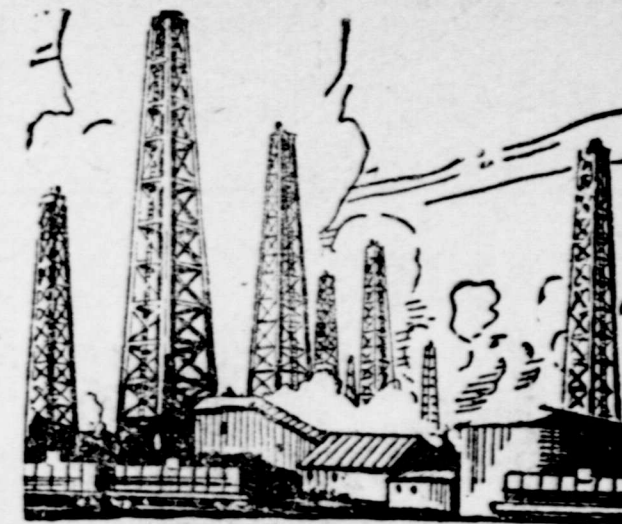
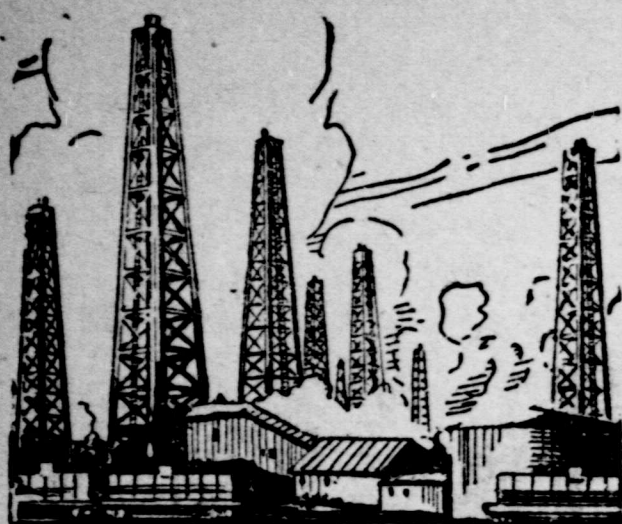


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WITH THE WILD CATS

The General Crude No. 1, Smith, in Stonewall County, seems to be in a bad situation. The well is down 5,735 feet, and it seems the operators are making arrangements to plug the hole.

The Ray Dawson No. 1, Hagins, located on Duck Creek about five miles east and six miles south of Spur, is rigging up and it is thought they will be ready to spud in by this afternoon or tomorrow at most. This well is to be drilled with standard tools.

Dolman No. 1, O'Keefe, four miles southwest of Girard, remained closed down for the present, but arrangements are being made to start work soon.

The Morrissey No. 1, Bird, and the Carter No. 1, McMahan, west and Northwest of Spur, are still closed down. No further report on them.

The Bond Jones, et al, No. 1, Foard Estate, east of Afton, has been closed down to get some titles cured, but are arranging to get back to work again.

Frazier-Lemke Law Help To Farmers

The case of John E. Wells was heard at Dickens Tuesday before Judge H. A. C. Brummett, U. S. Council Commissioner. Mr. Wells is a farmer living about ten miles southeast of Spur just in the north edge of Kent County. He has put up a good fight to justify his obligations, but various conditions over which he had no control stood in his way.

All creditors met before the Conciliation Court and talked matters over with Mr. Wells. He stated what he felt sure he could do, stating his income this year and how he could apply it. The creditors after hearing Mr. Wells' statement said they would accept his terms and give him the three years of time allotted by the Frazier-Lemke Law.

This will enable Mr. Wells to keep his farm and probably pay it out or make different arrangements about financing the amount due on it. None of the creditors felt they could take the farm and do as well with it as Mr. Wells is doing. Again, this will enable Mr. Wells to go on and get a start in life, and have a home for his family and permit him to continue farming which is the business he knows most about.

Farmers have the right to take advantage of the Frazier-Lemke Law when they feel they are being pressed too hard. Often this is done without the creditors realizing the conditions of things. The Court of Conciliation gives an opportunity for the creditors and the farmer to get together and talk things over, and usually all parties leave the Court feeling differently toward each other.

It costs a farmer only ten dollars to make application to protect himself in a Conciliation Court. The Commissioner is supposed to advise the farmer his best action. The ten dollar fee goes to the United States Court, the Commissioner gets nothing from it. His salary is paid from Washington. Judge Brummett has assisted a number of farmers to adjust claims, and this is much better than taking bankruptcy and taking out entirely.

More Subsidy Checks Received Saturday

County Agent Lane reports that 57 more subsidy checks were received at his office Saturday. The amount of that block was \$8,433.71. This makes a total of 395 checks received to date with an amount aggregating \$75,176.27 to the farmers.

This amount that is being paid to farmers making up the three cents per pound on sixty five per cent of the base acreage. The farmers of Dickens County are due to receive approximately \$220,000 on last year's crop. This will continue to come in as the applications are approved at Washington. A number of farmers were late in getting their applications in to headquarters.

SPUR TO HAVE STOCK MARKET

Car Hits Wagon; Two Are Hurt

Another accident due to lack of a reflector on rear of vehicle, was caused about 7:40 o'clock last evening on Highway east of town. Barney Johnson was returning to Spur and just after passing Justice Store came upon a man driving a tractor drawing a wagon loaded with cotton and no rear lights or reflectors on either the wagon or tractor. Mr. Johnson attempted to pass around the wagon, but was so close before he saw it that he swiped the rear end of it. Another car just passing hit into his car and the contact with the wagon swayed the car out into the highway.

Mr. Johnson suffered his right collar bone to be broken loose from the sternum and the third and fourth ribs were cracked. He suffered many bruises and scratches about the face. Also, other minor injuries were received. He was greatly shocked.

J. P. Luther, of Big Spring, a representative of the Armstrong Packing Company of Dallas, was with Mr. Johnson, but escaped any serious injuries. However, he was thrown from the car and temporarily rendered unconscious, he received a gash on the nose, one on his lip, his right ear was cut, and he had cuts and bruises on his hands and left knee. Also, was badly shocked. Both men were treated at Nichols Sanitarium.

Both cars were completely wrecked, the wagon was broken and one wheel torn off the tractor according to reports.

This makes the fourth wreck within two weeks in this community where cars have hit wagons without reflectors.

J. M. Foster In Wichita Falls Hospital

J. M. Foster, who has been suffering for the past two years of heart trouble, had a relapse the last of the week and was taken to the Wichita Falls Clinic Hospital Monday. Mr. Foster had been confined to his bed most of the time for the past six weeks on account of a blood clot in his right foot.

His relapsed condition caused him to feel that he should get back to a specialist and find out the trouble. A Campbell's ambulance conveyed him to Wichita Falls where he went under care and treatment of Dr. Walter B. Whiting, who is probably the greatest heart specialist in this state.

Information as to his condition just before going to press stated that he stood the trip fine and was resting very well. He was told that he could be helped, and probably will be back home within two or three weeks.

Mrs. Snider In Temple Sanitarium

Mrs. Paul E. Snider underwent a very serious operation in a Temple sanitarium Saturday morning. She had been in ill health for sometime and was rushed to Temple Friday afternoon. Mrs. R. E. Speer, who was in Chicago when her mother was taken ill, was notified and rushed back to be with Mrs. Snider. Mr. Speer took Mrs. Speer to Abilene where she was met by her brothers and went to Temple.

A message received Saturday afternoon stated that Mrs. Snider was resting, and another received yesterday stated that she is improving and would be ready to leave the sanitarium before many days.

1938 Ginnings In Dickens County

According to government reports turned in as of October 1, Dickens County gins had ginned 5,255 bales of 1938 cotton crop as compared to 3,943 bales at the same date in 1937. In Kent County the ginnings were 2,618 bales October 1, 1938 as compared with 1,913 bales October 1, 1937.

The extreme dry weather in this section largely accounts for the increased ginning in this section as cotton matured and opened much earlier than one year ago.

City Has Made Excellent Improvement On Light Plant; Capable Men in Charge

Many people may not realize what it means to our city to have efficient help in charge of it. The City Commission may plan and advise many good things for our town, but in addition to that, there must be some one to execute plans and carry through.

Just recently the engines at the City Light Plant needed to be overhauled. There are three large engines in the City plant, two that develop 240 horse power each and one that develops 180 horse power. These engines were installed in the City plant more than nine years ago and had never undergone any sort of repair work until a few days ago.

City Manager Truman Green realized the need of the repairs to the engines and asked permission of the City Commission to take care of the work. He was granted the permission and went to work on them. The cylinders were rebored and new pistons and rings installed. The work was so thoroughly done that it resembled a real machine shop job. The engines are now as good as new again and the light plant did not have to be closed down five minutes for the repair work.

Had the City not had competent workmen those engines would have been taken out, and shipped to some large machine shop where the work would have been done. This would have created an extra expense to the City and probably electric power have been limited until all the engines were re-installed. Through the engineering skill of Mr. Green, the engines were put in first class condition without any loss of time to the City plant and at a saving conservatively estimated at \$2,000.00.

Mr. Green is a real specialist on Diesel engines. His father operated a light plant in New Mexico and Mr. Green had to assume some of the responsibility of the plant. He attended the engineering department of the Texas Technological College where he specialized on Diesel engines, and later was an instructor in that department and instructed a class in the mechanism and care of Diesels.

Spur's Light Plant is going in high now and is serving its patronage in a very fine way. All the payments are up to date and it will not be many more years until the plant and entire system will have been paid out. Then Spur will own its own light plant and can use the proceeds in whatever manner desired.

Upon the City Manager depends a great deal of the success of the City's light plant. He can be congenial and accommodating and continue to build up a good patronage for the plant. Mr. Green knows his business from every angle and he has a great number of friends here as the result of his willingness to give the people a square deal in regard to the light plant and features of the City. He is a good old hard-working boy who wants to see everybody get fair play.

The office force of our city is the best. Miss Sibyl McDaniel has been with the City a number of years and she knows all about the clerical work. Miss Nedra Hogan has been with the City office this year and she is proving very efficient. The people of Spur can rest assured that the City's business is being looked after right.

Agricultural Meeting Friday Night, Oct. 14

The community agricultural association for Duck Creek community will convene in regular meeting Friday night, October 14. A good program has been arranged and the meeting is open to any one who desires to attend. The Duck Creek association has been enjoying some interesting and beneficial meetings since it was organized.

SPUR GIRL INITIATED INTO SOCIAL CLUB AT BAYLOR

Miss Melba Hazel, of Spur, was initiated into the DAP, Baylor University girls' social club, Tuesday night at the home of Mrs. John C.olley, club sponsor. Admittance to the club is by invitation and vote of the body.

Bulldogs To Vie With Matadors Friday Night

The great battle in the realm of football is to be staged at the Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium in Spur Friday night. The Matador Matadors are to meet the Spur Bulldogs in the first conference game for Spur, and it is going to be a contest from the first whistle. Matador was the only team to defeat Spur in the 1937 conference and they are coming to Spur with the expectation of repeating the event. The Bulldogs are equally as determined that they will win a victory and they are making every preparation in the technique of football to keep the honors of their first conference game at home.

Matador has a good fast team this year. They have about the same weight as the Bulldogs, possibly average three pounds lighter, and they have been well coached.

The starting line-up for Matador will probably be: Ends, Ratcliff and Ratta; Tackles, Cooper and Martin; Guards, Cox and Fuller, Center, Bourland; Backs, Simpson, Day, Faulkner and Allsup.

Spur's starting line-up will be the following: Fullback, Wilhoit; Quarterbacks, Haralson and Power; Halfbacks, Garner or C. Hurst; Center, Smart; Guards, Murphy and Ousley; Tackles, Bingham and Powell; Ends, J. Culvert and McClain. But no one need be surprised if Coach Wadzeck puts in an entirely different line-up and he has 22 men to select from and all of them are good.

Price of admission at the gate will be 25 cents and fifty cents, and the admission is cheap at that. This is going to be a game that will be the source of conversation all next week.

Slim Foster To Start Cafe In New Building

Slim Foster has purchased the old bottling works building just south of Albin's Grocery and is having the building remodeled with a view of installing a new cafe. The building, which has a concrete floor in it, is having a new wood floor built over the concrete.

