

Dickens County Times

Rodeo Directors Meet; Discuss Plans For 1940 Celebration

The Spur Rodeo Association directors met to discuss a few plans in making preparations for the coming rodeo.

A. C. Hull, Bill Putman, and B. C. Langly were appointed to make arrangements for the business officials. T. E. Milam was elected as treasurer.

The officials are really working for the annual rodeo which will be held June 14 and 15, and plans are being made to make it much bigger and better. All committees so far selected are really going forward with their part of the arrangements.

It has been announced that the loud speaker of the Gulf that was used last year, has been secured for the coming event.

Scouts in Full Charge of City Yesterday

The Boy Scouts of Spur were in charge of the city's affairs all day Wednesday, starting about nine o'clock in the morning and continuing through until after five o'clock in the afternoon. A full line of officers were selected from each of Troops 35 and 36 as listed below. The number after each name indicates the troop to which each officer belongs.

- Mayor — Jack Ramsay, 36, and S. C. Fallis, 35.
- Police Chief — James Fox, 36, and Alfred Walker, 35.
- City Manager — Virgil Murroy, 36, Johnny Rucker, 35.
- Street Commissioner — Jerome Yarborough, 36, Pat Hogan, 35.
- City Attorney — J. T. Franklin, 36, William D. Starcher, 35.
- Pound Men — Billy Dan Bingham, 36, Jimmie Vernon, 35.
- Health Commissioner — Tommy Burger, 36, Jimmie Vernon, 35.
- Attorneys — Little Boy Reynolds, 36, Pete Dobbins, 35.

Resigns Place After Many Years Service

Mrs. Gay Collett of B. Schwarz & Son, has tendered her resignation and expects to look after her home in the future. Mrs. Collett has been with B. Schwarz & Son the past 13 years, doing the alterations in the ready to wear department. She is very efficient in her work and it is with regret to many that she is retiring from the business.

County Books Audited Wednesday

State Auditor Parr Merriman of the firm of Merriman-Campbell at Lubbock, was in Dickens auditing the county's books for the past quarter.

American Legion To Start Sewing Room

Judges for General Election Selected

The following persons were appointed Monday to serve as judges and clerks, as listed below, on Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1940, in the general elections in the 17 boxes in Dickens County.

These officials will not have any connection, because of their appointment by the commissioners court, with the Democratic primaries in July and August. Helpers for the primaries this summer will be appointed by the executive committee of the Dickens County Democratic party. The following will serve in the general election on November 5, 1940.

- Precinct 1, Dickens, Cecil Meadors, presiding officer; Mrs. C. C. Cobb, Mrs. Robert Crawford, Pat Murphy and Lex Stanford, clerks.
- Precinct 2, Liberty (Midway), V. S. Ford, presiding officer, Earnest Noland and C. T. Burns, clerks.
- Precinct 3, Afton, J. F. Young, presiding officer, J. T. Powell, Clark Forbis, John Stokes, clerks.
- Precinct 4, Dry Lake, Archer Powell, presiding officer, Joe Kidd and Lois Smith, clerks.
- Precinct 5, Red Mud, W. G. Hinson, presiding officer, W. C. Garrison and Mrs. R. F. Harrell.
- Precinct 6, Duck Creek, A. Lollar, presiding officer, Jesse Hagins and Walter Driggers, clerks.
- Precinct 7, Wichita, George Pierce, presiding officer, W. T. Lovell and Guy Hamilton, clerks.
- Precinct 8, Dumont, V. M. Hand, presiding officer, Floyd Forrest and

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West Texas Teachers to Meet In Plainview

DISTRICT INCLUDES 24 PLAINS COUNTIES; TO ASSEMBLE MARCH 8 AND 9

Several thousand teachers of West Texas will be converging on the city of Plainview on March 8 and 9. This concentration of teachers will be caused by the annual meeting of the West Texas Teachers Association. This organization is a part of the Texas State Teachers Association being known as District Four of the eleven organized teacher activity districts in Texas.

For several years the State Organization has been functioning under the Local Unit Plan. Cities or counties, where a sufficient number of teachers will justify, may organize into a local unit. These local units, in turn, make up the eleven districts of the state. Beginning with the local unit, the whole plan functions on the delegate basis. This plan was inaugurated for the purpose of giving local units and districts more freedom of action in their own atmosphere of sectional or district school activity.

The whole of Dickens County is considered a Local Unit, and functions as a part of District Four. All teachers of Dickens County participate directly in this local organization. In order to be a participating member, every teacher should be a member of the Texas State Teachers Association, however, this rule is not rigidly enforced. No credits or refunds are made to the local organization.

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Poll Taxes and Exemptions Paid In Each Precinct

Precinct No.	Poll Taxes	Exemptions.
Dickens 1-248-12		
Midway 2-85-2		
Afton 3-240-12		
Dry Lake 4-75-0		
Red Mud 5-33-1		
Duck Creek 6-44-0		
Wichita 7-68-5		
Dumont 8-38-2		
Croton 9-105-5		
Spur, West 10-549-26		
McAdoo 11-231-12		
Duncan Flat 12-67-2		
Highway 13-69-1		
Spuela 14-57-2		
Red Hill 15-26-1		
Spur, East 16-333-9		
Prairie Chapel 17-77-6		
Total poll taxes 2345. Total exemptions 98.		

Now Classed An Author



Douglas Meador, editor and publisher of the Matador Tribune, is now author and his book, "Trail Dust" will roll off the press this month. The Naylor Company at San Antonio are publishers of the book which is made up of stories of the Old West told in romantic style poetic in its nature, but not poetry.

Mr. Meador has been carrying this column in his newspaper several years and people brought so much pressure to bear that he finally consented to have the work published in a complete volume.

It is the hope of many, and is the aim of Mr. Meador, that the spirit of the Old West will not die away, at least so long as "Trail Dust" is read by the western people.

For County Commissioner Precinct No. 1

To the voters of precinct No. 1: I am announcing for commissioner of precinct No. 1, subject to the Democratic primary of July.

In the race four years ago I was defeated for this office by the present incumbent in the run-off.

I wish to thank the voters of Precinct No. 1 for the splendid consideration you gave me at that time, and assure you your help and encouragement was deeply appreciated. I now again ask that you give my candidacy consideration for this office of county commissioner.

Most of my life has been spent in Dickens County, and in Precinct No. 1. I am 35 years of age, and have taught school and engaged in business for the past 14 years.

If elected, I promise the people to give my best to the duties of this important office. All parts of the precinct will receive equal and impartial consideration from me. Everyone will be treated with courtesy and kindness in dealing with me as your commissioner, if elected. I did not run two years ago against the present incumbent, as it was his second term. But since he has held the office for the Old Democratic custom of two terms, I feel that the people may desire to give some other Democrat an opportunity to serve you.

Your support and influence will be gratefully appreciated by me in the coming primary election for your county commissioner. Sincerely, K. W. (Willow STREET).

Court of Honor Held Tuesday Afternoon

A court of honor for promotion of Boy Scouts was called by the local scout council for Tuesday afternoon. This is part of the activities of National Scout Week which closed yesterday. 22 Boy Scouts had made progress and study to the extent of promotion. There are a number of others who are making progress in the work, but are held back for time limit. Others are nearing the line of completing certain work and will be ready for the next court of honor which will be some time in April.

The numbers following each name is the troop number of the boys. Those receiving promotions were: Tenderfoot — Billy Scott, 35, Alvis Adcock, 36, J. C. Dean, 36, Robert Ward, 36.

Second class — Bobby Hawley, 36, Dick Hindman, 36, George Walker, 35.

Merit badges — In Troop 36 were: Billy Dan Bingham, handicraft, James Fox, salesmanship and journalism; Jack Ramsay, pioneering, athletics, first aid to animals, firemanship, mechanical drawing, life saving, cooking, pathfinding and safety; Jerome Yarborough, leather craft, electricity, civics.

For Troop 35: John Joe Costolow, machinery, farm mechanics, masonry, landscape gardening, zoology and metal work; Frank Vernon, life saving and swimming; Alfred Walker, life saving and building arrangement, life saving, athletics, farm house and its planning; Olan Rice, poultry keeping.

Star scout — Alfred Walker, 35.

Father-Son Banquet Huge Success; Speaker Tells Dads To Consider Boys

County Board of Education Meets Monday

The County Board of Education met in Dickens Monday at the County Superintendent's office, for the purpose of approving some bonds for bus contracts that had not already been approved, and to discuss the matter of filling some school trustee vacancies.

G. W. Bennett, chairman of the board called the meeting to order and the minutes of the last meeting were read by County School Superintendent O. L. Kelley.

The first matter attended to was the approving of R. D. Holly bus contract driver of the Dickens School. The next contract approved was for Mathew Williams who drives the colored school bus from the north end of the county to Roaring Springs.

Trustee vacancies that were filled was the filling of one at Highway School and Jack Simmons was appointed to fill the vacancy.

Other vacancies to be filled at the next meeting will be for Red Mud, Wichita and Spring Creek.

Board Members present were Albert Power, G. W. Bennett, W. F. Ragland, and Charlie McLaughlin and County School Superintendent O. L. Kelley. Board member absent was Joe Thannisch.

Will Make the Race; Announce Later

G. B. Jopling, justice of the peace for precinct No. 3, stated this week that he will be a candidate for reelection and will make his announcement later. Mr. Jopling understands the duties of the office and has made a good justice of the peace. He stated that he appreciates what his friends have done for him, and as he is not able to do much of anything else, he stated he hopes the citizens of Precinct No. 3 will favor him with the office again.

Seniors to Present Class Play

The senior class of the Spur High School will present their annual play at the East Ward auditorium Friday night, March 1. The caption of this new play is "Raggedy Nan" and is a real comedy. Curtains will rise at 8 o'clock and the program will last about two hours. Further announcements will be made relative to this program.

ALBERT POWERS
A too hasty resentment has done me more injury than all other things in life.

Spur Students Heard On Radio Program

Bakery Sale Be Held Saturday

A bakery sale scheduled for 10 o'clock Saturday morning in the old Love building next door to the New Deal Grocery will raise funds for new hymn books for the local Presbyterian Church, provided that cake sales are adequate, it was announced this week.

"Our present number of hymn books is far from being adequate," stated Rev. Ramsay, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church. "What books we do have are in such bad condition that many are useless. We have tried in various ways to obtain more hymnals and I certainly hope that the sale on Saturday will be a success."

Mrs. O. L. Christensen, assisted by various members of the local Kingdom Highway's Young People's League, will be in charge of the sale.

