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SPUR PLANNING FOR EXPECTED 1200 VISITORS

County Schools Taking Part In Lubbock Meat Show Next Week

Spur Firms Cooperate To Sponsor Dollar Day Next Thursday

Hundreds Will Crown City On Trades Day

Palace Theater and Spur Motor Working With Local Firms By Giving Away New 1936 Chevrolet Coach; Shop Until 10 o'clock.

The retail division of Spur merchandising firms, in cooperation with the local Palace Theater and Chamber of Commerce, is this week completing plans for the biggest Dollar Day trades attraction this city has sponsored since last November, when hundreds from over the trade area swooped down upon this city for the occasion, Thursday, April 2.

Every business firm in the city plans specials for the day. Items will be offered in quantity numbers, quality merchandise at saving prices.

It is understood that the Palace Theater, in cooperation with the Spur Motor Company, is working with the local trades day sponsors by adding an extra attracting feature to the regular merchandising specials planning to give a new Chevrolet two-door away on that date.

Hundreds are expected to be attracted from over the territory, after large handbills have been distributed the first part of next week, in which announcements will be made regarding the free Chevrolet and the thousands of articles offered by the various business firms. The last Dollar Day this city sponsored every business house enjoyed prosperous rushes, and store clerks were kept busy throughout the day.

It is understood that many firms are employing extra help to care for additional business expected next Thursday, and expectant customers and shoppers from out of the county may be assured of prompt service.

Most all retail merchants, it has been announced, have made plans to remain open for business until ten o'clock that evening in order that late arrivals may be permitted to complete their shopping.

Clytee Collins is Recovering Injuries From Car Wreck

Miss Clytee Collier, daughter of Mrs. Joe Collier, of this city, is in a local hospital suffering head injuries and body bruises sustained in a car wreck Monday of this week. Her condition is not considered serious however.

Miss Collier, in company with Vera Joe Baine, Joyce Collier, D. I. Loe and wife and daughter, was driving her mother's sedan toward Lubbock and had just driven into the Cap Rock when their car was hit by a truck, driven by John Dawson, which had started across the highway. Fortunately, it is said, neither was driving extremely fast at the moment.

Mr. Dawson, employee of the Geo. S. Link farm, was on his way to McAdoo, it is reported and in crossing the highway was blinded by the sand storm which was raging. It is said that he never did see the Collier machine, however, occupants of the car could see the truck but not until it was too late.

Some damage was done to the truck and one fender, the left door and running board of the Collier sedan were ruined in the collision.

ENJOY VISIT IN TENNESSEE

George S. Link Jr., and his mother returned Monday from points in Tennessee, Arkansas and other states where they had been visiting relatives and friends. Mr. Link stated that he enjoyed the trip very much and saw some very pretty country. Some of the rivers in that section are a little full at this time, but will be all right soon.

S. R. Peak In Race Public Weigher

S. R. Peak, pioneer citizen of this county since 1899, visited the Times office this week to announce his candidacy for public weigher, Precinct No. 2.

Mr. Peak is well known by every old timer in this section of the country, having lived in Dickens County for the past 33 years, and in West Texas for the past 37 years.

In making this announcement the fifty-nine-year-old gentleman said, "I have never asked for a public office before in my life, and I am doing it this time because of financial conditions. Those voters who may not know me can ask most any old timer of my character record."

The candidate, a farmer of the Prairie Chapel community, may be remembered by some as the mail carrier between Dickens and Matador in 1907-9 when service was rendered by the famous "Spanish Mule Route."

Crippled Children Dickens County to Obtain Special Aid

In a special letter addressed to this paper Mrs. Madge Twaddell, county school superintendent, has pointed out opportunities offered crippled children throughout the state, and through a special federal aid and has stressed the desire that every incapacitated child in Dickens County could be reported to either she or Mrs. W. R. Weaver, county chairman crippled children's organization.

Parents or investigators who wish to make a report of this nature are urged to do so promptly as possible. The blanks upon which this is to be done may be secured from either Mrs. Twaddell or Mrs. Weaver.

"It seems that now through the rehabilitation division of the state department of education at Austin, we can get our crippled children taken care of. The federal government and the state government are supplying the money. Apparently this money is available right now but it will not be long before the money is all spent. The counties that rush their children in will be the ones that will be benefited," Mrs. Twaddell said.

The state defines a crippled child in the following manner: "A crippled child is defined as any person of normal mentality, under twenty-one years of age, whose physical functions or movements are impaired by reason of a joint, bone or muscle defect or deformity, to the extent that the child is or may be expected to be totally or partially incapacitated for education or remunerative occupation."

"If you know of a crippled child anywhere in the county, I wish you would please get his parents to investigate this immediately. We need quick action if we get results. Please get this done by next Sunday if at all possible," Mrs. Twaddell wrote.

E. M. Hale Obtains Serious Injuries In Falling From Truck

E. M. Hale, local office manager for the Dalby Motor Freight lines, is this week nursing injuries received in a fall from one of the big company trucks here last Sunday.

Mr. Hale was assisting with a loaded truck of furniture when he slipped and fell from the top of the load, receiving injury to his hip as well as numerous bruises.

Spur Ag. Classes Make 16 Entries In Annual Show

Vocational Agricultural Students From McAdoo, Patton Springs and Spur Entering Total of 98 Animals in Various Divisions; Spur's Judging Team to Compete.

Vocational agriculture teachers, county agent and home demonstration agent are busy this week with plans for the county's part in the sixth annual Plains Quality Meat Show at Lubbock next March 30th to April 1st, according to reports given the (Continued on Page 4)

Two Local Firms Paint-Up This Week

Two local firms, facing each other on Burlington Avenue, are this week following well in line with the city's proclaimed Clean-Up Week with a complete program of rearranging and painting-up.

The City Drug Store on the west side of the avenue is having all fixtures painted ivory rather than the dark color which was once prominent. Plans are for the ceiling to also receive a coat of paint within another month or so, but the fixtures will be finished this week and a coat of dark paint applied to the floors.

On the east side of the avenue local citizens will find Bell's Cafe well improved with complete paint job being done on walls, ceiling and fixtures. The walls and ceiling have been treated with white paint and light blue decorations, while the fixtures have been coated with two shades of green. This establishment recently installed a hydro-gas plant of their own and now do all cooking, heating and water heating operations through the new method. The plant was installed by specialists, Byron F. Wilson.

Emergency Wind Erosion Program Ready To Go Into Immediate Action

Dickens County Not Yet Officially Included In Soil Conservation Work, According to County Agent Who States That Application Blanks Have Not Been Received, and That Announcement Will Be Made As Soon As Final Word Is Received From the A. & M. Extension Service.

The county agent will act as secretary and be responsible for the educational phases of the emergency wind erosion program being administered by the A. & M. College through the Texas Extension Service, according to reports to this paper sent from the college. The program is ready for immediate action as soon as funds are received from Washington, Director H. H. Williamson of the service has announced.

"A major part of the counties are already organized in the Panhandle area and applications for treasurer's bonds are being received," the director stated.

It is understood that the program is to be handled in the counties by committees, consisting of three farmers, who will elect a chairman and a treasurer to work with the county agent.

The county committee will in turn appoint community committees, who will approve farmer's applications, and after the work has been completed, certify before final payment is made that the work has been completed as specified by the county committee and agreed to by the applicant.

Checks for 60 per cent of the total grant will be paid each farmer upon approval of application, and the bal-

Reese Candidate For Constable

The Times has been authorized to place the name of J. M. (Uncle Jere) Reese before the voters of Precinct No. 3 as a candidate for the office of constable subject to action of the Democratic primary. Mr. Reese was in the race for this office six years ago and was defeated by only 29 votes in the second primary. He has been in Spur 22 years and has lived an upright life. He stated that if elected that he will do his best in the service of the people. He is a firm believer in enforcing the laws of the state and says he would have no pets, but would treat all on the same basis in the performance of his duties. He solicits your support and influence in the coming primary, promising a faithful adherence to the duties of the office if elected.

Only \$32 Given Rogers Memorial Fund in County

In a report given the Times Wednesday funds contributed to the Will Rogers Memorial movement by Dickens County citizens reached a total of only \$32 as compared to \$75,000 credited the state of Texas in the nationwide drive.

Texas led all other states in contributions to the late Will Rogers Memorial fund with a total of three hundred thousand persons giving various amounts to bring the total for the state to \$75,000.

The amount turned in from this county was believed to be far below the average county total, and stands for only a small percentage of the total amount.

Mrs. Dick Speer left Sunday for Mineral Wells where she will spend a few days resting and taking a course of treatments.

YOU CLEAN UP, CITY PICKS UP

All citizens of Spur are urged to cooperate in the annual city-wide Clean-Up Week, March 30 to April 4, by placing all trash, cans, and other rubbish in sacks or barrels, placing same in alley for loading in wagons and trucks, according to official notice issued by City Manager, L. R. Burrow this week.

These wagons and trucks will begin hauling off rubbish Monday, April 6, it is understood.