Mr. Foster stated that he is having a nice U-shaped counter built at the front of the building that will accommodate a great number of customers. He is having the entire room finished in white which makes it very attractive. All counters will be finished in smooth enamel varnish which makes them sanitary and clean.

A room has been built on the south side of the building to be used as a barber shop. Mr. Foster did not state who would occupy that part of the building but said he had several prospects.

Mr. Foster is operating Slim's Hamburger and Lunch Stand just north of Johnston's Grocery where he has been doing a good business. He stated he wanted more room to take care of his trade.

Business Men's Club To Hold Barbecue

The Spur Young Business Men's Club will sponsor a barbecue at the City Park north of town next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members are asked to be present and other business men are extended an invitation.

It will be the regular business meeting of the Young Business Men's Club, and it is hoped that the membership will be present.

Spur-Turkey Game To Be Played In Spur

Local fans will be glad to learn that the site for the game with Turkey has been transferred to the Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium instead of at Turkey. This will make it possible for the Spur fans to work at home all day and see the game at 8 o'clock Friday night, October 21st.

J. A. Goodwin Injured In Car Accident

J. A. Goodwin, Spur gin operator, is in Ralls as the result of a car accident Sunday evening. Mr. Goodwin had been to Lubbock to spend Sunday with his family and was returning to Spur. On the highway between Ralls and Crosbyton he attempted to pass another car and encountered some Mexicans in a 1928 model Chevrolet pushing another car. He had a rear end collision with the Chevrolet.

He was rushed to Ralls where upon examination it was discovered he had suffered a painful head injury, having received a deep gash on the back of the skull and another gash across the forehead. Nine stitches were required to close the gash on the back of the head and four stitches to close the one across his forehead. He suffered a chest injury too.

Latest reports were that he was resting very well, but friends think it will require several days before he will be able to return home.

Six-Man Football Game At Spur Stadium Oct. 20

Many of the football fans have never witnessed a six-man football game, but all will have the opportunity at Spur Thursday night, October 20. A league of six-man football was organized with schools at Roaring Springs, McAdoo, Patton Springs and Dickens this fall which has proved very successful. The all-stars of those four schools will play a game at the Charles A. Jones Memorial Stadium at Spur on the night above named.

The contests will be between players from Roaring Springs and McAdoo making up one team and players of Patton Springs and Dickens making up the other team. There will be two complete teams with a full team reserve on each side. The following will be the line-up:

Roaring Springs	Pos.	Patton Springs
Robbins	HB	Newberry
Prather	QB	Norris
Kingery	FB	Cates
Vaughn	RE	Goodson
McCarty	LE	Blendon
Branden	C	Ragland
McAdoo		Dickens
Van Meter	HB	Armstrong
Cypert	QB	Holly
Eldredge	FB	Good
Phifer	RE	Green
Owens	C	Dodson
Roberts	LE	Futch

The above named players will be used as the coaches feel is best and to make it a good game.

The coaches and superintendents of the schools named above in the league find the six-man football a very successful game for schools of their size. They stated that six-man football has as many thrills, football technique, and has as much development of strategy and speed as is found in the 11-man game. They say it is a coming game for the small schools that cannot develop the full 11-man teams.

This league was the first of its kind to be organized in West Texas and it has proved very thrilling. Already the schools are making arrangements to continue the league for another year and if possible to enlarge it to include more schools.

People who are interested in 11-man football will enjoy as many thrills from the six-man team. The game is played almost along the same lines and regulations. You are asked to see this game on the evening of October 20. Admission fee is 15 cents and 25 cents.

Coaches for the four schools are: Roaring Springs, J. E. Paddock; McAdoo, Mr. Davis; Patton Springs, Robin J. Clark; Dickens, Mr. Edwards.

Don't miss this game, folk, it will be a new experience to you.

Mr. and Mrs. Jephtha Craig and little son, Jimmy, spent the week end here visiting with friends.

Rev. G. C. Alexander, of Abilene, is in our city shaking hands with friends. He says he is eating his wife's cooking and is giving his time to pastoring a church at Abilene.

Walker Sample, of Pecos, is in Spur this week looking after business.

New Barn Being Built In West Spur

One of the great industries which Spur Country has needed for a long time is a live stock market and sales day. This has been arranged for and a good sized barn is now under construction for the business.

The barn is being located near the corner of Willard Avenue and Sixth Street just across from the Consumers Fuel Association west. E. S. McArthur and sons, Dee McArthur and Everett McArthur, are building the barn and will conduct the business for the present. The original building is to be forty feet by forty feet and will be an oval top building. It is being built in such manner that it can be added to as conditions develop.

Mr. McArthur and his sons have been in the stock buying business a long time and they have enjoyed a varied experience. Bradshaw and Ehresman, of Plainview, will be in charge of the sales and there will be a good livestock sale every week. Sales of cattle and of horses and mules will be conducted at least one day per week and will be continued for more days each week as the business shall increase and the demands require. Bradshaw and Ehresman are good, reliable people and their experience in stock sales is a much added asset to the business for the Spur Livestock Auction and Commission House which is to be the name of the new business.

The foundation was started Saturday and the building is being rushed to completion as rapidly as possible. McCarthy & Whitener are doing the concrete work for the building.

This new business in Spur is going to be of great benefit to the country. Many people have a few cattle to sell along, and they can bring them to Spur with the assurance that they will have as good markets as can be found in the country. All stock will go on auction and that is just the same method as is practiced by any other large commission company. Buyers of the various packing houses and other large industries will be present to place their bids, and local farmers and stockmen can get their stock sold at home just as well as when shipped to Fort Worth.

DICKENS COUNTY MONTHLY SING-SONG TO MEET AT DRY LAKE NEXT SUNDAY OCT. 16

Dickens County Monthly Sing-Song will be held at Dry Lake, Sunday, October 16, at 2:00 P.M. All singers of Dickens County and adjoining counties are urged to be present. Officers for this organization, (which is separate from the Dickens County Semi-Annual Singing Convention), will be elected at this meeting, unless the singers vote to let both organizations function under the same officers.

Twelve places over the county will be designated, with 15 places asking for it; namely, McAdoo, Afton, Croton, Wichita, Midway, Girard, Dickens, Espuela, Dry Lake, Highway, Red Mud, Steel Hill, Duck Creek, Red Hill and Spur. Any community wanting the Sing-Song must have a representative at this meeting at Dry Lake, 5 miles northwest of Spur.

Miss M. C. Widney, and Max Ward, of Stamford spent Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kinney and Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Johnston.

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JERRY ENSEY—I believe that my success is up to me.

H. A. C. BRUMMETT—I believe the best substitute for brains is silence.

NONA—Give me a man, who instead of always telling you what should be done goes ahead and does it.

"Arkansas Traveler" Will Have It's Texas Premiere At Palace Theatre Spur
BOB BURNS HAS NEW STARRING ROLE



Arkansas Humorist Finds Stardom Almost Unbelievable

About three degrees left of the moon you will see a slightly wobbly, odd looking new star. It's name is Bob Burns. Although Burns has been established for more than two years as a film and radio personality, he is being given movie stardom for the first time in Paramount's "The Arkansas Traveler."

And not only is stellar rating given Bob, but he has cast aside his bazooka and comedy gags to burgeon as a full-fledged character actor, still a man of the people, but believable and real.

"Folks are asking me how it feels to be a movie star since I started this picture," Bob commented. "Well I hate to disappoint them, but I don't feel no different."

"In fact, I can't get it pounded into my head that I am a star. All I know is I got a darned good job. So good I can't believe it will last. That's why I've just bought myself five acres out in San Fernando. It's the best potato raising land I've ever seen, so I'm not worried about what I'm going to do when the movie star job is done."

Bob is ready to settle down, he says. He has hoboed in all of the 48 states, and while it was fun, he wants to do all of his future hoboing in front of the camera.

That is exactly what he is doing in "The Arkansas Traveler." He is playing the part of a hobo printer who drops off a freight train in a small town and goes to the country editor for a job. He finds that the editor has just died, and his widow, Fay Bainter, is trying to get the paper out and continue the honest traditions of her husband.

Her life is complicated by the wayward romance of her daughter, Jean Parker, and the mayor's prodigal son, John Beal; and the obstruction of small time politicians, Lyle Talbot and Porter Hall.

But with the aid of Bob Burns' down-to-earth wisdom and the cooperation of the waggish constable, Irvin S. Cobb, the paper is saved from the politicians for Widow Bainter and her family, which includes Dickie Moore. After it's all over, Bob hears the call of the road again and disappears in the freight yards.

"The Arkansas Traveler" will be shown at the Palace Theatre Sunday and Monday and Preview Saturday Night, and will be the first showing of the picture in the State of Texas.

Dumont News

The gin has been running day and most of the night for the past two weeks.

Miss Lometa Brewster is employed at Estelle's Beauty Shop in Paduach.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Holmberg were shopping and attending other business in Paduach Saturday.

Rev. E. D. Landreth returned to his home in Clarendon, Texas, after a weeks visit and rest with Mr. and Mrs. Holmberg.

E. L. and G. W. Park attended to business in Dickens Saturday.

Cliff Rogers, Rube Carpenter, J. J. White, Lewis Hodgins, Paul Smith, and Bill Smith were attending to business in Paduach Saturday.

The Players Guild presented a play on last Friday night, entitled "Always in Trouble". A nice sum was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Forrest and Bill Sauls were in Lubbock last week.

V. M. Hand attended to business in Spur Saturday.

Miss Mildred Collier, teacher in the Dumont School returned to Spur last week since the school dismissed for cotton picking.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gage and daughter, Pauline, and Rachael Carpenter were in Paduach Saturday.

Mrs. Tom Johnson returned last week from Lamesa, Texas, where she has been for several weeks with her

daughter, who was ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Meadows and children from Dickens were guests of Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Hand Sunday afternoon.

The SMS wagon will start out today (Monday) for the fall roundup.

Mrs. Bill Sauls is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Earl Flippens was suffering with an injured eye and was carried to Paduach Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith attended the Texas-Oklahoma singing convention at Wellington Sunday.

H. R. Jones attended to business in Paduach Friday.

Miss Vondell Leslie, who is attending school at Roaring Springs, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Restal Thompson spent the week end in Munday, Texas.

Over one inch of rain fell here Sunday night and early Monday.

L. G. Crabtree, of Croton, was greeting friends here Saturday.

Spur Motor Company Representatives To Go To Pre-Showing Meet

Spur Motor Company, local Chevrolet dealers and their salesmen are left Wednesday to attend the Chevrolet Pre-Showing Convention being held in Fort Worth, Texas, on October 12th, 1938.

This meeting will be attended by 1250 Chevrolet dealers and members of their sales organization from this part of the state.

A business meeting will be held in the morning at which time plans for the new model year will be outlined to the dealers and salesmen by R. W. Hill, regional manager and H. Wilson, zone manager of the Chevrolet Motor Division.

The morning meeting will be concluded with a luncheon after which those in attendance will be given the opportunity to view the new 1939 Chevrolet which will go on sale Saturday, October 22nd.

Spur Motor Company stated that their organization is very optimistic about next year's business. Their present new car and used car stocks are the lowest they have ever been at announcement of the new model and with the present uptrend in economic conditions they expect to have one of their best business years in 1939.

Mrs. Sam Baker, of the Duck Creek community, was a visitor in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Battles, of Espuela, were shoppers and visitors here Saturday.

W. H. Harris, of McAdoo, was greeting friends here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George F. Harris, of McAdoo, were Spur visitors Saturday.

Ernest Wells, who lives several miles south of town, was in Spur the last of the week greeting friends and transacting business.

Brit McDaniels, returned recently from Roche, South Dakota, where he has been for the past several months.

Charlie Gyr, who lives several miles north of town, was greeting friends here the latter part of the week.

Roy Dawson, of Big Spring, spent Thursday and Friday of the past week here on business.

M. M. Moody, representative of the Texas Sash and Door Company of Fort Worth, was in our city the last of the week conferring with local lumbermen.

W. G. Armstrong, of near Dickens, was in our city Saturday attending to business and greeting friends. He incidentally let it be known that he is still young, having passed his 81st birthday two weeks before.