Members of the local Presbyterian Church have been asked to assist by bringing cakes or other bakery delicacies to the Love building promptly at 9 Saturday morning. Citizens of Spur have been cordially invited to participate it was stated.

Life Scout — Leonard Wilson, 35, Eagle Bronze — John Joe Costolow, 35, Bill Laine, 35.

It is thought there will be quite a list of promotions ready within the next sixty days. Some Scouts have passed work but have not been certified by the Scout Plains Council.

Marshall Formby Speaks to Floydada Rotary Club

Judge Marshall Formby was the guest speaker at the Floydada Rotary Club Wednesday. The subject of his discussion was "Boys on Parade."

In the discussion Judge Formby gave the benefit of the Dickens County Cooperative House at Lubbock, for the benefit of Dickens County boys, attending Texas Tech.

MRS. EMMA WOODY



Who served the people of Girard for thirty years as postmaster. She retired from office February 1 under the postal retirement act passed by the last congress. Mrs. Woody is held in high esteem in Girard community and probably has more friends there than any other person in that section. Her son, B. P. Woody, is now acting postmaster at Girard, serving until an appointment is made.

Albert Power Mentioned for School Board Head

Since G. W. Bennett has stated that he will not be a candidate for reelection as member at large of the County Board of Education, many people over the county are urging that Albert Power be elected to that place in the April election. Mr. Power has served on the Board from Precinct No. 2, (Afton) and at present is a member of the Board from Precinct No. 3. He is well acquainted for the place of member at large and to preside over the meetings of the County Board. He is a school man and is zealous in behalf of educational progress in our county.

Since Mr. Bennett is not in a position to permit his name to be used any longer as a candidate, the people would do well to elect Mr. Power as member at large, who automatically becomes chairman of the Board.

The fathers of Spur community met last Thursday night. The banquet was under the sponsorship of the local Scout Council and has been an annual affair the past four years. The ladies of the Methodist Church served the banquet in the Methodist Church basement. About 130 were present.

O. C. Thomas, chairman of the committee on Scout Activities for National Scout Week, was in charge of the meeting and served as master of ceremonies. All fathers were asked to rise and introduce their sons as their guests. Many present had no sons of their own, but invited boys to be their sons for the evening.

The master of ceremonies asked a number of Scout workers to rise and be recognized. These men have been directing the Boy Scout work in the town for the past year and part of them for the past several years. W. D. Starcher, chairman of the local council was asked to introduce the honor guests. Among these were Tom V. Elzy, young people's worker at Perryton, Dr. F. B. Malone, president of the South Plains Scout Council, was then introduced and asked to make whatever remarks he wished and to introduce the remainder of the guests, among whom was the speaker of the evening, He introduced Fred Litton of Lubbock.

Dr. Malone made a few remarks relative to Scouting and then introduced Dr. C. E. Hereford of Lubbock, who addressed the meeting. Dr. Hereford outlined the things that should be expected of sons in any home. He talked a short time to the boys and then changed his remarks to the fathers and talked to them.

He stated that any boy is entitled to be considered a member of the family in good standing. Any boy is entitled to a good comfortable home, not a palace, but a practical home with a nice room for the boy. A boy is entitled to a good name. Any father should work to give his son a good name and the son should cherish that good name. He stated that any boy is entitled to Sunday school and church advantages. He admonished the fathers not to send the boys to services but go an take them. He then requested the fathers to place high ideals before their boys. "Your sons feel you are the greatest man on earth," is the way he stated his point, "And they are following you much closer than you may think."

At the close Chairman Thomas announced that O. C. Arthur who was chairman of the ticket sales, was ill and could not attend the banquet. He asked that all present give a cheer for Mr. Arthur.

Boys rarely ever say anything about such events, but on this occasion their praise was great. Many of them stated it was the greatest event in their lives. It is hoped that fathers in the community will begin now to think of this event one year hence, and be ready to invite their sons to be with them on that occasion.

Band Parents Sponsor Picture Next Week

The Band Parents Association are bringing a very fine picture to our city Friday night of next week. The name of this picture is "Golgotha," more familiarly known as the Passion Play. It is of religious nature and is very educational. The Spur band will get a portion of the proceeds of this picture to support it. This money is needed very much since new instruments and uniforms have to be purchased all the time. It is strictly a picture sponsored by the schools and deserve your support.

Ex-Students at Patton Springs to Give Play

The ex-students of Patton Springs school are to give a play Thursday night, Feb. 22, starting at 7:30 o'clock. This is a 3-act comedy drama and is entitled "Eyes of Love." The play is being staged for the purpose of securing funds to buy sweaters for the boys and girls who have lettered in athletics this year.

The following is the cast: Gaylia Berry, Earline Ragland; Royal Manton, W. F. Ragland Jr.; Mrs. Judge Berry, Mrs. J. T. Campbell; Judge Berry, J. T. Campbell; Lora the Maid, Freddie Middlebrooks; Jim, an ex-convict, Conrad Middlebrooks; Clark, the Butler, Wayne Kissingner; Burt Wade, Tab Williams; Reta Wade, Lois Ragland; Carolina, negro servant, Mrs. Othel Rigby.

The play carries a good plot and has a fine moral lesson that will appeal to both the old and young people. The ex-students are using this initiative step to start their activities of an ex-students association.

County Basket Ball This Week

The county tournament in basket ball contests for boys will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of this week. Two games will be played each night. The games to-night, Thursday, will be played at Patton Springs. Spur vs. Dickens and McAdoo vs. Patton Springs is the schedule for tonight.

Friday night the tournament will be transferred to Dickens and the following games played: Dickens vs. McAdoo and Patton Springs vs. Spur. The final games will be played at Patton Springs Saturday night with this schedule: Spur vs. McAdoo, and Dickens vs. Patton Springs.

The team winning most points in this tournament will be declared the county champion.

PALACE

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SATURDAY
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WYOMING OUTLAW
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"Spankys Showboat"
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Dick Tracy's "G-Men"

PREVIEW SATURDAY NIGHT
Sunday and Monday

Whew! Andy Wants TIME OUT
"Gosh... when a baby talks who calls me Andy-Dandy wants to kiss-wissy... what can a guy do!"

"I Judge Hardy AND SON L"
with **LEWIS STONE**
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Also
Cartoon
and
News

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WEDNESDAY - THURSDAY
FEBRUARY 21-22

Feature No. 1

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Feature No. 2

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The Magnificent Motion Picture story of the Counties wonders of Texas!!

A CAVALCADE OF TEXAS
In Technicolor
30 Minutes of Amazing Revelations about Texas that will make you proud you are a Texan!

Typhus Fever Showed in 1939

Typhus fever, transmitted to humans by the common rat flea, showed increased prevalence to 538 cases in 1939 over the 497 cases previously reported to the State Health Department during 1938, according to Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

"Old World typhus fever has a high death rate, while the type we have in Texas (endemic typhus) sometimes called Brill's disease, has a much lower mortality rate. The incidence of typhus in Texas is highest among those persons who work or live in rat-infested buildings. It was the observation of this fact that led to the discovery that rats are carriers of typhus. I appear that the rat suffers attacks of this form of typhus fever and that the fleas harbored by the sick rat bite man, and thus human infection results.

"Aside from the public health problem caused by rats, it has been estimated that the rodents annually cause twelve to fifteen million dollars worth of damage to Texas property.

"Although typhus is not commonly fatal, it cannot be considered lightly. Typhus fever generates intense headache, high fever, and great mental depression in the average patient. As in sea sickness, the patient's greatest fear is that he is going to die. The illness generally lasts about two weeks.

"Control of typhus is made difficult since it depends upon extermination of rodents, and that is no easy matter. Trapping and poisoning help, but the best results are obtained by starving the rat. This can be done by having all buildings in an area where food is stored, rat-proofed. The State Department of Health and the U. S. Department of Agriculture will be glad to assist the various com-

Spur Takes Honors In FFA Contests

Spur High School FFA students walked away with first honors at a FFA contest conducted by Crosbyton district for future farmers of America at Ralls, Wednesday, Feb. 7.

The contest was directed by E. B. Bonds, Ralls vocational agriculture teacher assisted by T. L. Leach, itinerant teacher, trainer of Texas Technological College.

Spur was first, in chapter conducting contests followed in order by Crosbyton, Patton Springs, Ralls and McAdoo. Judges were vocational agriculture teachers, W. A. King of Lorenzo, A. C. Strickland of Slaton and L. M. Hargrave of Friendship.

Troy Booth of Spur was first in extemporaneous speaking, judged by Ralls High School teachers. Billie Joe Wooley of McAdoo was second; Virgil Chren of Ralls, third; Thilman Johnson of Crosbyton, fourth; and Lee Robinson of Patton Springs was fifth.

Test New Deer Traps To Restock Land

Hoping to be able to restock more land with deer than ever before and at the same time bring about a better balance between bucks and does on certain areas which are overcrowded with does, the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission is experimenting in the Hill Country with a one-deer-at-a-time trap. Traps used by the department heretofore were made to hold several animals at a time and were too cumbersome to tear down and transport to other places as needed.

The new traps are similar to those used in the Pisgah National Forest of North Carolina by the U. S. Forest Service. Slight variations were made by the Game Department. Deer trapped in the new devices cannot injure themselves and they can be removed with a minimum of trouble and placed on trucks to be transported to areas in need of restocking.

The area in which the traps are being tested is heavily overstocked with does. The Game Department will reduce the oversupply of female deer there and will at the same time be able to restock other areas. This work will supplement other stocking operations carried on annually by the Department.

Should the new traps prove as successful as expected, 200 will be constructed for the next trapping season, it is announced by the executive secretary of the Game Department.

Fat Lamb Show Friday Largest Yet

The show of fat lambs exhibited by Spur FFA boys at the stadium Friday morning developed quite a lot of interest. It had been planned to hold these lambs for the Lubbock Fat Stock Show in March. However, the lambs were getting too heavy and if held longer they would not have shown up for a good market by time the Lubbock show, which is March 29-30.

R. C. Mitchell, Vocational Agricultural director of Crosbyton schools, was the judge of the show. Lambs were entered in the following classes: Fat fine wool, mutton type, pens of three fat lambs, and the grand champion. Entries were made by the boys as follows with standing in this show:

Fine Wool Lambs—Boyd Ball, first and second; J. R. Stanley, third and fourth; Leonard Wilson, fifth; Marvin Blair, sixth and seventh; J. R. Stanley, eighth; Boyd Ball, ninth; Marvin Blair, tenth.