20,000 Centennial Stamps on Sale at Local Post Office

The Texas Centennial government stamps are now on sale at the local post office, according to information obtained by the Times this week. Twenty thousand copies of the stamps have been received by the local department.

Those on hand here are of the three cent denomination and carry the picture of both Sam Houston and Stephen F. Austin, famous historical characters of Texas progress, along with a reproduction of the famous Alamo. The stamps are entitled "Texas Centennial Celebration Stamps, 1836 to 1936."

Citizens are urged by the Centennial committee to use these stamps upon every possible occasion where letters are going outside the state. They will serve as a reminder to citizens of other states that Texas is one hundred years old this year, and that celebrations are well planned and in order.

TRUSTEE ELECTION

Elections will be held in all of the school districts of the county to select one or more trustees.

We have a splendid school interest throughout the county. About the best place to exercise a real and an intelligent interest is at the polls. The fate of our schools is largely set when the trustees are elected. Helping determine who these trustees will be is not only a responsibility, it is an opportunity for service. Let's all vote for trustees Saturday, April 4. —Madge D. Twaddell, county school superintendent.

Harvey Loses Feed Tuesday Night Fire

W. K. Harvey, a good farmer living just north of Soldier Mound, sustained a great loss Tuesday night when four big stacks of feed were burned. Mr. Harvey has been ill for several days and was sleeping on the east side of his home. He awakened and saw the light and stated he thought the sun was rising and had a reddish hue. Soon he discovered his feed was burning.

He was not able to do much himself, but a number of neighbors came to his assistance. By hard work they were able to save two stacks of feed, but one stack of alfalfa hay, one of sudan hay, one stack of hebari and a stack of cane feed went up in the conflagration.

When asked about the amount of damage Mr. Harvey stated that he hardly knew what the value is, but that around \$200 in feed was destroyed. How the fire started is not known, but some think that it was caused by spontaneous combustion.

Frank Verner, who has been in a CCC camp in New Mexico, returned home Friday and is visiting with his mother. He stated that he is open for a job should anyone need a good hand.

County League Meet To Continue Here Tomorrow

Results of First Stages of Last Week's Meet Announced; Spur Schools Lead With Sixty-Eight Points From Tennis and Playground Ball.

With the first stages of the annual Dickens County interscholastic league meet completed last week, approximately 1200 school children contestants and their parents and teachers will be guests of this city tomorrow and Saturday for the final contests of the meet. Volley ball contests are to be held at Patton Springs gymnasium tonight (Thursday) at 7:30.

Regular general assembly is called for 8:30 at the Spur High School building, with various literary events starting at 9:10 and continuing throughout the day. Field and track events will be run at Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium, beginning at nine o'clock Saturday morning and continuing through to completion.

In the events held here last weekend, consisting of playground ball, tennis and choral singing, a Times hurried tabulation shows that through total points, and disregarding classes, Spur lead the meet with a total of sixty-eight points from tennis and playground ball, while Dumont followed with thirty-five; McAdoo twenty-six; Esquela twenty-five; Dickens twenty and Patton Springs thirteen.

In the choral singing events, held East Ward school Friday night and not included in the points totaled above, Highway took first, Esquela second in the rural school division; in the primary division, Dickens was first and Spur second; in both the junior and senior divisions Spur was awarded first. At the conclusion of the contests all choruses were seated together and Texas Centennial songs were sung under the direction of Mrs. Violet McKnight, chorus director in charge of the county chorus meeting planned for Sunday, April 26 at (Continued On Back Page)

Local Legionnaires Invited To Attend Dist. Convention

The local Boyd M. Williams Post of the American Legion this week has received an invitation to a convention of the nineteenth district of Legionnaires and Auxiliary members with dates set for April 4 and 5, at Colorado, Texas, according to a special dispatch addressed the Times yesterday.

District committeeman, C. B. Quant, stated in his report to the Times that the Oran C. Hooker Post, of Colorado, would be the host organization and that department officials as well as representatives from the veterans bureau would be the principal speakers.

"By virtue of the authority vested in me as executive committeeman, I hereby call a convention of the nineteenth district," Mr. Quant wrote, and then concluded with, "A cordial welcome awaits every Legionnaire and Auxiliary member that attends."

The committeeman stressed the importance of each member paying his dues and attending the convention.

RETURN FROM ARKANSAS VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. Jephtha Craig returned Sunday from points in Arkansas where they had been visiting relatives and friends. Mrs. Craig and little son, James Jephtha, have been in Arkansas for several weeks visiting. Mr. Craig went up the last of the week. His father, Rev. Eli Craig, has been quite ill and is not in good health yet. Let's hope for his speedy recovery.

Pneumonia Fatal to Barbara Pickens

Barbara Jean, little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Pickens of Highway community, passed away about 9:20 o'clock Saturday evening after an illness of just a few days. She suffered an attack of bronchial pneumonia in both lungs Monday, March 16, and while everything was done to overcome the disease nothing seemed to avail.

Funeral services were held at the home at 2:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. Rev. J. Melvin Jones, pastor of the Spur M. E. Church, read the funeral rites in the presence of a great number of friends. Interment followed in Spur cemetery, Bill Kinney acting as funeral director.

Little Barbara Jean, who was seven months and four days old, is survived by her parents, four sisters: Ione, Viola, Naomi and Bobbie Rhea, all at home; her two grandmothers, Mrs. W. J. Pickens and Mrs. C. L. Solomon; a number of uncles and aunts as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Pickens, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pickens, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Guynn, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Solomon, and a number of cousins.

A MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION

We desire to express our appreciation to our friends and neighbors who were so faithful during the illness and death of our dear baby, Barbara Jean. Your kindness and thoughtfulness during the sad time can never be forgotten.—Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Pickens and children, Mrs. W. J. Pickens, Mrs. C. L. Solomon, Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Rogers and children, Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Pickens and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Pickens and children, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Solomon and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Guynn, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Solomon.

Workers Meeting at Girard April 7th

The workers meeting for the Stone-wall County Baptist Association will be held with the Baptist Church at Girard Tuesday, April 7. This will be an all day meeting and will involve every feature of church work on the program.

The following is the program outline:

- Tuesday Morning.**
 10:00—Song Service, B. J. Kellett.
 10:10—Devotional, Rev. Lee.
 10:20—The Standard Christ Set for Missions, Rev. H. T. Dennis.
 10:40—The Importance of the Sunday School Work, Geo. T. McBath, district Sunday school superintendent.
 11:00—Sermon, Rev. D. G. Reid, Roby.
- Tuesday Afternoon.**
 1:00—Devotional, Alton Vaughn.
 1:20—Our Goal for this Year, Rev. R. T. Barton.
 1:40—Why a Meeting in Every Community in Stone-wall Association, John Fulcher.
 2:00—The Secret of Soul Winning, Rev. J. V. Bilberry.
 2:30—The W. M. U. in the Church, Mrs. McPherson.
 2:50—Why a B. T. U. in the Church, Fred McPherson.
 3:10—Business and Adjournment.

PLANTS SET IN JANUARY ARE GROWING

"The lilacs we put out in January are just ready to burst into bloom. They are just a little behind the ones not transplanted," reports Mrs. W. O. Garrison, cooperator in yard improvement work in the Red Top home demonstration club, where 28 foundation shrubs were set in a demonstration in January.

"I believe every shrub put out in that demonstration is going to live. Several have already leafed out. We have our grass planted so it won't be long until we have a different looking place," she added.

Mrs. J. T. White Dies After A Long Illness

The sad news of the death of Mrs. John T. White went over the community Monday evening. Mrs. White had been in ill health for a number of years and her husband had done everything possible to get her restored to good health again. The body was prepared for burial by Kinney Funeral Home. Funeral services were held at the Baptist Church in Dickens about two o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Rev. J. V. Bilberry, assisted by Rev. W. B. Bennett, conducted the services. Interment followed in Dickens cemetery, Bill Kinney acting as funeral director.

Active pallbearers were: W. F. Neaves, Oscar Warren, John Gregson, J. W. Smith, E. J. Bilberry and W. A. Harris. Mrs. C. W. Robinson and Mrs. J. W. Smith served as flower bearers.

Mrs. White's maiden name was Miss America Elizabeth Rogers and she was born in Cook County, Texas, November 1, 1872. She was married to James Senter in 1885. Three children were born into the home, Mrs. Bradshaw of Breckenridge and Mrs. J. E. Wilson of Tulsa, Okla., survive. Another daughter died in infancy. The surviving daughters were present for the funeral services. Mr. Senter passed away September 25, 1900, and she remained a widow about four years. She and Mr. White were married November 27, 1904. There are no children by the second marriage.

She is survived by her husband, John T. White, the two daughters named above, two brothers: F. T. Rogers of Altus, Okla., and C. H. Rogers of Amarillo; two sisters, Mrs. Tilden Johnson of Oklahoma City, H. C. Hobson of Spur and Mrs. J. W. White.