Norman Lawson, of Afton, was transacting business in our city Saturday. He stated that conditions are looking very good in his section.

F. E. Henze, of Gilpin, was attending to business affairs in our city Saturday. He stated that he is placing his cotton through the government loan and taking a chance on receiving more for it later.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hardwick and little son, returned the last of the week from Dallas, where they visited and attended to business.

Mrs. Mike Young, was in Spur several days of the past week, from her home in Swenson. Mr. and Mrs. Young just recently moved to Swenson, where he is pastor of the Church of Christ.

Mrs. B. P. Woody and children, of Girard, were among the shoppers in Spur Saturday.

Mrs. Neitha Campbell, student in Draughons Business College at Lubbock, spent the week end here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Snider and little son, Sherry Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Legg, of the Croton community, were among the shoppers and visitors here Saturday.

Lee Cathey spent the latter part of the week visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Cathey, of several miles north of town.

J. D. Powell, of Fort Worth, spent the last of the week here visiting with his family and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Starcher returned the first of the week from Austin, where they spent from Wednesday to Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Davis returned Wednesday of the past week from an extended visit with her son, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Davis, of Philadelphia, Penn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stephens, of the Duck Creek community, were in Spur the last of the week, shopping and greeting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Hagins, and daughter, of Duck Creek, were Spur visitors the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cornett and children, of Afton, were among the crowd of shopper here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Overstreet, of Elton, were here the latter part of

the week visiting with friends and trading with Spur merchants.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Eldredge, of McAdoo, were here Saturday attending to business and greeting with friends.

Roy Harkey, of Lubbock, spent the week end here with Mrs. Harkey and friends of the city.

Hamp Collett, of Lubbock, spent the latter part of the week here with Mrs. Collett and visiting with his many friends in Dickens County.

Mr. and Mrs. Monk Rucker and son, Johnnie Monk, spent Sunday in Childers and Quannah.

Mrs. C. W. Barrett arrived in Spur Sunday from Brownwood to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bell, and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Barrett and other relatives and friends.

W. J. Elliott, was in Spur Monday from his home in the Spring Creek community.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Jones, of the Soldier Mound community, spent Monday in Ralls and Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wilson returned Monday from Detroit, Michigan, and a trip to Canada. They drove home a new 1939 Plymouth, bought through the local dealer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Beeson, returned the first of the week from Turkey, where they spent several days visiting with his mother.

Johnnie Sparks, of the Highway community, was in Spur Monday transacting business. He stated that his son, Billy had been real sick for the past several days, but at this time was improving.

Clyde Thomas left Monday for O'Donnell, where he has accepted a position on the paper there.

Mrs. Pike Nichols and little son Nicky, spent the week end in Abilene, with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Grisham and friends.

Miss Sybil Hazel, teacher in the Quitaque schools, is here spending two weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hazel, while school is out for cotton picking.

Miss Gladys Scott, is spending this week in Jayton the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bottles Mason.

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TWENTIETH CENTURY CLUB MEETING TUESDAY OF LAST WEEK—

The Twentieth Century Study Club met Tuesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. G. J. Lane for a program on Ireland. The Irish theme was artistically carried out in decorations and the refreshment plate. The following program was given:

Glimpses of Ireland—Mrs. Walker.
 Folklore of Ireland—Mrs. Foote.
 Dublin, The Capitol City—Mrs. W. B. Lee.

John McCormick, Irish Tenor—Mrs. Nichols.
 Vocal Solos, "Mother Machree" and "Danny Boy"—Mrs. G. B. Wadzeck.

The following club members were present: Mrs. T. H. Blackwell, Mrs. E. L. Caraway, Mrs. W. S. Campbell, Mrs. H. C. Foote, Mrs. J. M. Foster, Mrs. B. F. Hale, Mrs. O. L. Kelley, Mrs. J. A. Koon, Mrs. G. J. Lane, Mrs. E. S. Lee, Mrs. W. B. Lee, Mrs. O. M. McGinty, Mrs. P. C. Nichols, Mrs. L. D. Ratliff, Mrs. V. C. Smart, and Mrs. A. M. Walker.

PRE-SCHOOL STUDY MET WITH MRS. O. L. KELLEY—

The Pre-School Study Group for mothers, sponsored by the unit of the East Ward School, met at the home of Mrs. O. L. Kelley Friday afternoon.

A report from the year book committee stated that the Year Books would be printed before the next meeting which will be the third Friday in this month, at the home of Mrs. E. S. Lee.

A program has been outlined for the year, which includes some very interesting studies, there are:

Pre-Natal Care; Infants Care; How to deal with anger, fear, jealousy, stubbornness, quarrelsomeness, and courtesy in a child.

Danger and advantages of sex instructions. Wonderful Story of Life. When children ask about death. Are movies fit for children?

Possibly the two most interesting subjects will be the one studied at the next meeting and the meeting following, which are:

Parents rating scale, which is a test of the parents. The other subject is: Age Mental Development to See What a Child Should Know At Different Ages, beginning before the age of one year.

The club paid their fee of 35 cents, which goes to the Parent-Teacher Association.

The following members were present: Mesdames Lloyd Roberts, D. W. Hemberson, Tom Porter, Charles Holman, S. E. Boothe, Bob Alexander, Vernon Campbell, Lee Snodgrass, Groves, C. F. Hardwick, J. P. Carson, Jr., Garland Chapman, Norman Wilson, Wesley Dement, Pike Nichols, Joe Allison, Charles Taylor and O. L. Kelley.

Mrs. Alice Murphree and daughter, Frances and little son, Bobby, of Dickens and Miss Lorene Hale, of Calgary, returned the latter part of the week from a visit with relatives in Elida, New Mexico. They also attended the New Mexico State Fair.

Blacksmith Shop For Sale
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L. S. Putman
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MISS HAZEL WILLIAMS AND C. E. McCLAIN MARRIED—

Miss Hazel Williams, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams of the Red Mud community and C. E. McClain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie McClain were married Saturday evening at the home of Re. J. V. Bilberry in Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. McClain are very prominent among the younger set of their community.

They will make their home in the Red Mud community.

MRS. S. E. GARNER HONORED ON HER 83RD BIRTHDAY—

Mrs. M. L. Jones entertained at her home Sunday with a birthday dinner, honoring her mother, Mrs. S. E. Garner on her 83rd birthday. The day was spent visiting and recalling the early days. Mrs. Garner is truly a pioneer of Dickens County and has many friends who were unable to be with her at this celebration that join with the Times in wishing her many more birthdays. Mrs. Garner received many nice presents.

Mrs. Jones had as guests for her mother, Mrs. Kate Buchanan, Mrs. Ola Johnson, Mrs. Emma Shields, of Dickens, Mrs. T. J. Hicks, Mrs. Susan Lee, Mrs. M. W. Chapman, Mrs. T. H. Gilmore, Mrs. Arthur, of the Elton community, Mrs. Mary Johnson, Mrs. Ella Keith, of Matador; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keith and family and Miss Mary Keith, of Matador; Mrs. Neil Davis, Mrs. Bud Morrison, Miss Lou Ella Tally, and Miss Ella Garner.

Those calling in the afternoon to greet Mrs. Garner were Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Forbis, of Afton; Mr. and Mrs. Hamp Collett, Mrs. W. L. Hyatt and Mrs. Joe Lee.

MRS. DICK LOFLAND HONORED WITH STORK SHOWER SATURDAY—

Mrs. S. M. Newberry, Jr., Mrs. Jack Barton and Mrs. John King, Jr., were co-hostesses Saturday at the home of the latter, with a stork shower for Mrs. Dick Lofland. Cut autumn flowers in bowls and vases made the entertaining rooms very attractive.

As each guest entered they were asked to register in a baby book. Mrs. Alfred Lieb gave a very appropriate reading and games were played, then the gifts were presented to Mrs. Lofland in a beautiful baby basket.

Ice cream and angel food squares were served and tiny blue booties of paper were used as plate favors.

The guest list included: Mrs. Johnnie Heffington, Mrs. Alfred Lieb, Mrs. Claude Groves, Mrs. Bruce Stephens, Mrs. Sam Newberry, Mrs. Ernest George, Mrs. Don Ramsey, Mrs. Joe Hahn, Mrs. George Sloan, Mrs. Pete Carney, Mrs. Charlie R. Fox, Mrs. Jack Senning and Mrs. Cal Martin.

Those sending gifts were Mrs. Henry Gruben, Miss Vera Shepherd, Miss Ruth Maples, Mrs. John A. Moore, Sr., Mrs. John A. Moore, Jr., Miss Lillian Rape, Miss Ruth Meeks, Mrs. Bill Walton, Miss Inez Ball, Miss Mary Pearl Hagins, Mrs. P. E. Hagins, Mrs. Kate Senning, Mrs. Carol Cobb, Mrs. Adelaide Howard, Mrs. D. J. Dyess, Miss Rita Mecom, Mrs. John L. King, Sr., Miss Mary Lee Cherry and Mrs. Cecil Addy.

MRS. CLIFFORD B. JONES ENTERTAINS THURSDAY CLUB MEMBERS AND GUESTS—

Mrs. Clifford B. Jones entertained members of the Thursday Bridge Club and guests at the Spur Inn.

After a number of games a congealed fruit salad plate was served. Mrs. B. C. Langley and Mrs. R. E. Dickson won high score for club members and Mrs. Mary Putman played high for guests and received a prize.

The guest list included Mesdames F. W. Jennings, B. C. Langley, R. E. Dickson, W. T. Andrews, Neal A. Chastain, O. C. Thomas, M. C. Golding, and Ty Allen, members; Della Eaton, Mary Putman, Morrow, and Ray Taylor, guests.

MR. AND MRS. TOM McARTHUR ENTERTAIN FRIDAY WITH STEAK FRY—

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McArthur entertained a number of their friends and relatives at their ranch Friday evening of the past week with a steak fry. The feed was served on the bank of the creek that runs through the McArthur ranch, other than the delicious steak, potatoes, pickles, salad, bread, pie, cake and coffee were served.

Those enjoying this occasion were Messrs. and Mesdames W. T. Andrews, E. S. Lee and children, Foy Vernon and children, Hobart Lewis and children, W. P. Shugart, Clifford B. Jones, Weldon Grimes, J. P. Carson Sr., O. C. Arthur and daughters, Doris, Jean and Allie Beth, Geo. S. Link, W. F. Godfrey, S. J. Ousley, Jim McArthur, Herman McArthur and baby, Ed McArthur and children; Misses Julia May Hickman, Martha Nichols, Eva Belle and Nedra Hogan, Ann Lee, Beatrice Spivey, Polly Clemmons; Mrs. W. B. Lee and son, Charles, Ned Hogan, Mrs. Lura Glasgow, Everett McArthur, Dr. and Mrs. M. H. Brannen and children and L. M. Steele, representative of the Inter-State National Bank of Kansas City, Mo.

MRS. R. R. WOOTEN HOSTESS TO BRIDGE LUNCHEON WEDNESDAY—

Mrs. R. R. Wooten entertained members of the 1925 Bridge Club and guests at her home at McAdoo, Wednesday, with a one o'clock luncheon. After the luncheon bridge was the diversion of the afternoon. Mrs. W. T. Andrews played high for the club members and Mrs. W. R. Lewis, for the guests and both received prizes.

Club members were Mesdames W. T. Andrews, Della Eaton, F. W. Jennings, V. V. Parr, Ray Taylor, L. H. Perry and Miss Julia May Hickman. Guests were Mesdames B. C. Langley, W. R. Lewis, H. P. Gibson, L. D. Ratliff, Guy Karr, M. H. Brannen, O. C. Thomas, Neal A. Chastain and R. E. Dickson.

ELOISE SHARP HOSTESS TO FRIENDS—

Friends gathered at Eloise Sharp's home after Sunday School October 2, and from there went to Dickens Springs, where a picnic lunch was served.

The group was chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Crockett and Mr. and Mrs. John Sharp.

After lunch everyone enjoyed kooking at the Springs.

Returning to her home, all went in swimming, which followed by a weiner roast.

Those enjoying the day were Mildred Neaves, Francis Brewer, Margie Nell Russell, Maxine Sandlin, Mildred Calvert, Virginia Crockett, Fran-

cis Fay Kennimer, Walter Foreman, Jr., Bobbie Crockett, Boyd Ball, Billy Sharp, Le Roy Kennimer, Ray Stillwell and the hostess.

