from diphtheria, warns Dr. John W. Brown, State Health Officer. Children need not have this disease if proper steps are taken and these are very simple.

If parents would have their family physician administer toxoid to their child as soon after it reaches the age of six months as possible, much suffering and many deaths could be prevented.

The administering of toxoid is a very simple procedure and causes the child very little or no discomfort and there is an interval of three weeks between doses. In approximately 90% of the children receiving toxoid, there will be established a life time immunity to this disease.

TOBE SURE: Four to six months after the final dose of toxoid, the child should be Schick tested so that parents will know definitely whether their child is immune. The test consists of just a few drops of diphtheria toxin between the layers of the skin. If the child is immune no reaction will be noticed. If not there will appear redness at the sight of the test that reaches its height the third or fourth day.

Kidnapped Girl Found In Desert Hole

June Robles, six-years-old, who had been kidnapped at Tucson, April 25, was found Monday in a hole 9 1/2 miles from that city. Her discovery was made through a letter sent to the Governor of Arizona by air mail from Chicago. It is thought the little girl had been kept in the hole covered over with cactus most of the time since she had been seized on the streets of Tucson enroute home from school.

The child was ill, but authorities think she will recover. She asked if she might see her mother, when her uncle Houston Robles, assisted her out of the dug-out.

William F. Gettle, who had been kidnapped Wednesday of last week, was found Monday when a California Sheriff raided a small residence in La Crescenta. His abductors were captured and are in jail awaiting action of courts. According to Gettle's statement all of the gang have been arrested with possibly the exception of one.

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WOMANS' MISSIONARY SOCIETY

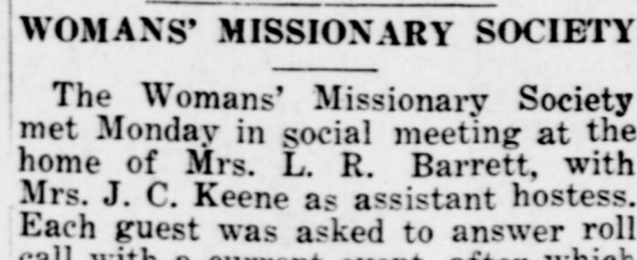
The Womens' Missionary Society met Monday in social meeting at the home of Mrs. L. R. Barrett, with Mrs. J. C. Keene as assistant hostess. Each guest was asked to answer roll call with a current event, after which serving and games were enjoyed.

Refreshments consisting of sandwiches, potato chips, onions, cakes and coffee were served to the following: Mesdames Barber, Snider, Jones, Foote, King, Payne, G. J. Lane, Foster, Keene, McCulley, Bell, Ensey, Powell, Lee, Carson, Koon, Haney and Rector.

NEW PAPER STARTED AT ROARING SPRINGS

The first issue of the Roaring Springs Reporter was received by the Times this week. B. M. Nelson is editor and Karlton Thacker is business manager. The first issue was well made up with a good line of advertising and news matter.

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Teacher Qualifications In Dickens County

Steps have been taken by the State Board of Education to raise the teaching profession. Dickens County is one county that can point with pride to the professional standing of its teachers.

of the teachers have been attending summer school. The Dickens County School Board went on record three years ago as favoring the employment of such teachers only as have had two years of college work in addition to a graduation from a good high school.

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ROTARY CLUB OF SPUR Meets every Thursday at 12:00 o'clock at Spur Inn. Visiting Rotarians welcome. ROY STOVALL, President LARRY BURROW, Secretary

HOW WOMEN CAN WIN MEN AND MEN WIN

The Favor of Other Men Unless two pints of bile juice flow daily from your liver into your bowels, your food decays in your bowels. This poisons your whole body. Movements get hard and stunted. You get yellow tongue, yellow skin, pimples, dull eyes, bad breath, bad taste, gas, dizziness, headache. You have become a ugly-looking, foul-smelling, sour-thinking person. You have lost your personal charm. Everybody wants to run from you.

A REAL MOTHERS' DAY

A real Mothers' Day for Mr. and Mrs. John M. Byrd of Petersburg was a surprise on Mothers' Day when all of their children came home. Haskell Byrd and wife and Johnnie E. Hale and wife and little daughter, Baby Jo, came Saturday and spent the night. Drue Byrd and Mr. Woods, also of East Afton came Sunday just in time for lunch. Not knowing just where his mother lived, Drue had some difficulty in finding the place.