Mutton Type Lambs—Truman Harris, third.

Pens of Three Fat Lambs—Boyd Ball, first; J. R. Stanley, second; Marvin Blair, third; Eldon Reynolds, fourth; J. R. Stanley, fifth; Leonard Wilson, sixth; Raleigh Adcock, seventh; Harold Cargile, eighth.

The Hampshire fat lamb exhibited by Truman Harris was selected as grand champion of the show. The Rambouillet fat lamb shown by Boyd Ball was selected as reserve champion. 27 lambs went into the show. This appears to have been the largest number of lambs ever fed out by the Spur FFA boys. Truman Harris is keeping two lambs for the Lubbock show.

The other 25 lambs were shipped to Fort Worth market and sold Monday.

CARD OF THANKS

With hearts sad, yet full of gratitude, we wish publicly to express our very great appreciation of the kindness and sympathy shown us by our many friends during the sickness and death of our dear wife and mother.

Such sympathetic expressions and deeds of kindness by loving hands, certainly helped to lift from our hearts the burden of sorrow.

We especially want to thank you for the tokens of regard manifested by many beautiful floral offerings. May Heaven's richest blessings follow you as the years go by, and when at last you have drifted away into life's evening twilight, may you be surrounded by helping hands and sympathetic friends, its the prayer of T. W. Collier and family.

Bob Hahn and family of the Highway community were in Spur Saturday shopping and greeting friends.

Charlie Fincher of Girard was in Spur Saturday visiting and attending to business matters.

F. E. Walker and family of the Highway community shopped and greeted friends in Spur Saturday.

Communities in their program for the extermination of the pest."

THE NEW FORGOTTEN MAN

by Christopher Preston

JOHN COBB SETS A NEW LAND SPEED RECORD OF 368.85 MILES AN HOUR!

"SA-A-Y-REMEMBER ME?"

MALCOLM CAMPBELL DRIVES HIS 'BLUEBIRD II' 141.74 M.P.H. TO A NEW SPEED RECORD ON WATER

FATHER TIME GETS THE GO-BY!

THE U.S. GOVERNMENT PLACES A \$13,000,000 ORDER FOR THE NEW CURTIS P-40 PURSUIT REPUTED TO BE THE FASTEST PLANE IN THE WORLD! ITS EXACT SPEED IS A SECRET, BUT OBSERVERS SAY IT WILL DO 400 M.P.H.!

AND TRAINS NOW TRAVEL ABOVE 110 MILES AN HOUR, WITH RUNNING FRICTION ELIMINATED BY THE LATEST TAPERED ROLLER BEARINGS, THE NEXT STEP IS ONE-SPEED RAILWAYS... HIGH SPEED ROLLER BEARING FREIGHTS AS WELL AS STREAMLINERS.

Truckers Pay Large Amount of Taxes In Dickens County

The Texas trucking industry last year paid taxes to Dickens County amounting to \$5,635.87, Lynn B. Shaw, general manager of the Texas Motor Transportation Association, reported recently.

Shaw said the amount represented \$79,953.69 for highway construction and maintenance, and \$5,682.18 for the public schools of Dickens County. For each scholastic in the state, the truckers last year paid \$2.49.

The total amount of taxes paid in the state by the truck operators during 1939 was \$15,388,004.78.

J. A. Legg and family of the Croton community were greeting friends and shopping in Spur Saturday.

1939 Wheat Loans Mature April 30

The Commodity Credit Corporation has announced that it does not contemplate extending loans on 1939 wheat. The notes will mature April 30, 1940 on wheat which is stored in warehouses or on farms in Oklahoma and Texas. Producers who have 1939 wheat loans should take steps toward paying these loans off before April 30, if they desire keeping title to this wheat.

Coyote Pointed Quail

Houston Lockheart, plow foreman for the huge King Ranch, is hoping he will be able to trap a certain coyote he saw in action recently. If he does, he may have the most unusual bird "dog" ever known.

Mr. Lockheart was going along a pasture fence near Kingsville one morning during the open season on quail when he saw a coyote come down on a point exactly like a bird dog. The coyote held the point for a full minute, then broke and pounced into the center of a covey of Bobwhites. He came up with one in his mouth and then slunk away in the brush.

Ben Schusler of ten miles northwest of Spur was in town Saturday shopping and attending to business matters. Mr. Schusler recently purchased a ranch and comes to us highly recommended as a good citizen, and we are really proud to have him in our community.

"Stomach Distress So Bad I Could Hardly Work"

Says C. S. Gross: "After taking Adla Tablets the pains are relieved and I eat anything." Try Adla for excess stomach acidity on our money back guarantee.

Edwin H. Boedeker
Attorney-At-Law
Spur Security Bank Building
Practice In All State Courts
Spur, Texas

J. A. Legg and family of the Croton community were greeting friends and shopping in Spur Saturday.

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Your Butane Dealer
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MINE FOR 1940

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Eye It.. Feast your eyes on the smooth-flowing lines and contours of this best-selling Chevrolet for '40, with New "Royal Clipper" Styling. . . Note that it's the longest of all lowest-priced cars, measuring 181 inches from front of grille to rear of body. . . Yes, eye it and convince yourself that it's the "star for styling"—the outstanding beauty and luxury leader among all cars in its price range!

★ STAR FOR PERFORMANCE
Try It.. Just touch Chevrolet's Exclusive Vacuum-Power Shift and feel the hidden power cylinder supply 80% of the shifting effort automatically, as no other steering column gear-shift can do. . . Step on the throttle and see how Chevrolet out-accelerates and out-climbs all other low-priced cars. . . Relax as you enjoy "The Ride Royal"—the smoothest, safest, steadiest ride known. . . Yes, try it and then you'll know that Chevrolet's the "star for performance" among all economy cars!

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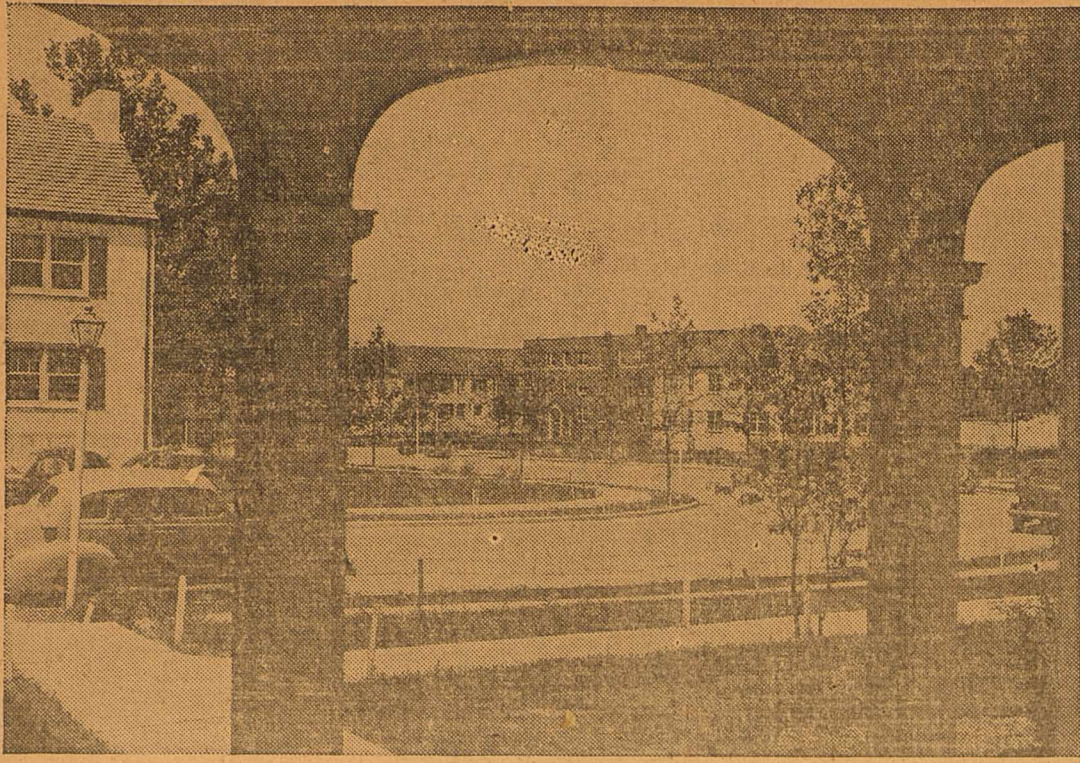
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SPUR, TEXAS

Olentangy Preserves Natural Beauty



On the banks of the Olentangy River, about three miles from the center of Columbus, Ohio, is the large Georgian Colonial garden apartment project known as Olentangy Village. Taking full advantage of the natural beauty of the situation and with studied orientation of the buildings giving most of them a southern exposure, Olentangy Village provides attractive living quarters for over 400 families. The 404 units of the group comprise 1,376 rooms with a total valuation of \$2,200,000. The Federal Housing Administration insured a mortgage of \$1,735,000 on the property. The average rental per room in Olentangy Village is \$14.08, with family unit rentals averaging \$47.96.

McAdoo News . . .

The Women's Missionary Society met in the home of Mrs. John A. Allen Monday, January 29, and entertained the Baptist ladies. The societies meet every fifth Monday in a joint meeting in the home of a member, with the Methodists as hostess one time and the Baptists the next evening.

After a devotional meeting games pertaining to the Bible were played. A refreshment plate of sandwiches cake and hot tea was served to the following: Mesdames Leonard Cox, Elois Nickles, Willie Farmy, Jim Early, Dewey Woods, J. O. Morris, Loyd Hickman, G. W. Allen, Arlie Fewell, Jack Derr, C. Gollihar, J. T. Grady Allen, Frank Macon, T. L. Dozier, Doug Allen, J. A. Branaman, Parker, Price Brownlow, J. B. Baker, Anderson, J. W. Jones, M. A. Graham and John A. Allen.

The public is cordially invited to attend the series of night services that is being held at the Methodist Church this week. Minister from Spur, Ralls, Lorenzo, Petersburg, Silvertown, Lubbock and McAdoo, will preach during the meeting.

The League sponsored a box supper at McAdoo Thursday. Due to bad weather and so much sickness in the community, a number were unable to attend. The cooperation of the candidates was greatly appreciated.

Ben Bass of Formans Chapel attended church at the local Methodist Church and visited relatives in the community.

Mrs. Roy Ward has returned home from Fort Worth. She has been there for some time taking care of her new granddaughter, Carol Marie Griffin.

Walter Foreman and Bill Ballard of Spur, were transacting business in the community one day last week.