Ned Hogan and daughter, Miss Nedra and son, Pat, went to Amarillo Sunday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Clemmons and children and accompany Mrs. Hogan home, who has been in Amarillo the past week.

Robert Fielder, band director of the Spur School Band, spent the week end in Abilene, visiting with homefolks

and friends.

Mrs. Lura Glasgow, left Saturday for Abilene, where she will spend some time visiting with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hogan.

Babe Graves, merchant of Guthrie was in Spur Tuesday, transacting business and greeting friends.

Ab Shadid, of Stamford, is in Spur this week visiting with his cousin, Miss Rose Shadid and other relatives.

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ESPUELA HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MET OCT. 6

"There are three centers in the kitchen", stated Miss Jean Day, Home Demonstration Agent, to the Espuela Home Demonstration Club in the home of Mrs. Ruth Foreman, October 6th.

1. Preparation Center.
 2. Cooking Center.
 3. Cleaning Center.
- I. Preparation consists of:
Refrigerator, Cabinet when staples and mixing equipment are stored, Counter surface.
- II. Cooking:
Stove, Cabinet for pots and pans. Working surface.
- III. Cleaning:
Sink or table for water, storage for dishwashing equipment, drainboards.
- There are three good types of kitchens, the U-type, the ideal kitchen. The L-type, and the 1 and 2 wall type. Refreshments were served to Miss Jean Day, Mesdames F. B. Crockett, W. A. Harris, Tom Martin, W. F. Foreman, J. P. Sharp and the hostess, Mrs. J. L. Karr was a visitor.

—Reporter.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means to publicly express our appreciation for our friends who so willingly and kindly came to our assistance during the illness of our dear husband, and father. His death was very sudden and the shock was very great. Your sympathy and words of encouragement has meant so much to us.

Mrs. R. H. Parnell and children.
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Butler.

Mrs. Leonora Luckett, of Matador, was in our city Saturday visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Godfrey.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Dyer, of Girard, were shopping with Spur merchants Saturday.

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Methodist Church Notes

Sunday School at 9:45.
Morning Service at 11:00.
Intermediates at 6:45 P.M.
Seniors at 6:45 P.M.
Evening Service at 7:30.
W.M.S. Monday afternoon at 3:00.
Wednesday evening Service at 7:45.
Childhood and Youth Week will be observed by the Children's Division of our Church next week. Mrs. C. H. McCulley, Supt., of the Division will be in charge.

For the next five Sunday morning and evening services the pastor will preach a series of sermons on the following subjects: "The Attributes of God" at the morning services, and "The Cross" at the Evening services. Special music will be arranged for next Sunday morning service and the great old hymns of the Church will be enjoyed by all at the evening service. Visitors are always welcome to our services.

WE BELIEVE IN FARM SECURITY

In last week's paper there was a piece published, telling how the Farm Security Administration is helping a great number of families get a new start in life. We were one of the families referred to.

Since then we have been asked by a number of people, just what our opinion is of the Farm Security Administration, and how it has helped us?

We are taking this means of telling everyone who might be interested just how proud we are that we were granted a loan with the Farm Security Administration.

When we applied for our loan, we went to them empty handed, sickness and farming on the halves had put us to the walls, and at that time our son was still in a serious condition. We were granted a loan, and that we feel was our first step to financial independence, which we are still working for.

Every day we feel that they have helped opportunity to knock at our door. It may be only some advice or a recipe we have received through the mail which some folks might cast aside and forget, but we try to take advantage of all those things, even though they are very small. They have also furnished us with a daily family record book, which enables us to keep a business-like record of all our family earnings and expenses. Now the above are only a few of the small things in which they help us but we feel they are very important.

The Farm Security Administration deals with folks in nothing but a strictly business-like way, they want to see you live a good comfortable life, educate your children and make good, clean, honest citizens of them. So we are glad to say we endorse the Farm Security Administration.

We also want to say that of all our friends and acquaintances we do not believe any of them could fill Mr. A. A. McKimmey's and Mrs. Stella Winston's positions any better than they have. Each of their farm visits have been a great pleasure to us.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Elkins.

Miss Thessia Godfrey, a teacher in Matador schools, was doing some shopping in our city Saturday and while here visited her nephew, Cecil Godfrey, and her brother, W. F. Godfrey.

A. J. McAllister, of Afton, was a business visitor here Saturday.

Western B Team Loses To Bulldogs

BY MORRIS LANE

Trailing six points until the fading minutes of the last quarter, the Spur High Bulldogs, Friday night unleashed a clicking pass attack to nose out Lubbock's Westerner B Team, 7 to 6 at Charles Jones Stadium.

With only minutes to play Wilhoit aimed a forward over the goal line to a waiting Press Powell, who hugged the ball for the tying score. Then Billy Haralson, mite quarterback of the Bulldogs, calmly cut the middle of the uprights for the winning point.

Lubbock had scored first, when Martin, Westerner, halfback rushed in from a defensive position, to snatch Haralson's fumbled lateral and race 85 yards to score. Sewalt's attempt at goal was wide. From the kickoff the hefty Lubbock team had been battled to a standstill by an improved Bulldog machine. The locals saw several touchdown marches bog down with only yards to go for scores. So with it's running attack stymied, the Bulldogs took to the air lanes to defeat a heavier Lubbock band of Class A reserves from off the Hub City's first eleven.

Lubbock kicked off to Haralson who returned 23 yards. But the first quarter developed into a seesaw affair with both elevens fighting for yardage. The Spurs were finding running plays boomeranged by the alert Plainsmen. However, the Hubs, could not penetrate the stout blue and gold defense. It was about even throughout the period.

With the second quarter about gone, the Spur team was threatening the goal line after a series of passes and reverses had brought them to the 15-yard line. Haralson attempted to skirt his own left end and was swarmed by the defensive club's linesmen. He was hit hard when attempting to lateral to Wilhoit, and the ball was gobbled up by Martin, who struck out to paydirt, 85 yards away.

Spur High threatened several times after the second half began but were repulsed. After Haralson had returned a Westerner punt to midfield the locals took to the air for the winning touch. Wilhoit tossed a flat zone heave to Garner that was good for 23 yards. Two ground rushes by Haralson and Sparks failed. Wilhoit faded back and bulleted the payoff aerial to Powell over the goal line. Haralson's placement was squarely in the middle for the one-point margin. There was little time left for Lubbock to retaliate before the gun ended the gridiron tussle.

It was the second victory of the season for the Bulldogs, who tomorrow take the field against Matador, in the opening conference game. Defending their conference championship, the Spur eleven meets an old conference rival in Matador. And the champs of district 4-B are not forgetting last year. Matador brings a team smarting from defeat by Silvertown's Owls last weekend. The Dogs have worked long and hard this week in preparation for tomorrow's game. They are set for arch enemy Matador, coached by Don Martin, former Spur assistant coach, who is pointing his Bull Fighters for the Bulldogs.

Besides discovering an aerial attack that wouldn't quit, the Bulldogs Friday night polished up a versatile running game featuring the plunging of Pete Wilhoit and the dashing thrusts of Bill Haralson, Bill Sparks, Bunky Garner. The forward wall features heady, Hansford Ousley, gunning for all-district guard; and two flashy terminals, Powell and Culbert, who with Bingham, tackle; Smart, center; and others furnish the defense dynamite.

The Line-up (Last Week)

Spur	Lubbock
Smart	Center Jones
Bingham	Tackle Rissinger
York	Tackle Sewalt
Ousley	Guard Brown
Hurst-Murphy	Guard Hensley
Powell	End Trice
Culbert	End Phillips
Haralson	Quarter Loving
Sparks	Halfback Alford
Garner	Halfback Martin
Wilhoit	Fullback Privitte

Substitutes: (Spur) Powell, tackle; Hurst, halfback; (Lubbock) Neighbors, halfback; Brown, tackle.

Officials: Crawford (Tech), referee; Solis, (Tech) head linesman; Beauchamp, (Tech), field judge.

EXCHANGE CLUB MET TUESDAY WITH MRS. BUFORD JOHNSTON

Mrs. Buford Johnston was hostess Tuesday to the Exchange Club, with a one o'clock covered dish luncheon. Eleven members were present and each answered roll call with a favorite recipe.

Members were: Mesdames D. McArthur, B. Connally, L. R. Barrett, C. Holman, Clark Lewis, Loyd Roberts, A. G. Dunwoody, J. C. Payne, J. E. Berry and Alfred Lieb.

Attend Funeral At Henrietta

Mrs. Matt Benson, sister of the late R. M. Slack, died in Colorado, Saturday. The body was taken to Henrietta where funeral services were conducted Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Benson was known to a number of people in this section as she once was here and visited here a number of times. Among local people who attended the funeral services were: Mrs. R. M. Slack, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. Graden Swanner of near Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Veto Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Brookie Martin of New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. Mont Slack, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Slack, and Mr. and Mrs. Orville Slack of Lubbock.

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Once when the ball was nearly over the line and the player was very anxious to make a touch-down, he made a play that cost his team a penalty. The play was made in the heat of enthusiasm. The mistake was not intentional. Could the result of the play been foreseen, it would not have been made.

A preacher in his anxiety to put over a proposition in his church let his enthusiasms carry him too far. Statements were made which wounded the feelings of some of the members. Ill will was engendered. No hurt or thrust was intended. It was just a mistake. May we all be forgiven our mistakes. May we all have the forgiving spirit. All are prone to err. We should pray one for the other.

HIGH SCHOOL P.T.A. MET TUESDAY NIGHT

Attending all classes to which their children go during the day, members of High School P.T.A. met Tuesday night at eight o'clock. Thirty-six parents and teachers were present.

Mrs. Ray Taylor, President, presided at the meeting. The next regular session of the organization will be November.

—Reporter.

BIBLE CLASS MEETS AT CHURCH OF CHRIST

Twenty-three members of the Bible Class of the Church of Christ met Monday at the church for study. Bro. Miles, pastor, completed a story on the Lord's Supper.

The Bible Class meets each Monday afternoon and extends an invitation to anyone that would care to meet with them.

SURPRISE BIRTHDAY PARTY

Several weeks ago the children of East Harris street put their heads together and began to plot. With shining eyes and smuggled laughter they planned, cautioning each other to be sure and "not let him know a thing about it," and as the seventh of October drew nigh, the excitement mounted. The results of all this planning culminated in a surprise birthday party for Rev. W. B. Bennett, who lives in their midst, and of whom the children of the East Side are extremely fond. At four o'clock Friday evening of the seventh they gathered together, 19 of them, (twenty had been invited, but as it usually is, some of them could not come) in Mrs. Berry's back yard and at the word came rushing in upon him, three of the youngsters landing in the middle of his bed, laughing hilariously, the others following, as pretty a sight as one could wish for.

They presented "Brother Bennett" as they lovingly call him, a number of gifts, and a nice pair of house shoes which they had all bought together, with a wholehearted enthusiasm which only happy children can bestow. Refreshments of punch and cake were served, after which games were played till time to take their departure.

This manifestation of thoughtfulness and love has made a minister of the Gospel who is no longer able to do constructive labor happy, and when the day comes, they will participate in his reward, for the Bible says, "He that receiveth a prophet in the name of a prophet shall receive a prophet's reward," and judging from the sacrificial life he lived, and the many souls he led to Christ, will be a large one, but his work is not done yet. He is still preaching Jesus Christ, and Him crucified, not from the pulpit, but as the opportunity affords, and there is no doubt but some of the children whom he daily contacts, will be led to Christ through his efforts.

The names of the children who participated in the surprise, are as follows:

Maxine Adams, Earnestine and John E. Berry, Arlene Wilson, Forestine Mecom, Mary Louise Burnum, Patsy Jean Hyatt, Kenneth Joy Day, Troy Dean Newton, Georgia and Dennis

Calvert, Bobby Dean Morrow, Bert, Jenna and Lois Dunwoody, Emma Pearl Gruben, Bette Ray and Bobby Jane Fox, of McAdoo, who recently moved from East Harris Street, and who often come to visit with him at his home.