Program for Workers Meeting At Crosbyton

Following is the program for the Workers' Meeting of the Dickens County Baptist Association, to be held with Calvary Baptist Church, beginning, Thursday night, May 24 at 8:00 P. M.

CONTRACTORS NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 11.96 miles of Bituminous Seal Coat from Motley County Line south 11.96 miles on Highway 18 in Dickens County, covered by Job No. M-25-K, will be received at the State Highway Department, Austin, Texas, until 9:00 A. M., May 28th, 1934, and then publicly opened and read.

MRS. A. K. McALISTER HOSTESS TO QUILTING CLUB

Mrs. A. K. McAlister was hostess to the Afton quilting club Thursday, May 10th. One quilt was completed, "The Log Cabin," and a number of "Friendly" blocks were pieced for different members of the club.

PRAIRIE CHAPEL

Communities are like volcanoes. They lay dormant for a while and then erupt sometimes, rather violently. We rural correspondents make no note of the fact, for fear of being assinated. So ours is the lesser light in journalism.

Cotton is being planted rapidly in this section. Some cotton and feed is all ready up.

Prospects for a fruit crop are fine. Bill Middleton and his father, made a business trip to Sweetwater last week. Lon Haney moved his family over near Croton last week.

Mrs. L. E. Favors is visiting in Roaring Springs. We have kissed the depression goodbye and rejoice that it did not kiss us goodbye. —Buckshot.

R. J. Bateman, of Afton, was looking after business matters in our city Tuesday. He reported they had a very nice rain at Afton Monday.

Mrs. Minnie Lewis and Jack Lewis of Roaring Springs, were visiting in Spur Tuesday. People at the First Baptist Church Sunday evening enjoyed a very nice program by the chorus of colored people from the Baptist orphanage of colored people.

ing Springs, were visiting friends and relatives in our city Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Haile of the Spur Mutual, attended the American Legion convention at Lubbock Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Caudle attended the graduation exercises at Ralls the last of the week. Ralls had a class of 45 graduates.

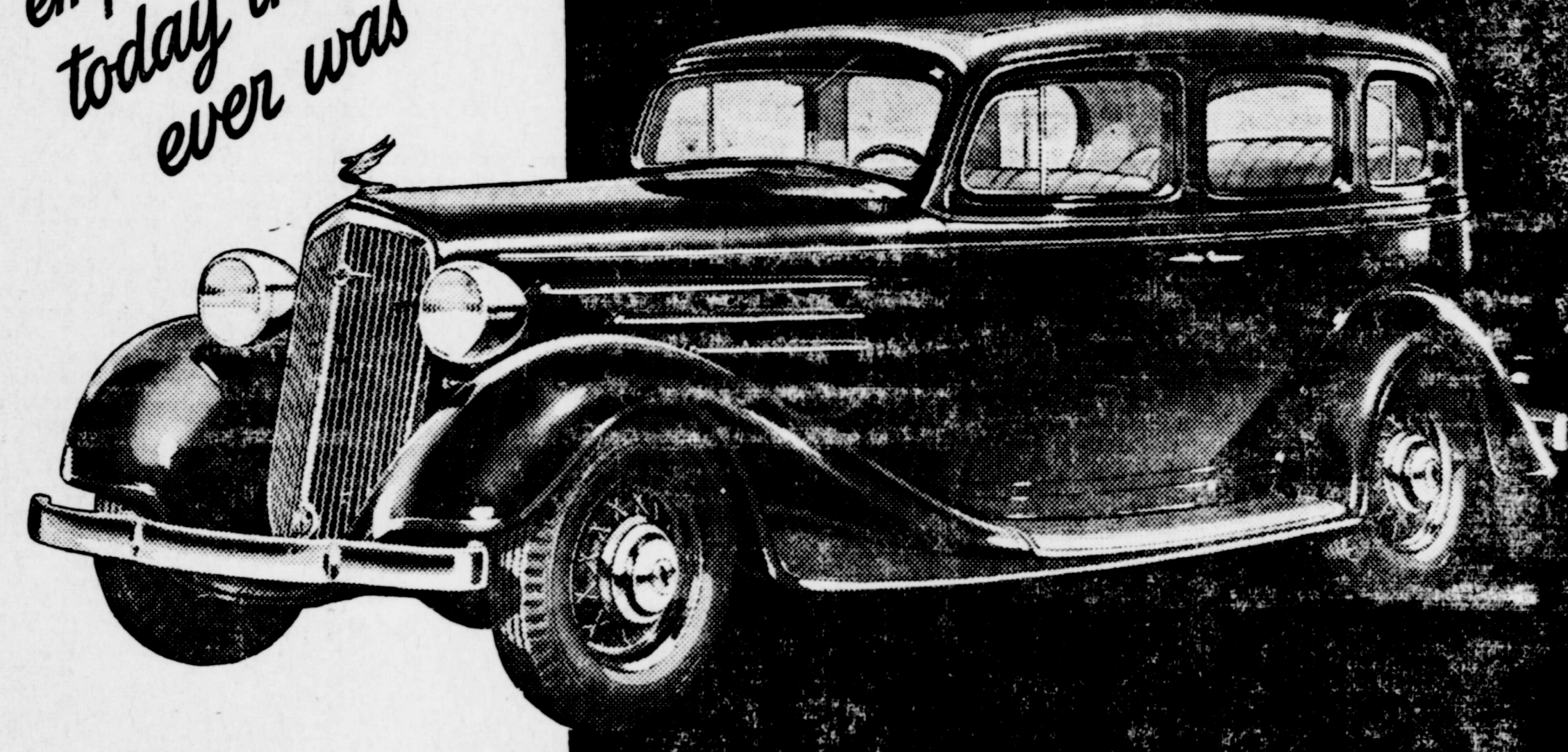
Miss Esther Rudolph of MacAllen, is a guest of Miss Clara Pratt this week. Mrs. James B. Reed, Mrs. S. L. Tolbert, Miss Clara Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ivey attended the Southern Baptist Convention in Fort Worth the last of the week.