When about ten years of age Mrs. White made a profession of the Christian religion and became affiliated with the Christian Church. She lived a devoted Christian life until her death and was a friend to all who knew her. She was loved and respected by those with whom she came in contact. She was very devoted to her husband and always attended to her home duties even at times when she was not physically able to carry on.

There are two grandchildren in the family, Marion and Marvin Bradshaw of Breckenridge. Also, there are a great number of nephews and nieces who mourn her going.

J. J. Albin, of Dry Lake, was attending to business affairs in our city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Coy Dopson, of Dry Lake, were greeting friends and doing some trading here Saturday.

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The combination offers complete passenger car comfort and smart appearance with the utility of the ordinary commercial pickup body. It is designed especially for delivery service and for use by electricians, plumbers, contractors, oil field workers and others who haul compact loads.

The load space of the box is 60 inches long by 1-16 inches wide, inside. The opening under the rear deck is 16 1-4 inches deep, which permits the loading of large packages well forward on the platform. When the tail gate is lowered flush with the floor, the platform is 71 inches long.

To support the pickup load adequately, sedan chassis springs are used in the rear instead of the lighter coupe springs.

The box is constructed of steel panels. The floor is of wood with flush wear irons running lengthwise. Three heavy wooden cross-members support the box on the chassis frame. A special tool compartment is provided behind the seat, reached through an easily removed cover attached to the panel behind the right side of the seat back. The regular assortment of tools is furnished, except that a jack of 2,000-pound capacity is included.

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5th Sunday Meeting Opens at Duck Creek

The Fifth Sunday meeting of the Dickens County Baptist Association will convene with the church at Duck Creek at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. Rev. Bilberry will deliver the opening sermon at that time. Other messages will be delivered by prominent ministers during the meeting which will continue through Saturday and until noon Sunday.

The following is the program outline:

- Friday.**
 7:30 p. m. Song services. 8:00 Sermon, Bro. J. V. Bilberry.
- Saturday.**
 9:30 a. m. Song services. 9:45 Devotional, Bro. Luther Bilberry; 10:00 a. m. "Baptism. What it is, Who For, By Whom," by Bro. W. B. Bennett. 10:30, "Where does the world stand today according to prophecy?" by A. P. Stokes. 11:15 Sermon by Dr. M. F. Ewton.
 Dinner. Noon Hour.
 1:15 p. m. Song service; 1:30 Devotional by Bro. C. Edwards; 1:45 "God's approval of some discipline" by Bro. Wayne Grizzle; 2:00 "Harmonize" from Gen. 28:20-22; 4:24; Mal. 3:10; Second Cor. 9:7, by Bro. Terry. 2:30 p. m. "Power of Prayer" by Bro. Thomas Cobb. Adjourn. 7:30 Song services; 8:00 Sermon by Bro. Bris-tow.

Sunday.
 10:00 a. m. Sunday School. 11:00 Sermon by Bro. Hardestad.
 The committee has requested of the Times the favor of extending every-time an invitation.

Spur To Gain New Citizen of Littlefield

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Bennett and little son, Roy, are moving to our city this week. They were citizens of Lubbock for sometime and have been in Littlefield the past three years. Mr. Bennett will have the Singer Sewing Machine agency here, and just as soon as he can get conditions adjusted he expects to put in a Singer store here.

Local Teachers May Attend Curriculum

Teachers of the local and county schools who plan to attend summer classes at the University of Texas will likely have the opportunity of attending the third annual curriculum revision conference, for administrators, supervisors and curriculum workers of Texas, to be held in Austin June 11, 12 and 13.

Prof. Raleigh Schorling, director of the experimental high school at the University of Michigan, will be the head advisor of the conference to word from the state university.

Last year approximately 850 Texas educational workers attended the conference, and an even larger attendance is anticipated this year.

C. N. Kidd, of Dry Lake, was attending to business in our city Saturday. He reported a good rain and a good season in his community the rain falling March 7.

Spur Economics Girls Attend District Meet

Twenty-four Spur high school girls accompanied by Mrs. O. C. Thomas, teacher of home economics, attended the district home economics rally held in Littlefield, Saturday, March 21.

An all day program with a Texas Centennial theme was arranged. Eighteen home economics departments and over three hundred club members were present to carry out the program. Spur's number on the program was Texas as a State in which nine famous women of Texas were discussed.

As a background for the program a large Texas map, six feet tall, had been cut from blue board and painted with a lovely bluebonnet scene.

The girls attending were Ruby Nell Young, Naomi Franklin, Mozelle McClain, Noema Smith, Ruth Turpen, Bobby Lawrence, Joyce Koon, Ruby Brown, Claudie Brown, Dorothy Fortenberry, Dortha Merriman, Frances Gibson, Helen Lollar, Nelta Pritchett, Sybil McDonald, Wilma Morgan, Wynell McClure, Anita Harkey, Oleta Howe, Leta Hargrove, Evelyn Pickens, Gladys Roberson, Ruth Culbert, and Virginia Watson.

The 1937 rally will convene in Slaton about February.

L. B. McMeans, of Twin Wells, who has been ill for some time, is reported improving. Mr. McMeans is one of our best citizens and his many friends will be glad when he is able to be out again.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gollihar are at Fort Worth with her daughter and family. Mrs. Gollihar will remain there under the care of a specialist for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Holmes have gone to Center Point, Texas, for a visit with Mr. Holmes' mother and other relatives.

Dudley Wooten, student of Tech College, was at home last week-end.

James Lee Johnson spent the week-end in Spur with relatives.

Harold Hardy made a business trip to Lubbock one day this past week.

J. C. Gilmore, of Woodson, is here to see relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith, of Lubbock, spent a few days last week with their son, Mr. Hughes Smith, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Starley Demis and Wanda Lou, of Spur, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark this week-end. Mrs. Demis is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clark.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John A. Allen Saturday, March 21. The baby has been named Marjorie Louise.

W. C. Herring who has been here with his sister, Mrs. Ioma Bass, has returned to his home at Moran.

Mrs. M. A. Adams was carried to Lubbock sanitarium Thursday, suffering from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Johnson of Crosbyton, were here this week-end to see their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Tinney and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson.

Several vocational agricultural students from McAdoo will exhibit a number of live stock in the quality meat show to be conducted in Lubbock, March 30 through April 1.

Ten baby heaves, fourteen fat pigs and thirteen fat lambs have been listed as entries.

At a recent fat stock show held in Spur, Harold Elder exhibited the grand champion lamb and pig; Earl Van Meter Jr., the grand champion calf.

Henry Elder is vocational agriculture teacher of the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Buckner and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Buckner and family are visiting relatives in Oklahoma.

County Agents, Ralph Howe and Mr. Lane have been conducting terracing schools in the surrounding communities.

The farmers are manifesting a great interest in the work. Terracing has proven a very valuable thing toward the production ability of the land, possibly within a few years all the farms on the plains will be terraced.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Beauchamp have returned home from Becton where Brother Beauchamp has been conducting a revival meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Eloise Nickles and Billie Joyce went to Waco Thursday of last week. Mrs. Nickles and Billie Joyce will remain for an extended visit with her parents.

An invitation tournament was held at McAdoo Friday afternoon, March 19. Crosbyton, Dickens and Patton Springs had representatives taking part in the tournament. This was a practice tournament to give the students experience and practice in various events before the county track meet is held.

The local school has received books of Texas songs. The songs are a great help to teachers in preparing school and community programs for Texas Centennial activities.

A car that was driven by Chesley Dozier of Afton, caught on fire Tuesday night, east of McAdoo. The car was burned beyond repair. It was thought that the fire originated from a "short" in the battery. Flames were coming up from underneath the car before the driver discovered the fire. Efforts were made to put the fire out, but nothing could extinguish the flames. The car belonged to Fred Dozier, of Afton, brother of Chesley.

A. F. Darden, of Croton, was looking after business affairs in our city Monday.

B. F. Middleton, one of the good citizens of Afton country, was looking after business matters in our city Monday.



The Morning After Taking Carter's Little Liver Pills

Spur Merchants To Visit Lubbock Show

According to the latest news dispatches to the Times regarding the Wes-Tex New-Mex wholesale clothing market to be held at Lubbock today and tomorrow, merchandise samples, dance arrangements and banquet programs are completed for the expected two hundred merchants from over this section of the country.

At the Hotel Lubbock things have been so rearranged that all the third and fourth floors and part of the fifth floor, as well as the annex and mezzanine and private dining room on the lobby floor will be used to care for the twelfth annual show.

At a late hour Wednesday night names of the local merchants planning to attend the affair which opens, with a big floor show tonight, had not been announced to this paper, however it was understood that most every local clothing firm would be represented.

Hogan & Patton Now Insure Clothing To Be Moth-Resistant

A new process of clothes cleaning, that renders clothes moth-proof while they are being cleaned has recently been instituted by Hogan & Patton, the local "Man's Store" announced this week. The method, known as the Monite Mothproof cleaning process, is absolutely harmless, odorless and non-poisonous and costs the customer no extra charges for regular cleaning work.