A Shower Followed

That evening after dark while the minister and his wife were discussing the party, and why the mothers who were present took their departure so suddenly, something hit the porch with a thud, but nothing was done about it. "Wonder why the women left like they did, in such a hurry, without explaining anything?" was asked, and about that time another something hit the porch, and Mrs. Bennett hurried to the door to investigate, and there sat three baskets laden with good things, but no one was in sight. She tried to carry one of the baskets in to show it to her husband, but it was too heavy. About that time Mrs. Horace Hyatt, Mrs. Dunwoody and Mrs. John Adams laughingly made themselves known as the donor of the gifts, which consisted of good things to eat, a grocery shower from their many friends containing just such things as any family would appreciate, besides oranges and apples and lemons, a rare treat which was highly appreciated by the family; necessities for the invalid, for which they have his heartfelt thanks.

With tears running down his cheeks he bowed his head and prayed God's blessings on every one who participated, praying a special prayer for the one who thought of it first, which proved to be Mrs. Horace Hyatt. She sprang the idea, and said she, "Every one was so glad to help that it made me awfully happy. If we had had the time, no telling how much we could have brought". The names of the ones sending gifts are as follows:

Mesdames Horace Hyatt, Dunwoody, J. E. Berry, John Adams, J. E. Long, Frank Watson, E. J. Cowan, Herbert Sutan, S. R. Bowman, Thurman Morrow, Leland Wilson, E. D. Engleman, Wm. Hazel, Hamm, P. H. Miller, George E. Williams, Dr. Nichols.

Troy Newton, Dr. Cloud, E. L. Smith, J. D. Powell, B. T. Moore, Mosley, Hattie Turvin, Lee Snodgrass, Langston, Verner, Bill Pierce, Ralph Sherrel, J. A. Marsh, Herry Patton, M. L. Hyatt, Holman, Luther Hindman, Monk Rucker, S. C. Fallis, Daniels, Bunk Day, and Miss Jennie Shield, Rev. and Mrs. Joyner, and Rev. and Mrs. Burnum.

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A night scene on the midway T. J. Tidwell Shows and Carnival which will open in Spur Monday, October

17, under the auspices of the Boyd M. Williams Post of American Legion. The shows will be located at the Bur-

lington Ball Park in southwest part of town. The show is the largest of its kind in the Southwest and carries many rides never before presented.

Little Miss Euna Jean Carmichael left Sunday for Copperas Cove, where she will spend some time visiting with her father. She has been here with her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Green for the past few years, she was accompanied to Stamford by Miss Odessa Haralson, who has been here visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Sample, of Pecos, have been spending a few days here this week greeting old friends. They were in business here some years ago, and have many friends who are always glad to see them. They stated that Devere Luke is now teaching in the engineering department of the University of Illinois, and is working on his Ph. D. Degree.

T. J. Tidwell Shows Here Next Week

W. J. Page, advertising manager, and B. A. Childs, purchasing agent, for the T. J. Tidwell Shows are in our city this week making arrangements for a week's billing of their shows next week. The Tidwell Shows are known all over West Texas for their snappy entertainment. They have rides for the children, the young people, the middle aged and the older people that are thrills to all of them. One great feature of the show will be Capt. Leo Simon's fire dive at each evening performance. Capt. Simon climbs a ladder to 105 feet above the ground after saturating his clothing with gasoline. A tank of water is placed below on which has been poured fifteen gallons of gasoline. The gasoline is set on fire by people below, and Capt. Simon then sets his own clothing on fire and leaps off backwards, making a one and a half turn in the air and lands in the burning tank. He walks out unharmed. This is one of the most daring feats in the show kingdom today.

Another interesting character is Sis Cook, the armless woman, whose home is at Lubbock and who is another wonder in the show field today. Sis is 42 inches tall and never had any arms. However, she writes, threads a needle, sews, makes her own clothing and does most any work that any other woman may do. Sis was educated at Mary Hardin-Baylor College at Belton and made an excellent race for County Clerk in Lubbock County recently.

Rides will be open to the children every day and a good show will be opened to the public every evening. A performance will be given every night starting about eight o'clock.

Mr. Tidwell is a West Texas citizen, having his home at Sweetwater. Mr. Childs lives at Sweetwater too, and stated that he is often mistaken for Harley Sadler, who also lives at Sweetwater and is one of West Texas favorite showmen.

Dickens County Is Represented At State

Miss Eloise Sharp, of the Dickens 4-H Club left Monday for Dallas to attend the Club Girls Encampment of Texas which is being held in connection with the Dallas Fair. Miss Sharp went to Lubbock, where she joined 17 other girls from the District who were going to the encampment.

Miss Sharp will study exhibits while at the State Fair and will give reports when she returns. The various Clubs in the county will be anxious to hear her report and she will make talks at the different Clubs.

The Spur Chamber of Commerce assisted with sending Miss Sharp to the State Encampment. She will return about Friday.

Mrs. Ella Chauncey and daughter, Mrs. Emma Butler and daughter, of Los Angeles, California, and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stephens and daughter of Levelland, spent Sunday here with their aunt, Mrs. C. Fite and other relatives.

Lunch Room Matinee Contest A Success

The great amount of food contributed by the Spur Elementary School children made the Parent-Teacher Lunch Room look like a grocery store last week. More than three hundred children brought food in the amount of 10c or more.

This work was motivated by Mr. Hardwick of the Palace Theatre giving every child who brought 10c worth of food a free pass to the picture show, and rooms which brought the greatest amount of food or had the highest percentage of its pupils bringing food will be given a theatre party. In the East Ward School, Mrs. Giddens, second grade won by bringing the greatest amount of food while Mrs. Engleman's first grade room won by having the highest percentage contributing food.

Mrs. White's sixth grade room won by collecting the most food and Miss Francis' seventh grade room won by having the highest percentage.

These four rooms will be given a theatre party, and may select their own picture. Mr. Hardwick was very liberal in allowing four rooms this party when had promised only one room.

B. H. King, south of Girard, was transacting business here Saturday.

Jim Gilmore, of the Kalgary community, visited with relatives and friends here Saturday.

O. F. Scott and daughter, of Kalgary, were greeting friends and shopping with Spur merchants Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Scott, were among the crowd here Saturday from Kalgary.



SIS COOK
The armless wonder will be a great feature at the Tidwell Shows in Spur all next week.

Funeral For Mrs. Jeff D. Harkey

Funeral services for Mrs. Jeff D. Harkey were conducted at the Church of Christ at Dickens at three o'clock yesterday afternoon. M. M. Young, Church of Christ minister at Swenson and a long time friend to the family was in charge of the services. Interment followed in Dickens cemetery with Ward's Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Harkey suffered a paralytic stroke Thursday of last week which was followed by another stroke Saturday. She was rendered unconscious and was never able to speak or recognize any one after that time. She passed away at the family home in Dickens at 2:30 o'clock Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Harkey, whose maiden name was Miss Sally Matilda Hopson, was born in Arkansas December 23, 1868. Her parents came to Texas in 1869, making the entire distance horseback, and settled in Williamson County. When she was about 13 years of age the family moved to San Saba, and soon afterward her father disappeared and was never heard from again. Mrs. Harkey found a home with a Mrs. Miller who reared her.

She became acquainted with Mr. Harkey, who had come to Dickens County in 1878. They were married in 1885 at San Saba and she came to Dickens County with him. This was a very frontier country at that time. In 1890 Mr. Harkey was commissioned an officer in the Sheriff's Department of Crosby County of which Dickens County was then a part and the family lived at old Espuela where they had a little courthouse about 10x12 feet. When the county was organized in 1892, Mr. and Mrs. Harkey moved to Dickens and he was elected the first Sheriff of the county, serving until 1900. The family has lived at Dickens since 1892, and has been in the county 53 years.

Mrs. Harkey had been a Christian forty years and was a devoted member of the Church of Christ.

Mr. Harkey passed away April 17, 1927. However, Mrs. Harkey never gave up her home at Dickens and exhibited that royal type of western hospitality to all who came her way.

She is survived by seven children: Bernice Harkey of Concho, Arizona, Earl Harkey of Dickens, Mrs. Ola Ledford of Ralls, Roy K. Harkey of Glendale, Arizona, Leon Harkey of Dickens, Mrs. Bertie Lyckman of Kalgary, and Mrs. Linnie Green of Dickens. Two children have passed on, Evol at the age of five, and D. R. killed in a car wreck July 26, 1926. There are 19 grandchildren in the family. Pallbearers were: Fred Slough, Mr. Randall, Judge H. A. C. Brummett, Lee Payne, Fred Arrington, Robert Green. Flowerbearers were Mrs. C. R. Gunn, Mrs. W. L. Hyatt, Mrs. M. L. Borden, Mrs. H. A. C. Brummett, Miss Lee Payne, and Mrs. W. D. Stuart.

Agriculture Students Prepare Rope Exhibit

The Spur Vocational boys have spent the past two weeks in learning rope making and its uses. Hand made rope is done with a small hand turned machine. Binder twine and manila are used as materials. Hand made rope including the cost of materials and labor costs only 28.5 per cent, or less than one-third of the selling price of factory made rope of the same material. These are actual figures from rope made by the boys. A 35-foot manila lariat rope costs \$1.75 when bought from a dealer, but can be made for 51 cents, which includes 41 cents for material and ten cents for labor.

After making all sizes of rope the boys studied its practical uses for farm work. They practiced making halters for all uses and learned to tie 15 practical knots, ties and hitches for farm use. A 15-foot halter costs 13 cents.

The work these boys have been doing is on exhibit at Engleman's Truck and Tractor House. If you have an opportunity, go by to see their work. The costs of the different sizes of rope and its uses are shown and the knots, ties and hitches are shown as they are tied. The exhibit will be on display for one week.

VISIT IN LUBBOCK

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Harrell, Mrs. Lelia Evans, Mrs. J. C. Keen and Miss Etta Fite were in Lubbock Tuesday visiting with friends. Bro. Harrell stated that Lubbock is a busy city these days. However, we boast the wagger that it is no busier than Spur—only larger.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Arrington returned Sunday from several days spent in Denton and Dallas. They attended the State Fair in Dallas.

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SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF DICKENS)
 Notice is hereby given that by virtue of a certain pluries order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Taylor County, Texas, 104th Judicial District, on the 18th day of August, 1938, by Belle Welborn, Clerk of said District Court of Taylor County, Texas, 104th Judicial District, for the sum of Twenty-six Hundred Ninety-six and 08/100 (\$2696.08) Dollars less a credit of Two and 80/100 (\$2.80) Dollars as of July 11, 1938, with interest thereon from the 13th day of April, 1933, at the rate of 10% per annum and costs of suit, under a certain judgment in favor of H. O. Wooten Grocer Company, a corporation, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1594-B, and styled H. O. Wooten Grocer Company, a corporation, vs. S. H. Twaddell primarily and against S. R. Bowman secondarily, placed in my hands for service, I, J. L. Koonsman, as sheriff of Dickens County, Texas, did, on the 23rd day of August, 1938, levy upon certain real estate situated in Dickens County, Texas, and described as follows:

Lot No. Five (5) in Block No. Two (2) Highway Subdivision to the town of Spur, Dickens County, Texas;
 Lot No. Ten (10) in Block No. Thirty-eight (38), and Lot No. Three (3) in Block No. Forty (40), Original Town of Spur, Dickens County, Texas;
 Also: Two Hundred Thirteen and 23/100 (213.23) acres of land in Dickens County, Texas, described in two tracts, to wit:

FIRST TRACT: All of the Northeast Quarter of Section No. Three Hundred (300), Block No. 1, Certificate No. 10/2045, H.&G.N.R.R. Survey, described by metes and bonds as follows:

Beginning at a set stone marked S.W. 315 at northeast corner of Sec. No. 300, whence a small mesquite tree N. 80 degrees E. 16.6 vrs. a Mes. 5" vrs. S. 39-3/4 degrees W. 104.3 vrs.;

Thence S. 0 degrees 25' E. with the east line of Section No. 300, a distance of 950.4 vrs. to stake marked W.L. 301, and stone mound at center of east line of Section No. 300, whence a Mes. 5" vrs. S. 44 1-2 degrees W. 71.8 vrs. small Mes. vrs. N. 31 degrees W. 72.1 vrs.;

Thence S. 89 degrees 55' W. 985.3 vrs. to a set stone marked C. 300, corner on valley;

Thence N. 0 degrees 25' W. 950.4 vrs. to large Mes. stake marked 1/2 N.L. 300 and 4 pits at center of north line of Sec. No. 300;

Thence N. 89 degrees 55' E. with north line of Sec. No. 300, a distance of 244 vrs. road, at 647 vrs. drain. 985.3 vrs. to the place of beginning, and containing 165.88 acres more or less.