Robert McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. McDonald went to Lubbock last week to enroll in Tech College at the beginning of the spring semester.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald have three sons in the college.

Mollie Nettles, who has been secretary-treasurer in the First Methodist Church of McAdoo for a number of years, was honored with a shower at the church Wednesday night.

Mollie left the following Monday to enter Eastern New Mexico Junior College in Portales, N. M. She was always ready to help do her part in the church and her assistance will be missed.

Quinton Macon who underwent an operation in Spur hospital was able to be brought home Saturday.

Mrs. George Harris' father died at Vernon last week. Mr. and Mrs. Harris were visiting in Austin when they received the message.

Rev. and Mrs. J. B. Brannan's son and family of Slaton, visited them recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Aldridge and baby of Crosbyton, visited Mrs. Aldridge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Parker, Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Snow and family have moved back to Sant Jo, Tex.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Harvey were in Dickens recently to see Mrs. Harvey's mother, Mrs. Z. T. McKnight.

Publication of the "Aerie," the school paper, has been taken over by the junior class. Seniors who have been editors of the paper are devoting their time to the annual. Miss Rosemary Hickman is sponsoring the publication of the paper.

The junior staff officers are: Eula Pearl Campbell, editor; Louise McLaughlin, assistant editor; Jackie Brannan, feature editor; Ewell Buckner, art editor; Marjorie Jones, society; Mosele Baum, girls sports; Clinton Formby, typist; Nathan Pipkins and Roy Allen, business managers; Myra Nell Neeley, reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivy Brown and family have moved southwest of Crosbyton. The Brown family have lived in this community for more than twenty years, and have many friends who

*** MIDWAY NEWS ***

Sunday school and church services were conducted at the Baptist Church Sunday, Feb. 11, services were also conducted that night. The lesson "The Perils of Rejecting Christ" was studied in the morning school. Scripture lesson was found in Matthew 21:28-43. Rev. Joshua Stephens the pastor of Plainview, delivered splendid messages in both morning and evening services. Come to Sunday school at the Baptist Church next Sunday. Services at 10 a. m. and 6:30 p. m. each Sunday.

Home Demonstration Club Meets.
Members of the H. D. Club met at the home of Mrs. H. L. Futch, on Tuesday, Feb. 6 at 2 p. m. Miss Jean Day, agent, gave a very interesting demonstration on "the meat makes the meal." Main points of the demonstration were (1) Accompaniments to the meat dish and (2) Meat in the menu. A very enjoyable afternoon was reported by the following: Mrs. Rufus George, Mrs. Johnny Haven, President Mrs. Turner Burns, Mrs. C. O. Middlebrooks, Mrs. H. L. Futch, the hostess and Miss Jean Day, the agent. You are cordially invited to join our H. D. Club. Meeting will be held on the first and third Tuesday of each month.

Attends Pastors-Laymen Conference
The following members of the Midway Baptist Church attended the Pastors and Laymen Conference at Wayland College in Plainview on Wednesday of last week: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell, Mrs. L. L. Slayden and Mrs. W. F. Ragland, Jr.

The following met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tab Williams last Monday and Thursday nights, for the purpose of practicing on a new play to be given soon. Mrs. Othel Grigsby, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ragland Jr., Miss Lois Ragland, all of the Duncan Flat; Mr. Kissinger of Afton, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell and Misses Freddie and Unella Middlebrooks.

Delicious fudge, candy and pop corn was served.

Misses Faye and Norma Middlebrooks, Wilma Parker, Maxine Slayden and Ida Havens, all of this community, have returned from Mineral Wells where they accompanied the Glee Club of the Patton Springs school last weekend. The Glee Club were privileged to broadcast their program over the Mineral Wells hook.

C. O. Middlebrooks and daughter, Freddie and Uenue made a business trip to Spur last Tuesday.

Mrs. W. H. Haines is visiting her son, Will Hanes of near Spur this week.

Several from this vicinity were seen shopping in Spur stores Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell and children were Saturday luncheon guests of her mother, Mrs. L. A. Whitwell of Spur.

Conrad Middlebrooks spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Middlebrooks. He is working with the bride tanking crew near Spur.

Regret to have them move.

Mrs. Lois Brownlove and sons have moved to McAdoo from Dougherty.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Buckner Sr., returned Wednesday night from Ft. Worth where they had been to take a load of sheep.

There seems to be an epidemic of flu throughout the community. Practically every home has from one to several in the family sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Buckner of Lorenzo, spent the night with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Buckner Sr., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Emitt Phifer and family are moving this week into their new house that has been built recently.

Personal

W. P. Cagle of Seagraves spent a few minutes with his sister, Mrs. W. D. Starcher, Thursday of last week. Mr. Cagle had been to Abilene to visit his mother who is confined to her bed at this time. Mr. Cagle is a building contractor at Seagraves.

Mrs. W. F. Barnett of Girard is visiting her son and daughter, Floyd Barnett who lives north of Spur.

J. W. Pickens, who lives northeast of Spur, was in town Saturday shopping and attending to business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Durwood Pickens of Gilpin were shopping and greeting friends in Spur Saturday.

Jess Hobson of Elton spent Saturday evening in Spur shopping and visiting friends.

Roy Arrington of the Red Hill community was in Spur Saturday shopping and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Bingham of the Spur Ranch headquarters were in Spur Saturday shopping and visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. McArthur were in Spur Saturday shopping and greeting friends.

Arthur McGinty of five miles west of Spur, was in town Saturday visiting and attending to business matters. Mr. McGinty is now the owner of the Mrs. Fannie Johnston ranch.

Vernon Powell of the Highway community visited and shopped in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Harris of the Foreman's Chapel community spent Saturday in Spur shopping and greeting friends.

G. W. Smith of Dickens, spent Saturday afternoon shopping and greeting friends in Spur.

J. S. Goodall, of Girard, was in city Monday attending to business matters and greeting friends.

Croton, Wichita News

Rev. Brian filled his regular appointment at the Baptist Church Saturday night and Sunday and Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tandy Legg and children of Summerfield spent the past week end here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Riley Roger of Brownfield spent a few days here with his parents.

Mrs. Nettie Littlefield and son and Mrs. A. B. Winkler of Dickens were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Winkler.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Legg and son of Farmer spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Legg and family.

Miss Zella Starrett and Miss Minnie Nebt of Pansy attended B. T. U. here Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Borden Allen and baby of New Mexico are here visiting relatives.

Dock Choot was attending to business in Spur Friday.

Mrs. Shaw, who has been sick for about three weeks died Wednesday and was buried Thursday at Dickens.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Lambert were shopping in Lubbock Saturday.

Several from this community were shopping in Spur Saturday.

Melba Starrett and Elenora Choot spent Friday night with Laverne Starrett of Spur.

A Good Safe Place To Trade
B. SCHWARZ & SON
 SPUR, TEXAS
 "The Store Of Little Profit"

B. Schwarz & Son invite you to see our large selection of new Easter things.

Dresses by Franklin, Marlene, Paula Brooks, and Quaker Lady, childrens dresses by Kate Greenway.

Coats and suits by Fashionbilt, Mary Lane and Betty Rose. Names in clothes that you will be proud to wear.

Won't you come in and see the many interesting surprises that await you. Our stock is almost complete for your Easter dress parade.

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Escape from winter drab . . . be swathed in Spring rapture . . . be carried away by all the new dress styles so lovely, so fascinating, so utterly feminine . . . our new collection is now complete . . . American dark sheers crested with foamy white . . . glorious prints to catch your every color trend . . . clear, lovely solids that bring a rich glow to your cheeks . . . sport dresses . . . dress-up dresses . . . and all the "in-betweens" . . . some with short coats . . . some with long coats . . . some with no coat at all . . . all to put you at your very best for a most successful Spring season . . . do come in and see them and try them on . . . prices from . . .

\$3.95 to \$19.95

GLOVES
By Kayser

This cleverly contrived glove gives the smart wrinkled effect yet snugs neatly to your arm because of the elastic shirring. Lovely in White or in gay colors to bring out one tone in a print or to match your hat. Of rayon Fauntex, the fine feather-light, feathertex fabric.

\$1.00

The Casual Hat Successes of the Season

New Spring Hats \$1.95 and up
Other Hats \$1.00

Budgeted in price so that each of you may have at least one! In Heaven Blue, Dusty Rose, Aqua Red, Char-treuse, Gold, Lime Tree.

Exclusive in **SPUR**

Fashionbilt Coats

There's no sense in wasting words. See them, feel them, try them on. They're breath-taking! and such values!

\$19.95

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HIGH STYLE AND ECONOMY IN CALIFORNIA'S SMARTEST

Skirts
Blouses
Sweaters

Delightful style creations direct from California's Fashion Center. See these new Spring things as they continue to come to our Garment Section.

Skirts . . . Zipper waist with elastic shirring for a perfect fit . . . Flared skirts of fine rayon and cotton gabardine . . . Featuring the little Dutch pockets . . . Eight new Spring shades. All sizes.
\$1.98 \$2.98 \$3.98

Blouses . . . An economy group . . . Blouses of sheer white batiste . . . Frilly fronts. Each
\$1.98

Sweaters . . . Slip-over and Cardigans . . . Dozens of new Spring styles . . . Smart pastel shades. The price—
\$2.98 \$1.00 and \$1.98

Years Ago

ISSUE OF JANUARY 31, 1930
Political Announcements
 Candidates had been authorized to announce these candidates for office: judge, O. C. Newberry (re-elected); clerk, Robert Reynolds (re-elected); attorney, J. R. Sanders (re-elected); tax assessor, A. B. "Shorty" Moran; public weigher, Fred Hisey; commissioner, precinct three, W. F. McLean.

P.M.W. Club Meeting
 H. Swan entertained members of P.M.W. Club with party in Valentine motif. Present were: Mesdames Jackson, Cecil Addie, Gordon G. D. Dyess, Larry Burrow, Eric McGlathery, Tom Teague, Foy Sanders, Ray Sanders, George M. Williams, Walker, G. H. Stack, B. T. Mac Tidwell, George Sloan, J. M. Water.

Retail Merchants Banquet
 Day programs were voted continued at a banquet of Spur Retail Merchants Association. Talks were made by W. B. Lee, Clifford B. Jones, George S. Link, L. H. Perry, C. M. Love.

Westerman Ropes
 Bob (Bob) Westerman attended rodeo at Abilene and entered calf roping contests.