It is explained that the process involves a special chemical solution used in the regular cleaning fluids, and leaves all fabrics moth-resisting. Garments treated by this process are insured against moth damage for a period of six months, and backed by one of the largest insurance companies in the country.

"We are offering this new innovation in clothes care for the protection of our customers, as added service. It is worth untold money to citizens of Spur, yet we are offering it without one cent's additional cost over regular cleaning prices," Ned Hogan of the firm of Hogan & Patton informed the Times.

Army Opens Recruit Office at Sweetwater

An official report from the district recruiting office at Fort Bliss, Tex., informs the Times that an army recruiting office will be opened at Sweetwater, Texas, about April 3 to canvas for men from this area.

Enlistments will be taken at the Sweetwater office for recruits for Fort Bliss, Texas, as well as for Beaumont Hospital at El Paso. A few colored men will be considered for Fort Huachuca, Ariz.

The Sweetwater office will be maintained for only a few weeks, according to the report.

C. B. Middleton, teacher of agriculture in the local school returned from Gainesville Sunday night with a car of calves, from his personal stock, to be used in feeding projects by the local agricultural students next year, it has been announced.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Moore, southwest of town, were in Saturday doing some trading.



We Are Booking Baby Chicks For Immediate Delivery
Spur Grain & Coal
Phone 51

Receive New Books High School Library

Approximately one hundred new books were added to the local high school library this week, according to report given the Times by Principal Kelley. These new volumes, including social science and English reading subjects, have been obtained through contributions made by Spur business firms earlier in the school year, and have long been badly needed.

"Prisoner of Shark Island" To Show At Local Palace

Almost a forgotten island hell on the coast of America becomes the center of action for the snaring, enthralling drama of "The Prisoner of Shark Island," opening at the local Palace with midnight preview Saturday and continuing through Sunday and Monday.

Plucked from the pages of history, the new picture tells the authentic story of a man martyred for a deed of mercy, torn from the arms of the woman he loved to living death on the island where brutes are masters.

The real-life hero of "The Prisoner of Shark Island," was Dr. Samuel Alexander Mudd, who is portrayed on the screen by Warner Baxter. Sunscorched Fort Jefferson, on a tiny key in the Caribbean, is the prison where he was sent under sentence of life imprisonment.

How Baxter, sustained by the love of his wife lives through physical torture to emerge a hero in the yellow fever epidemic which strikes the island is revealed in the picture, which was directed by John Ford and personally produced under the supervision of Darryl F. Zanuck.

Miss Lennis Ward, special representative, is in Spur this week demonstrating A. J. Krank cosmetics from the City Drug Store. Arrangements were made for the demonstrations through a company representative, Miss Alta Cockerell of Dallas, who was here first of last week. Miss Ward comes as a highly recommended cosmetic specialist, and her time is being well taken with appointments with local women, it is understood. The young lady is to remain through next week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hale, of Prairie Chapel country, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

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Gas-Tons are sold in Spur by City Drug Co., and by leading drug stores in other towns. If your druggist does not have Gas-Tons send money orders, payable to City Drug Co., Spur Adv. 5-4tc

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following named persons have made announcements as candidates for the various offices designated, subject to the action of the voters of Dickens County in the Democratic Primary, July 25, 1936.

REPRESENTATIVE, 118th DIST.

- L. C. (Clarice) HARRIS
LEONARD WESTFALL (Sec T.)
JOE A. MERRITT

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

- MARSHALL FORMBY
JIM CLOUD (Re-election)
A. B. (Shorty) HOGAN
G. W. BENNETT
AUSTIN C. ROSE
ROBT. REYNOLDS

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR AND COLLECTOR:

- R. L. (Bob) COLLIER
ALBERT POWER
F. L. (FORREST) EDWARDS
J. L. KOONSMAN, (Re-election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

- MRS. ALICE MURPHREE

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 1:

- C. P. AWFILL
WAYNE VAN LEER
C. C. HAILE
HORACE NICKLES
VANCE HUGHES
W. K. (WILLOW) STREET

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 2:

- W. F. (Forrest) RAGLAND
E. N. (Nuge) JOHNSON
E. J. OFFIELD
A. K. McALLISTER

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 4:

- C. E. BUTLER
M. B. GAGE
R. E. ROGERS
CLARENCE LITTLEFIELD.

PUBLIC WEIGHER PRECINCT NO. 1:

- LAWRENCE FOX
RAYMOND ELDRIDGE

PUBLIC WEIGHER, PRECINCT NO. 2:

- GASTON JACKSON (Re-election)
G. W. CALVERT
S. R. PEAK.

CLERK OF DISTRICT COURT:

- MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD

CLERK COUNTY COURT:

- FRED ARRINGTON

FOR COMMISSIONER PRECINCT NO. 3:

- C. N. (Newt) KIDD
W. F. (Walter) FOREMAN

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE PRECINCT NO. 3:

- G. B. JOPLING

FOR CONSTABLE FOR PRECINCT NO. 3:

- J. M. (Uncle Jere) REESE.

McCombs Takes Over Magnolia Station

Announcement has been made that O. F. McCombs, of Abilene, has taken over the service station department at the Spur Motor Company, effective yesterday, and will continue operations there with Magnolia products.

Mr. McCombs and family have resided in Abilene for approximately seven years but prior to their moving there they were citizens of this city where he was connected with the Spur Tire Company. He expects to move his family here as soon as conditions permit.

The Times joins their many friends in extending them welcome back home.

H. E. Blendon, merchant at Dobbs City, was greeting friends and trading in our city Monday.

Health Survey Is Being Conducted

Mrs. Minnie Lewis, who has been a nurse in the county many years, having worked at the Nichols Sanitarium during a part of that time, is now visiting the schools in the county with Mrs. Twaddell, our county superintendent. She is assisting the pupils and teachers with their health problems. Mrs. Lewis' work comes under the public health service and she is being paid by the federal government for this work.

Spur Ag. Classes Make 16 Entries In Annual Show

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Times. Garnet Reeves, publicity manager of the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce, informed the Times this week in a news letter, "With over 700 livestock and 500 other entries already in, the sixth annual show will be the biggest of its kind ever staged on the Plains."

Durwood Pickens' calf was the grand champion at the show last year and C. B. Middleton, vocational teacher in the local schools, expects some of the fourteen entries from his classes to make nice showings in the baby beef division this year. The Spur high school boys will also enter two fat lambs, it is announced.

Vocational teacher, Elder, at McAdoo will have 16 calves, 40 pigs and 13 lambs, while G. B. West, teacher at Patton Springs will have 12 calves and 14 pigs, according to plans now being considered. The various teachers from over the county are working with County Agent G. J. Lane and Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Clara Pratt in arranging entries for part or all of the five divisions of the show, baby beef, fat pigs, fat lamb, canned meat and cured meat, which will be exhibited from Dickens County.

The Spur boys made considerable showing at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show recently when fat lambs owned by Cullin Denson won 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th places; a calf owned by J. W. Pickens, won 7th place in the senior division. Sale was made of the show-car at the Amarillo meet, according to Instructor Middleton.

Spur is to be well represented in the livestock team judging division by a team composed of Wilson Gardner, Roger Garrison and Woodrow McArthur.

W. L. Stangel, head of the animal husbandry department at Texas Tech will judge the fat pig division; Roy W. Snyder, meat specialist from Texas Extension Service, will judge fat lambs and cured meats; while canned meats will be handled by Miss Grace Neely, food preservation specialist from the extension service.

The livestock sale, April first, will be the major event of the show, proving either failure or success in the feeding projects. Col. Earl Gartin-Greensburg, Indiana, has again been engaged to conduct the sale.

Other features of the show include exhibitors' dance Monday night, and exhibitors' banquet Tuesday night, March 31st. The show will continue three days.

Local Rotary Will Entertain Old Settlers

Members of the Spur Rotary Club will hold a reception to a number of old settlers at their meeting at the Spur Inn tonight. Just how many guests and who they will be is not known, but it is the hope of the Rotarians that all who have received invitations will be present.

The program tonight will be in charge of George S. Link Sr. Mr. Link has spent 25 years at Spur and knows a great number of the early settlers and has lived neighbor to a number of them.

Twelve members of the local club attended the inter-city meeting at Ralls last Friday evening. They report that was a great meeting and they enjoyed one of the best times in their Rotary career.

The officers are requesting that all members be present for the meeting tonight.

A. E. McClain, of Catfish, was in our city Monday transacting business.

DR. AND MRS. EWTON RETURN

Word received by friends this week from Dr. and Mrs. Ewton stated that they would return home the last of the week. Dr. Ewton requested us to announce that he will be in his pulpit at the First Baptist Church next Sunday morning and evening. The Sunday school and other services will be just as the regular schedule provides. Dr. Ewton especially requests that a good representation of the church membership be out Sunday.

He and Mrs. Ewton have been away on a vacation the past two weeks. He has needed a rest for several weeks, and is just recovering from a spell of illness, thought now is a good time to take a vacation and get rested for the work.