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SECOND TRACT: A part of the northwest quarter of Sec. No. 300, Block No. 1, Certificate No. 10/2045, H.&G.N.R.R. Co. Survey, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Beginning at a point 684 vrs. east from southwest corner of the northwest quarter of Sec. No. 300, same being the middle and present bed of Duck Creek;

Thence up bed of Duck Creek N. 22 1/2 degrees E. 320 vrs., N. 6 1/2 degrees W. 160 vrs. N. 37 degrees W. 270 vrs., N. 13 degrees W. 288.3 vrs. to the north line of said Sec. No. 300, near the middle and bed of Duck Creek;

Thence east 417.3 vrs.;

Thence S. 950.4 vrs. for the southeast corner of the tract;

Thence west 301.3 vrs. to the place of beginning, and containing 47.35 acres of land, and in tracts containing 213.23 acres more or less.

ALSO: 208.63 acres of land in Dickens County, Texas described in two tracts as follows:

FIRST TRACT: All of the southeast quarter of Sec. No. 300, Block No. 1, Certificate No. 10/2045, H. & G. N. R.R. Co. Survey, described as follows:

Beginning at a stone marked N.W. 280, at southeast corner of Sec. No. 300, whence small Mes. vrs. S. 41 degrees E. 54.1 vrs., a Mes. 5" vrs. 66 1/2 degrees W. 29 vrs.;

Thence S. 89 degrees 55' W. with south line of Sec. No. 300 a distance of 985.3 vrs. to a stone in bed of Duck Creek near East Bank at center of South line and Section 300 whence a Mes. 5" vrs. N. 31 1/2 degrees E. 78 vrs.;

Thence N. 0 degrees 25' W. 950.4 vrs. to a stone marked C.300 at center of Sec. No. 300;

Thence N. 89 degrees 55' E. 985.3 vrs. to a stake marked 1/2 W. line 300 and stone mound at center of east line of Sec. No. 300, whence a Mes. 5" vrs. S. 44 1/2 degrees W. 71.8 vrs. a small Mes. vrs. N. 81 degrees W. 72.1 vrs.;

Thence S. 0 degrees 25' E. with the east line of Section No. 300 a distance of 950.4 vrs. to the place of beginning and containing 165.88 acres of land, more or less.

SECOND TRACT: A part of the Southwest Quarter of Sec. No. 300, Block No. 1, Certificate No. 10/2045, H.&G.N.R.R. Co. Survey described as follows:

Beginning at the northeast corner of said southwest quarter Sec. No. 300;

Thence South 2578 feet with the east line of said quarter to the intersection with the East Bank of Duck Creek;

Thence northwestward with the East Bank of Duck Creek to the intersection of the north line of said quarter section;

Thence east 581 ft. to the place of beginning, and containing 42.75 acres of land, more or less, and containing in both tracts 208.63 acres more or less; and being the same property described in that certain writ of attachment recorded in the office of the County Clerk of Dickens County, Texas, on the 15th day of December, 1932, of record in Vol. 1, page 34 et seq. of the Attachment Records of said County, and levied upon as the

property of S. R. Bowman, and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1938, the same being the 1st day of said month, at the Courthouse door of Dickens County in the town of Dickens, Texas, between the hours of ten o'clock A.M. and four o'clock P.M., by virtue of said levy and said pluries order of sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue for cash to the highest bidder, all the right title and interest of the said S. R. Bowman in and to said property, and in compliance with law I give this notice by publication in the English language once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Dickens County Times, a newspaper published in Dickens County, Texas.

WITNESS MY HAND, this the 10th day of September, 1938.
 J. L. Koonsman,
 Sheriff, Dickens County, Texas.
 By Edell H. Petty, Deputy.
 Published Oct. 7-14-21.

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF DICKENS)
 NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that by virtue of a certain order of sale issued out of the Honorable District Court of Dickens County, Texas, on the 11th day of August, 1938, by Nettie Littlefield, Clerk of said District Court, Dickens County, Texas, for the sum of Thirty-six Hundred Fifty-six and 64/100 (\$3656.64) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 30th day of December, 1937, at the rate of 10% per annum and costs of suit, under a judgment in favor of Spur Security Bank, Spur, Texas, a corporation, in a certain cause in said Court, No. 1496, and styled Spur Security Bank, Spur, Texas, vs S. R. Bowman, et al, in which judgment plaintiff recovered judgment against S. R. Bowman and S. H. Twaddell and each of them, jointly and severally, for the sum of Twenty-four Hundred Twenty and 9/100 (\$2420.94) Dollars, with interest thereon from the 30th day of December, 1937, at the rate of 10% per annum, and costs of suit, placed in my hands for service, I, J. L. Koonsman, as sheriff of Dickens County, Texas, did, on the 23rd day of August, 1938, levy on said real estate situated in Dickens County, Texas and described as follows:

FIRST TRACT: N.E. 1/4 Sec. No. 300, Blk. No. 1, Cert. No. 10/2045, H.&G.N.R.R.Co. Survey described by metes and bounds as follows: Beginning at a set stone marked S.W. 315 at the N. E. Cor. of Sec. 300. Whence small Mesq. vrs. N. 80 degrees E. 16.6 vrs. Mesq. 5" vrs. South 39-3/4 degrees West 104.3 vrs.; thence South 0 degrees 25' E. with line of Sec. No. 300, 950.4 vrs. to stake marked W.L. 301 and Stone Mound at center of East line of Sec. No. 300; whence a Mesq. 5" vrs. South 44 1-2 degrees West 71.8 vrs. small Mesq. vrs. North 81 degrees West 72.1 vrs.; thence South 89 degrees 55' West 985.3 vrs. to a set stone marked C.300 at center of Sec. 300, corner of valley; thence North 0 degrees 25' west 950.4 vrs. to large Mesq. stake marked 1-2 N.L. 300 and 4 pits at center of north line of Sec. 300; thence North 89 degrees 55' East with north line of Sec. 300, 244 vrs. road, at 647 vrs. drain. 985.3 vrs. to the place of beginning and containing 165.88 acres more or less.

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Thence South 950.4 vrs. for SE corner of this tract; thence West 310.3 vrs. to the place of beginning and containing 47.35 acres of land;

and being the same property as described in a certain deed of trust from S. R. Bowman et al, dated January 23, 1933, and levied upon as the property of S. R. Bowman, and that on the first Tuesday in November, 1938, the same being the first day of said month, at the Courthouse door of Dickens County, in the town of Dickens, Texas, between the hours of ten o'clock A.M. and four o'clock P.M., by virtue of said levy and said order of sale, I will offer for sale and sell at public vendue, for cash, to the highest bidder, all of the right, title and interest of the said S. R. Bowman in and to said property, and in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication in the English language, once a week for three (3) consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Dickens County Times, a newspaper published in Dickens County, Texas.

WITNESS MY HAND, this the 10th day of September, 1938.

VACATIONING IN CANADA
 We received a card Friday from Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wilson, who left Spur last week for Detroit, Mich., and other points. The card was mailed in Canada, stating that they were having a wonderful time.

Bullock Tillitson and Bob McClesley, of the sales department of the West Texas Utilities with headquarters in Stamford, spent part of the past week here assisting the local office with sales.

J. L. Koonsman, Sheriff, Dickens County, Texas. By Edell H. Petty, Deputy. Published Oct. 7-14-21.

Mrs. P. H. Miller and Mrs. W. D. Starcher spent the week end in Abilene, visiting with relatives and friends and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bennett, of the Elton community, were among the crowd of shoppers and visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Legg, of the Croton community, were in Spur Saturday greeting friends.

Clayton Bridges, of Glenn, was in Spur Saturday transacting business.

Mrs. Val Smith, of Mineral Wells, spent the latter part of the week here visiting with friends and attending to business. Mrs. Smith stated that Mr. Smith's health was very unsatisfactory at this time. They are former citizens of Dickens County, having moved to Mineral Wells on account of Mr. Smith.

S. J. McSpadden, of Afton, was among the business visitors here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Henry, of the Duncan Flat community, were among the shoppers and visitors here Saturday.

OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE SPUR SECURITY BANK AT SPUR, STATE OF TEXAS

at the close of business on the 28 day of September, 1938, published in the Dickens County Times, a newspaper printed and published at Spur, State of Texas, on the 12 day of October, 1938.

RESOURCES

1 Loans and discounts, on personal or collateral security	\$368,393.17
2 Loans secured by real estate	11,841.60
5 Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	92,003.68
8 Banking House	16,500.00
9 Furniture and Fixtures	3,000.00
10 Real Estate owned, other than banking house	12,785.00
11 Cash and due from approved reserve agents	159,176.63
12 Due from other banks and bankers, subject to check on demand	3,500.00
15 Other Resources (Itimize)	4,648.65

Judgment Lien and Livestock.

TOTAL \$671,848.73

LIABILITIES

1 Capital Stock	\$50,000.00
2 Income Debentures sold	None
3 Total Capital Structure	\$ 50,000.00
4 Surplus Fund	25,000.00
5 Undivided Profits, net	23,535.65
6 Reserve for Contingencies	12,000.00
9 Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days	561,313.08
16 Other Liabilities (Itemize)	

TOTAL \$671,848.73

STATE OF TEXAS)
COUNTY OF DICKENS)
 We, Clifford B. Jones, as President and E. S. Lee, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

CORRECT ATTEST
 Ned Hogan
 W. T. Andrew
 Geo. S. Link
 Directors

Clifford B. Jones, President
 E. S. Lee, Cashier
 Subscribed and sworn to before me this 10th day of October, A.D. 1938.
 (SEAL) Julia M. Hickman, Notary Public
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WITNESS MY HAND, this the 10th day of September, 1938.

YOUR TELEPHONE DOES ITS PART AS A CITIZEN OF TEXAS

As one of the industries of Texas, your telephone company pays its share of the cost of government. It is a heavy share, too. In 1937 its local, state, and federal taxes in Texas totaled more than four million dollars... nearly \$12,000 a day.

These telephone taxes were equal to more than a third of the company's entire payroll in the state. They amount to \$9.25 for every telephone in service.

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The telephone company is part of Texas... here to meet this state's need for friendly, dependable telephone service. As part of the state, it has tried to be a good citizen... always ready and willing to pay its fair share of the cost of government.

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McAdoo

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Formby went to Lubbock last Monday. Mrs. Formby is under treatment of a doctor there. They also visited their daughter, Robena, who is attending Texas Tech.

Mrs. Robert Burks, music teacher of McAdoo, was ill part of this week and was unable to give her music lessons.

The cotton in the McAdoo community is opening good and both gins are kept busy. For the past few days however, both gins have been having trouble with their engines. Several bales have burned. Cotton is stacking up at both gins but the gins are in good shape now.

Ruth Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ward, who has been confined to her bed with throat trouble, was able to return to her work in Lubbock Tuesday.

Those long-looked-for Senior rings have finally been gotten out of the post office and are being seen on display around the community by seniors or their friends. Miss Maudie Palmer, who is now a senior in the Crosbyton school, and Mrs. Clarence McCandless of Ralls, formerly Miss Vergie Russell of this community, also received a ring.

Mrs. Will Eldredge and Mrs. John Formby were shopping in Lubbock Thursday.

Mrs. F. V. Vestal of Lubbock was in McAdoo last Wednesday on business. He visited in the home of Mrs. Vestal's parents, Elder and Mrs. J. A. Branaman.

Joe Willie Woods who has been under medical treatment in the Spur hospital for the past two weeks, is back at home now and is able to be out a great deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Cooper announced the arrival of a son Tuesday at the Spur hospital. Both mother and child are doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McLaughlin arrived in McAdoo Monday to visit Mr. McLaughlin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rush McLaughlin. Clyde is a cotton buyer.

Preston Davis, McAdoo teacher, returned to McAdoo Wednesday night after a few days visit in Ivan. Mr. Davis is also coach of McAdoo's football team.