Mrs. Sharp received a telegram Saturday that her mother was very ill at Altus, Okla. Mrs. Sharp left at once to be with her mother.

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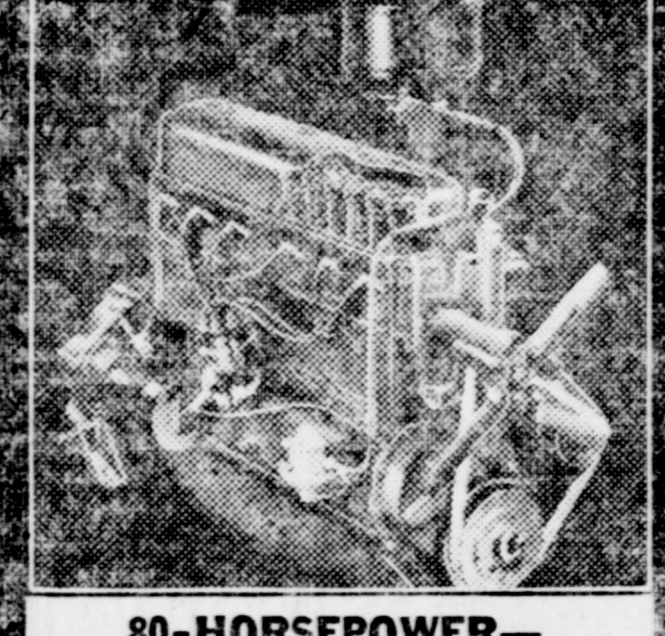
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FORD SALES INCREASING SAYS LOCAL DEALER

The steady increase in sales of Ford V-8 cars and trucks has recently made possible the addition of several hundred men to the large force already employed in the Dallas branch of the Ford Motor Company, according to W. F. Godfrey, local Ford dealer.

The Dallas plant is assembling cars and trucks for dealers throughout Texas and Oklahoma and production has been steadily increased to meet the growing demand, resulting in over a 50% increase in employment since the plant opened in February.

Mr. Godfrey expressed considerable pleasure at the thought that sales of Ford cars and trucks in the surrounding community had contributed to this improvement and stated that he confidently expected even greater improvement in June and succeeding months.

FORMER SPUR PHYSICIAN PASSES AWAY

Dr. T. E. Standifer, of Turkey, died in Elk City, Okla., Sunday morning. It appears that Dr. Standifer was in Elk City visiting relatives when he became ill, and his condition became serious early Sunday morning, and the crisis followed within a few hours.