EASTERN STAR

Spur Chapter meets on Thursday night just after the full of the moon in each month. Meeting hour eight o'clock. All members requested to be present. Visiting members welcome. Mrs. Eula Joplin, W. M. Mrs. Georgia Barrett, Secretary

ON TEXAS FARMS by Minnie Fisher Cunningham Extension Service Editor

Supplies of seed grasses and legumes are greater this year than ever before in the nation's history. This contrasts sharply with the scarcity of 1934.

It is a good thing that there are plenty of these seeds available because putting land into pasture and meadow crops is becoming more and more popular these days.

Some of the more scientific folk are even becoming particular about inoculating the legume seeds they plant. It pays too.

Dr. J. F. Cox, chief of the replacement crops section of the AAA, says there is a sufficient supply of bluegrass seed and of red top seed to plant several times the usual acreage.

The available supply of timothy seed is larger than ever before recorded. Fairly large supplies, in excess of normal usage, are reported for orchard grass, rye grass, and meadow fescue.

The seed supply of brome grass and crested wheat grass adapted to Western and Northwestern conditions, is greatly increased over last year.

Alfalfa seed is reported plentiful. Red clover and alsike is below normal, but the seed of lespedeza—growing in popularity in the southern corn belt and northern cotton belt—is available in large quantities.

Sudan grass—great favorite among dairymen—shows the largest seed crops ever harvested.

Cowpeas and velvetbeans increased substantially with a supply on hand sufficient to plant an acreage of 50 per cent larger than the 1935 acreage. Wholesale prices as reported by the bureau of agriculture economics, are lower than last year, and lower than during the whole five years from 1929 to 1933.

Nathalie Walker of Palo Pinto, farm fruit lot demonstrator for the Grafrod 4-H Girls' club not only plans to provide grapes, berries and fruits for her family but has already taken action towards getting a supply of grape vines, according to the report of Pauline Lokey, Palo Pinto home demonstration agent.

Nathalie secured 24 grape cuttings, one year's growth, 12 to 16 inches long (8 to 10 buds), cut one-fourth of an inch from the bottom bud and one-half to one inch from the top bud. She then tied them in a bundle and buried them upside down in the ground four inches deep so that the ends will sear over. In February they will be put out in the cutting bed. "The buds will then take root better than if just cut and put in the bed," Nathalie Walker stated.

"It pays to have a hotbed in which to start the vegetables which require a long growing season," Mrs. Dona Lee Carroll, sponsor of the White Rock 4-H club in Collin county, said.

Last year she had a tomato patch of 250 plants, and gave several hundred plants to her neighbors. All these plants grew in Mrs. Carroll's hotbed. From her patch, she canned 100 quarts of tomatoes, and made 32 pints of relishes and catsup.

At one time, she harvested 10 bushels of green tomatoes and gave away several bushels besides. Mrs. Carroll is now rebuilding her hotbed in which to start her plants this year, according to a report of Helen Dunlap, Collin county home demonstration agent.

Ras Leach, of the Danville community in Gregg county, began feeding 12 head of calves 110 days ago. These calves have made a gain of two and one-half pounds per day with an estimated feed cost of five cents per pound.

These calves are registered Hereford bulls and out of cows whose dams were native East Texas cattle and whose sires were purebred Hereford bulls.

"The feeding of these calves demonstrates the fact that native East Texas calves can be fed at a profit and that the fleshing will be uniform over the body," according to Ross F. McSwain, Gregg county agricultural agent.

Elmer Rogers, of Croton county, was attending to business affairs in our city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Jackson, of Roaring Springs, were in our city the last of the week doing some trading.

CONCRETE WORK

Sidewalks, Curb and Gutter, Foundations, Flower Beds, Anything in Concrete Estimates made and work Guaranteed. See—Burton Whitener

100 Applications Filed in County Old Age Pension

Fred Arrington, our congenial county clerk, informed a Times reporter this week that he had prepared about 100 applications for old age compensation since the law went into effect six weeks ago. He stated that a number of the aged people are greatly interested in getting the old age compensation and that he is with them. The oldest person in the county to make application is Mrs. Della Franks, of Red Mud community, who is in her nineties.

MRS. MEADOWS ILL

Mrs. M. L. Meadows, mother of J. W. Meadows of Musser Lumber Company, is confined to her room on account of bronchitis. Care is being taken to prevent development of pneumonia as her advanced age would be much against her. She stated to friends this week that she had not been ill before in fifty years. Her many friends truly hope she will recover and be able to be out again soon.

LARGE GALAXY REVEALED

Another large island universe has been discovered behind clouds of obscuring cosmic dust in our corner of space. Photographs taken at Harvard Observatory have revealed what for 40 years has been thought an insignificant nebula as an extensive system of stars smaller only than two other known galaxies, Andromeda and Messier 33. The mean diameter of this newly recognized galaxy has been estimated at more than 10,000 light years and its stars, of course, are numbered in millions. Lying comparatively near the Milky Way, as intergalactic distances go, this swarm of suns falls within the supergalaxy to which our Milky Way system, Andromeda, Messier 33, the Clouds of Magellan, and other smaller systems belong. The rays of light that filter through space from this distant cluster of suns do not make the trip to earth in much less than a million years. But the dimensions of the universe are such that even at so great a distance the new galaxy is our close neighbor.

BANKING

Comptroller of the Currency O'Conner announces the completion of the liquidation of 10 more bank receiverships during January, 1936, making a total of 197 receiverships finally closed since his last report to congress. The comptroller says deposits in 5,392 active national banks established an all time high record of \$24,847,733,000 for the national banking system on December 31 last.

Robert V. Fleming, president of the American Bankers association, tells St. Louis Chamber of Commerce the flood of new banking laws has been checked and there is no disposition on the part of the administration to make further changes in banking law.

To give added security to the banking system Leo T. Crowley, chairman of the Federal Deposit Corporation, reveals he has started proceedings for the elimination of from 50 to 60 unsound banks in five states. They will be consolidated with other banks or new banks set up in their stead.

The Times is first in readers, advertising, and news value.

Dee Gregory, a blacksmith at Kalgary, has been in the Spur hospital this week being treated for an infected hand. He is improving at this time. The hand was injured with a piece of iron.

Your typist tired? Then get her a Woodstock typewriter and see how much more work she can turn off with less effort. Dickens County Times.

J. C. Miller, a hustling business man of Jayton, was in our city Monday attending to business matters.

Henry Offield, of Elton, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Local Teachers May Attend Curriculum

Teachers of the local and county schools who plan to attend summer classes at the University of Texas will likely have the opportunity of attending the third annual curriculum revision conference, for administrators, supervisors and curriculum workers of Texas, to be held in Austin June 11, 12 and 13.

Prof. Raleigh Schorling, director of the experimental high school at the University of Michigan, will be the head advisor of the conference to word from the state university. Last year approximately 850 Texas educational workers attended the conference, and an even larger attendance is anticipated this year.

Debating Teams in Trial Tournaments

The debating teams for Spur schools went to Dickens Thursday afternoon to enter a contest against the debating teams of that school. The Dickens boys won over the Spur boys, but Dickens girls lost to Spur girls.

Saturday night the teams went to Crosbyton in a get together tournament and entered a contest in which eight schools were represented. Both of Spur teams went into the semi-finals, winning two out of three contests.

Both of these meetings were to give the debaters practice in appearing before an audience and to drill them in the addresses they are to deliver in the district meet at Lubbock.

Need The Public's Help Enforcing Law

Many of the drivers for school buses have complained about people passing buses on the highways when they are stopping for the purpose of children either leaving or entering them. Many times the children have to cross the highway from the school bus to enter a side road and people who attempt to pass the bus during such time is liable to injure one or more of the children and probably kill some.

The school bus drivers state they hope that people will stop their cars while children are leaving the buses or while they are entering the buses. This will prevent all danger. These bus drivers feel a great responsibility for these children and do not want to get any of them injured or killed. The schools do not want the children hurt and the parents are very desirous that their children not be in danger.

The law requires that persons stop cars while children are leaving or entering a school bus, and when anyone passes a school bus while it is stopped to let out the children or to receive them is in great danger of being prosecuted. The fine is heavy.

SPUR IN ONE ACT PLAY FRIDAY NIGHT

Miss Florence Levy, instructor in speech in Spur schools, stated Wednesday that Spur is entering the contest in one-act plays for county honors. The contest will be held at the East Ward school auditorium at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening. McAdoo school will oppose Spur.

The play given by the local school is entitled "Mountain Wedding," and will require about 40 minutes time. The cast is composed of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Chapman, Miss Marjorie Burrow, Edward Carroll and Lanier Gilbert.

McAdoo has a good play to present the same evening. Free entertainment and a good program.

Cars Be Registered By Next Tuesday

The time limit for registering automobiles and trucks will expire next Tuesday. Any person driving an automobile or truck after midnight of March 31 will be violating the state automobile law.

Tax Collector Koonsman stated this week that about 800 cars had been registered. There are many more than that number in the county and he is looking forward to a great rush next week.