Mrs. Curley Fox was in Spur on business Monday.

Eugenia Butler has been doing office work in Spur this week. Mrs. Butler and Mrs. Middleton went after her last Thursday.

Mrs. Clarence McCandless of Ralls, formerly Miss Vergie Russell of this community, stopped in McAdoo for a short time while on her way to Spur Thursday.

Elder J. A. Branaman went to Delwin Sunday morning to fill his regular appointment at the Baptist church.

A number of McAdoo football fans attended the football game at Patton Springs between McAdoo and Patton Springs last Friday afternoon. Although the boys had been out of school for a week and had had little practice, the fans were proud of the effort they made to win the game. The fans all returned unhappy however, as the scores were thirteen to nothing in Patton Springs' favor. This was McAdoo's fifth game of the season and the only one they lost.

At the half the Patton Springs pep squad formed the letters M and P S and gave a yell for McAdoo and Patton Springs respectively after each letter was formed.

As most of the McAdoo girls were either working or had no way to go to the game, no arrangements were made for the pep squad. But the few that were present got together and

yelled throughout most of the game. Mac Brantley went to Lubbock on business Thursday.

Rudolph McLaughlin and his mother Mrs. Charlie McLaughlin, returned home from Eureka Springs, Arkansas, where they have been for the past three or four weeks.

Mrs. Wallace and daughter, Dessie Mae, spent last Tuesday night with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Simon, of Crosbyton. Dessie Mae remained the rest of the week.

Darris Egger, a student at McMurray in Abilene, came home last Thursday for a short visit which ended Sunday.

Sunday is one of the regular preaching Sundays at the local Baptist church. There will be Sunday School and preaching in the morning and B. Y. P. U. and preaching at night, Brother Branaman doing the preaching. Every one is invited to attend these services.

Leslie Phifer had a hard jolt while playing in the football game Friday afternoon. His skull was not fractured as it was believed at first and he is getting along fine.

Katherine Rose, Home Economics teacher of Ralls, visited in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Rose, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Rose, over the week end. Lucille Rose, Home Economics teacher in Wilson, was also a guest in these two homes over the week end.

The W. M. U. met in a regular session last Monday in the home of Mrs. G. W. Allen. A committee of three, Mrs. G. W. Allen, Mrs. Douglas Allen, and Mrs. Fay Cox, had been appointed to plan a social hour for this meeting, the first Monday in October. A committee will be elected for the first Monday in each month to plan a social hour after the business and scriptural meeting.

The women have been making a

quilt which will bring them, when completed about sixty dollars. In their business meeting, the ladies decided to give thirty dollars of this money on the church building. They also gave enough money to buy cement for a walk at the Baptist parsonage.

After the business meeting, Mrs. Douglas Allen and Mrs. Amos Isaacs (in the absence of Mrs. Cox) took charge of the social hour. Games suitable for the occasion were played by the following members and guests: Mrs. G. W. Allen, Mrs. Douglas Allen, Mrs. Amos Isaacs, Mrs. Charley Allen, Mrs. Dewey Woods, Mrs. Austin Rose, Mrs. Taylor Rose, Mrs. Joe McLaughlin, Mrs. J. A. Branaman, Mrs. Ben Steadham, Mrs. Robert Burks, Mrs. Irvin Ward, and Mrs. Loyd Hickman, Miss Ruth Ward, and Miss Jackie Branaman, the three visitors.

After iced orange juice and cookies were served, sunshine gifts were exchanged by the members present.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Butts and Miss Bartie Lee Butts returned home in time for the football game Friday. They had been in Quanah since Sunday visiting in the home of their parents.

Austin Rose and family were in Lubbock Saturday on business and visiting Nuge Rose who is a student in Texas Tech. Nuge returned home with them to spend the week end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Griffin and Lee Griffin, all students at Fort Worth, returned to McAdoo upon receiving word of Mr. J. J. Griffin's serious condition after he was operated on for appendicitis last Thursday. Mr. Griffin had been complaining with his side for several days but did not think it serious enough to see a doctor. The pain grew so great Thursday that Mrs. Griffin took him to Lubbock where he was operated on immediately.

Mr. Hill, a student in McMurray and a room mate to Darris Egger, was a visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Egger Sunday afternoon for a short time. Darris returned to Abilene with Mr. Hill where they will again take up their school work.

Elder and Mrs. J. A. Branaman and daughter, Jackie, were in Lubbock Saturday, shopping and visiting. They spent the noon hour and most of the afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Vestal and little daughter, Arlene. Mrs. Vestal is a daughter of Elder and Mrs. Branaman.

Mrs. Taylor Rose and Mrs. Austin Rose were in Spur last week on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer left for Canyon last Tuesday for a visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archer and Mr. and Mrs. Stuart.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Parker have

been entertaining a new grandson for the past few days.

Mrs. Van Lee had a stroke of paralysis last week and was taken to the Spur hospital. She is recovering nicely.

Several singers from Dickens attended the singing at McAdoo last Sunday.

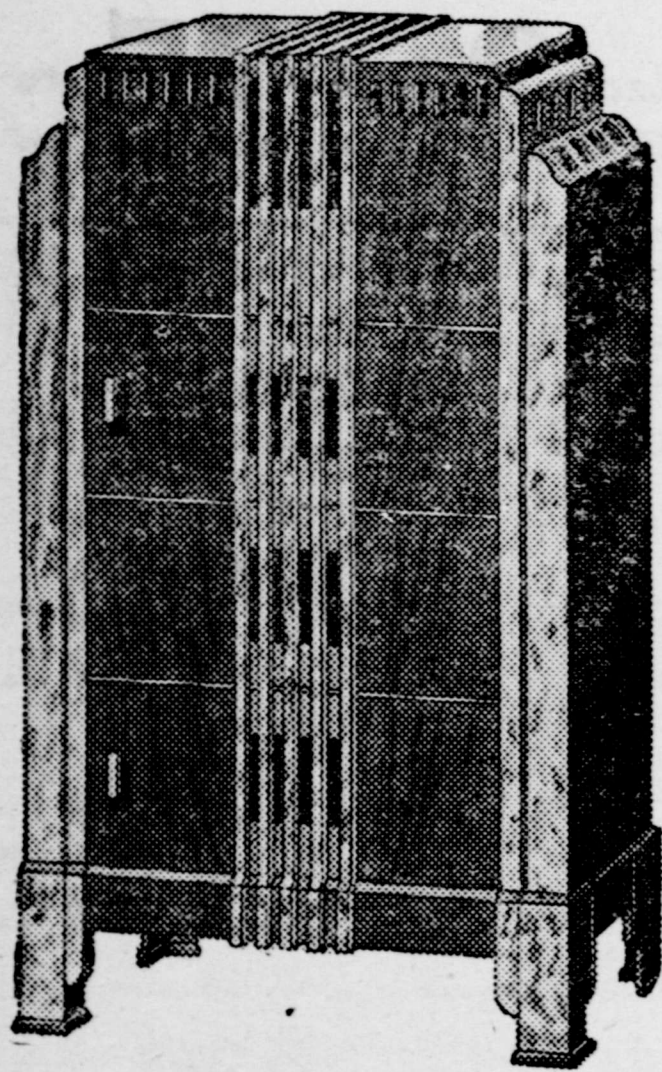
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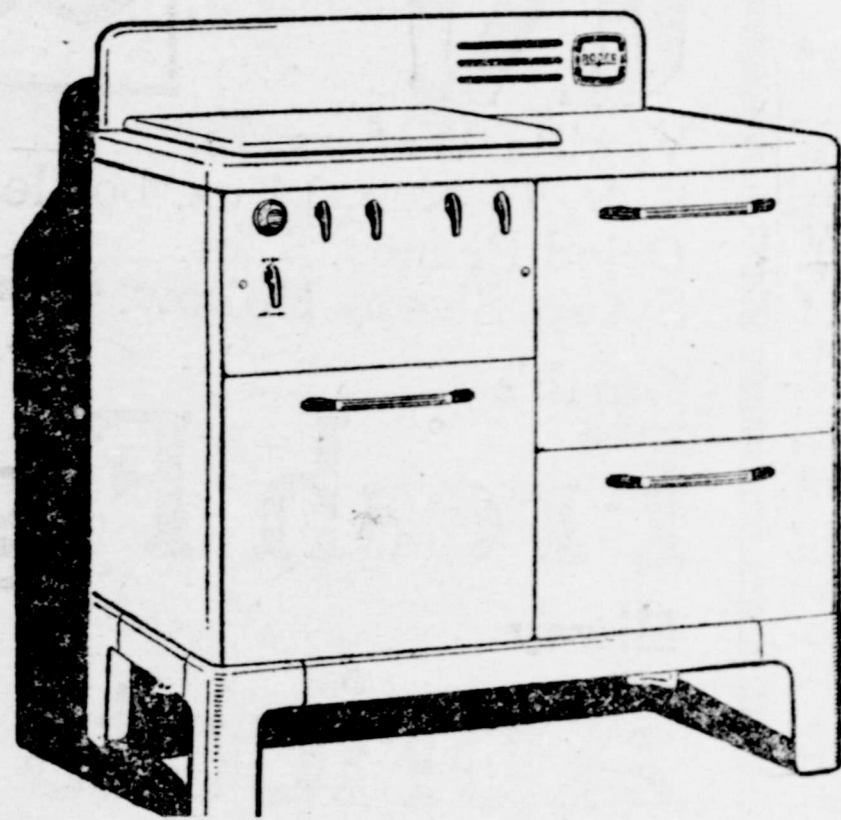
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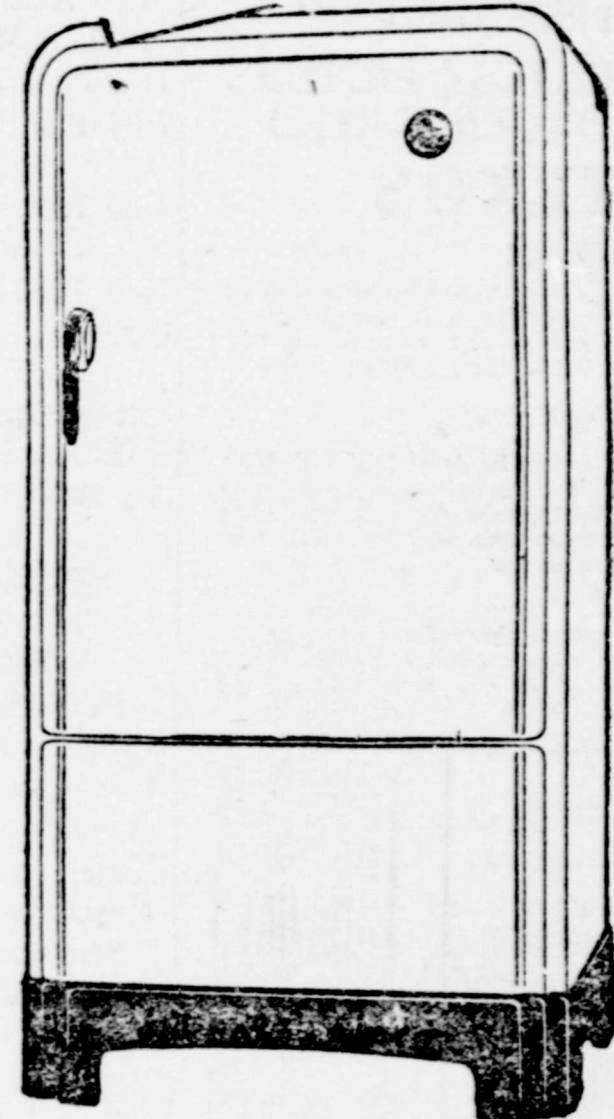
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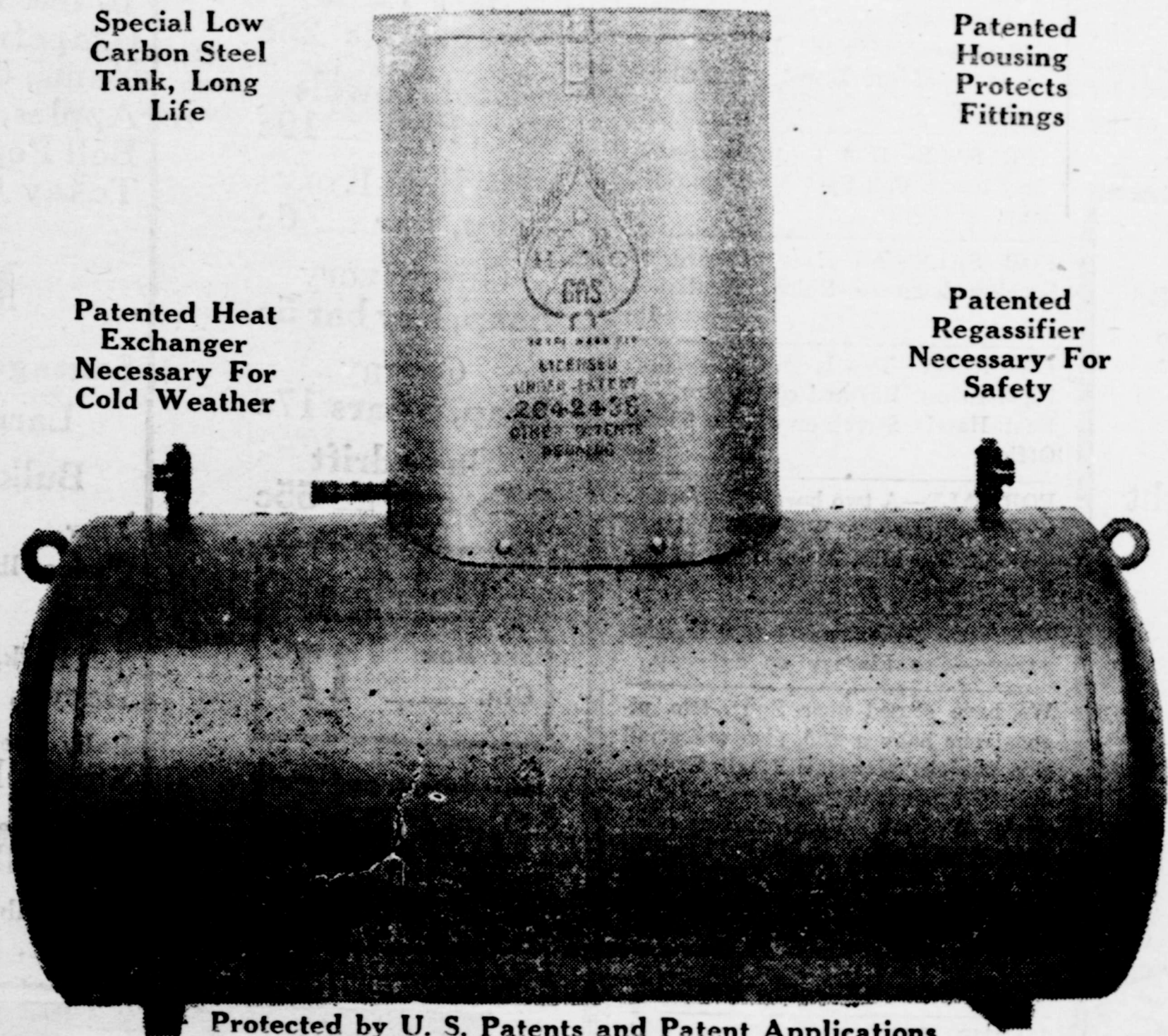
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Cap Rock District League Meets Oct. 6