Dr. Standifer came to Spur within a few weeks after the opening of the town. He purchased a lot and built a what is now the Nichols Sanitarium. Later he built a sanitarium at Lamessa, and recently built one at Turkey where he was located at the time of his death.

Funeral services were held at Elk City Tuesday where interment followed.

C. A. Jones this week told of his first meeting Dr. Standifer. Mr. Jones was in charge of the townsite office here and was managing the sale of lots. His office was in a small two room building. A. J. Swenson who was here at the time, had suffered an injury to his shoulder from a fall, and had not been able to secure the proper attention. Dr. Standifer went to the land office to buy a lot on which to build the sanitarium and did not tell Mr. Jones his profession. Before the contract on the lot was signed he told Mr. Jones he was a physician. Mr. Jones asked him if he were a good one, to which the Doctor replied, "Yes."

The contract of the lot was stopped

right there and Mr. Jones took Dr. Standifer to see Mr. Swenson and to examine his shoulder. He accompanied Mr. Swenson to Stamford where proper aid was administered and remained with until he was out of danger and was getting along all right.

While in Spur Dr. Standifer served on the School Board in a very able manner. He was a very fine physician and an excellent citizen. He had many friends here, and was known by practically all of the early settlers of Spur.

CLUB HAS DEMONSTRATION

"The bedspreads for the farm home should be the crinkled spreads or tufted spreads that are easily laundered and require no ironing," said Mrs. Clark Forbis in the Chandler home demonstration club in its regular meeting in her home Monday afternoon in the program preceding a demonstration on making tufted bedspreads. Patterns and designs were studied and one spread stamped ready to work.

Those present were Mrs. Frank Forbis, Mrs. H. K. Young, Mrs. Eleeter Young, Miss Estelle Mooneyhan, Miss Bertha Cooper, Mrs. Clark Forbis, Mrs. Cecil Fox, Spur; Miss Esther Rudolph, Canyon; and Miss Clara Pratt, Bertha Cooper, reporter.

McADOO

Harvey Hines was in Dumont Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. Hood and several of the members of the missionary society attended the district meeting of the Women's Missionary Society at Spur Tuesday.

The Seniors presented their play, "Moonshy" at the high school auditorium, Friday night, and a good sized crowd was present. The seniors plan to use the funds secured from the play for a trip to Cralsbad Caverns.

Mrs. Charlie Allen, who was operated on at Lubbock Sanitarium a short time ago, is doing nicely and plans to come home sometime this week.

The characters in the Woman's Missionary Society play, "The Man From Nowhere," and a number of invited guests went on a picnic Thursday night at Dickens springs. This is a lovely place for a picnic and all of those who attended reported a most enjoyable time.

T. L. Dozier visited his mother, Mrs. S. P. Dozier and sister, Mrs. Cavitt of Matador one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hines have relatives visiting them.

Gladys Garvin left this week to spend an extended visit with her aunt, who lives in East Texas.

Rev. Hood was in Spur Friday seeing after business matters and visiting friends in the sanitarium.

J. T. Parker of Dumont, was here Monday of last week greeting old friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tooke entertained the seniors with a party at their home Saturday night.

Supt. W. O. Cherry was a business visitor in Spur Friday of last week.

C. C. Neeley was transacting business in Crosbyton Saturday.

Albert Blair of Spur, was visiting relatives and friends here the first of the week.

The third quarterly conference of the Methodist Church will be held at Wake Sunday night.

George Harris was seeing after business matters in Spur Tuesday.

A. W. Van Leer, a senior at Spur, was at home during the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Van Leer.

Mrs. J. R. Robertson was shopping in Crosbyton Tuesday.

Mrs. J. T. Holmes of Centerpoint, Texas, is here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Neeley and family.

Mrs. Charlie Allen, who has been in the Lubbock Sanitarium for some time, was brought home last week and is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dozier and Reba were in Spur Tuesday transacting business and greeting friends.

Roy Isaacs, Tech student, was at home with his mother and family over the week end.

Mrs. J. T. Parker and Bernard spent several days at Paducah the past week with Mrs. Parker's mother, who has been ill but is some better now.