Nazarene Revival
 Mrs. Mary Lee Cagle, woman evangelist of Abilene, was announced as speaker for a revival at Nazarene Church in Spur beginning Feb. 7.

Tax Collection Brisk
 C. L. Barber, tax collector and sheriff, announced tax payments as coming in brisk. 1500 poll taxes were reported paid. 1200 cars had been registered.

Simpson Shop Moved
 Simpson Barber and Beauty Shop was moved to Stevall Building between Lyric Theatre and C. E. Stone Company.

Love Drygoods Moved
 Love Dry Goods Company were advertising in sale from new location south of Jokus-Pokus Grocery.

Association Program
 Program of Baptist BYPU association meeting scheduled in Spur included: Song service to be led by R. C. James; devotional to be led by W. F. Godfrey; solo by M. D. Ivey; talk, by Walter Gruben; talk by H. J. Busby; closing prayer, Rev. F. G. Rodgers.

Five Years Ago

ISSUE OF JANUARY 31, 1935
 Kelley Directs

Director-general O. L. Kelley announced plans for Dickens County Interscholastic League.

Long Opened Feed Store
 Early Long opened a feed and seed store in building south of Ritter Hardware Company.

Farm Association Officers
 Dickens County Farm Association met in Palace Theater January 29, to elect these officers: R. R. Wooten, chairman; J. L. Karr, vice-chairman; W. P. Shugart, secretary-treasurer. Precinct representatives chosen were: Clayton Bridge, Elton, precinct one; Luther Stark, Afton, precinct two; A. W. Watson, Spur, precinct three; L. G. Crabtree, Croton, precinct four.

Golf Club Directors
 Espuela Golf Club chose these directors: E. L. Caraway, C. P. Ensey, C. B. Jones, W. T. Andrews, W. F. Godfrey, W. P. Simpson, F. W. Jennings.

Twentieth Century Club
 Twentieth Century Club announced new officers as: president, Mrs. F. B. Crockett; first vice president, Mrs. B. F. Hale; second vice-president, Mrs. Thad Murley; treasurer, Mrs. Ray Sanders; corresponding secretary, Mrs. O. L. Kelley; recording secretary, Mrs. P. C. Nichols.

Farm Organization
 County Agent Lane reported organization of a Farm Community Organization at Steel Hill. E. A. Bailey was elected chairman. Vice-chairman was Jennie Watters.

Robinette-Middleton Wed
 Mrs. Mabel Robinette became the bride of Bill Middleton of Afton. Married at home of Baptist pastor, Ewton. Bride was employe at Nichols Sanitarium.

Birthday Party
 Bettie Ruth Lewis was honored on her seventh birthday with a party in Clark Lewis home. Present were: Addie Mae Wood, Billie Joe McCombs, Marie Barrett, Deon Priest, Marion Speer, Elizabeth Barrett, Patsy Ruth Lewis.

Go To Market
 Mr. and Mrs. George Gabriel of Fair Store went to Dallas to market spring merchandise.

Addressed Association
 Fred C. Haile addressed members of Dickens County Educational Association in meeting at Spur.

Roy Mullins and family, of Swenson, were in our city Saturday doing some trading and greeting friends. Mr. Mullins is County Commissioner in Stonewall County.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Dunlap and daughter Lawena of Glenn were in Spur Saturday shopping and greeting friends. Mr. Dunlap attended the stock sale.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Gruben went to Lubbock Monday to accompany their son, Will, back to school. He spent the week end here with his parents and returned Monday to resume his school work.

West Texas Teachers

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zation by the State organization, except on paid memberships; and the number of delegates allowed the local units to the district meeting is calculated on the basis of paid memberships. (One delegate for every 25 paid members).

Too many teachers of Texas are indifferent toward the one great State Organization that represents them professionally. Too few teachers have really taken the time to find out the benefits they have derived from the efforts and actions of the Texas State Teachers Association.

The three dollars invested by a teacher each year, in the interests of the teaching profession, do much more than bring the Texas Outlook to his or her mail address. Mighty battles are fought each year by the elected and appointed officials of the state organization in all parts of Texas, but especially at the state capitol. Much unfavorable legislation against the schools comes before every session of the Legislature. The cause of the Texas School Teacher and Texas Schools would have been sacrificed many times upon the block of selfishness and greed had it not

been for the noble efforts of the teachers Association. This organization represents the Texas State Teachers always on hand with representatives, when the legislature convenes, to put over a worthwhile school legislative program. Teacher tenure, teacher retirement, better salaries, better working conditions, higher standards, etc. are only a few of the things being championed by the one mighty professional organization for teachers—The Texas State Teachers Association. All teachers in Dickens County and Texas are urged to conscientiously look into the work and accomplishments of this Association, the one Grand Champion of Teachers' Causes in Texas.

It is hoped that every teacher in Dickens County will be a member of the Texas State Teachers Association by March 8th. This goal is not impossible. Every individual teacher must catch the vision in his or her own heart and pass it on to those who are not members. Let us all work hard to make Dickens County Teachers 100% members in the Texas State Teachers Association before the District Meeting.

District, County, and Local officials are asking the School Boards of the Dickens County Schools to grant Friday, March 8th to the teachers of the

respective schools, with full pay, so they may attend the Plainview Meeting. And also it is asked and urged that all teachers attend and participate 100% in the Plainview Meeting, if the school boards grant the dismissal of school.

Let us all work together for the betterment of our schools in Dickens County.

Officers of the Local Unit of Dickens County:
 Moyne L. Kelly, Supt. Patton Springs, President.
 G. W. Scott, Supt. Dickens School, 1st vice-President.
 Miss Edith Caveness, Spur, Texas, 2nd Vice-President.

Miss Dallas Smith, Spur, Secretary. Gordon Woods, Spur, Treasurer. Elected Delegates from Dickens County Local Unit to District Meeting at Plainview, March 8th and 9th:
 O. C. Thomas, Supt. Spur, representing the larger schools and administrators of the county.
 Miss Dallas Smith, Spur representing the class room teachers of the county.

Mrs. Lillian Nichols, Red Mud, (Spur), representing the rural schools of the county.

Members of the Dickens County Local Unit Who Will Have Parts on the Program:
 Supt. O. C. Thomas, Spur, Chair-

man of the Administrators sectional meeting and banquet at the Hilton Hotel.

County Supt. O. L. Kelley, Dickens County, special speaker in the Library sectional meeting.

Mr. David Sisto, Spur, Chairman of the Foreign Language sectional meeting.

Supt. Moyne L. Kelly, Patton Springs, Member of Legislative Committee—Platform Guest in the Second General Session.

S. B. Scott and family of the Kalgary community were greeting friends and shopping in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Carlisle and Mrs. Mary Verner were in Lubbock Sunday visiting Mrs. Verner's daughter who is in Tech.

J. S. Young, Church of Christ minister at Jayton, was in our city Saturday talking over old times with friends.

H. A. C. Brummett was in Spur Saturday greeting friends and attending to business matters.

Charlie McLaughlin of McAdoo spent Saturday afternoon in Spur, shopping and greeting friends.

Raymond Butler from Kent County spent Saturday afternoon in Spur shopping and greeting friends.

Leonard Grantham was in Spur Saturday shopping and greeting friends.

Jack Gipson, candidate for Sheriff, from Dickens was in Spur Saturday attending to business matters and greeting friends.

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Buckley's Famous CANADIOL Mixture Acts Like a Flash

Just a few sips—feel its powerful purgative action spread through throat, head and bronchial tubes. Spend a few cents today at any good drug store for a bottle of Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture (triple acting). Take a couple of sips at bedtime. Feel its instant, powerful, purgative action spread thru throat, head and bronchial tubes. It starts at once to loosen up thick, choking phlegm, soothe raw membranes and make breathing easier. Sufferers from these persistent, nasty irritating coughs due to colds or bronchial irritations find Buckley's brings quick relief. Over 10 million bottles sold. But be sure you get Buckley's CANADIOL Mixture.

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You'll LOVE these Values!



FRIDAY, FEB. 16th

RED & WHITE FOODS

DRY SALT
BACON, lb. 9c

SAUSAGE
BOLOGNA, 2 bs. 25c

Red & White
CORN FLAKES
 3 pkgs.
25c



Chewing Gum
 3 pkgs. 10c

5c
Candy Bar
 3 for 10c

SAT., FEB. 17th

HOME OWNED HOME OPERATED
RED & WHITE
 FOOD STORES

CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP
 GIANT SIZE 5 FOR 19c



WAMBA COFFEE,
 A Refrigerator Bowl Free **lb. 25c**
 With Each Can

Gebhardt's Spiced BEANS only **10c**



EAGLE CHILI POWDER
 PER JAR **15c**



STANDARD NO. 2
Tomatoes 3 cans 20c

SPINACH, No. 2 can, Crystal Pack, 1 doz. \$1
BEANS, No. 2 can, Green cut, 1 doz. \$1
Beans & New Potatoes, No. 2 can, 1 doz. \$1

STEAMBOAT SYRUP, gal. 50c

Red & White Grapefruit Juice



Red & White PANCAKE FLOUR
 2 pkgs. for **25c**




Large Delicious Apples
 2 for 5c

FANCY WINESAPS
APPLES, 2 doz. 25c

HARD HEAD
LETTUCE, 2 for 9c

25 lbs. PURE CANE **SUGAR**
 Per Sack **\$1.25**



Texas No. 2 Cans 2 Cans for
Grapefruit Juice 15c

OUR VALUE NO. 2 CAN
PEAS 11c

RED & WHITE
Cake Flour, pkg. 25c

96 SIZE
Grapefruit, doz. 25c
Carrots, 3 brhs 10c
SPUDS, 10 bs. 19c

SOUR or DILL
PICKLES, qt. 15c


TENDER 2 CANS FOR
Garden Peas 23c

NO. 2 3 FOR
Lamp Chimney 25c

Perfect Baking
RED & WHITE FLOUR
 48 lb. sack **\$1.69**
 24 b. sack **87c**



ORANGES
 Fancy Texas
 1 Doz. **20c**



PLAIN BLOCK
SALT 49c

NO. 2 RAYO 2 FOR
Lamp Chimney 25c

CAKES
 Fancy Assorted
 Per Lb. **19c**

SULPHUR BLOCK
SALT 59c

Johnston Grocery **RED & WHITE** FOOD STORES

Patton Springs School News

BOY AND GIRL SCOUTS

The Girl Scouts of Patton Springs have been busy since the first of the year. The girls, under the leadership of Scoutmaster Walterena Russell, have been improving the vicinity of the Scout House by painting the tables and benches, framing and hanging pictures, making and hanging curtains on all windows, hauling rocks for ground improvement, making preparation for building an archery target. They have the bows and arrows ready for target practice at the present time, and are planning some real contests in archery. They have also had several night sessions at the Camp, with the parents and Scouters participating. The Girl Scouts are really putting the beginning steps of Scouting behind them, and are looking forward to a real summer's work in Nature-land.