The Cap Rock District League met Thursday night, October 6 at Foreman's Chapel with an attendance of about 115 consisting of 5 leagues, including Dickens, our new organization.

Mr. Benefield was our guest speaker. He gave us a talk on "God's gift to us in Autumn Nature." Dorothy Calvert read two poems about Autumn.

Miss Irene Stuart, our district supervisor, was also present at our meeting. She gave us an interesting talk. The Banner was worn by Foreman's Chapel.

After the business, games were played, and refreshments of fruit and suckers were enjoyed by everyone.

—Reporter

John Youngblood, of Croton, attended to business here Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Littlefield, of east of Croton, were shopping with our merchants here Saturday.



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DALLAS Oct. 8-23

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The State Department of Health through the County Health Officer will furnish the toxoid, Dr. Hale will give it for twenty-five cents (25c).

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The early fall is a good time to take this serum because of climatic conditions. Also, the serum will probably have time to take effect before the colds of the winter set in.

Madge D. Twaddell,
County School Superintendent

VISITS PARENTS AT GIRARD

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harwell, of Dallas, were in our city Saturday greeting friends, and visiting his sister, Miss Maggie Harwell of the Farm Security Office. Mr. and Mrs. Harwell spent a few days at Girard visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Harwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Harwell were married at Grapevine Thursday evening of last week, and are here on a little honeymoon trip. Mrs. Harwell's maiden name was Miss Louretta Crews of Grapevine. Mr. and Mrs. Harwell will live in Dallas County where he is engaged in the farming business.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

E. 4th St. and Trumbull

J. H. Miles, Minister

Study Hours, 4 to 6 P.M.

SUNDAY SERVICES

0:45 A.M. Bible Classes.

1:00 A.M. Preaching.

1:45 A.M. Communion.

7:00 P.M. Young People's Bible Classes

7:30 P.M. Preaching.

MONDAY

4:00 P.M. Ladies' Bible Class.

WEDNESDAY

7:30 P.M. Prayer Meeting and Bible Classes.

SERMON SUBJECTS

Morning—"Love."

Evening—"To Eat, To Drink, and To See."

SPUR CIRCUIT METHODIST CHURCHES

Rufus Kitchens, Pastor

Sunday, October 16th, services will be held at Duck Creek. Rev. E. B. Bowen, our Presiding Elder, will preach for us at the morning hour. Lunch will be served at noon and conference will be held in the afternoon. The pastor will preach at the evening hour.

NOTICE

Rev. Huff, District Missionary, will preach at Steel Hill Baptist Church at 11:00 o'clock, next Sunday, third Sunday in October. Come and hear him.

E. Denton, Pastor.

Bernice Harkey of Concho, Arizona, Roy K. Harkey, of Glendale Arizona, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ledford of Ralls, and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lyckman, of Kalgary, are in Dickens to be with their mother, Mrs. Jeff Harkey, who is seriously ill at this time at her home in Dickens.

Spur F. F. A. Officers Named

The officers for the Spur Chapter of the Future Farmers of America for the year 1938-39 are as follows:

President, J. B. Morrison; Vice President, Wayne Kissing; Secretary, Jessie Morrison; Treasurer, C. L. Williams; Rep. Harold Taylor; Watch Dog, Billie Hairgrove; Historian, Elbert Garner; Parl. Tom Condran.

Each class elected officers for the purpose of practicing parliamentary procedure. This also helps more boys in being trained to take office the next year. Officers are:

First Year Class:

Pres., Boyd Ball; Vice-Pres., Marvin Taylor; Sec., T. C. Sandlin; Treas., Horace Kessinger; Rep., Robert Hahn; Watch Dog, Glen Hahn, Parl., Norris Kissing.

Second Year Officers:

Pres. Jessie Morrison; Vice-Pres., Lester Ball; Sec., Truman Harris; Treas., C. A. Denson; Rep., Roland King; Watch Dog, Bob Farrel; Historian, Eldon Hines; Parl. Kenneth Jopson.

Officers For The Whole Class:

Third Year Officers:

Pres., Dale Scott; Vice-Pres., Tom Condran; Sec., Wayne Kissing; Treas., C. L. Williams; Rep., Fletcher Ballard; Watch Dog, Lester Watson; Historian, Elbert Garner; Parl. Clinton Sonnemaker.

CHURCH CLEARS DEBT

The Board of Stewards and the Pastor of the M. E. Church have a good right to feel happy now. They report that all indebtedness on the church building has been paid and that the building belongs to the local membership now. The indebtedness has never been large, but was difficult to meet under existing times. The church building is free once more.

ATTENDS DISTRICT MEET

Miss Jean Day, County Home Demonstration Agent, spent yesterday and is spending today in Lubbock attending a district meeting of Home Demonstration agents. Miss Lida Cooper, District Agent, and Miss P. Edwards, Assistant State Home Demonstration Agent, are the principal speakers.

J. W. Wilson, of Girard, was a business visitor here Saturday.



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SCHOOL BUILDING FOR SALE

The School Board of Patton Springs School is offering the auditorium at Prairie Chapel for sale. The building, 40x50 feet with a school room is located five miles east of Afton. School Board will receive bids on said building up until Friday, October 21, 1938. Mail or hand bids to John Norris, President of the Board, at Glenn, Texas. 2t

FOR SALE—1930 Chevrolet Sedan. Easy terms. Call Spur Mattress Company. 1t

FOR SALE—All sizes of used oil burning heaters.—Elliott Appliance. 1tc

FOR RENT—Two large partly furnished rooms. Hot and cold water, 324 East Harris Street or at the Times Office. 1tc

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FOR RENT—Bedroom, close in, also garage—See Lindsey at Safeway. 1tc

We have stored near Spur, two pianos; one baby grand, also one small size upright piano; will sell for the balance against them. For information write Jackson Finance Company, 1101 Elm, Dallas, Texas. 4t 52

FOR SALE OR TRADE—300 acre farm. Would trade for good house in town. See Mrs. G. W. Hutto, North Miller St. 3tp

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Report Cards To Go Out Next Week

The first six weeks term report to parents will be sent home Wednesday, October 19th. Thereafter parents may expect report cards on Wednesday following each six weeks test.

Lack of interest manifested by parents in school reports frequently produce poor work by the pupil. This is shown many times by failure to examine the report and offer some word of commendation if good marks are found, or to make investigation and provide means for improvement if poor marks are made. A little praise will go a long way toward producing good work in the future. Parents will find it very profitable to make careful examination of the school report, and failure to do so indicates lack of interest in the child's educational welfare.

Each parent should sign his child's report card. Honesty and correct attitudes can not be developed by allowing the pupil to sign his own report card. The parent's signature should be evidence that the card has been examined; however, it does not mean that the parent approves the report by his signature.

COLORED TEACHER DIES

E. R. Haynes, about 69, colored, died at his home in the Flat Wednesday morning after an illness of several months. He had been principal of the colored school of Spur District for about ten years. Funeral services will be held Sunday, waiting the arrival of a son from Washington, D. C.

EX-SERVICE MEN TO HAVE BANQUET MONDAY EVENING

The Ex-Service men of Dickens and Kent counties are to have an oyster supper at the Hill Top Cafe next Monday evening at 8:00 o'clock. The object of the meeting is to get new members and to revive the American Legion movement in Dickens County. All Ex-Service men are invited to be present and enjoy a good evening. Plates will be fifty cents each.

Mrs. Anna McAlvin, of Loco, Oklahoma and Mrs. Fannie Towels, of Fox, Oklahoma, are in Spur this week visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Dave Wilson. Mrs. McAlvin is Mrs. Wilson's grandmother and Mrs. Towels is an aunt.

WILD LIFE SPECIALIST TO BE IN SPUR OCTOBER 19

R. E. Collender, Extension Wild Life Specialist of College Station will discuss care, management and means of protecting preserving of our wild life, at a meeting in the District Court Room at Dickens, October 19, at 10:00 o'clock a.m.

All members of the Dickens County Wild Life Association are urged to be present.

Miss Monte Shugart, of Galveston, is here this week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Shugart, and other relatives and friends.

Victor Arrington, returned last week from Flagstaff, Arizona, where he has been employed.

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Yams, 6 lbs. **15c**
Apples, Jonathan, Doz. **15c**
Bell Pepper lb. **5c**
Tokay Grapes, lb. **5c**

Meats
Sausage, Mixed Pork **Large Bologna Bulk Shortening**
Your Choice, lb. **10c**
Salt Pork, No. 1 **Bacon, lb. 14c**
Baby Beef **Steak, lb. 15c**
Pure Hog **Lard, lb. 12 1/2c**
Short Rib **Roast, lb. 12c**

Kitchen Craft Flour.
24 lb. Sack **69c**
Harvest Blossom **Flour**
48 lb. Sack **95c**
Gold Medal Tamales 2 No. 1 1/2 cans **25c**
Assorted Jell-Well 4 pkgs. **15c**
Red Supersuds **Sm'l pkg. 9c**
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