Mr. and Mrs. Nettles and Moeade were shopping in Spur one day the past week.

Supt. W. O. Cherry took a number of the high school students to Spur Thursday to see the show.

Lucille Morris, who is working in a Lubbock beauty shop, was at home during the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Brown were in Spur Thursday.

Beulah Mae Phifer, a student of Texas Tech, spent the week end at home with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McDonald have their daughter, Mrs. Spivey and little granddaughter of Alamogordo, New Mexico, visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Allen entertained with a party at their home Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett had Mr. Everett's sister visiting them the past week.

Geo. S. Link, Jr., and Sam Clemmons of Spur, were transacting business in this vicinity one day the past week.

Bradford Bass was in Spur Tuesday. The Woman's Missionary Society play was presented at Afton Saturday night.

A large number from McAdoo attended the Baptist home coming at Pansy Sunday.

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Plans for the closing of our school for the current year are rapidly nearing completion. The Commencement sermon will be delivered Sunday May 27th at the high school auditorium.

The primary department will present their program at the high school auditorium Friday night, May 25th.

Miss Ona Lee Shockley, candidate for County Treasurer, of Spur, attended the junior play here Saturday night.

Raymond Eldredge visited in Lubbock last week.

W. W. Barrington and daughter, Lona May, of Afton, visited friends here Monday.

CHLOROSIS OF PLANTS IN TEXAS

The yellowing or loss of color in leaves of some plants in your garden or some of your ornamentals or orchard trees or even on spots of your field crops is probably a condition called chlorosis, resulting from a nutritional disturbance. Chlorosis is different from the common plant disease that is caused by fungi or bacteria and can not be successfully treated by the methods used for those diseases. It does not spread from plant to plant and while the yellowing plants are often found in groups, that is because the soil area, either contains too much or too little of any of several mineral substances. Research workers at the Texas Experiment Station state that the most common cause of chlorosis is an excess of lime in certain soils which prevents the iron in the soil from being available to the plant. Other causes include the deficiency of potash or nitrogen, excess of alkali, or defective condition of the roots or of the whole tree. Chlorosis becomes apparent when the production of green chlorophyll or coloring matter in the leaves has been disturbed. These chlorophyll bodies when acted upon by sunlight manufacture the feed for the nourishment of the plant and the production of these chlorophyll bodies depends upon the availability of nitrogen, magnesium and iron. There are two methods of attacking chlorosis, (1) the actual mechanical application of iron into or on the plant and (2) soil treatment to render the iron readily in the soil available to the plant.

Under Texas conditions most chlorotic plants will respond to treatment of the soil with iron sulphate (coppers.) The best application is 1 part coppers to from 1 to 5 parts super phosphate or manure applied in holes a foot deep and 1 inch in diameter filling each hole. These holes are scattered around the plant from a few inches in the case of small plants to 3 to 6 feet in the case of trees, the number of holes varying with the size of the plant. Usually about 1 pound of coppers for each inch in diameter of the tree trunk is sufficient. In the case of roses or other shrubs four holes a foot away from the plant should be sufficient.

Sulphur and manure supplemented by iron sulphate may also be effective in correcting the soil conditions that cause iron starvation. Pulverized sulphur with manure should be worked into the top soil about the plant and allowed to undergo oxidation for several months after which the iron sulphate-super phosphate mixture is applied. Such a treatment will ordinarily remove the need for spraying.

Treatment of the plants with iron is quite successful. A generous spraying of leaves, leaving no spots unsprayed, with a solution of 1 pound of coppers to 3 or 4 gallons of water will furnish the leaves with iron and cause them to take on green color. When the foliage is tender this may be too strong. Tender citrus foliage was injured by a 1 per cent solution but a .5 per cent solution was effective and did not harm the foliage. Only leaves touched by the spray will be restored therefore a good job must be done. Foliage appearing after the application may continue to be chlorotic unless spraying is repeated or the soil treated or iron is supplied to the plant. In treating trees a 3-8 inch hole is bored 3-4 inch deep into the trunk or limbs and either iron citrate or iron phosphate should be inserted in these. These iron salts in the form of flaky crystals can be obtained at any drug store and should be ground into a powder and inserted into the plant. They are not poisonous. Coppers should not be used in this type of treatment. For small trees a single hole will usually be sufficient. For larger trees two or more injections should be made and holes spaced around the trunk at intervals of about 3 inches. When the hole is filled with the iron citrate or phosphate it should be sealed over with protective wax of some sort. Some workers recommend driving ordinary iron finishing nails, a dozen or so, into the trunks of trees affected with chlorosis being careful not to injure the bark unnecessarily, using a nail set to drive the head of a nail beyond the bark. The iron supplied to the trees by these nails is more slowly available than the powdered forms, but has been found effective.