The Boy Scouts have also been active since the first of the year. Under the leadership of Scoutmaster O. Milton Stetson, the boys have been passing all beginning tests, organizing for leadership and training leaders, learning the ways of scouting and scout leadership and responsibility, making camp and camp tests, and practicing with the signal flags and other scout equipment. They have used blow torches to burn the interior walls of the Scout House, with such skill that it really looks like a scout lodge. They have improved the grounds and dug sanitary pits. Like the girls, the boys have entertained their parents on several occasions in scout style. A pot-luck supper was held on the night of February 8th, the 30th birthday of Scouting, and the boys participated in the National program, taking the Scout Oath over the radio with thousands of other scouts in the nation. This past Monday they attended the Scout Mobilization Demonstration at Lubbock.

Both boy and girl scouts are looking forward to building a fireplace in the Scout Lodge and some fine summer scouting.

BAASKETBALL CLASS TOURNAMENT

Following the annual custom, the High school classes organized both boys and girls teams, for the Class basketball tournament, this past week end. This affair was staged by the Physical Education Department, under the leadership of Coaches Robin J. Clack and Walterena Russell. The tournament gave outlet to a large amount of class spirit and enthusiasm, and provided action for both players and spectators. The tournament was held during the Activity Period for the purpose of allowing all pupils of all grades to witness some basketball games. In other words, a life-situations was made out of the tournament. Since many of the smaller boys and girls never get an opportunity to know what goes on at a basketball game, the whole affair was planned in a natural setting—the games were played according to schedule, popcorn and candy could be bought by all pupils in a free manner, and the pupils were given the freedom of the ball game spirit.

The results of the tournament were as follows:
Boys Elimination:
Juniors, 19; vs. Sophomores, 5.
Seniors, 17; vs. Freshmen, 0.
Boys Finals:
Juniors, 5; vs. Seniors, 2.
High Point Scores for Boys:
Seniors, Jim Tom Haney, 12 points.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Dickens County Times is authorized to make the following announcements subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries, July 27, 1940.

For Senator 30th Senatorial District:
ALVIN R. ALLISON.
MARSHALL FORMBY.

For County Judge:
R. C. BROWN
E. H. BOEDEKER
W. D. STARCHER
G. W. BENNETT

For Sheriff and Tax Collector:
D. F. (Fred) CHRISTOPHER
WILLIE McCOMBS
JOHNNIE KOONSMAN
(Re-Election)
JACK GIPSON.

For County Treasurer:
R. E. (Elzie) HOLLY
MRS. ALICE MURPHREE
(Re-Election)

For District Clerk:
MRS. NETTIE LITTLEFIELD
(Re-Election)

For County Clerk:
ERIC OUSLEY
(Re-Election)

For Commissioner Precinct 1:
D. P. (Bud) SMILEY
HORACE D. NICKELS
(Re-Election)
WAYNE VAN LEER.
K. W. STREET.

For Commissioner Precinct 2:
E. J. (Jim) OFFIELD
(Re-Election)
F. L. (Fount) BYARS

For Commissioner Precinct 4:
M. B. GAGE

Duncan Flat Home Dem. Club Meets

"Serve meat" the main source from which we get vitamin "B" for the prevention of pellagra and for proper growth, said Miss Day, Home Demonstration Agent, to the Duncan Flat club, at the home of Mrs. Martin Smith, Thursday, February 8.

Different meats, their food values, ways of cooking and accompaniments were discussed by Mrs. Fred Christopher. Miss Day gave a delicious demonstration of pork roast, crusted sweet potatoes, apple sauce, which was served to the club members.

Members present were Mesdames Miller Carethers, Curtis Goodwin, Homer Hughs, L. D. Norris, Bud Smiley, Slim Wilson, Tom Yeates, H. K. Young, Fred Christopher, Miss Day and the hostess.

The club adjourned at 4 o'clock and will meet with Mrs. Slim Wilson, February 22.
Come and be with us.

Mrs. Link and Mrs. Thomas Hostess

Mrs. O. C. Thomas and Mrs. Geo. S. Link were joint hostesses to a Sunday school party, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Link. The home was attractively decorated, motif being Valentine. All kinds of heart games were played. Mrs. Carl Patton arranged a musical contest, playing old songs and each one tried to guess the name.

Mrs. Link and Mrs. Neitha Campbell served a delicious salad plate, that carried out the Valentine theme.

Those present were Mesdames Maryteld Alexander, Crit McDonald, Marvin Vaughn, Carl Patton, Cecil Scott, Neitha Campbell, O. A. White, Mack Woodrum, Lester Ericson, Bryon Langly, Warren Cantrell, Horace Woods, C. H. Elliott, Charley Cravy, Leland Wilson and Mrs. Bell.

Dorothy Jeanne Gollihar Honor Student

Dorothy Jeanne Gollihar of McAdoo, was one of the 51 students at Texas State College for Women to receive degrees at the mid-term commencement exercises Tuesday morning, February 6.

Miss Gollihar, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Gollihar of McAdoo. She received a bachelor of science degree and majored in music education. Miss Gollihar was outstanding in her department.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester George and family greeted friends and shopped in Spur Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ellis of the Rocking Chair Ranch were in Spur Saturday greeting friends and attending to business matters.

David McAteer and family who live 5 miles north of Spur were in town shopping and greeting friends last Saturday.

Forest Martin of the Highway community was in Spur Saturday greeting friends and attending to business matters.

Juniors, Melvin Hamm, 7 points.
W. T. Newberry, 7 points.
Jesse Joe Powell, 6 points.
Girls Elimination:
Freshmen, 9; vs. Sophomores 8.
Seniors, 14; vs. Juniors, 4.
Girls Finals:
Seniors, 24; vs. Freshmen, 4.
High Point Scores for Girls:
Seniors, Ila Mae Hodgin, 15 points.
Maxine Slayden, 8 points.
Peggy Hutson, 6 points.
Marie Hill, 6 points.
Freshmen, Lelia Williams, 8 points.

PATTON SPRINGS BOY SCOUTS HOSTS TO SPUR TROOP

Mr. Cecil Fox, Scoutmaster of Troop 36 of Spur brought the following Boy Scouts of Troop 36 to render a program at the Patton Springs School last Monday forenoon.

Virgil Murray, James Fox, Jack Ramsay, Jerome Yarbrough, Tommy Burger, Alvis Adcock.

The following program was rendered:
Prayer, Jack Ramsay.
Pledge of Allegiance to United States Flag, Assembly, led by Scouts.
Musical number on violin and guitar, Tommy Burger and Virgil Murray
Safety Demonstration, Scout Team and Scoutmaster.

Minstrel Quartet, Virgil Murray, James Fox, Jerome Yarbrough, Tommy Burger and Jack Ramsay.
Flag Signaling Demonstration, Virgil Murray, and Jack Ramsay.
Thump-How Demonstration, Scout Team.

Following the program the Patton Springs Scouts and Spur Scouts traveled to the Patton Springs Scout House for inspection and a chance to get acquainted. Both groups are looking forward to some good scout times together at Spur and Patton Springs. Both groups have been participating strongly in the Boy Scout Week Programs. The Spur Scouts carried out a Mobilization Program at Spur, while the Patton Springs boys visted the Lubbock Mobilization of Scouts Monday night.

Fred Christopher of Afton was in Spur Saturday greeting friends and attending to business matters. Mr. Christopher is a candidate for sheriff.

Farmers Urged Support Soil Conservation Work

Texans interested in the continuation of the Federal Department of Agriculture's work for soil and water conservation are urged to write United States Senators Morris Sheppard and Tom Connally asking that the appropriation for this work not be reduced by the present congress.

Officials of the Elm Creek Conservation Association are taking the lead in this demand. The Elm Creek Conservation District is the largest in the United States.

In appealing to all soil conservation association officials in Texas to urge the maintenance of the present Federal appropriation for this work Fred A. Hannie of Temple, of the Elm Creek Association says, "A fifteen per cent reduction of the appropriation for soil and water conservation is proposed before the senate, and a 20 per cent reduction in the Bureau of Agricultural Economics."

While as yet there is no legally constituted soil conservation district in Texas, 69 districts are now in a formative period, covering 56,000,000 acres of land, Mr. Hannie pointed out. Farmers are hopeful that they may be able to get technical advice in working out their problems of terracing and treating farms, and if the soil conservation service personnel in Texas is reduced fifteen per cent, there would be not more than one or two men available as technical advisors in each district. At this rate, it would require at least 25 years for the men to survey the individual district farms.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Rosamond, of Lubbock, were here Monday, guests of her daughter, Mrs. Ferrell Albin, and family, and his son, Ralph Rosamond and family.

John Johnson, of Dry Lake, was transacting business in town Monday.

Miss Velma Snodgrass, of Rotan, spent the week end here visiting her brother, Lee Snodgrass, and family.

Mrs. Cecil Godfrey and Mrs. Lenora Luckett spent last week in Waco visiting their sister and daughter, Mrs. Rowe I. Sams.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Murphy and daughter, Jackie Jo, of Elida, New Mexico, are here visiting their sisters, Mrs. Alice Murphree, at Dickens, Mrs. A. B. Hogan, and Mrs. W. O. Finley of Spur.

PERSONAL

Mr. and Mrs. George Erath of ten miles south of town were in Spur Saturday shopping and greeting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rogers of the Croton community spent Saturday afternoon in Spur shopping and greeting friends.

Mrs. B. C. Hale, of Kalgary, has been here several days staying at the Nichols Sanitarium with her nephew, "Buddy" Murphree, who is quite ill.

A. Woods, east of Spur was in town Saturday shopping and greeting friends.

L. L. Teague and family of the Highway community was in Spur Saturday greeting friends and attending to business matters.

Mrs. Mattie Edwards of the Croton community spent Saturday afternoon in Spur greeting friends and attending to business matters.

Vernon Hahn and family from Los Angeles, California was in Spur Saturday greeting friends and attending to business matters. Mr. Hahn and family are former residents of Dickens County.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Webb of Gilpin spent Saturday in Spur shopping and greeting friends.