GOES TO LUBBOCK FOR TREATMENT

Andrew Edgar went to Lubbock Tuesday morning where he hoped to secure special treatment. Sometime ago he underwent an operation and seems not to be getting along as he should and his condition seemed to be gradually growing worse. It may require another operation to correct the condition.

Mr. Edgar has been associated with the Smart Music Store here, being employed in the radio department.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Neaves, of Espeula, were greeting friends and trading in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bilberry, of Espeula community, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

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SOCIETY and CLUBS

MRS. C. L. LOVE HOSTESS TO NEIGHBORHOOD BRIDGE CLUB

Members of the Neighborhood Bridge Club and several guests were delightfully entertained by Mrs. C. L. Love on Friday evening of last week.

THURSDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Floyd McArthur entertained members of the Thursday Bridge Club last week. The living room was lovely with crystal bowls of nasturtiums and maiden hair fern placed around.

MRS. ERICKSON ENTERTAINS P. A. W. CLUB

A very pretty party of last week was that given by Mrs. Lester Erickson on Thursday afternoon. St. Patrick colors were observed in all appointments.

W. M. S.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met on Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Jack Rector with fifteen members present.

FRIDAY AFTERNOON CLUB

Mrs. R. C. Forbis was hostess to members of the Friday Afternoon Club last week at the home of Mrs. S. L. Davis. Forty-two was the diversion for the afternoon and much merriment prevailed during the games.

CLUB STUDIES FASHION NEWS

The new spring suits are very similar to the men's suits, except sleeves are closer fitting, said Mrs. John Bachman to the Soldier Mound Club, Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. H. Condron.

MRS. ELNORA BRITTON HOME

Friends of Mrs. Elnora Britton will be glad to learn that she has been returned to her home here, after undergoing a sinus operation in Lubbock hospital where she also contracted pneumonia.

DR. AND MRS. BRANNEN ENTERTAIN

A lovely affair of the week was given by Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Brannen on Tuesday evening when they entertained honoring Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Zachry, who will leave in the near future to make their home in Jefferson, Texas.

BELLE BENNETT SOCIETY

The Belle Bennett Missionary Society of the Methodist Church met with Mrs. Joe Butler on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Briley was leader for the World Outlook program.

DINNER PARTY

Dr. and Mrs. Dan H. Zachry entertained on Monday evening with a dinner party at their home. The table was centered with a cluster of red candles in white candlesticks.

YARD DEMONSTRATION MAKES IMPROVEMENTS

Many who have passed by the place since we moved the fence between the house and the road have stopped to tell us how much it has improved the appearance of the place, said Mrs. Jim McArthur, yard improvement demonstrator for the Red Top home demonstration club.

WARM LUNCHES

During February the Red Mud, Dry Lake, and Wichita Schools served hot lunches to 100 per cent of their children. They were awarded \$1 each as prizes.

FOREMAN'S CHAPEL METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday, March 29, 1936. Sunday school begins at 10:00 o'clock. The morning worship service begins at 11:00 o'clock, preaching by the pastor.

DR. AND MRS. ZACHRY HONORED

A reception was held at the First Methodist Church Wednesday night honoring Dr. and Mrs. Dan H. Zachry and James who are planning to move to Jefferson. These good people have many friends here who regret to give them up as neighbors and workers in our community, church and schools.

CLUB HEARS FASHION NEWS

Navy blue and grey are the leading colors for spring. Combine two shades of the same color and you will have an attractive and stylish suit. Miss Nelle Sue Durham told the ladies of the Duck Creek home demonstration club when they met with her Wednesday afternoon.

DEMONSTRATOR MAKES FOUNDATION PLANTING

After receiving a package of well rooted shrubs from a sister in Central Texas, Miss Bertha Cooper, yard demonstrator for the Chandler Home Demonstration Club, has been able to complete the foundation planting in her yard plan.

SCREEN PLANTING GROWING

The 50 Armour privet plants Mrs. J. L. Hagins, yard demonstrator for the Duck Creek Home Demonstration Club, put out in January as a screen planting across the back yard are growing nicely.

Local Citizens in Attendance at Post Old Settlers Meet

The Rotary Club of Post held their regular annual entertainment program for the early settlers in that community Tuesday evening. The Rotary banquet and ball was a great feature in the program.

Henry Ford Issues Denouncement Crop Curtailment Work

State papers carried an Associated Press story yesterday in which Henry Ford denounced crop curtailment work as a violation of natural laws and the "security of plenty."

District Court to Convene Next Mon.

The district court for Dickens County will convene in regular session next Monday, Hon. A. J. Folley will act as presiding judge and Judge Alton Chapman will handle all state cases before the grand jury and the court.

Dickens

Ardis Adams is suffering from influenza at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Beasley of Lubbock, visited Miss Bernice Anderson the last of the week. Frank Speer, one of our merchants, was a Spur visitor the first of the week.

CENTENNIAL WANTS OLD BRANDING IRONS

The Centennial Museum Committee has made a request for all the old branding irons, old brands, and old cow bells that they can secure to be exhibited at the Centennial. After the Centennial closes these relics will be placed in the State Museum and preserved as history for future generations.

Near \$3500 Aid Is Granted County Schools By State

Mrs. Madge D. Twaddell, county school superintendent, returned from Austin Wednesday night where she had been in the interest of additional transportation aid for the schools in Dickens County. This county will receive \$3385, which is over and above the one and two dollar per child allotment.

More Than 6000 Expected Here For Dist. Choral Meet

With any number of from 6000 to 10,000 people, mostly school children, expected May 2 is going to be a busy day for Spur and Spur people. That is the day that school children, teachers, members of school boards, parents and county superintendents from 12 counties will assemble at the Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium for a great singing rally.

Official Statement of Financial Condition of SPUR SECURITY BANK of SPUR TEXAS. Includes resources, liabilities, and a statement from the State of Texas, County of Dickens.

THE DICKENS COUNTY TIMES

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* Our Opinion Is *

That the young lady who seeks marriage in order to have a meal ticket more often experiences a matrimonial mirage.



Drivers License Law Lends Hope!

The new requirements of Texas motorists this year, in the form of drivers license, is a step in the right direction for fewer slaughters on our state highways, and it is hoped that Spur and Dickens County will profit alike.

The new law expresses that every person operating an automobile in any and all parts of Texas, including Spur and the whole of Dickens County, must have with them at all times a license issued by the county and state, which grants permit to drive under conditions. Those conditions are: you must have both arms and legs, good eye vision and above all a spark of good sense. If you don't have that license with you at any time after April first, it is a sign you don't have that spark, because the law is effective upon that date.

With better than 1,250,000 automobiles registered in the state and an average of from three to four drivers for each car, it is normal to believe that out of that number some of them are dangerous drivers. The new law will soon cull them from the safe operators. The dangerous driver will be caught for the last time, some day, and his license revoked and he can not operate a car at any time afterwards without being subject to imprisonment. That is where some of the swinging, dipping speed demons belong.

Sheriff Johnnie Koonsman recently expressed himself to the Times as being highly in favor of the new enactment since it would give him a chance to do something with the brainless motorists. He says he expects to enforce the law to the letter . . . that lends hope for a safer roadway in this county as well as in the entire state of Texas.

Texas Cowboys at Spur!

"Visitors who come to Texas to attend the Centennial celebrations during the coming summer are likely to be interested in the famed Texas cowboy. Our Northern and Eastern friends will want to see the cowpuncher at home and at work—on his native hearth as it were—view him rounding up cattle, busting unruly broncos, and, in short, finding out for themselves all about him. But they are very likely to be told—and by good Texans too—that the real cowboy is no more . . ." writes P. J. R. MacIntosh in the Texas Weekly. However, Mr. MacIntosh hastens to explain how badly wrong those Texans would be who informed our state guests thusly.

Had not there been a nice lengthy article favoring the pride of our West Texas, the Times would have resented in true Irish fashion.

On the other hand we favor everything that was said about the "cowpuncher" and the only thing that we may add would be the fact that he is far from being "gone" in these parts, and we're darn proud he ain't.

Visitors to Texas Centennial, who fail to find what they want in the way of the cowboy, are invited to Spur territory where they may see the real McCoy at work on some of the largest ranches in Texas, namely; Swenson, Pitchfork and King, to say nothing of a few smaller, 1,000 acre, 'farms'."

Clean-Up Week in Spur

Announcement was made in this paper last week of plans for a Clean-Up and Fire Prevention Week in Spur and authorized through a proclamation by Mayor E. J. Cowan, to be from March 29 to April 4, which is all of next week.

This is being done under the sponsorship of the state department of health, and is more or less a state-wide campaign. Most live Texas towns, like Spur, is joining heartily into the work because they believe they are going to be blessed with at least a few of the visitors to the state Centennial celebrations, and they wish their city to be impressive.

A clean city, regardless of size, makes an impression. Spur above all things, desires to do that. Our splendid farming country and vast ranching acreage is not ample "show" for whatever attention this little city may receive from state visitors.

We are desirous to show that a city may be established only twenty-odd years and yet grow, thrive and almost boom and still maintain cleanliness.