R. R. Wooten, of McAdoo was transacting business in our city Tuesday. He stated a light shower fell at McAdoo Monday night, but further north there was a good rain.

Mrs. S. E. Swanson and daughter, Miss Ouida, of Stamford, are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. B. C. Johnson at this time.

1931 STUDY CLUB

The 1931 Study Club entertained last Tuesday evening with a buffet supper in honor of their husbands. This delightful affair was held in the home of Mrs. Webber Williams. After supper which consisted of chicken salad, string beans, potatoes, olives, pickles, hot rolls and strawberry short cake, contests and games were enjoyed.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Alton B. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clemmons, Mrs. F. G. Collier, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Jephtha Craig, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Engleman, Mrs. Jerry Ensey, Mrs. D. L. Granberry, Mrs. C. B. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rector, Mr. and Mrs. Webber Williams, Glenna Williams and Gene Granberry.

NEW CLUB ORGANIZED

A new home demonstration club was organized Thursday as a result of a fitting and use of foundation pattern demonstration in the Duncan Flat community given by Mrs. R. C. Alexander and Mrs. Paul Braddock, wardrobe demonstrators of the Prairie Chapel home demonstration club. Mrs. R. C. Glenn was elected president; Mrs. L. Norris, vice-president; Mrs. L. D. Norris, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. H. B. Alexander, reporter; Miss Minnie Norris, parliamentarian; and Mrs. Wilson, council member. There were 12 women enrolled in the new club.

Eleven foundation patterns were cut and fitted in the demonstration. Each member is planning to make a dress for the county clothing contest to be held in June.

The club will meet the afternoon of May 31 for a demonstration on tufted bedspreads, given by the home demonstration agent.

A. R. Pool, of Lubbock, was in our city Tuesday greeting friends. He formerly lived in Afton country where he still owns a very fine farm.

E. N. Johnson of Afton, was in our city Saturday looking after business matters.

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SAFEWAY STORES

Seasonable FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Dewy Fresh Every Morning from the "Valley of the Rio Grande", Texas

Potatoes, No. 1 Russets 10 lbs. 23c
Bunch Greens, Carrots, Mustard, Turnips, choice bunch 4c
Cantaloupes each 9c

Sugar Pure Cane—cloth bag 10 lb. bag 51c
Post Toasties Large 10c
Summer cereal pkg.

Carnation Milk 3 large cans 19c
Tomatoes, standard pack No. 2 can 9c
Catsup, Ruby brand, 14 oz. 2 bottles 25c
Tomato Juice, Libby's 3 cans 25c

Olives—2 1-2 oz. bottle -----
Vanilla—2 oz. bottle ----- Your Choice
Cherries—2 oz. bottle -----
Hershey's Cocoa—1-5 lb. can -----
Macaroni—7 oz. pkg. -----
Spaghetti—7 oz. pkg. -----
Vermicello—7 oz. pkg. -----
Hominy—Stokely's -----
Sunbrite Cleanser -----
Jell Well—All flavors -----

5c

Whole Wheat Flakes, Kellogg's pkg. 7c
Pickles, sour or dill, qt. jar 2 jars 35c
Crushed Pineapple, Libby's No. 1 flat 9c
Pink Beans, re-cleaned... 2 lbs. 13c
Marshmallows, Fluffiest 1 lb. pkg. 15c
Gold Medal Flour 48 lb. bag \$1.85
Dried Peaches, choice 2 lbs. 25c
Dried Apricots, choice 2 lbs. 33c
Airway Coffee lb. 21c
Dependable Coffee lb. 27c
Scot Tissue, 1000 sheets roll 9c
Chocolate, Baker's premium 1-2 lb pkg 27c
Log Cabin Syrup table size 25c
Salad Dressng, home style pt. jar 19c

Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Monday in Spur May 24, 25, 26 and 28