J. M. Dawson of Espuela was in Spur Saturday trading and greeting friends, and was a pleasant visitor at the Times Office.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Moore west of Spur were in town Saturday attending to business and were very pleasant callers at the Times Office.

D. M. Shirley south of town spent Saturday afternoon in Spur shopping and attending to business matters.

Bob Saxon from south of town was greeting friends and shopping in Spur Saturday.

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Mrs. Jan. Miller says: "Gas on my stomach was so bad I couldn't eat or sleep. Gas even seemed to press on my heart. Adlerika brought me quick relief. Now, I eat as I wish, sleep fine, never felt better."

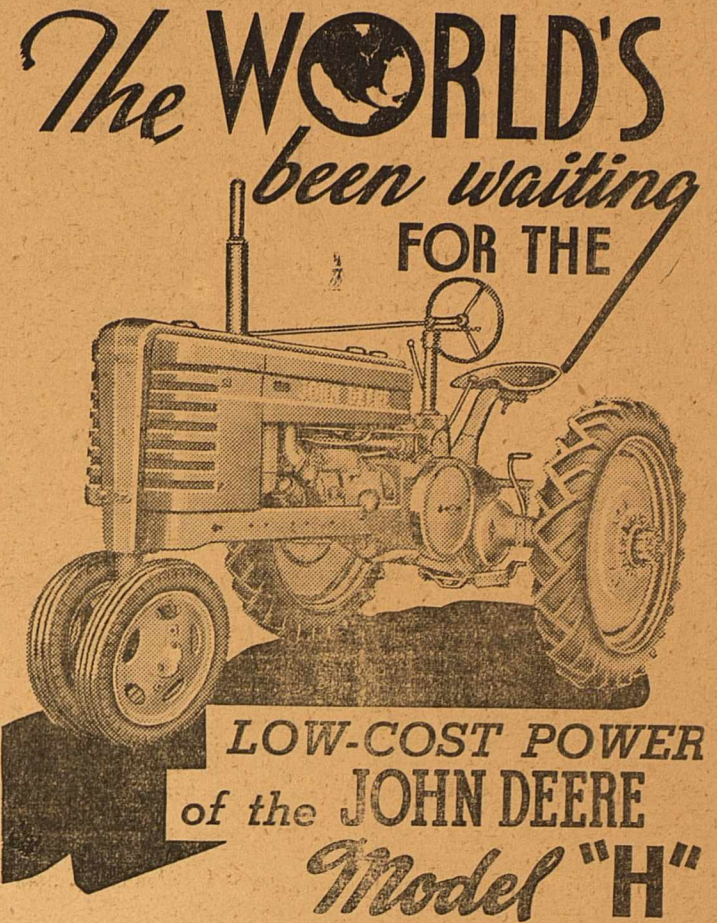
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Jim Koonsman of the Croton community was in Spur Saturday attending to business matters, and greeting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred C. Haile and daughter, Opal Annetta, of Abilene, were in Spur Saturday, visiting friends, and relatives. Mr. Haile is

employed by the Reconstruction Corporation.

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State Park Action Delayed

Acquisition of two CCC camps and approval of deeds by the Attorney General's department are awaited before further steps are taken toward creation of the Possum Kingdom park, approved in January by the State Park Board.

Application has been made in Washington for the camps, J. D. Sandefer Jr., member of the park board, said, and deeds to the land, furnished by the Brazos River Reclamation and Conservation District, have been forwarded to the Attorney General's office, according to Milton Daniel, member of the dam project board of directors.

On January 17 Wendell Mayes, park board chairman, announced here that 3300 acres offered by the park board would lie on both sides of the river, bed where a great lake will be formed by the Possum Kingdom Dam, about 25 miles from Breckenridge, Mineral Wells and Graham. Lands for the site have been carved out of both Stephens and Palo Pinto counties.

It has been estimated that \$7,000,000 will be expended upon the park.

The park will include special centers that can be used for football training sites, boy and girl scouts, clubs of various kinds, other recreational centers, club houses, boat houses, swimming pools, weekend cottages and skyline road drives.

At a meeting of the land committee, held at Mineral Wells Wednesday, it was announced that all but 12,000 acres of the 38,000 needed for the dam project has been secured.

The \$7,000,000 mentioned above will be taken over by the Federal government.

The two CCC camps that are to be built on this project will be made of pine, as there is lots of pine surrounding the camp site. All work will be done by the CCC boys even the cutting of the lumber.

Youth Crusade Rally Stamford Tomorrow

The Stamford district of the Methodist Church are holding their young people's rally at St. John's Methodist Church at Stamford, Friday night, Feb. 16. A number of young people from Spur Methodist and from the various churches of Spur circuit are expecting to attend. It is hoped that not fewer than thirty young people from his community will attend this rally. Rev. T. M. Johnson, district superintendent, is hoping that 750 young people from over the district will be present. The young people of Stamford will act as hosts to the visiting delegates.

A fellowship hour will be after the rally. Refreshments will be served and a good time of meeting friends and making new friends will be enjoyed.

Speakers for the meeting are Rev. W. E. Hamilton of Lubbock, Rev. G. Franklin Ivy of Abilene and Rev. Edwin W. Parker of Oklahoma City. In addition to these speakers there will be other numbers such as special music on the program.

New Classes Organized in Spur Schools

Some additions to the curriculum of Spur schools were made this week. Classes in public school music were organized and group singing practices began. Miss Jeanne Gollihar is in charge of this work and is meeting eight classes each day. The work takes in pupils of the fifth, sixth, and seventh grades, and there are two classes of thirty each in high school. Choral Club work will be organized in the near future.

Classes in physical education were started this week. Miss Marie Simpson is in charge of this work. Also, Spur schools now have classes in physiology. This work was started this week and is very vital work in our schools. Miss Simpson is teaching that work. She has three classes in physical education and two classes in physiology each day.

Funeral Services for Mrs. Green Sunday

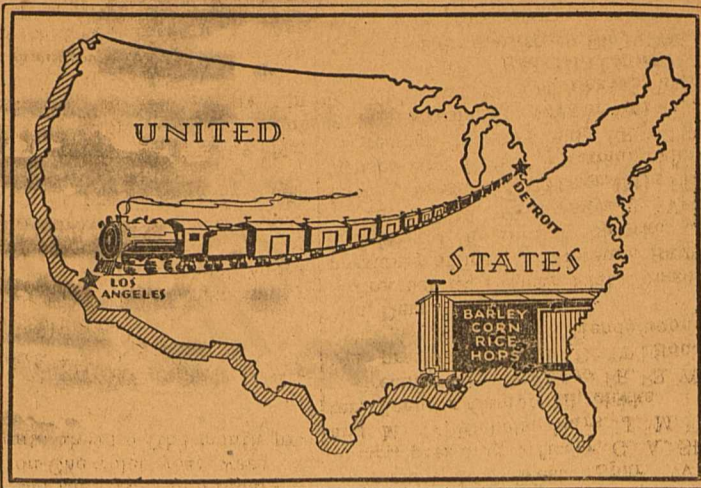
Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. R. S. Green were held at the First Baptist Church Sunday afternoon at two o'clock. Mrs. Green was a victim of pneumonia and passed away at her home in last Spur Friday night. Rev. H. L. Burman was in charge of the services and was assisted by Rev. D. B. Bennett. Interment was in Spur cemetery with the Ward Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were M. H. Costlow, Ernest George, Bob Fox, Leonard Wilson, Charlie Kimmel and Willie McCombs. Flower bearers were Naomi Franklin, Aldaphyne Sprayberry, Virgie Murray, Edith Jewell Sprayberry, Kaythene Pior and Mrs. Stella Morrow.

Mrs. Green's maiden name was Miss Viola Stegall. She was born November 3, 1894, and was 45 years of age last November. She was married to Mr. Green December 19, 1919. There were three children in the home, only one of them living.

She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Miss Evelyn, two brothers, J. A. Stegall of Lockney and Rev. L. R. Stegall of Premont. One sister, Mrs. Lizzie Rollins of Doole, Texas. She was converted early in life and became affiliated with the Baptist Church.

Grains for Brewing Would Fill Train Spanning Three-fourths of Continent



AMERICAN farm products purchased by the brewing industry since beer's legalization in 1933 have reached a total of 25 billion pounds, enough to fill a freight train extending from Los Angeles to Detroit.

More than three million acres of farm land must be cultivated each year to raise the billions of pounds of barley, corn, rice and hops for which brewers pay approximately \$100,000,000 annually.

In 1939 alone nearly four billion pounds of these products were used to make the 55,191,103 barrels of beer, which the United States Bureau of Internal Revenue reports were produced last year.

These are among the developments recorded by the United Brewers Industrial Foundation in its annual survey of the brewing industry.

The past year also witnessed rapid expansion of the industry's program of active cooperation with local law enforcement officials to

eliminate anti-social conditions wherever they may surround the sale of beer. The number of states in which industry committees dedicated to this purpose are in operation increased from one to nine. Similar programs are to be installed in additional states during the coming year.

Direct taxes collected on the 1939 sale of beer totaled \$411,596,780 and averaged \$7.80 per barrel on the 52,768,818 barrels withdrawn for sale. This revenue is earmarked for old age pensions, educational institutions, public health, aids to agriculture and other special purposes in many states and municipalities. The remainder, including the Federal Government's share of \$267,642,933, is allocated to general expense funds.

The 1939 payments bring the total tax revenue collected by Federal, State and local agencies since beer's legalization to approximately two and a quarter billion dollars.

Funeral for Mrs. Shaw Thursday

Funeral services over the remains of Mrs. Eldridge G. Shaw were conducted at the Church of Christ in Dickens at two o'clock Thursday afternoon. J. H. Miles, local minister of the Church of Christ, was in charge. Interment followed in Dickens cemetery with Ward Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Buford Shaw, Nathan Mosley, Edgar Duggan, Emmett Pierce, Clifford Shaw and Coy Drennan. Flower bearers were Mildred Mosley, Elma Duggan, Dorris Stewart and Louise Shaw.

Mrs. Shaw is survived by her husband, Eldridge Gardner Shaw and the following children: F. E. Shaw of Levelland, F. C. Shaw of Dickens, Mrs. A. L. Hyatt of Anton, Dan M. Shaw of Crosbyton, Mrs. I. T. Autery of Paducah, W. W. Shaw of Amarillo, O. E. Shaw of El Paso, Mrs. Fred Dozier of Afton, Mrs. A. L. Stewart of Roaring Springs, W. E. Shaw and Andrew Shaw of Dickens. One child preceded her in death February 23, 1914.

There are 35 grandchildren and three great grandchildren in the family.