Dollars will fly here and there next week when local merchants cooperate with the Chamber of Commerce to stage another Dollar Day, but we bet no one tries to re-enact the "across the river" farce.

"Dr. Townsend to Back Borah," says headline, and when you stop to think that better than 4,000,000 voters are backing the Doctor and his plans then it is easy to believe that the Senator will need do little campaigning for the presidency.

Congressman George Mahon was being very loyal to his district the other day when he became indignant on the floor when critics of West Texas referred to this district as the "Dust Bowl," and we're proud of him . . . but gosh this sand IS terrible.

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Letter to Editor

For the benefit of those who know nothing of chiropractic treatments and are prejudiced against them and those who think you must have faith in it to be benefited:

I will tell of my last experience with a chiropractic doctor. I called Dr. Cloud to see a woman in the Duncan Flat community last Saturday afternoon. She had taken a severe pleurisy pain in one lung Wednesday night and had suffered until it had developed into pneumonia in one lung by Thursday and the other lung by Saturday. Her originally weak lungs were unable to throw it off and had resulted in her serious illness by the time Dr. Cloud was called.

To the astonishment and surprise of all one adjustment was ample to knock out that pneumonia. She had little fever Sunday and was free of any at all by Monday. The lady still declares that Dr. Cloud did her no good, but I consider the money I spent in engaging him was well spent. I have learned that Dr. Cloud is a real chiropractor and I feel he has saved the life of a good woman.

My first introduction to a chiropractor was twenty years ago, when medical doctors had given my father up, one was called in and saved him. My father lived in Clarendon at that time. Since then the same chiropractor has saved my daughters eyes, and likely mind, and life. She suffered from her eyes and head and was gradually getting worse.

I believe that all asylums and epileptic stations should have a good chiropractor to treat the patients. Many would go home restored to health.

Dr. Cloud only charges twenty-five cents a mile which also includes the adjustment.

Mrs. E. D. Chambers,
Glenn, Texas.

Tom Hunter Gives Ideas on Old Age Assistance Funds

At the semi-annual meeting of West Texas County Judges and Commissioners held at Wichita Falls last week-end, Tom F. Hunter addressed the body in what has been considered the highlight of meeting program. Mr. Hunter's address was on the old age assistance legislation of Texas.

In referring to the pension amendment Mr. Hunter said, "A serious fault with the act is the fact that it creates, at the expense of the pension fund, a powerful political machine reaching into all the communities. Paid political machines whether privately paid or tax paid, are a menace to good administered through the Commissioners Courts of the several counties, checking by an existing state department rather than by a newly created one."

The speaker expressed himself, as well as the body, not being concerned about whether they were for or against the amendment. "The question is," Mr. Hunter said, "from what source we shall require the money with which to pay it."

It was pointed out that no one yet knew how much was needed to reach the sum, but it would likely call for twenty million dollars, or more, per year. At this rate it would take six months to derive enough from the state liquor tax to pay each monthly pension bill, it was revealed. The suggested oil levy was marked unsound because of the lack of a like levy in other states, which would result in this state being left out of oil tradings.

"The sales tax," the former candidate for governor pointed out, "as we know it, is a tax on poverty and is a nuisance. A gross income tax, though, with constitutional and equitable exemptions, would discharge these obligations and no one would be done an injustice. Either a blended system or a gross income is in my opinion the proper levy for a just distribution."

Harvey Hines, of McAdoo, was in our city Saturday looking after business affairs.

Mrs. S. B. Scott and daughter, of Calgary, were doing some shopping in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Harvey and children, of Soldier Mound community, were doing some trading in our city Saturday.

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Last Rites Held For W. M. Randall

W. M. Randall passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Ben Holly in East Spur, Friday morning after a few hours illness. Mr. Randall complained of pains in his chest Thursday afternoon and had planned to go to his home south of town, but for some reason did not go. He told his family that he was not going to live and would not permit them to do anything for him in the way of medical assistance. Kinney Funeral Home prepared the body for burial and funeral services were held at the Church of Christ at three o'clock Saturday afternoon. Albert Smith, minister at Lubbock, and M. M. Young, minister of Colorado City, were in charge of the services. Interment followed in Dickens cemetery, Bill Kinney acting as funeral director.

The deceased is survived by the widow, Mrs. Eufala Carroll Randall, and seven children: J. J. Randall of Snyder, Will Randall of Miami, Ariz., Dan Randall of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Lula Holly, Mrs. Jessie Erasm, Lee Randall and Morgan Randall all of Spur. There was an adopted child, Miss Anna Lee Gallagher, a grand daughter, in the family. There are 19 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren in the family. All the children were present for the funeral except the two living in Arizona.

Mr. Randall was a native of Illinois and was born September 25, 1859. The family moved to Kansas and came to Texas just after the close of the Civil War, establishing a home in Tarrant County. He married Miss Murice Gentry of Tennessee at Mansfield, Texas, Nov. 15, 1881, and to this union 12 children were born.

Mr. Randall moved his family to Dickens County in 1891. He was forced back to Tarrant County in 1894 on account of the great drouth but returned in 1898 and has made his home here since. His companion was called away by death in 1908 and he was left alone to rear his family. He was faithful to the task and gave his children every attention possible until all were grown. In November, 1928, he married Mrs. Eufala Carroll

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This is done upon orders from the Attorney General, so that Spur may retain the one cent electrical rate. Continuous services cost two cents.

Advice, take your bath Sunday morning, if you live in a rooming house and the tank is small.

who proved a very efficient life partner.

Mr. Randall always lived an upright life. 38 years ago he made a profession of religion and became affiliated with the Church of Christ, M. M. Young baptized him into the church. The past three years of his life he seemed to take a great deal of interest in the church and its progress and was a very devoted member.

Among out of town friends who attended the funeral services was Jim Fondy, of Lubbock, a boyhood friend to Mr. Randall in Tarrant County. The large number of people who attended the funeral was a token of the high esteem of Mr. Randall.

Active pallbearers were: R. L. Collier, Albert Power, Geo. A. Sloan, John L. King, Joe E. Butler, J. L. Koonsman, J. H. Boothe and L. W. Bilberry.

LOCAL MUSIC TEACHER TO ASSIST IN RECITAL

Prof. Carl Wiseman, of Dallas, will act as music critic for a Bach recital at Lubbock next Monday evening. Those rendering selections will be music students at the Texas Technological College or former students of that institution. The recital will be under the direction of Miss Myrtle Dunn of the Texas Technological College.

Miss Cathryn Curby, of the piano department of Spur schools, has been asked to assist in the recital. Miss Curby will render one or more selections during the time as she has some numbers on which she desires the opinion of a good critic.

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Personal

Willie Clark of McAdoo, was looking after business affairs in our city Saturday.

W. C. Messer and son, of Espuela country, were doing some trading in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Bennett, of Elton, were greeting friends and trading in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Watson, of near Dickens, were in our city Saturday attending to business affairs.

W. J. Elliott, prominent farmer of Spring Creek country, was looking after business matters in our city Saturday.

J. W. Bragg, of Steel Hill country, was in our city Saturday doing some trading and greeting friends.

H. E. Watkins, of Duck Creek community, was trading and greeting friends in our city Saturday.

Forrest Martin, of Red Top community, was in our city Saturday looking after business matters.

Jim Hahn, of Dry Lake was greeting friends on our streets the first of the week.

Joe Cornet and sons, of Afton, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

M. B. Gage, of Croton country, was greeting friends and doing some trading in our city Saturday.

W. H. Walker and family of Twin Wells, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

Leonard M. Ward, of near Kalgary, was in our city Saturday looking after business affairs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hemphill, of Dickens, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Pierce, of Wichita community, were doing some trading in our city Saturday.

Roy Scott, of East Afton, was transacting business in our city Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hemphill, of Croton, were in our city Saturday doing some trading.

Ray Stoneman, west of town, was in Saturday greeting friends and doing some trading.

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T. F. Baze, of Clairemont, was in Saturday greeting friends and doing some trading.

M. E. Tree, of Highway community, was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday.

S. L. Davis, of Colorado City, was visiting relatives and looking after business affairs in our city the first of the week.

Val Smith of Palo Pinto County was greeting friends and attending to business here the first of the week.

Aubrey McCombs, of Abilene, was visiting in the home of Mrs. Lee Gilbert the first of the week.

D. W. Simms, a good citizen of Afton, was in our city Monday doing some trading.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Lea, of Dry Lake, were in our city Monday trading and visiting relatives.

J. C. McNeill, 15 miles west of town, was in Monday attending to business and visiting relatives.

R. L. Edgar and family, of Afton country, were in our city Saturday trading and greeting friends.

J. Z. Smith, one of our good farmers southwest of Spur, was in Monday looking after business matters.

S. H. Nally, of Soldier Mound, was greeting friends and attending to business matters in our city Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Haney, merchants at Afton, were trading in our city Monday.