Mrs. Shaw's maiden name was Miss Malinda Catherine Askins. She was born in San Saba County, Texas, September 14, 1872. She was married to Eldridge Gardner Shaw, March 29, 1891. The marriage was a happy one and Mr. and Mrs. Shaw worked together as life partners for the interests of their home.

At the age of ten years she professed religion and united with the Methodist Church. She was a devoted member, but in 1921 she was baptized into the Church of Christ. She was a good neighbor, a loving wife, a devoted mother and a zealous Christian according to reports from her neighbors.

Climbing Chevrolet Business

Chevrolet dealers sales of new cars and trucks in the month of January totaled 73,328 units, a figure which smashes all January records, with the exception of a single year. The announcement was made at the company's headquarters in Detroit Thursday.

Sales for the month showed a gain of 21,326 units, or 41 per cent over those for January 1939. Sales for the final 10 days totaled 25,916 units as compared with 18,843 in the same period last year.

The records show that in only one other January — January 1936 — has the record of the past month been equalled, and the sales in January of that million-Chevrolet year were only 2280 units ahead of the month just closed.

Wichita P. T. A. Organization

The Wichita P. T. A. met Friday, Feb. 9 at the Wichita school house. The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Bonds, president and the business was then presented before the house.

A brief talk was given by Mr. Lee Mims. Mr. Mims talked about how wonderful it was to live in America.

Khaki Beechly gave a report on the money that was made and spent by the P. T. A.

The committee is working on a play to be given soon.

Mrs. Bonds made a motion that the P. T. A. adjourn. This was seconded by Mrs. Pillow.—Reporter.

Boyce House Would Make Picturesque Race, Friend Says

"Writing about the glitter and glory of oil booms, solving a murder mystery, narrowly escaping death in the pursuit of the famous Sonta Claus bank robbers — these are a few of the highlights in the colorful career of Boyce House of Fort Worth, widely known newspaperman who is being talked of as a candidate for state office."

Geo. W. Manning, who was associated with House in newspaper work for several years, declared:

"As a newspaper man, Boyce House broke the story of Old Rip, the Eastland courthouse horned frog, which attracted world-wide attention; he has written up more than 300 high school football games, 'covered' political campaigns over the state and has interviewed Vice President John Garner, Will Rogers, Bob Burns and dozens of other notables. He directed the publicity campaign of the Fort Worth Casa Manana and made it the best known name in the amusement world. "Besides all this, he has broken into the pages of the Saturday Evening Post, has written several books and has filled an important assignment in Hollywood as technical adviser on a Texas motion picture. Yes, sir, if Boyce House decides to throw his hat into the ring, Texas voters can expect a colorful campaign and a colorful campaigner."

High School P. T. A. To Meet Tuesday

The high school Parent-Teacher Association will hold their monthly meeting at the high school building next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock. The program is to conform with boys work in the community and parents are asked to be present. There are good speakers on the program which you will enjoy.

Card of Thanks

We want to thank all of our many friends for your kindness to us during the illness and death of our beloved wife and mother. May God bless each and everyone of you.—R. G. Green and children.

Judges Selected—

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E. L. Parks, clerks. Precinct 9, Croton, D. M. Morgan, presiding officer. Mary Edwards and Clarence Butler, clerks. Precinct 10, West Spur. V. C. Smart, presiding officer, G. A. Sloan, and M. L. Rickels, Mrs. J. M. Foster, Spencer Campbell, clerks. Precinct 11, McAdoo, R. R. Wooten, presiding officer, C. T. Boucher, John A. Alein, H. E. Henderson and Jim Derr, clerks.

Precinct 12, Duncan Flat, Joe Rose, presiding officer. Henderson Bateman and Mrs. J. E. Dunlap, clerks. Precinct 13, Highway. J. J. Vernon Powell, presiding officer. Mrs. Hugh Denson and Kelsey Putman, clerks.

Precinct 14, Espuela. R. C. McMahan, presiding officer. Mrs. T. A. Bingham and W. F. Beaves, clerks.

Precinct 15, Red Hill. Elmer Shugart, presiding officer. Floy Watson and Clyde Horn, clerks.

Precinct 16, East Spur, Earl Jopling, presiding officer. Mrs. H. P. Gibson and Miss Etta Fite, clerks.

Precinct 17, Prairie Chapel. H. E. Bennett, presiding officer. Lewis Daniels and B. F. Middleton, clerks.

Nichols Sanitarium News

Mrs. E. H. Holcomb of Roaring Springs, is doing fine after an operation of a few days ago.

Miss Fay Armstrong of Patton Springs school who has been in the hospital recovering from an injury was able to return home Tuesday of this week.

Mr. Paul Propst of Alpine, Texas, who was in the hospital for treatment after a bad car wreck was able to return to his room here in Spur a few days ago.

Joe Roberts of McAdoo underwent surgery operation Wednesday of this week. He is doing nicely at this time.

Lillian Pearl Bruce, who was operated on for ruptured appendix is resting well at this time.

Robert D. Hale, son of Frank Hale of Girard, was operated on several days ago for appendicitis. At this time he is doing fine.

Bobbie Murphee, son of Alice Murphee of Dickens is in the sanitarium for medical treatment at this time. He is much better.

A. B. Winkler of Dickens has been in the sanitarium several days for medical treatment.

Mrs. Cloy Marshall received surgery a few days ago and is doing nicely.

D. W. Sims of Afton was able to return home after an operation of several days ago.

Mrs. L. C. Horn of Spur, was able to return home yesterday morning after undergoing surgery several days ago.

Clifford Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Smith was able to return home after an operation of ruptured appendix.

Mrs. C. R. Hawley was able to return to her home Wednesday after suffering several days with pneumonia.

Mother Reported Very Ill

Rev. and Mrs. J. E. Harrell left for Breckenridge Tuesday to be with Bro. Harrell's mother who is reported very ill. Bro. Harrell stated he was very uneasy about his mother since she has been ill twice of pneumonia. She was reported as having influenza, but the messabe stated she was receiving the best of care.

Methodist Church Notes

Sunday school 9:55 a. m. Morning worship 11 a. m. Young People's League 6:45 p. m. Evening service 7:30 p. m. W. M. S. Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock.

Choir practice Monday night 7:30. Young People's choir practice Wednesday evening at 6:45.

The pastor will preach Sunday morning and evening.

Visitors are always welcome.

MESSAGE OF APPRECIATION

We want to take this means of publicity thanking those friends who so generously offered us their homes and services during the illness of our daughter, Faye Armstrong. Everybody of the surrounding community were very good to us, and especially do we want to remember those good people at Patton Springs for their kindness. We greatly appreciate the interest and work of the good doctors and the nurses, and we are grateful to them.—Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Armstrong and children, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cogburn, Throckmorton, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Haile of the Afton community spent Saturday afternoon in Spur, shopping and greeting friends.

CLASSIFIED ADS

FOR SALE—F-20 regular tractor and all equipment. Price \$300.00. Fair working condition. See Ray Bailey, McAdoo, Texas. 2-1-4tp

FOR SALE—Work stock. Real cheap. Fall terms. E. S. Lee. tn

FOR SALE—First year Harper Mebane Cotton Seed, 75 cents per bushel. 1-1-2 miles west Broadway Gin.—Willard Richardson. 2-8-4tpd

WILL PLOW or do listing for people. Have new Ford Tractor and new equipment. Satisfactory work. Write or see JACK C. SIMMONS, Rt. 1, Spur, Texas. 2-8-2tp

MILK COWS—For sale. Four cows with young calves, bred heifer and one pure bred bull.—John Ferguson, Roaring Springs, Texas. 2-8-3tc

FOR SALE or trade—34 Model Tudor sedan Chevrolet. Will take cow or horses. W. F. Pierce, near Steel Hill Christian Church, Route 2, Spur, Texas. 8-3tp

FOR SALE—160 acre farm. One and one-half miles east of McAdoo.—O. T. Boucher. 4tpd

LOST—Black pattern purse; in it was car keys, strap watch, a little change, deposit slip with my name on it. Will give a reward for return.—Dickens County Times. 1tc

FOR RENT—6 room house partly furnished, will give possession first of March. 201 East Hill Street.—Mrs. G. L. Barber. 2tpd

FOR SALE—165 acres, 70 tillable. Spring water.—See W. P. Foster.

FOR SALE—Sheet iron building. Good location. Rented for \$27.00 per month.—W. P. Foster.

Safeway's CANNED FOODS SALE

Cherries No. 2 Can 10c

Juice Blue Bonnet Grapefruit 2 46 oz. Cans 25c

Pork and Beans Phillips 16 oz. Can 5c

Syrup Sleepy Hollow SYRUP, 12 oz. jug 17c

Ivory Soap 10 oz. bar 10c

Ivory Soap 6 oz. bar 6c

Crackers Brown's Krispy Crackers, 1 lb. box 15c

Mustard French's Mustard, 9 oz. jar 13c

Butter Safeway Solid or Quarters Butter, lb. 29c

Tissue Comfort Toilet Tissue, 4 roll pkg. 19c

Mazola Oil, pint 25c

Candy Hershey Almond and Milk Candy, 3 bars 10c

Meal Mammy Lou Meal, 20 lb. bag 45c

Rinso, 23 1/2 oz. pkg. 19c

Crackers Excel Graham Crackers, 2 lb. box 15c

Snowdrift Quick Mixing Snowdrift 3 Lb. Tin 45c

Tomato Juice Libby's Tomato Juice 14 oz. Can 6c

ORANGES

2 doz. Texas Valencia 288 Size 25c

U. S. No. 1 Yellow Onions, 4 lbs. 10c

Firm Green Cabbage, pound 3c

Fancy Texas Yams, 4 lbs. 19c

Extra Fancy Delicious Apples, doz. 25c

Extra Fancy Winesaps Apples, doz. 19c

Idaho Rural Potatoes, 10 lbs. 19c

Fancy Cauliflower, head 15c

Texas Marshseedless Grapefruit, doz. 23c

CARROTS

2 Bunches Fresh Texas Bunches 5c

SUGAR CURED PICNICS

Tender With a Ham Flavor 13c

Skinless Weiners, lb. 15c

Round Steak, lb. 25c

Center Sliced Sugar Cured Ham, lb. 29c

Pork Liver, lb. 10c

Dry Salt Bacon, lb. 9c

Pork Steak, lb. 15c

Pure Pork Sausage, 2 lbs. 25c

FAT YOUNG HENS

Dressed and Drawn Lb. 18c

SAFEWAY