E. B. Shaw, of Wichita community, was in our city Monday looking after business affairs.

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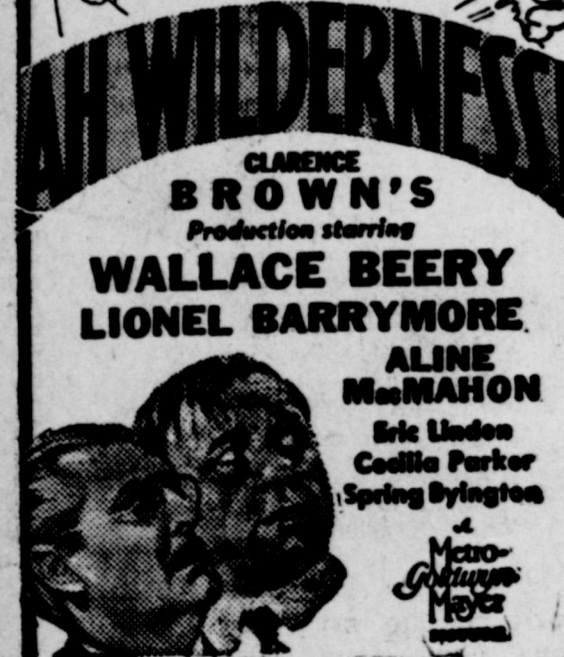
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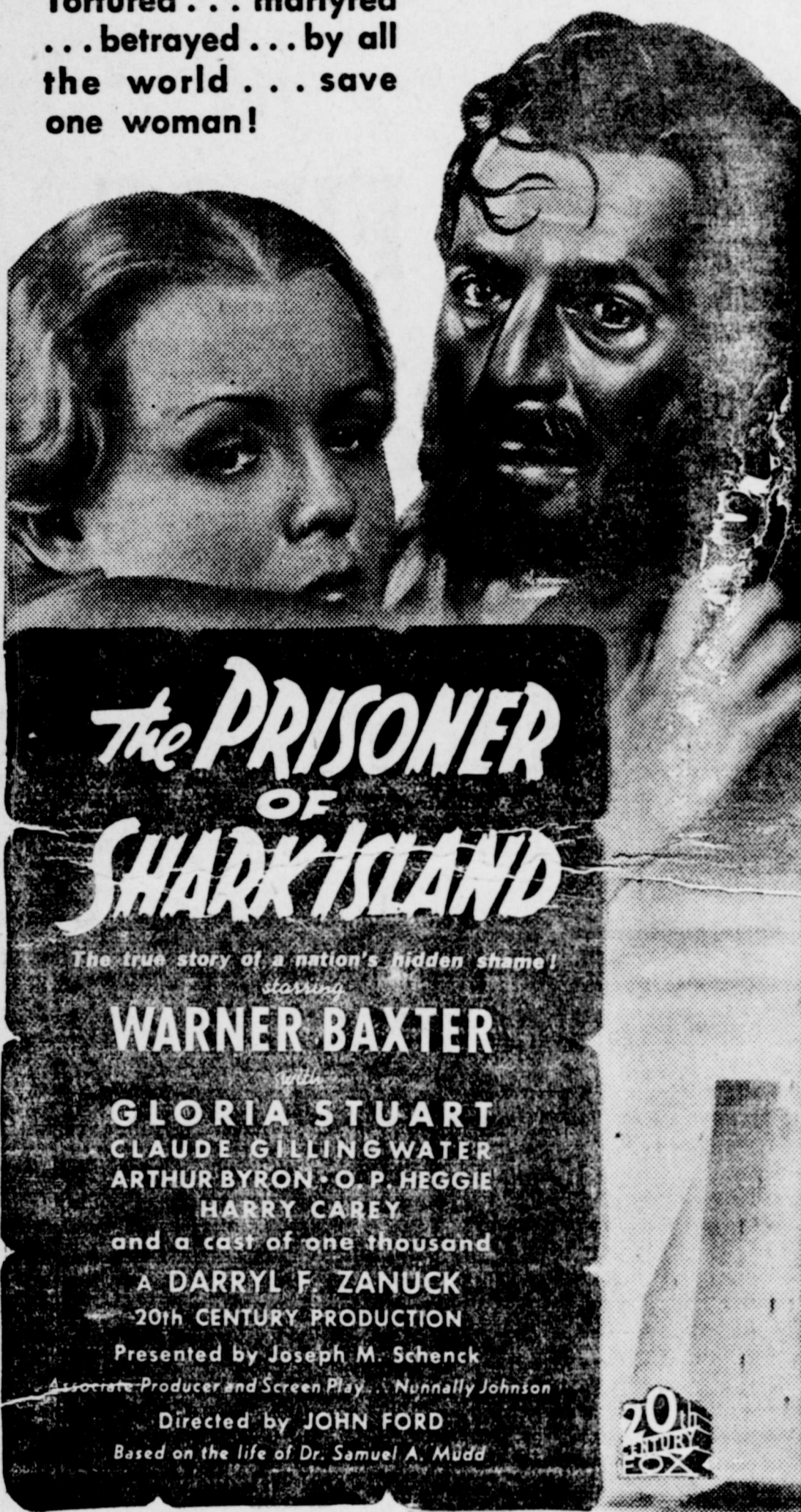
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Big doin's on these three days you know.

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County League Meet To Continue Here Tomorrow

(Continued from Page 1)

Charles A. Jones stadium. Out of the four teams entered in the playground ball contests Spur took three first places and one second. In the high school division junior boys, Spur was first and Patton Springs second while junior high girls took second place under McAdoo. Spur ward school boys and girls won first over Dickens' second places. In the rural school boys contest, Dumont was first and Esouela second, however in the same contest for girls it was Espuela first and Dumont second.

In the tennis contest held at the local high school Richard Ensey and Elvis Holly won the boys doubles in the final bracket with McAdoo. Girls doubles was won by Dumont while McAdoo took second. Alton McCully dropped the boys singles to McAdoo to give Spur second and the McAdoo representative first. In girls singles Dumont was first and Patton Springs second. Curtis Holly won first place for Spur in the junior boys singles. Time of the various literary events may be learned through a study of the program issued by the league directors and free to all delegates.

The field and track events have been planned for clock work precision, which makes it necessary that all contestants be at Jones stadium at nine o'clock Saturday morning, according to the director of athletics. County championship winner will be announced in this paper next week along with total points gained by each school in all classes.

Near \$110 Given In Sponsoring Fat Stock Show Here

In a report given the Times this week figures on contributions made by local firms for the sponsoring of the county fat stock show, held here two weeks ago revealed that approximately \$110 was solicited, to go toward cash rewards, advertising and other expenses of the agricultural exhibit.

Among those making contributions were: Spur Grain and Coal, Spur Laundry, Spur Produce, Tri-County Lumber, Englemen Truck and Tractor Company, Hale's Grocery, Johnston Grocery, Campbell Furniture, Allen Auto Supply, Hogan & Patton, Spur Creamery, The Fair, Henry Food Store, City Drug, Consumers Oil Co., Spur Tailors, Bill Putman, City Grocery, Clemons Insurance, Dr. Bob Alexander, Speer's Variety Store, J. L. Hutto, Monk Rucker, Hi-Way Cafe, Sunshine Service, Godfrey & Smart, Spur Coffee Shop, Sanders Pharmacy, Bryant-Link, Spur Motor, Safeway, Foodway, Hairgrove Hatchery, Geo. Lisenby Market, Bell's Cafe, Busy Bee Cafe, Kinney Funeral Home, Shorty Hogan, Albert Power, Spur Security Bank, O. C. Thomas, M. C. Golding, Johnnie Koonsman, Boly Williamson, Spur Tire Company, Spur Bakery, Dr. B. F. Hale, Alton Chapman, Dr. Brannon, C. B. Jones and Virgil Parr of Pitchfork Ranch.

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ficials stated," due largely to the liberalness with which local business firms and individuals accepted it. Plans at present are for the affair to be repeated again next year, in just as big a way.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. McArthur, of Red Mud, were trading and greeting friends in our city Saturday.

A message from Mrs. T. E. Howze, of Springdale, Ark., stated that she often thinks of her friends here and wants the Times sent to her.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cathey, of near Dickens, were greeting friends and trading in our city Saturday.

Adding Machine Paper at the Times.

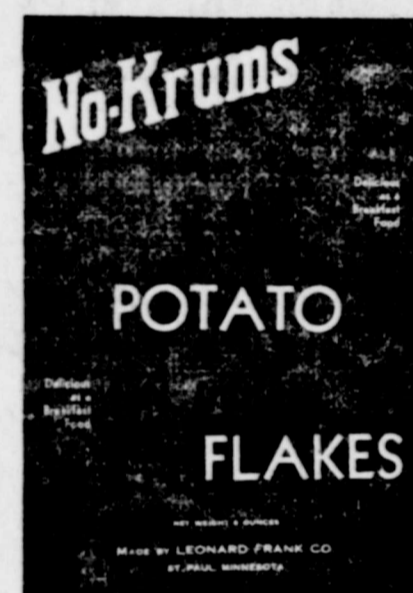


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